

**THE WOLDS AND TRENT CIRCUIT  
OF THE  
METHODIST CHURCH IN  
LINCOLNSHIRE**

**LINK**



**September 2014**

## Pastoral Letter

We have had a glorious summer with lots of sunshine (well at least at the time of writing this!) hopefully fulfilling many people's dreams and expectations! Gardens have produced some colourful and exquisite blooms and now many folk are enjoying a harvest of fruit and veg which are perhaps bigger and more plentiful than expected.

We all have expectations at various times – some may be greater than others. Sometimes our expectations are influenced by friends, family or the wider world. Occasionally our expectations can seem unrealistic in terms of time and resources. On the other hand sometimes perhaps we don't expect enough and barriers and limitations appear in our minds, minds which however clever cannot see the whole picture.

We worship a God for whom nothing is impossible, a God who can open up opportunities, meet our needs in all sorts of ways – a God of surprises; limitless, abundant in his love and grace.

I wonder as we begin each day - do we expect to meet with God, do we expect Him to be present in all our tasks, expect Him to be at work in the life of our communities, in the life our chapels, or do we think it all depends on us and what we do or don't do? Do we expect God to be present in the minutiae of daily living as well as in the huge decisions of life?

In Mark's gospel Blind Bartimaeus was asked by Jesus "What do you want me to do for you"?

"Rabbi, I want to see"

A straight question and a clear answer from Bartimaeus who had an expectation that Jesus would help him and Jesus graciously responded .

At the beginning of this 'Methodist New Year' may we be filled with the expectation of seeing God at work, may our prayers be full of expectancy, that God will continue to be in every situation. As we begin our second year as part of the 'Wolds and Trent Circuit may our expectations be those which are rooted and grounded in God and in His plans.

Anne

The Wolds and Trent Circuit Service

Misterton Chapel

7<sup>th</sup> September

10.30am

An important date at the beginning of a new Methodist year.

Another year passes by.

Last year around the middle of August I was contemplating on the future of a circuit that was not yet in existence, **THE WOLDS AND TRENT CIRCUIT OF THE METHODIST CHURCH IN LINCOLNSHIRE**. I had been a circuit steward in the Gainsborough circuit for some time and we had been involved in discussions with Market Rasen & Caistor circuit with the prospect of forming a new united circuit. The time was now fast approaching when the new circuit would become a reality, the thought of two Circuit Leadership teams and circuits merging into one was exiting but at the same time scary. What did the future have in store for us? A year later I can reflect back and say a time of change and challenges that have prepared us for the challenge Jesus gave to us, Matthew 28, verse 19: “Therefore go and make disciples of all nations”. I thank God for His guidance and the vision that brought us all together and pray that we continue to go forward in the name of Jesus. As I stand down as a circuit steward I would like to thank each of the leadership team who have given me so much support as senior steward. I know Janet will enjoy the same support as she takes over from me as senior steward.

God bless.      Tim Smith

### **Safari Tea**

Our Circuit Safari Tea, on a sunny afternoon in August, was enjoyed by many people from all around the circuit. Thank you to the chapels at Gainsborough, Upton, North Kelsy, Middle Rasen and Glentham for providing the delicious savouries and sweets, teas and coffees. Thank you to Midge for making our birthday cake for the circuit's first birthday.

Due to the strong wind, the Songs of Praise service was held indoors, with about 80 people attending. The Music Group from Gainsborough led our singing and taught us some lovely new songs. Rev Liz Childs led our service which included readings, a sketch and meditation, challenging us to stand firm in the love of Christ and to take that love into our churches and communities.

Thank you to everyone who took part in the service and to all who supported this event.

Janet Faulkner

## NEWS FROM AROUND THE CIRCUIT

### Brookenby

**Church Contact:** Mrs M Nicholls 01472 398364

### Caistor

**Church Contact:** Mr M James 01472 851965

### Caistor Methodist Church Holiday Club

A group of children were ready for another adventure with holiday club, this time they set sail on the 6 c's: choice, courage, call, commitment, challenge and change. Each day they looked at one of the c's and how they are used in the bible. There were lots of fun games with sea related themes and creative activities including: making boats, baking gingerbread and making friendship bracelets. Of course, we can't forget the songs, especially the theme song. The adventure cruise was a holiday club that was definitely an exciting adventure.

Ella MacPherson

### Beetle Drive

The beetle drive took place on the 9<sup>th</sup> of August at John and Judith's house at 2:30pm. The first thing that happened was we were handed out the sheets and played 12 interesting and fun games of beetle. Many beetles were awarded and the games went zooming by. At the end the judge counted up the scores while some children played in the pool. Then we ate some delicious refreshments and John came out with the scores. Some of the prizes included kinder bars, loom bands, chocolate and lots more. That was an afternoon to remember!!!

Anna MacPherson

### Summer Fair

Another lovely day, with stalls, games, fun and fellowship in David King's garden. Rain came as the start time drew near but the early arrival of the first loyal, waterproofed and umbrella clutching supporters confirmed the decision to stay put outside. And then the sun came out.....!

A big thank you to all who organised, supported, prayed for and attended all three events.

### Future Dates

Harvest Concert – Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> September at 4.30pm – the Roscoe Singers gospel choir are coming from Chapeltown in Leeds to entertain us. The concert will be followed by a bring and share tea in the church hall and there will be a retiring collection towards a new boiler for the Roscoe Methodist Church. All welcome – it promises to be a great evening.

Kate Kelly

## Faldingworth

**Church Contact:** Mrs C Waite 01673 885249

An activity day was held at the end of July based on the story of Moses. Five children enjoyed crafts, singing and games based around the birth of Moses, the Plagues and the journey of the Israelites through the desert.

A large collage is now on display on the school room wall and the children took home baskets, insects and key rings which they had made. Thank you to everyone who helped to make this an enjoyable day for the children.  
Janet Faulkner

We have had a chance to visit other Chapels, as some Sundays, we have not had a service here. It has been interesting to see how other congregations work together. We chose John Wesley to be our hero in the village's Scarecrow Exhibition. We all took part in the "Messy Church" held in the school's hall where the children chose Noah as their hero.

We were welcomed to Market Rasen Chapel on the following Sunday morning where David Islip was preaching. Geoffrey Smith was helping too. Coffee/tea and biscuits afterwards sounded very inviting. We enjoyed that service very much.

The following Sunday we went to All Saints Church for an "All Age" service taken by Cynthia Bunch starting at 10am. We were warmly welcomed. The Sunday after that we had Mr Ramm from Gainsborough . It was lovely to be back at "our Chapel" and to catch up with the other members of our "normal" congregation. It was a really enjoyable service.

Glenthams was our next port of call on the following Sunday. It was a lovely morning and we were able to park in the car park there, We had a lovely welcome and enjoyed our real taste of Messy Church. There was a good congregation of children and parents with Jenny and Peter leading the service. It was based on the "house that was built on a rock". Alison took the group to a table where they were soon engrossed in modelling, whilst the rest of us had coffee and biscuits. We have been encouraged by all that we have been able to enjoy our visits. Thankfully it has been such a lovely warm summer which has made going out such a pleasure. Our Sunday Sacrament was led by Rev Anne. We welcomed visitors from Glenthams too. We were able to use our discs for singing the faith.

Laurie

## Gainsborough

**Church Contact:** Mr M Childs 01427 610057

Some of the activities have continued during July and August, mostly those social events involving eating, but also the fellowship groups. In addition to these things, a holiday club took place, which had an encouraging response, and we were privileged to play host for a couple of days to a group from Ukraine.

The Safari Tea in the Trent section of the service called at Gainsborough, and as so often, we are grateful to Kathy Holt for her organisation - and also to the willing band of helpers. Plenty of us were able to attend the uplifting evening worship at Glenthams, including, of course rather importantly, the music group.

Everything starts up again in September, particularly noting the youth activities and toddler lunches. The building is very well used by our own events and by the community. At times we can have three different groups vying for space!

Planning for the coming connexional year has started and we look forward to serving God in Gainsborough and the surrounding area, both in the old ways, but also looking to where God leads us into new ideas.

Mike Childs

Date for your Diary:

Sunday December 14th – 3pm at Gainsborough Trinity Football ground – commemorating WW1 Christmas Day when the soldiers sang carols and played football – a boys football match and Community Carol Singing. All welcome.

### **Thanks for the Memory**

A Multi-Media Street Party Commemorating Both World Wars  
And Celebrating VE Day

**Watch, Listen and Sing, Eat and Drink  
With Rose Lunt.**

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> October

3.00pm

Gainsborough Methodist Chapel

£7.50

## Glenthams

**Church Contact:** Mr T Faulkner 01673 818718

This year's Holiday Club took place in Boffin's Laboratory where we conducted trials of his new invention, the amazing 'Mega Machine'! Brainwave had been left in charge of the machine and the trials culminated in the machine changing his chocolate bar from his lunch box into a huge slab of chocolate! We all had a great week of fellowship and fun as we explored the vastness of God's love for us. It was an exciting and privileged opportunity to share God's Word with such lovely children. Our time together started and finished very enthusiastically each day with the Memory Verse Song with lots of actions and plenty of exercise.

The week ended with our Holiday Club celebration service at Messy Church followed by an indoor picnic. It was wonderful to see the Chapel full and buzzing with activity as we recapped on all we had discovered over the week and were challenged to go out and tell others of God's love for them.

And of course we started and finished with a great exercise routine to our Memory Verse Song!

*Wide & long & high & deep is the Love of Jesus for us  
And I pray that you may know this love  
And I pray that you may grow in love  
And I pray that you will be filled up with the fullness of God  
(based on Ephesians 3:18)*

A great big THANK YOU to everyone who took part, for giving their time and themselves in this way.

*Jenny & Peter*

Men's Breakfast – Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September 9am The Crown Inn  
Messy Church – Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> September 10:45am

*Date for your diary – Songs of Praise with 'VISION' worship group **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October 6pm** – Glenthams Chapel*

**Sugar & Spice**  
**Saturday 20th September**

Ladies, if you would like to join us for coffee, cake, friendship & informal discussion about some of the 'big questions' in life, please phone Anne 01673 843362, Janet 01673 818718 or Jenny 01673878806

**Men's Breakfast**

**'The Crown Inn', Glentham**

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September at 9am**

(every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month!!)

Full English Breakfast £5.50 and free chat!!!

Please Phone Peter 01673 878806 & book your place!



**Gringley**

**Church Contact:** Mrs P Gray 01427 629250

**Lea**

**Church Contact:** Mrs M Lilley 01427 615933

September 14<sup>th</sup>: Harvest Festival. 10.30am. Preacher Mr Brian Smith from Grimsby

Monday September 15<sup>th</sup>: 7pm Short Service followed by Sale of Produce.

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September: 2.15pm Village Guild. Mr Peter Cornish- Bats in Focus

**Join Our New Year Party in Cornwall for 2014-2015**

At

Treloyhan Manor

This Victorian Christian Guild Hotel overlooks the beautiful Carbis Bay close to St. Ives.

**Sunday December 28<sup>th</sup> 2014**

To

**Friday January 2<sup>nd</sup> 2015**

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## Market Rasen

**Church Contact:** Mr G Taylor 01673 843939  
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**Sunday Services; 10.45 a.m.; monthly evening service at 6.00p.m.  
Weekday communion; First Friday in the month 10.00a.m.  
Weekday activities & other events; See monthly Bulletin**

Our children's Holiday Club was held from 28 July to 1 August and we had 33 children register for the event. This time we had the pleasure of Elaine, Gareth and Charlie (the Circuit youth workers) on the team. The theme was 'Mega Makers' which involved a wonderful 'Mega Machine' which mysteriously transformed small items into large ones.

Professor Boffin (Gareth) and Brainwave (Charlie) kept the children entertained whilst teaching them some of the stories about Jesus and the miracles he performed. Brainwave then led us in some exhausting keep fit routines using his 'beat box'. The children were in fine voice during the singing sessions. We sang a multitude of songs taken from the Mega Makers Handbook ably accompanied by Ian Hardcastle, Bob and Charlie. The Mega Machine Theme song sang at the start of each day brought the machine to life from its overnight slumber.

It was great to have Sadie, Siobahn, Ruth and Pat Hardcastle helping us again as well as our trusted stalwarts Anne and Jenny. Thanks also go to Ernie for providing and putting up 2 gazebos each day for the children to use for the outside activities.

On Friday evening the parents joined us for a lovely closing service and we shared a meal of chilli and pizza. The children said some really lovely things about the week they had with us and we all look forward to doing it all again next year.

Bob Bailey and Rosie Brumpton

\*\*The Choral Society recommences on the 2<sup>nd</sup> September\*\*

## **Marton**

**Church Contact:** Mrs D Kitchinson 01427 718634

What a wonderful weekend we had to celebrate 200 years of worship in our lovely Chapel. The Chapel was open during the two days of our very special weekend. On Saturday evening (5th July) we were entertained by the Trentside Singers followed by lovely refreshments. On Sunday afternoon, Reverend Liz Childs extended a warm welcome to Rev Philip Macdonald who conducted the service. Philip was invited to conduct the service as he had conducted our 175th year service and many people were pleased to renew contact with him. Mrs Margaret Pocklington was our soloist and was enjoyed by everyone as usual. Our celebration cake and drinks concluded our afternoon and then more cakes! Our thanks go to everyone who supported this weekend in any way.

Our monthly coffee morning will be held on Wednesday 27th August at 10.00 a.m.

God bless

Doris

## **Middle Rasen**

**Church Contact:** Mrs A Surfleet 01673 843256

As I write at the beginning of July, have you noticed the berries on the hedgerows and shrubs already changing colour? Where has the year gone? We are over half way through it already and before you know it, we shall be celebrating the birth of Christ again!!

It is a quiet time in the church calendar now – Women’s Own and the Guild are closed for the summer. Women’s Own starts again in September and the Guild in October. One of the talks the Guild had this last year, was about the Horse Rescue Charity at Bransby and we visited this in July and had tea there – well worth a visit. I do so admire people who give up their lives to help other people or animals in distress. Although they do not know it, or own up to it, they are true Christians – putting others before themselves.

Last night we attended a strawberry and summer fruit punch evening in aid of St Andrew’s Hospice. Although this was not organised by Chapel, over £500 was raised, showing people care. On 12<sup>th</sup> July, we had our Chapel Gala in aid of Church funds. It was well attended and fun, as usual. Almost £900 was raised.

The Wesley Guild: for those Chapels that do not have one - The Guild originally was set up mostly for young people, but ours now-a-days is comprised mainly of the older generation. It offers: a) training in Christian living; b) provides a meeting point for honest encounter; c) plans and initiates active service; d) explores new ways of worships and personal devotion; e) expresses the social and caring life of the Church. It covers three topics – cultural, devotional and Christian service. Each one has its’ own committee to organise speakers. Each topic in turn has three or four sessions given to it and also a social evening. Outings are arranged and, as well as a party on site, dinner at a local restaurant is also a pleasurable occasion at Christmas and New Year, so it is not always a ‘serious’ ‘educational’ evening!! We begin on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm after our summer break.

In August, we joined with Women’s Own and visited the Gordon Boswell Romany Museum and Springfield Shopping Centre near Spalding – an enjoyable day out.

On July 19<sup>th</sup>, after our monthly community singing led by Janet Meyes we had one of our favourite preachers (if I can say that!!) Sid Andrews. He has such a sense of humour and fun. One amusing anecdote he told us – I can’t remember the man’s name, but he was a college lecturer – he was trying to instil into his students the importance of noticing the smallest detail. The lecturer had passed round a container of liquid. He told his pupils that you can tell if someone is diabetic by tasting their urine and he dipped a finger into the liquid and licked it (but not the one he dipped in to the liquid) and expected the students to do likewise, which they all did.

The point was, however, that the students did not look at the actual finger that he licked which was NOT the one he dipped in to the liquid, and they had all licked the one that they HAD dipped in to the urine!!! One of his hymns and psalms, number 578, was “This is the day the Lord has made etc” “we will rejoice and be glad in it”. The ladies sang the chorus first and then the men echoed it – I think that was the way round. It sounded really good and joyful.

He also stressed that we should ‘walk the talk’.

On July 27<sup>th</sup>, we had a United Service in the marquee at the Village Pub which had been used the previous day for the Horticultural Show and it was led by the Rev. Charles Patrick and our own Don Owen. It included several parables about ‘treasure’ and involved a huge drum of wood shavings in which there were five small chocolates hidden. Half the service seemed to be taken up trying to find them!! Finally, at the very bottom, was the best treasure of all – a box of special European Games Chocolate Marshmallows. The Vicar was ably assisted by his young daughter and a tiny girl from the congregation who had us all smiling at her innocent enjoyment of being included.

We have so few small children who come to our church services (except when we have a United service) so, on July 30<sup>th</sup>, a meeting was held called ‘Children in Worship’ with activity planning and a discussion as to how the service could be made beneficial to the children – after all, we have a nice school room! On July 11<sup>th</sup>, we hosted a meeting on ‘Faith at Work’ – a similar one to one we had had before.

By the time I finish this, August is here again with the Wold and Trent Circuit Safari Tea at which we are responsible for sweet treats so that people who come are in for a ‘special’ treat!!

On Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> September, we are holding our Harvest Supper and ‘Home Grown Variety Concert’ – the latter always hilarious!! We have a lot of talent at Middle Rasen!

Remember: A smile is the Universal Welcome – whatever nationality you are, a smile means everything!

Liz Margrave

## Misterton

**Church Contact:** Mr S Bilton 01427 810866

"Thank you to everyone who has enquired about the knitting patterns for the baby jumpers. Many have already been sent, and a generous donation of brand-new 'seconds' quality jumpers have also been distributed."

"Our regular events are  
Wednesdays 1st and 3rd week, 2pm Womens Fellowship  
Thurs. 10-11am coffee mornings, every week.  
Thurs. lunches at Swallow Court, arranged by Elaine and Gareth."

Steve Bilton

## Nettleton

**Church Contact:** Mrs Jean Field 01472 852056

September 6<sup>th</sup>-Monthly Coffee Morning 10.30am-12 noon  
October 4<sup>th</sup>- Charity Coffee Morning 10.30am-12 noon (see below)

It was wonderful to be in Coventry to witness the Ordination of Rev. Anne Coates. She looked a bit nervous before the service, but when we were able to speak to her afterwards she looked truly radiant. "Filled with the Spirit" is the only way to describe it. It was great to welcome her to Nettleton for her first Communion service the following Sunday.

Our 218<sup>th</sup> Chapel Anniversary was held on July 13<sup>th</sup> when we had the pleasure of Rev. Bruce Thompson take the service as friends from around the Circuit joined us for this special time. He reminded us that things happen in God's time as long as we follow Him. The evening closed with fellowship as we enjoyed tea and cakes.

Jean Field

NETTLETON CHAPEL  
MACMILLAN BIG COFFEE MORNING  
Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> October  
10.30am - 12 noon  
Cakes Stall - Bring n Buy - Raffle  
Refreshments Available

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FOR THIS VERY WORTH CAUSE

**North Kelsey**

**Church Contact:** Mrs M Thomas 01652 678365

Following our July Fun Day and August Coffee Morning with B&B sale we are now looking forward to our next event with our Harvest Festival on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> September. We shall welcome Revd Stuart Gunson to lead our worship which will be followed by a Harvest Lunch.

SUPERHEROES FUN DAY with super kids and bible heroes ! The whole time was packed with music, stories, fun games and making masks and capes. Sarah was a wonderful leader and was ably backed by chapel members as well as the parents. We all sat out in the sunshine for our picnic but were soon back in to action playing games on the front lawn. Our lovely day ended in songs and prayers giving thanks for a great day together.

Midge

**Upton**

**Church Contact:** Mrs Julie Barrow 01427 838729

Hello again from Upton Chapel Members.

Doesn't time fly when you are having fun. I can't believe it is Link time again.

We have had a quiet few weeks with some of us enjoying breaks away, and re - charging our batteries. At Upton we are looking forward to the Safari afternoon this coming Sunday. The ladies are planning delicious sweets and desserts for the travellers that we are expecting to come. We are looking forward, with anticipation, to the Songs of Praise at the final destination of the Safari. Should be good!!!

Our newest and most recent venture, at the chapel, has been to install a "Prayer Plaque" in the school room. This is to enable anyone visiting our

chapel to add a prayer to the plaque as they visit. At the Sunday service we ask the visiting preacher or minister to include these prayers during our service. This facility has only been in operation for a few weeks but seems to have been welcomed by people who visit during the week. It is another small way in which we can make our visitors seem welcome and appreciated.

We enjoy our music at the chapel, and several of our members sing with The Trentside Singers. This is a choir of members from the Trentside Group of WI's. On Friday October 17th they will be singing in their 100th concert. This will take place at Gainsborough Methodist Church at 7-30pm They will be singing some of their favourite items. All are welcome to this concert. Tickets will be £5-00. and will soon be available from me Jenny Fotheringham on 01427 838347.

If, like us at Upton, you celebrate harvest in September, then we wish you a bountiful time of celebration. We also remember the many people at home and around the world that do not know what a bountiful harvest means because they have no experience of one. We continue to pray for enough food to be shared around the world so that no-one needs to go to bed hungry.

With love from all at Upton Chapel.



### SMALL GROUP FELLOWSHIP

An invitation to all those who are part of small groups who meet for fellowship, discussion, bible study, across the circuit, to join together for an evening as we begin a new year in the Methodist Church

'Coffee, Cake, Prayer and Praise'.

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September 7.30pm at Glentham Methodist Church.

## THANK YOU

I would just like to say 'thank you' for all the prayers, good wishes, cards and gifts I received for my Ordination Service at Coventry at the end of June. It was a very special, occasion; moving and affirming. It was lovely have the support of folk throughout the circuit and to see some familiar faces in the congregation too.

Anne

### **Wolds and Trent Methodist Circuit: The Nomad Trust**

As we celebrate the first year of the Wolds and Trent Circuit, I am reminded of our inaugural circuit service and the presentation of a certificate to the new circuit from the Nomad trust in recognition of our fundraising. Altogether we raised **£1402.72** to support the homeless.

Many of you have continued to collect for the Nomad Trust, and I wondered if it would be possible to raise another £500 during 2013-14. The answer to that is “yes”, as together we have managed to raise the sum of **£576.77** since September 2013, so a big ‘thank you’ to all of you who have helped to contribute towards this.

Not only that, but our overall total raised since 2011 has now reached a magnificent **£1979.49** ! As it is still 14<sup>th</sup> August as I write this, I have every confidence that we will have raised £2000 by the end of the month and the date of the Wolds and Trent Circuit’s first anniversary.

All this is down to each of you and your giving, helping to make a big difference to those who are homeless. Thank you for your continuing support over the past three years. If you would like to help fundraise for Nomad using the collection box scheme, please contact me on 01673 842391, or email [ianh1910@gmail.com](mailto:ianh1910@gmail.com) .

I leave you with some comments by Brenda Shiels in the Nomad Summer 2014 Newsletter:

“It is 3 months since I took on the role of Fundraising Ambassador for The Nomad Trust I have been kept busy giving talks and presentations to community groups and schools and look forward to many more during the coming months.

The Trust relies heavily on support from the local community without which, it would struggle to continue offering its services; the need for which is, sadly, greater than ever. As well as financial support we benefit from food donations which help us to provide over 22,000 meals a year... On behalf of everyone at Nomad, I would like to thank you all for your continued support and wish you all a happy summer.”

If you would like Brenda to speak at one of your meetings, please contact her as follows:

Email: [brenda@nomadtrust.org.uk](mailto:brenda@nomadtrust.org.uk) or: [office@nomadtrust.org.uk](mailto:office@nomadtrust.org.uk) ☎ 07500 788276

Ian Hardcastle

### **The Methodist Church World Mission Fund**

We would like to thank the kind donors who have sent us more money to support the valuable work undertaken by this charity. Your generosity and prayerful concern are much appreciated and we feel certain that the Lord will bless your gift.

If you are considering making another donation in the future we thought this information might be useful.

Wishing you the Lord's blessings,

Syd & Bridget Andrew

**The World Mission Fund (WMF) supports projects and individuals around the world.**

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**Methodist Church World Mission Fund**

Methodist Church House

25 Marylebone Road

London NW1 5JR

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**LINCOLNSHIRE'S HEROES – PUZZLE PAGE**

Our county is rightfully famed for its agricultural crops but it has also provided our country with a harvest of NOTABLE PERSONS, whose names are nationally known.

Of the 12 people scrambled below, 10 were born here and 2 moved here to live. Beware, not all are men and No. 5 is tricky.

1. NEED, STAND FORLORNL  
(6,4,8 b. Somersby - poet)
2. SHREW SCALY EEL  
(7,6 b. Epworth – evangelist)
3. NIL RISK FOR J.HANN  
(3,4,8 b. Spilsby – explorer)
4. WEAK SENNA  
(4,5 Stallingborough – martyr)
5. INK VERY NIGH  
(4,5,2 b. Old Bollingbroke – royalty)
6. HIS NEW LORRY BENT  
(3,5,6 b. Caistor – poet)
7. MATCH HIS TOP NINJA  
(7,4,5, b. Willoughby – adventurer)

8. NINE SAW CAISTOR  
(3,5,6 b. Woolsthorpe – scientist)
9. HONOR SINH RAJ  
(4,8 Barrow-on-Humber – clockmaker)
10. FILM STARTED WHEN  
(7,8 b. Donnington – explorer)
11. PHRASES SINK JOB  
(3,6,5 b. Revesby – scientist)
12. THAT GREAT CHARMER  
(8,8 b. Grantham – politician)

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**September 15<sup>th</sup> 2014**

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