

What do Lincolnshire Heritage at risk do to help preserve our churches

- They look out for gradual decay and erosion to historic buildings
- They set up baseline data to build a country wide strategy to halt deterioration of Lincolnshire's historic environment
- Working together with community to insure that the inheritance is past on to future generations



Lincolnshire Heritage at Risk

A study of three very different
Lincolnshire churches
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Three Lincolnshire Churches

A brief history of three very different churches in Lincoln



History of St John the Baptist Church

- Designed by Sam Scorer
- Built in 1963
- The bishop of Lincoln laid the foundation stone
- It is a circular church
- The font is in the center of the church
- One of the most distinctive and unusual churches
- one of the most Important churches of the 1960s
- It has a spectacular wall of glass

History of St Mary Magdalene Church

- St Mary Magdalene was demolished to make way for Lincoln cathedral
- The original Saxon church lies buried under Lincoln cathedral built by William the conqueror
- It was rebuilt after the civil war twice rebuilt by the Victorians before being restored by G.F Bodley at it's current location
- restored by G.F Bodley in 1882
- It has one of Lincolnshire oldest church bells c1350 it is still used today to bring people to church services



History of Nettleham Church

- Thought to be late Saxon origin
- The font dates from 1849
- The roof is of 15th century design
- The wall paintings are 13th century
- The pulpit is early 20th century
- There were bells in the tower by 1590 they are rung on Sundays and special occasions
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