

## **Annual Parish Meeting 24 May 2022**

### **WI Report given by Sara Carter.**

Sara is the President of the Owmbly and Normanby District WI which was established nearly 10 years ago. They will be celebrating their tenth anniversary in October this year.

For the Queens Diamond Jubilee a group of ladies got together to organise an event and when it was over they decided they wanted to continue together and the decision was taken to form a WI.

They attend events through the wider WI movement and they come under Lincolnshire North. There is an annual event in Skegness with a guest speaker. Last time it was Amanda Owen – the Yorkshire Shepherdess.

Throughout the movement they promote learning and friendship. They also pass resolutions at national events. The “Keep Britain Tidy” resolution was started by the WI.

They are well known for crafts and refreshments and can be seen providing sustenance at many events including the Lincolnshire Show.

They also like to raise funds for good causes and a recent afternoon tea event raised over £1000 for cancer charities.

The Owmbly and Normanby group meet at Glenthams Hall on the second Thursday of the month at 7.30pm. New members are always welcome.

Further details can be found on the WI web site - [Owmbly & Normanby | Lincolnshire North \(thewi.org.uk\)](http://Owmbly & Normanby | Lincolnshire North (thewi.org.uk))