

# SPIRIT OF SUTTERBY

## Thomas Grantham – A talk by Robert Kershaw.

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2018. 1430hrs Franklin Hall Spilsby.

Today's talk was about Thomas Grantham who was an early leading member in the Baptist Church. We first came across him when we transcribed his will written in 1690 at Sutterby. Bob filled in some of the gaps about his life and family and what was happening in the Baptist Movement locally. It was very interesting local history as a lot of it took place in Halton Hologate.

Unfortunately The Firsby Artisan Baker was at this time unable to

supply today's refreshments due to illness. BUT the East Keal Pop Up Bakery leapt forward to ably fill the gap. Mistress Baker Denise produced a Victoria sponge topped and filled with butter cream icing and decorated with a photo of Monksthorpe Chapel with some chocolate grave stones.

The talk and refreshments were very well received by one and all. Bob also brought along some of his books and research work he has on Thomas Grantham and they were very interesting.

