St Peter's Church, Dunton

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General Information

The church, which is now in the care of the Norfolk Churches Trust, is possibly Norman in origin. The building generally dates from the 15th century with the notable exception of a 19th century porch.

The majority of the stained glass was installed in the latter half of the 19th century and includes work by Heaton Butler & Bayne.

East Window

The window designed c1863 by the firm of Heaton, Butler & Bayne is dedicated to the memory of Clement Felton, in his role of Chairman to the Guardians of the Poor of Walsingham Union. In the main lights are two groups of figures representing the biblical themes from Matthew verse 25 of 'I was naked and he clothed me' and 'I was hungered and he fed me'.

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South Nave Window 1

Probably designed c 1860s the window contains geometric designs. In the main lights are three stylistic peacocks coloured in bright green, yellow and red.

South Nave Window 2

The window contains glass with geometric patterns designed in strong colours.

Chancel South Window 1

Designed c1859 the window is dedicated to the memory of Fanny Dowell. The main lights contain two panels of geometric design containing banners stating: 'Consider the lilies of the field' (Matthew 26: 28) and 'The earth is the Lords and the fullness thereof' (John 3:16). The panels are set in quarries with floral designs.

Chancel South Window 2

Main lights contain quarry panes decorated with floral designs.