

St Nicholas church, in a circular, raised churchyard, was rebuilt in 1815. The base of its tower is 13th century. No early reference to yews at this site has been found.



These two veterans grow on the north side of the church. In 2000 the female yew consisted of only two fragments, of which the largest (1) leans outwards. The second fragment (2 and 3) was at that time connected by a large piece of dead sapwood, but between 2000 and 2015 most of this dead wood has been removed, so that today the tree appears as three distinct fragments. Girth in 2015 was 19' 4" at the ground.

The second veteran (right) is male. It has a gnarled bole, a result of the removal of much low growth. One of its large upright stems is of dead sapwood and this is being used as scaffolding for new growth. The yew would appear to have once been larger girthed, having lost some of its wood on the north side. Girth in 2015 was 16' 3" at the ground.

