

St Garmons or St Germanus is 'an ancient and spacious building. About 40 yards west and within the cemetery is a large oblong tumulus. On the summit of a hill within a mile of the village to the NW, is an extensive circular encampment'. Lewis's *Topographical Dictionary of Wales* (1834)

1998: At the entrance to this churchyard is found one of the finest examples of a male/female pair of yews growing either side of the path leading to the church. The male (to the left) has a fluted bole, and a limb which has all but separated from the tree. Girth at the ground including the limb was 25' 6" and excluding it 20' 9". The female, noticeably redder in colour, is more complex and has been considerably larger. One side of the tree has been lost, giving a clear view of its internal growth, highlighted below. Above this rises a tall main branch, while another (A) stretches away from the bole, and a further two are dead. Girth: 25' 6" at the ground.

