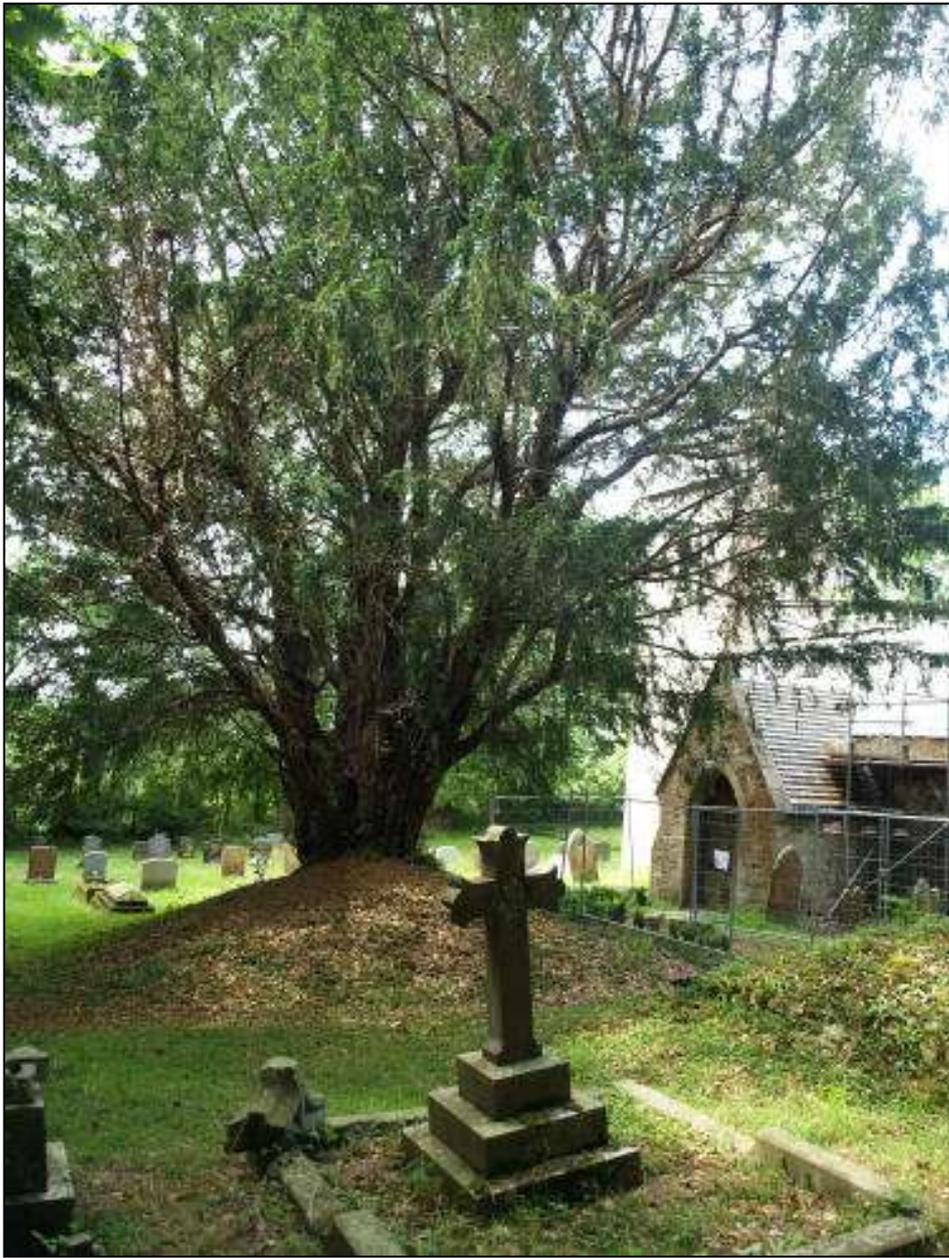


The church is at the end of Persondy Lane, a no through road. It has been sold and in 2015 was being converted into a house. The new owner has already planted a yew hedge to screen the house entrance from the churchyard, which will still be accessible and continue to belong to the Church in Wales.

The yew grows on a considerable mound close to the south side of the church. The tree's north side is opened up following the removal of branches which would have grown towards the building. Old hollowed out branches now have new wood growing around them, while new branches forming at the edge of the bole on the south side will swell its girth in the future. One branch rises vertically in the centre of the tree, which overall has considerable height.

A girth of 17' 4" at 4' was recorded by Owen Johnson in 2008. In 2015 I taped close to the ground to obtain the minimum and recorded exactly 18'. This would have been less without the remains of several ivy stems.





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