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This church does not appear on the Ordnance Survey's Streetmap, so the grid reference is vital.

It was deconsecrated about 16 years ago and the present owner was converting the church into a home. Because of the lack of space the tree was being used as a place to prop timbers that would otherwise be in the way. I was assured that this was a temporary arrangement.

A girth of 15' 6" at about 3' was recorded. Between the timbers could be seen an opening to a hollow space with some internal growth several feet up in the tree. Above its initial outpouring of branches was a substantial rising central branch.

We were shown a small yew that must have germinated from one of the female yew's arils.

