

2005: The church is long gone and hardly any stones remain as evidence. Only a square of pine trees in an otherwise desolate landscape mark the boundary of the churchyard. Yet there is a parking space complete with signpost to the site.

The female yew grows NW of where it seems the church formerly stood. Two main branches grow on either side of the old trunk. That on the west side (A) appears to have once been internal growth, signifying that the tree was once much larger girthed than the approximately 14' recorded close to the ground.

The remaining photos were taken in 2016 by Paul Wood. He thought this interesting site could be prehistoric in origin, noting many earthworks surrounding the area suggesting a settlement of considerable size was at one stage attempting to establish roots here. Of the few graves left lying around the latest date he could find was 1759 ad, though the OS 6in Sheet dated 1842 shows an unusual square shaped church at the site.

The yew had a few gravestones leant against it and the bole was covered in algae and the foliage was covered in lichen. There appeared to have been no human interference for some time. A girth of 14' 5" (4.40m).at 15cm was recorded.





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