In 1903 *Woolhope Transactions* described 'the fine old symmetrically grown yew tree in the southern part of the churchyard, with a solid bole about ten feet high before the forking into huge branches'. Girth was given as 18' at 5' from the ground.

In the 1938 King's England Mee described a 'splendid yew with a trunk 20ft round growing by the church'.

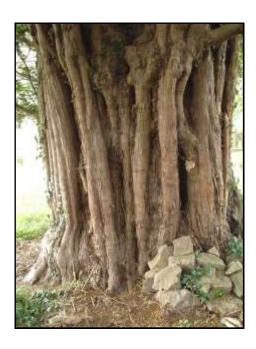
In 1998 I recorded a female yew with a girth of about 19' growing in this raised, semi-circular church-yard.

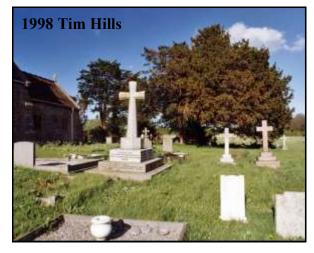
In 2017 Paul Wood recorded a girth of 5.97m (19' 7") at a height of just over 2' and over some ivy.

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