

HoWL 3. Leintwardine to

Clungunford

Discover Churches



Route Summary



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Route Overview



Category: Walking

Length: 7.220 km / 4.51 mi

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Difficulty: Medium Rating: Unrated Surface: Moderate

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HoWL 1. Knighton Train station to Brampton Bryan Church

HoWL 2. Brampton Bryan to Leintwardine Church

HoWL 3. Leintwardine to Clungunford Church

HoWL 4. Clungunford to Stokesay Church

HoWL5. Stokesay to Craven Arms Train Station

Clungunford Church - An early fourteenth century church with Victorian additions in a tranquil setting near the river Clun.

An earlier, wooden church stood on this site, dedicated to the much loved Anglo Saxon, St Cuthbert, who loved animals and wild countryside. He was famous for performing cures and the Lindisfarne Gospels were dedicated to him. The present stone building was begun by the Lord of the Manor, Roger de Halberdine, soon after 1305, unfortunately just before a mini ice age. Nevertheless, the villagers continued building their church for more than 40 years despite such great poverty that they were frequently excused from paying tax.

Waypoints



