

4 Holy Trinity, Embleton



A constant presence through centuries of change

The Church stands central in the village where it has been since circa 1200AD. The bell tower is the identifiable remain from that period and, over the centuries, there were several major additions; the last being the chancel completed in 1867. Each extension has its own distinctive architectural features and ornamentations but the parts come together as a cohesive whole giving a sense of the centuries of worship and the joys and sorrows brought to it by so many generations. It now stands, guardian like, in a village that has changed much over the years.

OPEN ALL DAY



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While you're in the area why not visit:

Dunstanburgh Castle and the Northumberland Coast



5 St Lawrence, Warkworth



A sacred space since Anglo-Saxon times

St. Lawrence Church has been a place of Christian worship for almost 1300 years. The present building is the third, built in the 1130's, with significant additions in the late twelfth, thirteenth and fifteenth centuries. Major restoration was carried out in the 1860's and 2001-10. There are fascinating connections with Harry Hotspur, the 1715 Jacobite Rising and Charles Wesley. With beautiful rounded Norman and perpendicular arches together with fine stone vaulting to the chancel roof there is a feast of architectural history. Visitors are welcomed for peace, prayer and contemplation as well to attend services and events. Further information and contact details on our website.

OPEN DAILY,
8.30am - 6pm



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www.stlawrence-church.org.uk **NE65 0UR**

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Warkworth Castle and Hermitage

KEY TO SYMBOLS IN THE GUIDE



Journey with us from the shadow of the fortress of Anglo-Saxon kings to the tranquility of a church once under the care of the monks of Lindisfarne. Explore historic churches rich in architecture and art of the highest order. Discover wonderful stories of local people of faith and character and walk in the footsteps of the saints.

St Aidan and Holy Island pilgrims



Explore more historic churches via this website:

www.spiritinstone.info

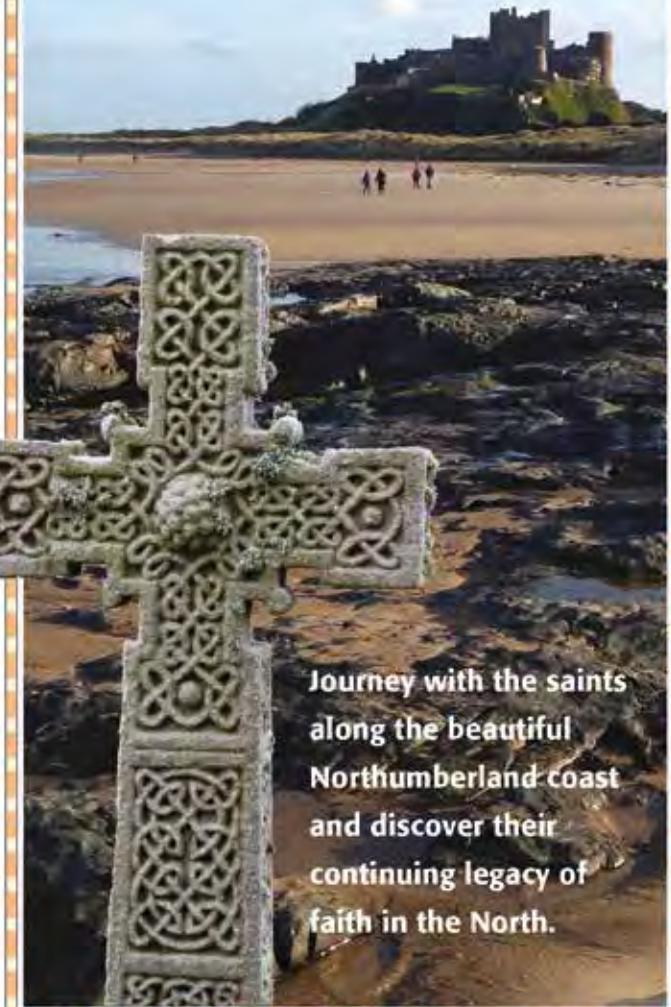
This trail has been created by local volunteers as part of the Spirit In Stone project, with the support of the Church of England Diocese of Durham, Diocese of Newcastle and the Heritage Lottery Fund.



CHURCH TRAILS

Bamburgh to Warkworth

Coastal Churches Trail



Journey with the saints along the beautiful Northumberland coast and discover their continuing legacy of faith in the North.



1 St Aidan's, Bamburgh



Hallowed by saints and sinners

Founded by Saint Aidan in 635 a place of worship has existed on this site since Aidan was called from Iona by King Oswald. No trace of that first building remains – except perhaps a beam in the baptistery, which tradition says is the beam that Aidan was leaning against when he died. The site of St Aidan's death is marked by a simple shrine within the present church.

The present building dates from the 12th century. A squint, fine reredos and a memorial and memorial window to the heroine Grace Darling are a few of the many treasures. A focus of pilgrimage over the centuries, modern day visitors are very welcome.

OPEN DAILY, 8.30am - Dusk

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www.staidan-bamburgh.co.uk **NE69 7AB**

While you're in the area why not visit:

The Grace Darling Museum, and the magnificent Bamburgh Castle.

2 St Paul's, North Sunderland



Simple, peaceful, space

Come and experience the calm and peace of this beautiful, spacious and simple church, uniquely unaltered structurally since its completion in 1834 to the design of the architect Anthony Salvin.

The vastness of God's creation is symbolically shown by the unusual depiction of a starry sky painted on the sanctuary ceiling. Our church is at the heart of a close and caring community, where visitors of any faith or none are welcome to enjoy the quiet stillness of this sacred space, made holy by the thousands of prayers offered here down the years.

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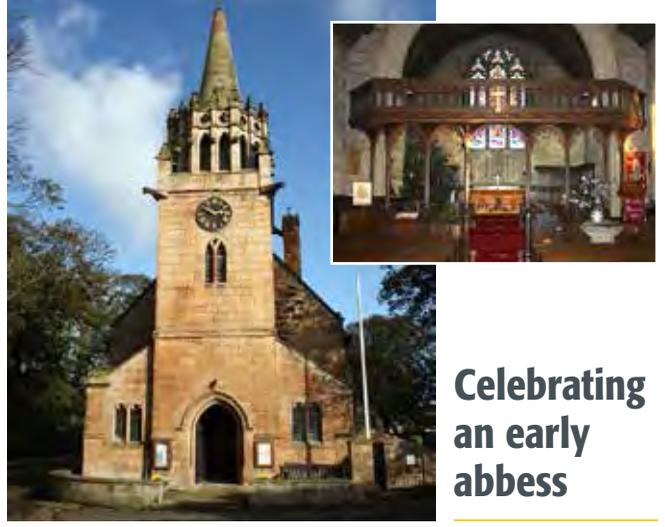
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The Farne Islands and The Holy Island of Lindisfarne, where you will find St. Mary's Church, Lindisfarne Priory and Lindisfarne Castle.

3 St Ebba's, Beadnell



Celebrating an early abess

A welcoming gem within Beadnell; St.Ebba's Church is a grade two listed building, dedicated to St. Ebba, the sister of St. Oswald, King of Northumbria. The church replaced a chapel founded in the seventh century on Ebb's Nook near the Harbour. Built in 1746, extensively rebuilt in 1860, the church has Gothic style windows; some by the celebrated artist William Wales. An unusual octagonal pierced stone screen around the foot of its charming little spire engenders interest. Memorials to the men of the Village who fell during two World Wars can be found within the church. Windows depicting St.Ebba and St.Oswald and a fine carved rood screen may also be seen.

OPEN DAILY 9am - Dusk

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St. Oswald's Way - explore an area rich in wildlife, walks and cycle trails. Internationally important for bird life and designated as an area of outstanding natural beauty along its full length.

www.stoswaldsway.com