

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH, LOSTWITHIEL
MONUMENTAL & MEMORIAL INSCRIPTIONS WITHIN THE CHURCH

Ch. 1 – *On the north wall of the Sanctuary.*

NEAR THIS PLACE LIES BURIED
THOMAS HALL. M.D.
WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE
THE XXVTH DAY OF SEP^R. MDCCCVI
AGED L.

“READER CONSIDER!
*That how long your Life may
be extended, to this abode thou
must come at last!!!”*

Ch. 2 – *On the east wall of the Sanctuary to the left of the East Window.*

To the Glory of God and
to the loved memories of William Pease
late of Boconnoc who died September 14th 1881
aged 72 years. and of Caroline his wife
who died February 18th 1886 aged 71 years.
This window is dedicated by their son, William Pease. (*Brass plate*)

Ch. 3 – *On the south wall of the Sanctuary.*

In memory of the *Hon.*
M : GENERAL CHARLES MONSON
who died at *Truro* of a decline
January 11th, 1800,
in the prime of life
and at the dawn of prosperous fortune.
His heart was generous, his mind amiable,
and universally endearing his social worth.
The friends who trace this memorial
will drop a tear of sorrow on his grave,
and the strangers who pity his fate,
should heave a sigh of apprehension
for their own.

Ch. 4 – *Within the Sanctuary on the wall of the first arch.*

In memory of
ROBERT GEORGE HOWE
G.B.E., K.C.M.G.
1893 - 1981
late the Sixth Royal Dublin Fusiliers
H.M. Diplomatic service
Governor General of the Sudan
1947 - 1955
Mayor of Lostwithiel
and of
LOVEDAY MARY HOWE
née HEXT
1892 - 1970
His wife and comrade.
+Inherit the Kingdom.

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Ch. 5 – *Two Brass plates on a Chair by the pillar opposite the Howe Memorial.*

THIS Borough CHAIR
Coat of Arms

Presented by
The Rev^d Ernest Drew, Vicar
TO THE CHURCH OF ST BARTHOLOMEW LOSTWITHIEL
FOR THE USE OF THE MAYORS OF LOSTWITHIEL
WAS MADE FROM THE OLD OAK BEAM THAT
SUPPORTED THE BELLS OF GLASTONBURY ABBEY
PRESENTED
DURING THE MAYORALITY OF
COL BALIE KASHBROOK.
JANUARY 1ST 1893
TRANSFERRED FOR SANCTUARY USE
OCT. 1914

Ch. 6 – *Large stone, 9 feet 5 inches by 3 feet 9 inches, fixed to the north wall of St George's Chapel.*

Waye Monument.

The large stone of rough Purbeck Marble once covered the vault of the Waye family. The inscription round the edge of the stone reads: -

"Here lieth WYLLIAM WAYE, sometime Mayor of Lostwithiel, who deceased this lyfe the 12th of October in Ann Dom. 1597, and ELIZABETH his wyffe, sister to JOHN SOUTHCOTE, one of the Judges of the Queen's Majesty's Bench, who died the 13th of April, Anno Dom. 1584."

In the centre, the inscription continues: - "Who had issue three daughters, Temperance, Alice, and Emelyn. Made at the cost of W. Kendall."

Within the outside marginal inscription at each corner, is a shield of a peculiar and fanciful shape. That in the dexter corner at the top shews the arms of Waye, singly—a Chevron between 3 lucies. That in the sinister corner opposite, contains the arms of Waye impaled with Southcote for femme—a Chevron between 3 coots. The shield in the dexter base corner gives Southcote impaling Tregonwell, on a fesse cotised, between 3 Cornish choughs, as many pellets. The corresponding shield in the sinister base has Tregonwell alone.

This large stone was recycled by William Kendall as a memorial to his deceased wife's parents. The arrangement of the heads of nails or rivets of unusually large size, which still remain in the stone, indicate that the stone once contained a large canopied brass.

Ch. 7 – *On the ledge of the East Window of the South Aisle.*

IN MEMORY OF
JOSEPH STEPHENS
OF THIS BOROUGH, WHO DIED
SEPTEMBER 15TH 1885,
AGED 73 YEARS,
AND WAS BURIED IN THE BURIAL
GROUND ON THE RESTORMEL
ROAD,
IN THIS PARISH.

THIS WINDOW
IS ERECTED BY
**JOSEPH AND JENIFER
STEPHENS,**
IN MEMORY OF THEIR SON
FREDERICK JOSEPH,
WHO DIED IN LONDON
AUGUST 11 1866 : AGED 22 YEARS,
AND WAS INTERRED IN THE S^T. MARY'S
ISLINGTON BURIAL GROUND AT
FINCHLEY.

IN MEMORY OF
JENEFER STEPHENS
WIDOW OF
JOSEPH STEPHENS
WHO DIED APRIL 3RD 18 91,
AGED 81 YEARS,
WHO WAS ALSO BURIED IN
THE BURIAL GROUND ON
THE RESTORMEL ROAD,
IN THIS PARISH.

Ch. 8 – *On the base of the Cross on the Altar of St George's Chapel*

**To the Glory of God and in loving
memory of
Herbert Battie Kashleigh, died
September 1890**

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Ch. 9 – Mural Monument on the South Wall close to the east end



This monument shows a female figure kneeling at a prayer desk with five children in the same posture behind her. Two almost obliterated figures stand behind them. Under the figures are the words: -

The arms above, quartering *Waye*, show that it was erected to a descendant of Temperance Kendall, née *Waye*.

Ch. 10 – On the bottom of the left hand side of the altar rail of the St George's Chapel.

In Memory of AUGUSTA MARIA HART. Died June 16th 1938.

Ch. 11 – Under the carpet in front of the altar rail of the St George's Chapel.

Slate gravestone which marks the burial place of of WILLIAM KENDALL and his second son, WALTER KENDALL. The Kendall coat of arms is in the centre of this stone and, around its margin, there is inscribed: -

Hic jacet () GUILLILMI KENDALLI, Armigeri qui obiit quinto die Septembris Anno 1591—et GUALTERI KENDALLI filio Secundo qui obiit decimo tertio die Octobris 1603.

Translation of this Latin inscription: Here lies () WILLIAM KENDALL, Esquire who died 15th day of September 1591— And WALTER KENDALL his second son who died 13th day of October 1603.

Ch. 12 – A palimpsest on the ledge of the first window in the south wall.

On what is now the back of this stone, there is a what has been described as “a deeply carved very beautiful cross, five feet one inch long and two feet three inches across its broadest part”. It would appear that this stone originally marked the burial place of an Ecclesiastic but was removed from the Church either on the dissolution of St George's Chantry in 1549 or at the beginning of the reign of Elizabeth I. Originally an inscription was engraved around the edge of the stone but, due to the cutting of the stone, all that remains is “..... ate pro ani” at the top.

Subsequently the stone was recycled on the back by WILLIAM KENDALL as a memorial to his wife, TEMPERANCE. The Kendall coat of arms is in the centre of this stone and, around the edge are the remains of an inscription which originally read: -

“Here lieth TEMPERANCE the wiffe of WILLIAM KENDALL, Jantlman, whoe desessed the 9 day of Oct. the 21st of Elizabeth, & an'o domini 1579.”

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Ch. 13 – *Slate slab fixed to the wall below the ledge of the first window in the south wall.*

Latin inscription

Translation – courtesy of Mr John Parker.

Clauditur hic conjux nulli pietate secunda Guillilmi
 Kendalli et Temperancia dicta
 Non sine cunctorum gemitu miserabile parca
 Ruperunt vitæ pendula fila suæ
 Femina dum vixit lumen columnæ Mariti
 Femina fida viro femina flenda suo
 Lucinam nonies nonies paritura vocabat
 Pignora fecundi pignora flenda thori
 Multa ruinosæ præbebat munera turbæ
 Munera quæ tacite quæ sine teste dedit
 Optima sinceræ jecit fundamina vitæ
 Quam sequitur Christo dante superna salus.

Here lies buried the wife of William Kendall, second to
 none in her devotion and called Temperance
 Not without the piteous groan of everyone have the Fates
 broken the hanging threads of her life.
 A woman (who was) while she lived a light and support to
 her husband.
 A woman faithful to her husband, a woman worth
 weeping over.
 In childbed she would call upon Lucina nine times nine
 The love pledges of a fertile marriage bed (are) pledges to
 be wept over
 Many gifts she would supply to the indigent crowd/mob
 Gifts which she gave silently and without a witness
 She laid the best foundations of a sincere life
 Which celestial salvation follows, given by Christ.

Ch. 14 – *On the wall between the first and second windows of the South Aisle.*

SACRED
 TO THE MEMORY OF
 THOMAS HEXT ESQ^R
 OF TRENARREN IN THIS COUNTY
 WHO DIED AFTER MANY YEARS
 RESIDENCE
 IN THIS TOWN
 ON THE 29TH JANUARY, 1822
 IN THE 60TH YEAR OF HIS AGE.

Ch. 15 – *Below Ch. 14 (See also B3 in the Churchyard)*

THIS TABLET
 IS ERECTED TO THE MEMORY OF
 JOHN HEXT ESQ^R OF TRENARREN
 IN THIS COUNTY
 WHO DIED ON THE 30TH JUNE 1838;
 UNIVERSALLY BELOVED AND
 LAMENTED
 AGED 72 YEAR,
 AND WHOSE MORTAL REMAINS
 ARE INTERRED
 IN THE ADJOINING CHURCH YARD.

Ch. 16 – *Beside Ch. 14 and Ch. 15*

NEAR THIS PLACE LIE THE REMAINS OF
SAMUEL HEXT, ESQUIRE,
 LATE ONE OF THE CAPITAL BURGESSES OF THIS BOROUGH
 WHO DIED ON THE IVTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, MDCCC,
 AGED LXVII YEARS.
 ALSO OF *MARGERY HEXT, HIS WIFE,*
 WHO DIED ON THE XXVTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, MDCCLXXIX,
 AGED LXV YEARS.
 AND ALSO OF *SAMUEL HEXT, THEIR SON,*
 WHO DIED ON THE XVITH DAY OF NOVEMBER, MDCCLXXIX,
 AGED XV YEARS.

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Ch. 17 – *On the wall opposite Ch. 14, 15 & 16 (See also B3 in the Churchyard)*

SACRED
 TO THE MEMORY OF
 ELIZABETH HEXT,
 WIDOW OF JOHN HEXT, ESQ^{RE},
 OF TRENARREN IN THIS COUNTY,
 AND DAUGHTER OF THOMAS STANIFORTH, ESQ^{RE},
 OF LIVERPOOL AND DARNALL HALL, YORKSHIRE.
 SHE DIED DECEMBER 13TH, 1851;
 IN THE 82ND YEAR OF HER AGE.
 AFTER A RESIDENCE OF UPWARDS OF 50 YEARS
 IN THIS TOWN AND NEIGHBOURHOOD,
 HER REMAINS WERE LAID
 IN THE ADJOINING BURIAL GROUND
 BESIDE THOSE OF HER HUSBAND AND INFANT SON.

“THE RIGHTEOUS SHALL BE HAD IN
 EVERLASTING REMEMBRANCE.” PSALM CXII. VERSE 6.

Ch. 18 – *Below Ch. 17*

JOAN ANNETTE MARSHALL
 BELOVED WIFE OF COMMANDER
 DOUGLAS MARSHALL R.N.V.R, MP
 DIED 16 NOVEMBER 1952. R. I. P. *(Brass plate)*

Ch. 19 – *Brass plate on the ledge of the second window in the south wall*

In memory of
 Rev^d John Bower M. A.
 died December 21st 1872 in
 the 87th year of his age.
 For 56 years Vicar of this Parish

Ch. 20 – *On the south end of the ledge of the back of the first pew in the South Aisle (Originally on a prayer desk).*

IN MEMORY OF
 FLORENCE ANNIE ALEXANDER,
 DIED 30 JULY 1945,
 THE BELOVED NIECE OF
 CHARLES TOMS.
(Brass plate)

Ch. 21 – *On the south end of the ledge of the back of the second pew in the South Aisle.*

A THANKSGIVING FOR
 BLESSINGS RECEIVED
 L. J. F.
 MAY 21ST 1949
(Brass plate)

Ch. 22 – *On the wall between the second and third windows of the South Aisle. (See also B4 in the Churchyard)*

JANE
 THE WIFE OF
 FREDK. T. MICHELL, R.N.,
 DIED FEB^Y 14TH, 1824;
 IN THE NINETEENTH YEAR OF HER AGE.
 SO INNOCENT, SO BLEST THY SHORT CAREER,
 FOR *THEE* MAY WELL BE SPARED EACH NATURAL TEAR.
 NOR SHALL THE CYPRESS DARKEN O'ER THY TOMB
 AS HOW CAN THOUGHT CONNECT WITH THEE ITS GLOOM.
 JANE! THY REMEMBRANCE AS A LIGHT SHALL BEAM
 A GUIDING-STAR THRO' LIFE'S DISTRESSFUL DREAM;
 AND WHEN I FEEL THE MANDATE OF MY GOD
 LIKE *THEE* I'LL DRINK THE CUP, I'LL KISS THE ROD. —LOUISA WHITBREAD.

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Ch. 23 – *Below Ch. 22*

In loving memory of
MARTHA HARRIET SOUTHCOTT
 December 16th 1882 aged 76.
 "FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH."

Ch. 24 The third window in the south aisle represents the Saviour with Moses and Elias and is inscribed: -
 "Carolo Curteys qui obiit v Kal. Quint. A.D. MDCCCLXVI."

Translation of the Latin inscription: –

To Charles Curteys who died on 27th June 1866

Ch. 25 – *Brass plate (now covered by a display case) on the ledge of the third window in the south aisle.*

In Memory of
THOMAS CURTEYS,
 DIED 14th September 1848; Aged 70 YEARS.
MARY CURTEYS
 HIS WIFE,
 DIED 2nd December, 1810; Aged 34 YEARS.
CAROLINE MARY CURTEYS,
 THEIR DAUGHTER,
 DIED 2nd January, 1854; Aged 48 YEARS.
ELIZABETH PAWLEY,
 WHO ERECTED THIS WINDOW TO
 THE MEMORY OF BELOVED NEPHEW
 DIED 28th April 1874, aged 95."

Ch. 26 – *On the wall between the third window and entrance door of the South Aisle.*

IN MEMORY OF
PHILLIPPA WESTLAKE,
 BORN 8TH OF AUGUST 1774, DIED 25TH OF AUGUST, 1850.
MARY WESTLAKE,
 BORN 29TH OF NOVEMBER, 1776, DIED 22ND OF JULY 1854.
JOHN WESTLAKE,
 BORN 17TH OF AUGUST 1778, DIED AT CAMBRIDGE 1ST OF JULY 1849.
WILLIAM WESTLAKE
 BORN 10TH OF FEBRUARY 1781, DIED 24TH OF MARCH 1860.
SUSANNA HARPER WESTLAKE,
 BORN 22ND OF MAY 1782 DIED 23RD OF APRIL 1863.

Ch. 27 – *On the wall between the entrance door and the fourth window of the South Aisle.*

D.O.M.
 NEAR THIS PLACE ARE DEPOSITED THE REMAINS OF
JAMES BARON, ESQ^R,
 CAPTAIN IN THE ROYAL NAVY, A CAPITAL BURGESSSES OF THIS BOROUGH
 WHO DIED THE 15TH OF DECEMBER 1807. AGED 72.

*IN HOPE OF THIS BLISS CONTENT I LIE
 THO' PLEAS'D TO LIVE, YET NOT DISPLEAS'D TO
 DIE;
 LIFE HAS ITS COMFORTS AND ITS SORROWS TOO:
 FOR BOTH TO ALL-WISE HEAV'N OUR THANKS ARE
 DUE.*

*ELSE THOUGHTLESS MAN WOULD FIX HIS PLACE OF
 REST
 WHERE NATURE TELLS HIM HE CAN NE'ER BE BLEST.
 HOW FAR MY HOPES ARE VAIN OR FOUNDED
 WELL,
 GOD ONLY KNOWS ;—BUT THE LAST DAY SHALL TELL.*

ALSO OF
CATHERINE BARON
 HIS WIDOW WHO DIED THE 17TH FEBRUARY 1823. AGED 80.

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Ch.28 – *On the ledge of the fourth window of the south aisle.*

Pieces of broken slate – inscription unreadable except for the name “William Taprell.”

These pieces of slate are believed to be part of the original slate slab on the altar tomb of William Taprell which is in the Churchyard on the east side of the south entrance to the Church.

According to page 90 of Memorials of Lostwithiel by Miss F M Hext, published privately by her in 1891, the original slate slab, was 'much broken', and was ornamented, with an engraved and scrolled border of flowers and leaves, within which was inscribed: -

'Here lieth the body of WILLIAM TAPRELL, often Mayor of this Borough of was buried the of
“All flesh is grass, whose verdure quietly fades,
The brightest day soon terminates in shades,
Of worldly grandeur vain is the whole story,
Virtue alone crowns with immortal glory.”'

Ch. 29 – *On the wall between the fourth window and the west wall of the South Aisle.*

IN MEMORY OF
ALFRED HURT
SECOND SON OF
THE REV^D STEPHEN LANGSTON
OF LITTLE HORWOOD, BUCKS
WHO DIED SEP^R 6TH 1849. AGED 48 YEARS.

Ch. 30 – *On the west wall of the South Aisle. (See also Ch. 33)*

TO THE GLORY OF GOD
AND IN THE LOVING MEMORY OF ELIZABETH FOSTER,
WHO DIED SEPTEMBER 15 1889,
THE WEST WINDOWS OF THE CHURCH
ARE GIVEN BY HER FRIENDS. (*Brass plate*)

Ch. 31 – *Slate slab fixed to the wall at floorlevel and below Ch. 29.*

Inscription engraved around the edge of the stone: -
Here lieth the body of Grace Strong the daughter of
(Nicholas Strong and) Susanna his wife
which.....baptised (ye 1st August 1681) buried ye 31st
October 1703.
(Words in brackets are no longer readable.)

Ch. 32 – *Brass shield set into the floor of the Centre Aisle between the last row of pews of the front section.*

Charles Rawlinson
Born
the 25th July 1729.
Died
the 26th of April
1786.

(This is a replacement for the original which was damaged during the restoration in 1878.

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Ch. 33 – *On the second pillar on the south side of the Centre Aisle. (See also Ch. 30.)*

TO THE GLORY OF GOD
 AND IN LASTING REMEMBRANCE OF
 HIS SERVANT ELIZABETH FOSTER .
 . OF HER DEVOUT WORSHIP IN THIS CHURCH .
 . HER LOYALTY TO QUEEN AND COUNTRY .
 . RESPECT FOR AUTHORITY .
 . CARE FOR THE YOUNG . LOVING KINDNESS TO ALL .
 . HUMILITY . SELF DENIAL . UPRIGHTNESS & SOUND SENSE .
 . HER FRIEND L . E . F .
 . DEDICATED THIS MEMORIAL .
 FULL OF GOOD WORKS ALMS DEEDS
 SHE DIED XVTH SEPT. 1889 AGED 82. (Brass
 plate)

Ch. 34 – *Brass shield set into the floor of the Centre Aisle near the Mayor's Seat.*

BLE
 THE HON. M. GENERAL
 CHA^S MONSON
 DIED 11TH JAN^Y 1800.
 AGED 41
 YEARS

Ch. 35 – *Brass plate on the back of the Mayor's Seat.*

This seat for the use of the Mayors of Lostwithiel is a
 memorial to ANNIE DALTREY wife of a former Vicar of
 this Parish and was provided from a kind gift of the
 Parishioners to him. She was born on April 6 1879 at
 Outshoorn in the Cape Colony, died on October 19 1915 at
 the Vicarage, Lostwithiel and was laid to rest at Madeley,
 Staffordshire.

Ch. 36 – *On the Lectern*

PRESENTED TO
 ST BARTHOLOMEW CHURCH
 LOSTWITHIEL
 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WISHES OF
 RICHARD BECKERLEG,
 LATE OF THIS PARISH
 WHO DIED 1 FEB. 1879, AGED 67.

(Brass plate)

Ch. 37 – *On the south wall of the Chancel*

Near this place lie the remains of WILLIAM LUKE,
 Esquire, Captain of a Company in the Cornwall
 Militia Regiment; He was one of the Capital
 Burgesses, and served the Office of *MAYOR* of this
BOROUGH for the year ending Michaelmas 1763,
 and died the 12th day of April, 1764; in the 26th
 Year of his Age.

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Ch. 38 – *On the north wall of the Chancel.*

To the Memory of
WILLIAM BOWER Gent.
one of the Capital Burgefeses
of this Borough,
who died in his Mayoralty
Decr. 9th, 1779; aged 70.
This monument was erected by
his Affectionate and Mournful widow
JOAN BOWER.

Ch. 39 – *Set in the floor between the back Choir Stall and the Organ.*

TO
THE MEMORY OF
J. W. SCOTT.
SON OF LT. I. W. & E. SCOTT
BORN DEC^R. 16 1803
DIED MARCH 28 1805.
(Brass shield)

Ch. 40 – *On the Processional Cross (See also Ch. 47)*

To the Glory of God and in Loving Memory
of
CHARLES ROW.
Born June 4th 1823.
Died October 20th 1887

Ch. 41 – *On the east wall between the Sanctuary and the Organ.*

SACRED
TO THE MEMORY OF
ROBERT BARON COOBAN, LIEUT. R.N.
SON OF JOHN COOBAN, ESQ^{RE}. OF PLYMOUTH,
WHO DIED A PRISONER OF WAR AT VERDUN IN FRANCE
IN DECEMBER, 1810 IN THE 34TH YEAR OF HIS AGE.
ALSO OF CATHERINE, HIS WIFE
WHO DIED ON THE 8TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1819;
AGED 45 YEARS.
ALSO OF ROBERT BARON COOBAN,
THEIR ONLY SON, WHO DIED IN JUNE 1814,
AGED 11 YEARS.

Ch. 42 – *Below Ch. 41*

DOUGLAS ARTHUR SAGE
17TH LONDON REGIMENT
THE BELOVED YOUNGER SON OF
EDWARD T & ANN SAGE
OF MEREVALE, LOSTWITHIEL.
KILLED IN ACTION IN PALESTINE
MARCH 2ND 1918. AGED 20 YEARS.
*He was for some years
a member of the Choir of this Church.*

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Ch. 43 – *Below Ch. 42*

IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 HOSKIN PETER RIDDLE
 FLIGHT ENGINEER R.A.F.
 WHO GAVE HIS LIFE
 MARCH 15TH 1944
 AGED 20. *(Brass plate)*

Ch. 44 – *On the south wall beside the east window of the North Aisle*

M.S.
 MATILDA FORTESCUE,
 WIFE OF WM. FORTESCUE, ESQ.
 DIED MAR. 21, 1801.
 AGED 38.
 JOHN FORTESCUE, THEIR SON,
 DIED MAY 10, 1796.
 AGED 13.

Ch. 45 – *On the wall between the first window and the east wall of the North Aisle.*

NEAR THIS PLACE LIE THE REMAINS OF
 JOHN BARON CLERK;
 HAVING PASSED GREAT PART OF HIS WELL SPENT LIFE
 IN THIS BOROUGH OF WHICH
 HE WAS 33 YEARS THE VICAR, AND 24 YEARS AN ALDERMAN.
 BOTH SITUATIONS HE FILLED WITH PECULIAR ATTENTION TO
 THEIR RESPECTIVE DUTIES.
 FOR TRUE AND GENERAL BENEVOLENCE & LIBERALITY
 HE WAS A MOST WORTHY EXAMPLE
 AND ON THE 19TH MARCH, 1804, IN THE 72ND YEAR OF HIS AGE
 HE DIED AS HE LIVED
 UNIVERSALLY BELOVED & RESPECTED.

Ch. 46 – *Below Ch. 45*

NEAR THIS TABLET
 LIE THE REMAINS OF
 PHILLIPPA, WIDOW OF
 WILLIAM WADE, LATE PURSER R.N.
 WHO WAS LOST IN THE "DELAWARE"
 IN THE YEAR 1798.
 SHE DEPARTED THIS LIFE
 ON THE 5TH OF FEBRUARY 1859.
 AGED 88 YEARS.

Ch. 47 – *Above the stops on the right hand side of the Organ Keyboard.*

This Dulciano Stop
 IS GIVEN TO
 S^T BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH
 LOSTWITHIEL
 to the Glory of God and
 in Loving Memory of
CHARLES ROW
 WHO DIED
 20TH OCT^R 1887
 BY HIS WIFE
Jane Jane Row
 JULY 1888.
(Brass plate) [See also Ch. 40]

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Ch. 48 – *On the left of the Organ console.*

IN GRATEFUL MEMORY OF
 JIM JEFFERY
 1924 – 2004
 WHO AS ORGANIST
 AND CHOIR MASTER ENHANCED
 THE MUSIC OF THIS CHURCH
 OVER MANY YEARS.

(Brass plate)

Ch.49 – *Below Ch. 48*

In loving memory of
 D. J. TRETHERWEY
 Who was in this Choir and Church
 For 73 Years
 (1922 – 1995).
 Died November 2001.

(Brass plate)

Ch. 50 – *On the south wall of the North Aisle beside the stairs to the Pulpit.*

SACRED TO THE MEMORY
 OF THREE CHILDREN OF
William and Matilda Fortescue.
 WILLIAM LOFTIN FORTESCUE, ESQ^R.,
 A CAPTAIN IN H.M. 89TH REGT.,
 DIED AT GIBRALTAR 23 SEPT^R., 1810; AGED 28 YEARS.
 JOHN FAITHFUL FORTESCUE
 DIED 10TH AUGUST, 1815; AGED 17.
 CHARLOTTE FORTESCUE
 DIED 8TH NOVEMBER, 1824; AGED 34.

Ch. 51 – *Brass shield set in the floor beside the Pulpit.*

CHARLOTTE
 FORTESCUE
 DIED 8TH NOV^R
 1824

Ch. 52 – *Brass plate on the base of the Pulpit.*

Erected to the GLORY OF GOD and in Loving Memory of
WILLIAM COLLINS
(thrice Mayor of the Borough).
Born 24TH SEPTEMBER 1807 Died 10TH NOVEMBER 1875
Also to JANE his wife
Born 6th April 1812 Died 26th April 1879
By their children. 1880.

Ch. 53 – The second window in the north aisle represents the Crucifixion, Resurrection, and Ascension; with the legend — *Beati mortui qui moriuntur in Domino*. On the ledge is the following inscription: -

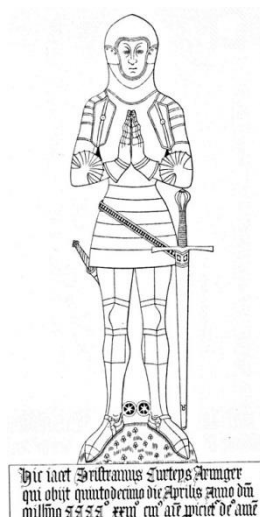
This and the window at the Eastern end of this Aisle are offered to Lostwithiel Church by the Revd. JOHN BOWER, the vicar of the parish, in memory of a beloved mother, a dear sister, and an affectionate aunt. ELIZABETH BOWER died on the xivth Septr. M.DCCC..XXXIV; aged LXXXIV years. ELIZA SCOTT, wife of Wm. Isaac Scott. Esqr., Captn. In the R.N., died at Chudleigh in Devon, on the 1st Oct. M.D.CCC.XL; aged LIX years. (*See Churchyard Memorials G2 & D28*)

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Ch. 54 – *On the wall between the second and third windows of the North Aisle.*

THIS TABLET IS ERECTED
BY REBECCA FORTESCUE
TO THE MEMORY OF A BELOVED HUSBAND AND DAUGHTER.
WILLIAM FORTESCUE, ESQ^R
*LATE OF PENWARNE IN THIS COUNTY
AND FOR SEVERAL YEARS MAJOR OF THE ROYAL CORNWALL
MILITIA.*
DIED JULY 14TH, 1824 : AGED 63 YEARS.
HESTER ANN FORTESCUE
THEIR DAUGHTER
DIED OCTOBER THE 26TH, AGED 11 YEARS.
A.D, 1822.
THE SAID REBECCA FORTESCUE
DIED JANUARY 31ST 1858. AGED 84.

Ch. 55 – *Fixed to the wall below Ch. 54. (Effigial Brass, with armed armiger in spurs.)*



Latin inscription

Hic jacet Tristramus Curteys, armiger, qui obiit quintodecimo die Aprilis, Anno dm' Millm o. cccc^o. xxiii^o; Cuj' a'i'e p'piciet de', ame'.

Translation of the Latin inscription: –

Here lies Tristram Curteys who died on the 15th day of April AD 1423.
May he gain the Lord's favour on his soul. Amen.

This monumental brass is believed to be the earliest of a military figure in the county and fortunately did not suffer the fate of the three other brasses which were once in the Church – See Ch. 6., Ch. 65. & Ch.68. It is rather worn and a better impression of its former beauty can be gauged from this copy of a drawing which was published in “Monumental Brasses of Cornwall” by Edwin Hadlow Wise Dunkin in 1882.

This brass was fixed against the wall in 1878 and the stone, which originally held it, was placed on the floor of the belfry on the north side of the arch, entering from the Church. Subsequently this stone was covered by new flooring and is no longer visible.

Tristram Curteys was the son of Thomas Curteys of Pill in Lanlivery and his wife, Matilda, daughter of Sir Thomas Fitzwalter of Northampton. Tristram Curteys was a member of Parliament for Lostwithiel in 1419 and 1421.

Ch. 56 – The third window in the north wall represents *Christ blessing little children* and is inscribed: --

Latin inscription

Louisæ. Gul : Westlake. uxori quæ. ut. vixit. sic. obit. Christiana. xiv Kal : sex. A : D : MDCCCXLIII

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH, LOSTWITHIEL

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Translation of the Latin inscription: –

Louisa Westlake For my wife, who died just as she lived--a Christian. July 19th 1843.

Ch. 57 – *In a display case on the ledge of the third window in the north wall.*

Book of Remembrance – Presented by the Royal British Legion, Women's Section, Lostwithiel Branch to commemorate their Golden Jubilee November 2nd 1982. 1914 -1918 and 1939 – 1945.

1914 – 1918

Thomas Peter Ackland
Alexander Adrian
Henry Abbiss
Henry Bennett
Richard Benney
William George Benney
Joseph Walter Coad
Henry Coplestone
Archie Challice
Sydney Eyres
Ernest Guy
Edwin Hancock
Ernest Hill
Thomas Matthews
George Albert Morgan
Frederick Gullum Nicholls
John Oliver MM

William Leslie Parnall
Reginald Pinch
William Pinch
William John Reed
Arthur James Rook
Henry Copeland Rowe
John Henry Saundry
Douglas Arthur Sage
Charles Stephens
Ernest Stephens
Charles Grant Tancock
Thomas Tancock
George Tullett
James Herbert Tullett
Harold Vine
Charles Wenmouth
William Henry Wilton

1939 - 1945

Alfred Henry Aggett
George Lucas Carne
Leonard Collings
Michael Campbell M.C.
Robert Alec Cole
Joseph Walter Coad
Stephen Daniel
Horace Arthur Dunkley
Henry Eric T Francis
Leslie James Jeffery

Keast
William John Littleton
George Stanley Philp
Hoskin Peter Riddle
Francis John Swatton
Clifford William E Sweet
Eric Garfield Spear
William Alfred John Tearle
John Arthur Wilkinson

Ch. 58 – *On the wall between the third window and entrance door of the North Aisle.*

THIS MONUMENT IS ERECTED TO THE MEMORY OF
THE FOUR DAUGHTERS OF
ANTHONY AND MARY SPERNON
FORMERLY OF THIS TOWN.
CATHERINE SPERNON
DIED 20 JUNE, 1798 AGED 65.
GRACE SPERNON
DIED 9 JUNE, 1807 AGED 69.
JANE SPERNON
DIED 13 JUNE, 1809 AGED 69
AND MARY SPERNON
WHO DIED 28 APRIL, 1823 AGED 74
WAS THE LAST REPRESENTATIVE BEARING THE NAME OF THE
ANCIENT FAMILY OF SPERNON OF PENGELLY, IN THIS COUNTY

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH, LOSTWITHIEL MONUMENTAL & MEMORIAL INSCRIPTIONS WITHIN THE CHURCH

Ch. 59 – Below Ch. 58

TO THE GLORY OF GOD
AND IN MEMORY OF THOSE MEMBERS OF THIS CHURCH
WHO FELL IN THE GREAT WAR
1914 – 1918

ALEXANDER ADRIAN	WILLIAM PINCH
HARRY ABBISS	ARTHUR J ROOK
SYDNEY EYRES	DOUGLAS A SAGE
ERNEST GUY	CHARLES STEPHENS
EDWIN HANCOCK	ERNEST STEPHENS
REGINALD LEWIS	CHARLES TANCOCK
GEORGE A MORGAN	THOMAS TANCOCK
JOHN OLIVER	HAROLD VINE
CHARLES PEARCE	CHARLES WENMOUTH
REGINALD PINCH	WILLIAM H WILTON

Ch. 60 – On the wall between the entrance door and the fourth window of the North Aisle

SACRED TO THE MEMORY
OF
GEORGE BELL LAWRANCE, ESQ^R.,
COMMANDER IN THE ROYAL NAVY,
WHO DIED ON THE 9TH APRIL, 1846; AGED 70 YEARS.
AND TO
DOROTHY BULLOCK LAWRANCE,
HIS WIFE,
WHO DIED ON 14TH MARCH 1845; AGED 60 YEARS.
RESIDENTS OF THIS PLACE.
THEIR REMAINS LIE IN THE FAMILY VAULT NEAR THIS SPOT.
*THIS TABLET IS ERECTED
BY THEIR BEREAVED CHILDREN AS AN HUMBLE TRIBUTE TO THE
MEMORY OF THEIR LATE AFFECTIONATE AND DEVOTED
PARENTS.*

Ch. 61 – Below Ch. 60 and beside Ch. 62

SACRED
TO THE MEMORY OF
LIEU^T G.B. LAWRANCE, R.N.
WHO DIED
OF YELLOW FEVER AT ST CROIX
JANUARY 15TH, 1853;
AGED 38.
“BLESSED ARE THE DEAD WHICH DIE IN THE LORD.”

Ch. 62 – Below Ch. 60 and beside Ch. 61

Sacred to the memory of
MARGARET BENNETT Ob. August 2nd 1784 Et. 39 years.
RICHARD BENNETT Gentⁿ (Husband of
Margaret Bennett) Ob. April 3rd 1812 Et. 68 years.
ELIZABETH ANN BENNETT LAWRANCE Ob July 3rd 1820 Et.
6 months.
Also MARGARET LAWRANCE Ob. August 14th 1820 Et. 3
years.
Daughters of George and Dorothy Lawrance of this place.
Job. XIV. c., I. v.

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH, LOSTWITHIEL MONUMENTAL & MEMORIAL INSCRIPTIONS WITHIN THE CHURCH

Ch. 63 – *Below Ch. 61 and Ch. 62*

IN LOVING MEMORY OF
MARGARET EMMA, DAUGHTER OF GEORGE BELL
LAWRANCE,
COMMANDER IN THE ROYAL NAVY
WHO DIED AT BRIDGEND, APRIL 23RD, 1912, AGED 90 YEARS,
AND WAS BURIED AT ST WINNOW.
"BLESSED ARE THE PURE IN HEART
FOR THEY SHALL SEE GOD."

Ch. 64 – *On the wall between the fourth window and the west wall of the North Aisle.*

SACRED TO THE MEMORY OF
RICHARD LANYON, ESQ., SURGEON, &C.
HE WAS DESCENDED FROM THE ANCIENT FAMILIES OF
LANYON
IN MADRON AND GWINEAR, AND HAVING PASSED A LONG
LIFE IN
THE ACTIVE DISCHARGE OF THE MOST PHILANTHROPIC AND
CHRISTIAN DUTIES, AND FILLED THE HIGHEST OFFICES IN THE
CORPORATION OF THIS
TOWN, DIED ON THE 19TH OF APRIL,
1848; ÆT. 82.
AS HE LIVED, SO HE DIED.—A CHRISTIAN.
ALSO OF HIS SON
RICHARD LANYON, M.D., F.A.S., &c.,
WHO FOR MANY YEARS SUCCESSFULLY PRACTISED HIS
PROFESSION IN HIS NATIVE TOWN, WHERE HE
WAS WELL KNOWN FOR HIS ANTIQUARIAN RESEARCHES, AND
HIS
LITERARY AND SCIENTIFIC ATTAINMENTS; HE ALSO
ZEALOUSLY AND USEFULLY FILLED THE HIGHEST OFFICES IN
THE CORPORATION, AND DIED HUMBL Y RELYING ON
THE MERITS OF HIS REDEEMER, SEPT. 10TH,
1852; ÆT. 53.
THIS MONUMENT IS ERECTED BY
RADOLPHUS EDWARD LANYON,
AS A TRIBUTE TO THEIR WORTH, AND A MARK OF HIS
GRATITUDE.

Ch. 65 – *On the west wall of the North Aisle.*

SACRED
TO THE MEMORY OF
JAMES FRANCIS
SON OF THE LATE
MAJOR GENERAL GEORGE MACKIE, C.B.
BORN FEBRUARY 1ST 1824 DIED APRIL 14TH 1842
AGED 18.
THIS TABLET IS ERECTED
BY HIS SINCERE FRIENDS,
HENRY FRYE, 39TH REG^T
MADRAS NATIVE INFANTRY
AND
ERNEST ELDERTON, 10TH REG^T
BENGAL NATIVE INFANTRY.

Ch. 66 – *On the east wall of the South Porch.*

IN MEMORY OF
JOSEPH BURNETT
who was unfortunately SHOT
by a Private of the 28th Regm^t
when in execution of his duty
AS A PEACE OFFICER
OF THIS BUROUGH
on the 21 of Augs^t
1814.
AGED 42 YEARS.

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH, LOSTWITHIEL MONUMENTAL & MEMORIAL INSCRIPTIONS WITHIN THE CHURCH

ALSO
MARY & JANE HIS DAUGHTERS
who were interred near this Stone
AND HELENA,
his Daughter who died in Jersey.

*A brass plate below the above inscription records: -
"Joseph Burnett's gravestone is the oldest known
memorial to a Peace Officer killed in the execution
of his duty. A generous gift from the Police History
Society enabled it to be moved to this place
on 8th June 2008."*

Ch. 67 – *On the floor of the North Porch*

Stone, 3 feet long and 2 feet and one inch wide which once held a Brass.

The arrangement of the nail holes, indicate the Brass was probably a demi-effigy, circa 1430.

Memorials which can no longer be seen.

Ch. 68 – *Webber Monument.*

According to page 98 of Memorials of Lostwithiel by Miss F M Hext, published privately by her in 1891, there is somewhere under the present flooring a large monumental stone inscribed to the memory of: -

WILLIAM WEBBER, who was born the 6th day of
November, 1668, Mayor of this Borough, Anno Dom. 1694,
died the 30th November, 1697.

"Thy soul so long pent up, at last did scorn
This cage of Earth, it was more nobly born-
Then it broke forth and took its flight
From this dark cell, to find more room, more light.
The years were few, but yet thy age compleat.
The tale was wanting but the weight was great.
He that serves God, of Church and State the friend,
When'er he dies, doth timely make an end,
We fain would wish thy vacant place to be
Filled up with one, as good as just as thee,
Not asking what his state, for I care not
.....warped by flattery.....(illegible)
....."

Ch. 69 – *Norway floor stone.* (Source – page 174 of Lake's Parochial History of Cornwall)

Here lieth the body of
Captain NEVELL NORWAY,
who was buried 6 day of Feb. 1757.

Ch. 70 – A stone which originally held a brass in the centre and a shield in each corner and was set in the pavement of the north aisle immediately above the step which divided the chancel from the nave.