

ST MARY & ST MARTIN, BLYTH NOTTINGHAMSHIRE, S81 8HG Trail for children

(and accompanying adults) Explanatory notes and answers are available

YOUR NAME

Start the trail at the grey arrow Follow the numbers from 1-13.

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1 FONT		2 DOOM PAINTING		
The font is where baptisms (Claplace. What is put into the font for a W How many cherubs are there? What is the cover made of?	- ,	This wall paintin Circle the things Rainbow Devil Computer	g shows The Day you can see: Cat King with crown Wheelbarrow	Jesus Christ
3 MELLISH MONUMENT	F	AST	4 PULPIT	•
This monument is to Edward Mellish, who built Blyth Hall. How many swans are on the coat of arms at the top of the monument? What other animal can you see?	3 0 0	7 ALTAR 6 4 5		rer delivers his falk) from the o high up?
5 CARVED LECTERN			6 CHANC	EL
What is the name of the red book on the lectern? H B Draw the face on the lectern.	7 KNIGHT EFFIGY Draw the helmet that		chancel. Who do yo	e seats in the ou think sits here?

What is the special name of this helmet?

See if you can spot the date carved into the wood panelling in the chancel .

8 ALTAR

The altar (Holy Table) is at the east end of the church. What colour is the cloth on it today?

What is on the marble shelf behind the altar?



8 0 0 0 130 12 11

EAST

9 LIST OF PRIORS AND VICARS

Who was the prior in 1306?

Who was the vicar in 1386?



10 SOUTH AISLE WINDOW

This window shows scenes from Christ's life. Looking at the right-hand side of the window, who are the parents of Jesus Christ?

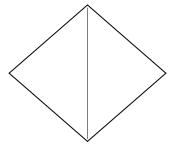
M and J

Who was found in a cradle in the bullrushes?

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11 HATCHMENTS

The diamond-shaped panels on the west wall are hatchments belonging to the Mellish family. Complete the hatchment furthest to your left.



12 BENEFACTORS BOARDS

Who left £20 to "poor widows of Blyth"?



13 POOR BOX

What do you think the poor box was used for?

Why are there locks on it?

ENDPIECE

Well done! You have now finished the Children's Trail. We hope you enjoyed discovering some of the history of St Mary & St Martin's Church. Perhaps you might like to bring family and friends to visit the church. Sit down for a while and think about all the people who have visited this church for hundreds of years. Write a sentence below to describe your feelings about this building.