

FLINTS

The Friends of Holy Cross Memorial Book of Flints is on permanent display in Holy Cross Church. At the recent Flower Festival several people remarked on how happy they were to have purchased a flint to help maintain our beautiful 12th C Church, and to see their names in Anne Griffiths' expert calligraphy.

After further discussion they learnt where their purchased flint was in relation to the new wall, and were quite delighted.

If you would like to know exactly where 'your' flint is, this is what you need to do:

Pick up the brochure under the cabinet, find your name and check your numbers;

Open grid reference in long tube underneath and find your number.

Numbers go from 1-50 on each line from top to bottom, ending in 3,000;

You have to imagine the grid under the window outside. Walk out of the front entrance, turn right, walk past the tower and your wall is under the next window. It is not to scale but in percentage terms you can 'imagine' your flint, following the grid.

I have been asked if people can add more names – additional grandchildren, In Memoriam, etc. – and of course this is possible. There are several gaps in the grid that can coincide with individual or family groups. Flints cost £10 each or 6 for £50. If anyone needs any information in any regard please phone me on 01494-793331.

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