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the history
of Shropshire
and Telford

Sources for LONGDON ON TERN

This guide gives a brief introduction to the variety of sources available for the parish of **Longdon on Tern** at Shropshire Archives.

Printed books:

General works - These may also be available at Wellington library

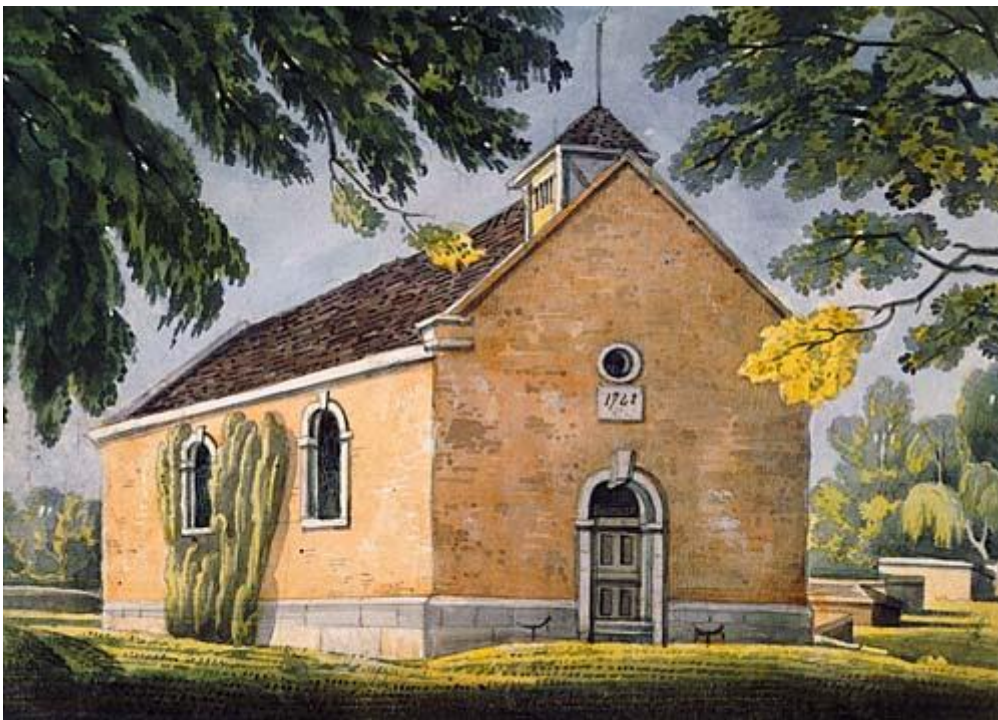
- Eyton, *Antiquities of Shropshire*
- *Transactions of the Shropshire Archaeological Society*
- *Shropshire Magazine*
- Trade Directories which give a history of the town, main occupants and businesses, 1828-1941
- Victoria County History of Shropshire – Volume X
- Parish Packs
- Monumental Inscriptions

List of more specific books available - (search www.shropshirearchives.org.uk for a more comprehensive list)

C64 Reading Room *Antiquities of Shropshire*, vol VIII – *Robert Eyton*

C66 *My Shropshire Days on Common Ways* – *John Beard*

K22.3 *An account of the improvements on the estates of the Marquess of Stafford in the counties of Staffordshire and Salop and on the estate of Sutherland with remarks Parts 1 & 11* – *James Loch 1820*



St Bartholomew's church, Longdon Upon Tern, 6009/128

Sources on microfiche or film:

Parish and non-conformist church registers

	Baptisms	Marriages / Banns	Burials
St Bartholomew's church	1692-1950 1950-1955 transcribed	1692-1969 / 1828-1960	1692-1812, 1813-1955 transcribed

Up to 1900, registers are on www.findmypast.co.uk

Census returns

1841, 1851(indexed), 1861, 1871, 1881, 1891, 1901

Census returns for the whole country to 1911 can be looked at on the Ancestry website

Maps

Ordnance Survey maps 25" to the mile and 6 "to the mile, c1880, c1901

(OS reference: old series XXXV.4 new series SJ 6115)

Tithe map and apportionment, 1839

Newspapers

Shrewsbury Chronicle, 1772 onwards (NB from 1950 as originals only – Reader's Ticket required)

Shropshire Star, 1964 onwards

Wellington Journal, 1901 onwards as originals (from 1854 on film at Telford Library)

Archives:

To see these sources you need a Shropshire Archives Reader's Ticket.

Many catalogues now online at www.shropshirearchives.org.uk

P170 Longdon on Tern Parish records

School Records

ED2699/40/24 Manager's minutes

Records of Local Authorities and Institutions

PL14 Wellington Union Workhouse records

Q Quarter Sessions

DA26 Wellington Rural District Council – records held offsite, please request in advance.

Estate records

972 Lilleshall Estate Records – some are on microfiche in the Reading Room

Quarter Sessions Records

Other records

Wills for Shropshire post 1858 (pre 1858 – see Lichfield Diocesan Record Office)

Photographs and Postcards

And much much more!

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