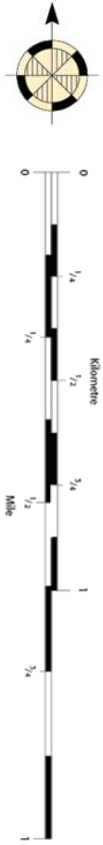
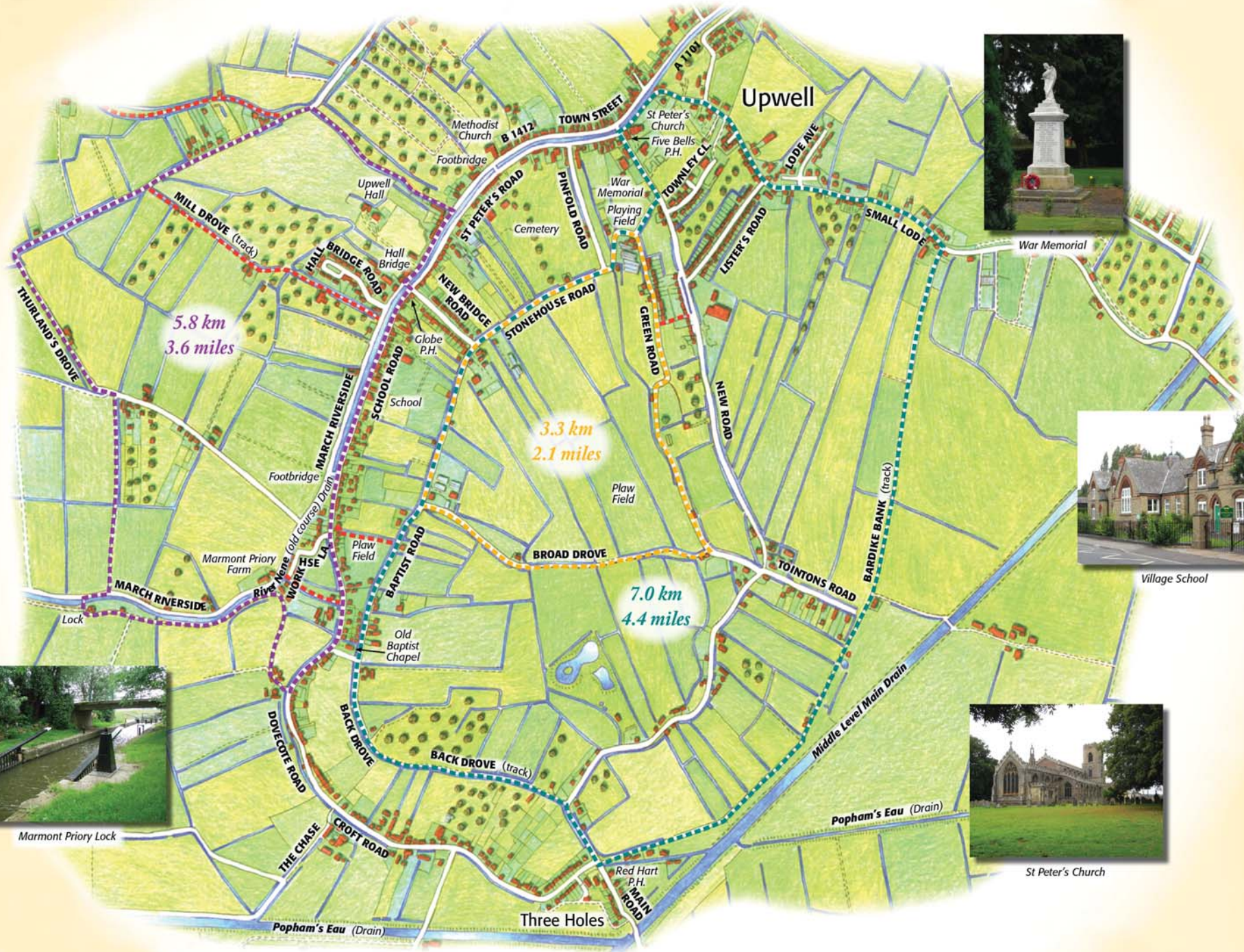


Upwell Parish Walks



WALK ONE - Yellow Route

From the Five Bells Pub pass the Village Hall and turn right at the War Memorial onto Stonehouse Road. Take the first left, Green Road, marked Public Byway; pass pre-fabs on the left and the way becomes a grassy track. Bear right then left between two high conifer hedges. Pass a bungalow on your left and then turn right – signed 'Public Footpath' leaving the dyke on your right and a cottage on your left. The path becomes Broad Drove. Arriving at Baptist Road, turn right and follow the road back to the War Memorial.

Alternatively, turn left on Baptist Road, walk past a large bungalow and lorry yard on your right, turn right onto a footpath to School Road. Turn right and walk through the village back to the Church.

A further alternative would be to turn left on School Road and pick up the route leading from Dovecote farm to Marmont Priory Lock. (See map for Walk 2)



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WALK 2 - Purple Route

From the Five Bells follow St Peter's road south past the Globe onto School Road then Dovecote Road – past the end of Baptist Road.

The footpath from Dovecote Road to Marmont Priory lock is clearly visible to the right between two farmhouses, signed 'Public Footpath.' Follow the track between the farmhouses, turning right behind the right-hand farmhouse and, from here, the path is way marked, crossing a field and heading towards a tall conifer hedge. Turn left here to reach Welle Creek and follow this along the bank to a "stow way" – a grassy bridge that crosses a deep dyke. Turn left at the five bar gate and go round a converted barn to a gravel track parallel with the Creek, shortly arriving at the picturesque Marmont Priory Lock.

Cross over the lock, turn right then after a few yards left at a way mark. Follow the grass track through open fields towards a high hedge, at the end of which, turn left onto Thurlands Drove and follow this around a sharp right hand bend. After just over half a mile there is a track to the right, signed 'Public Footpath', that leads back to the village along Mill Drove, also known as Mill Rigg. Alternatively, continue along the route on the map to the next path on the right taking you between an orchard on your left and a dyke on your right and joining Town Street opposite the cemetery. Turn left and walk back to the Church.

Alternatively, from the end of track at Thurlands Drove turn right and at the bottom, cross the creek over the footbridge opposite the fish and chip shop; or follow March Riverside, keeping the creek on your right.

WALK 3 - Blue Route

From the Five Bells turn right onto Small Lode past the Church and follow this for $\frac{3}{4}$ mile to Lode Farm on the right hand side. The bridleway, Bardyke Bank, leads South through the farmyard, where a sign welcomes walkers and riders. The track, grass or rough tarmac, meets Tointons Road about half way to Three Holes. Pass a house on the right bordered by a row of ornamental stones and a house further along surrounded by old vans and tractors, reaching A1101 at Three Holes, by the Red Hart. Turn right on to the main road (there is no footpath so please take care), pass the end of Croft Road and in a few yards Back Drove, signed Public Byway, leads off to the left to Baptist Road. From here, either turn left then right by the Old Baptist Chapel and follow School Road past the Globe then along St Peter's Road, or carry straight on along Baptist Road, which becomes Stonehouse Road and leads to the War Memorial.



Please observe the Countryside Code

Be safe - plan ahead and follow any signs.
Leave gates and property as you find them.
Protect plants and animals, and take home your litter.
Keep dogs under close control.
Consider other people.