

ST LEONARD'S, APETHORPE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE, PE8 5DL 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 1-14.

1 CLOCK	2 PORCH			
The clock was refurbished in 1897 and again in 2012. What 2 events are celebrated?	As you enter the porch you will see a gate with wire mesh on it. Why do you think it is there?			
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3 FONT

What do you think the font is used for?

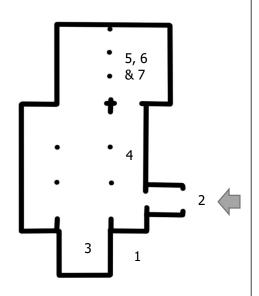
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How many carved flowers does the font have around the top?

flowers



EAST



4 ST LEONARD

This church is called St. Leonard's. Here are 2 stained glass windows, each with a picture of St. Leonard. Look carefully and you will see they both have something unusual as part of their clothing. What is this?



WEST

5 MONUMENT

Who was buried in the memorial tomb in 1617?



7 LOOK UP!

If you look up very high you will see two metal objects. What do you think these might be?

6 ANIMALS WINDOW

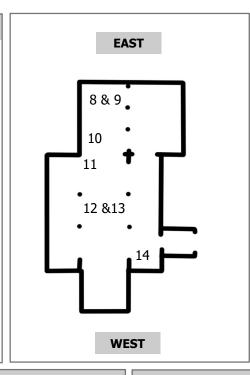
There is a very old elephant somewhere in the church. He arrived in 1621. Where is he?

Name two other animals you can find near him.

8 ALTAR

What stands behind the altar?





9 EAST WINDOW

Who do you think the people in this window are and what are they doing?

10 BISHOP'S SEAT

The original seat was stolen but someone had taken a photo of it and a clever carver reproduced it. When he sat in it, upon what animal would the Bishop rest his hands? Draw a picture of one of them.

11 PULPIT

The pulpit was built in 1736. How many steps are there going up to it?

Why	is	it	up	high?
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12 HASSOCKS

There are some beautiful hassocks or kneelers, made by people from the village. Draw your favourite one.

13 CHURCH

A part of this present church dates from the 12th century. Why has there been a church here for all that time? Other than for Sunday services, can you think of 3 events that bring people to church?

14 VISITORS' BOOK

There are two Visitors' Books on the table by the door. One of them has the names of two important visitors inscribed in it. Who were they?

Why not find a space at the end of the Visitors' Book and write your name to show that you have been here too?