

## **St Andrew's Church, Congresbury A Celebration of 800 Years**

Congresbury, St Andrew

*"Best of all is the church with doorways worthy of a cathedral and one of the most graceful of Somerset's few spires."*

Arthur Mee



*Congresbury church. Photo by Mike Bedingfield.*

This publication is an attempt to provide a detailed history and guide to St Andrew's church, the Refectory and surrounding grounds.

The size, strength and beauty of the church must have been a marvel to those living some 800 years ago. Throughout the centuries it has been the centre of the community and a place of mystery and hope. I would like to believe that in another 800 years future generations will still be celebrating the existence of this wonderful group of buildings and their splendid environment.

Chris Short. 2014.

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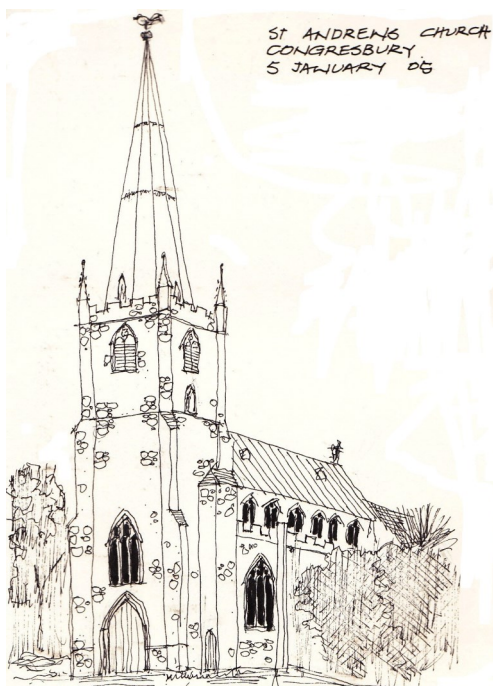
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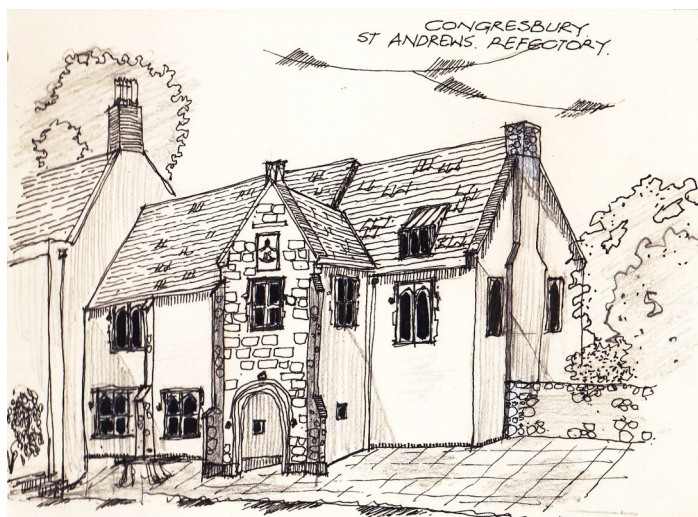
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*Sketches by  
Michael Greaves.*



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