IMPERIAL WAR MUSEUM

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NATIONAL INVENTORY OF WAR MEMORIALS

ROYAL COMMISSION ON THE HISTORICAL MONUMENTS OF ENGLAND

TITLE OF MEMORIAL Stained glass window and brass plate in a church

1.LOCATION

Country England County Worcestershire
District/Borough Droitwich Parish Elmbridge
City/Town/Village
Street
Number Postcode WR9 0DA
Ordnance Survey Map Reference(1:50,000) SO 899 679

2.WHERE IS THE MEMORIAL SITUATED?

At a crossroads of and
Village green/market square
Private/Public building
Inside [] Outside []
Church/Cathedral Church of St. Mary, ELMBRIDGE, Droitwich, Worcs.
Specify denomination Church of England
Inside [✓] Outside []
In a park/gardens
Elsewhere

3.INSCRIPTIONS

Which war/s are commemorated:
Crimea [] Boer [] First World War [✓] Second World War [] Korea [] Falklands []
Other

Names of individuals commemorated should be recorded on a separate sheet or in the form of photographs. Please tick here [ ].

Earliest War First World War

Style of lettering. Roman [✓] Gothic [] Other
How many names are listed? seven
Does the memorial list all who served as well as the dead? ~~YES~~/NO
Are the names listed: alphabetically [✓] by year of death [] officers and other ranks separated []
Does the list of names mention: Decorations [] Regiment [] Place died [] Rank [] None of these [✓]

Subsequent wars none

Style of lettering. Roman [] Gothic [] Other
How many are names are listed?
Does the memorial list all who served as well as the dead? YES/NO
Are the names listed: alphabetically [] by year of death [] officers and other ranks separated []
Does the list of names mention: Decorations [] Regiment [] Place died [] Rank [] None of these []

If more than two wars are commemorated on the memorial please continue procedure on a separate sheet.

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4.TYPE OF MEMORIAL

a. Cross/Crucifix [] (Please specify e.g. celtic)
b. Cenotaph []
c. Pillar/Column []
d. Obelisk (square/round)[]
e. Board or plaque [✓]
f. Stone of Remembrance []
g. Mosaic/mural []
h. Gate []
i. Wall []
j. Building i. Chapel [] ii. Hall []
iii. Hospital or extension thereto [] iv. Sports pavilion []
v. Clock Tower [] vi. Other []

k. Window Stained glass/~~plain~~ [✓]
l. Sports Field []
m. Garden []
n. Street []
o. Cairn []
p. Sculptured/Cast figure (specify position, expression, dress, equipment) i.Serviceman/woman
ii. Allegory (e.g.Victory,St George) iii. Civilian (e.g. Man,Woman,Child)

q. Sculptured/Cast group (specify number and type of figures as in p.)

r. Composite, e.g. a square obelisk with a figure of a soldier and Humanity would be...d.(square)+ p.i.+ p.ii.

s.Other

What materials have been used? e.g. Bronze soldier on a marble plinth. GLASS WINDOW AND A BRASS PLATE

Give the memorial's dimensions EXCEPT buildings. Specify if this is exact or an estimate.
Metric measurements please.
Height Width Depth EXACT dimensions on separate sheet.

5.ORNAMENTATION Please describe any other ornamentation e.g. wreaths, flags, weapons, lions. State the face on which each type of ornamentation appears.

6.HISTORY OF THE MEMORIAL

Has the memorial, or part of it, been moved from its original location? ~~YES~~/NO
When was it moved?.....
Where was it before?.....
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Why was it moved?.....
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When was the memorial unveiled?.....
Who by?.....
Was the memorial dedicated? YES/NO. When?.....
Who by?.....
Who sponsored the memorial? Private donation [] Corporate donation [] Public subscription [] Other []
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Did this include a trust or scholarship fund? YES/NO
For what purpose?.....
Did this include a Roll of Honour in book/scroll form? YES/NO
Where is it?..... NOT KNOWN
What was the cost of the memorial? £.....
Was the site given free of charge? YES/NO If purchased state cost £.....
Who designed the memorial?
Architect.....
Sculptor..... NO INSCRIPTION IN WINDOW OR ON BRASS PLATE
Who built the memorial?.....
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Were either the designers or builders ex-servicemen/women?.....
Did they belong to the group being commemorated or other personal association?.....

7.CONDITION OF MEMORIAL

Good [✓] At Risk [] Poor [].....
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Are the letters difficult to read? ~~YES~~/NO
Who is responsible for the memorial?..... PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL
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Give details of any recent repairs or planned work.....
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8.REFERENCES

Please give details of any published or unpublished material you know of about this memorial, include author, title, date and place of publication. List sources consulted; local libraries, newspapers etc.
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9.PHOTOGRAPHS

Please enclose prints and negatives of photographs you have taken of this memorial.
Please enclose copies of any other photographs and indicate date, photographer, location and reference number if applicable.

If photographs are to be reproduced do you wish to be acknowledged? YES/NO

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10.ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Please include any further information you feel would be of interest.

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Who filled in this form?

Name Mr. A.F.Brown,

Address 7, Newland Road,
Droitwich,
Worcs.

Post Code WR9 7AF Telephone (0905) 772677

Date

Are you recording war memorials independently [ ] or as part of a group? [✓]

I happened to visit the church and was aware of the recording project.
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This information will be stored on a computer

Please return to:

RESEARCH CO-ORDINATOR
THE NATIONAL INVENTORY OF WAR MEMORIALS
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LONDON SE1 6HZ
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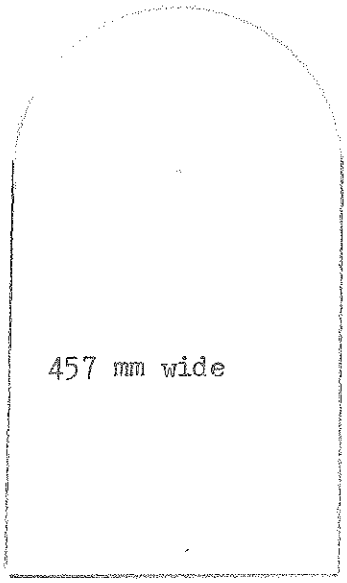
War memorial in ELMBRIDGE ST MARY CHURCH, Droitwich, Worcs.

(Inscription on brass plate)

THIS WINDOW IS ERECTED IN GRATEFUL MEMORY
OF THE MEN IN THIS PARISH WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES
FOR GOD AND COUNTRY IN THE GREAT WAR
1914-1919

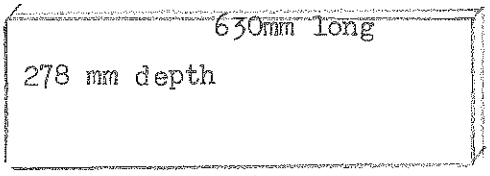
GEORGE ALDRIDGE
HARRY ALDRIDGE
GEORGE GRIFFIN
JOHN INSTON
THOMAS MIDDLETON
VICTOR MATHEWS
ALBERT WHEELER

Greater love hath no man than this, that a man
lay down his life for his friends.



A stained glass window in the north wall.

No inscription of manufacturer.



A brass plate mounted on the wall below the window.

Lettering appear to be painted in black but might be incuse.

All Roman capitals as far as WHEELER; remainder in lower case.

Not inscribed with name of manufacturer.

EXACT MEASUREMENTS BUT NOT TO SCALE

ELMBRIDGE WORCS.

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St Mary's Church - Stained Glass Window

One Light - shows a Knight kneeling in prayer at an altar. To men of parish. 1914-1919. 7 names - "Greater love ....."