



*Bodleian Library, Oxford MS. Top.Oxon a65 fol.108*

Permission to proceed with the proposed work was granted by the Bishop of Oxford and plans were prepared by two eminent Oxford architects, Plowman and Underwood, who had already worked on local churches in the area, including designing the new pews and font in Adderbury Church. Work began in 1843 with the demolition and rebuilding of the tower on the west side and the addition of four pinnacles. The space gained allowed for an extra two hundred seats to be added. There were alterations to the windows and doorway in the chancel and, sadly, the roodloft was removed; no part of it remains. The tracery in all the windows in the church was renewed and the old medieval tub font was discarded and replaced. This was rediscovered in the churchyard and reinstated in 1918. When the work was finished a memorial board was hung in the bell tower commemorating the rebuilding of 1843.