

## Walks based on Cotheridge Church

### Path Green

Designated 531, 534

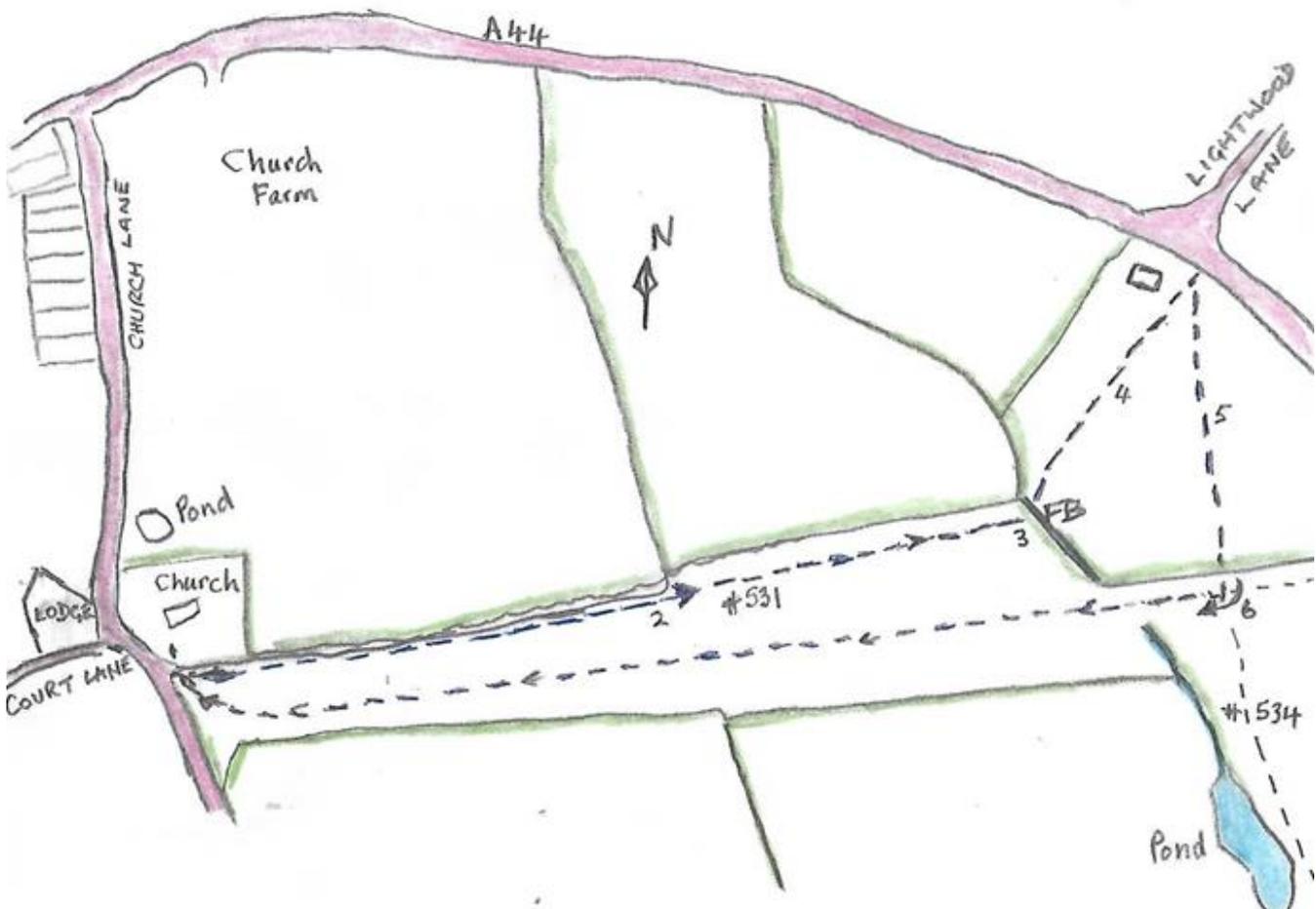
A short walk involving footpaths over mainly pasture land. The soil type is clay and so stout footwear is advised especially if the weather has been wet.

Start: St Leonard's Church, Cotheridge

Parking: Verge beside the church. Please avoid the verges opposite.

Time required: 30 minutes to ¾ hour

1. Pass through the 'kissing gate' metal stile at the end of the car parking area. The tree that over hangs the stile is a Walnut tree. The long field ahead is known locally as the Avenue as there used to be a double avenue of Lime trees lining the main entrance to Cotheridge Court from the A44. Many of the trees were felled in the 1950's when a developer split up the Court into smaller residential units at the same time selling off the timber as a crop. Previous only the Lodge (opposite the Church) and the Georgian Cotheridge Court and Victorian fronted Berkley House were on site.
2. The path follows closely by the left-hand edge of the field close to the hedgerow of Blackthorn, Hawthorn and brambles.
3. In the North-East corner of the field, the path crosses a ditch via a double stile footbridge into another field.
4. After crossing the bridge turn left and aim in a more northerly direction aiming just to the right of the bungalow, where there is a stile to allow you onto the A44.
5. Do not go over the stile but turn directly southward and aim for a stile in the hedge.
6. Over this stile and turn right and re-enter the Avenue through a gate and on to the long straight path back to the starting point.



Please follow the country code

Be mindful of other livestock

Leave only your footprints