



## YAVERLAND CHURCH AND MANOR

Dedicated to St. John the Baptist, the church was originally built around 1150 as a chapel for the de AULA family. The nave is mainly Norman, also the chancel arch with intricate chevron moulding. Within the south entrance porch is the original Norman doorway. The square mullioned windows in the chancel belong to the 15<sup>th</sup> century. Wall tablets show that from the reign of Henry VI it was a garrison church for troops stationed in the local forts and it continued this role until 1945.

The church was extensively restored in 1889.

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