

# St Birinus Churchyard, Dorchester Plant List June 2003

Area 1: Parking area Area 2: Burial ground Area 3: Gravelled area

List compiled by Roy Maycock and Mary Broster (\* = MB's additions)

**Names in bold:** Plants looked at with Mary Broster 8th July 2003

English name	Latin name	Area			Notes
<b>Alkanet, Green</b>	<i>Pentaglottis sempervirens</i>	2			
<b>Asparagus, Garden</b>	<i>Asparagus officinalis</i>		3		
Barley, Two-rowed	<i>Hordeum distichon</i>	1			
Bent, Creeping	<i>Agrostis stolonifera</i>	2			
<b>Bindweed, Field</b>	<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>	1	2	3	
Birch, Silver	<i>Betula pendula</i>	1			
Bluebell*	<i>Hyanthoides sp</i>	2			
Bramble	<i>Rubus fruticosus agg.</i>	1	2		abundant on banks
Brome, Barren	<i>Anisantha sterilis</i>	2			
<b>Buttercup, Creeping</b>	<i>Ranunculus repens</i>	1	2		
Buttercup, Meadow	<i>Ranunculus acris</i>	1			
Cat's-ear	<i>Hypochaeris radicata</i>	2			
Celandine, Greater	<i>Chelidonium majus</i>	1	2		
Chestnut, Horse	<i>Aesculus hippocastanum</i>	1	2		
Chestnut, Red Horse-	<i>Aesculus carnea</i>	2			
Chickweed, Common	<i>Stellaria media</i>	1	2	3	
<b>Cinquefoil, Creeping</b>	<i>Potentilla reptans</i>	1	2		
<b>Cleavers</b>	<i>Galium aparine</i>	1	2		
<b>Clover, White</b>	<i>Trifolium repens</i>	1	2		abundant
Cock's-foot	<i>Dactylis glomerata</i>	1	2		
<b>Comfrey, Common</b>	<i>Symphytum officinale</i>	1	2		?origin
<b>Cornsalad, Keeled-fruited</b>	<i>Valerianella carinata</i>	2	3		rare/under-recorded
Couch, Common	<i>Elytrigia repens</i>	1			
Cowslip*	<i>Primula veris</i>	2			
Crane's-bill, Dove's-foot	<i>Geranium molle</i>	2			
Cuckooflower	<i>Cardamine pratensis</i>	2			rare on site
Daffodils*	<i>Narcissus sp</i>				
<b>Daisy</b>	<i>Bellis perennis</i>	1	2	3	
Daisy, Moon*	<i>Leucanthemum vulgare</i>	2			
Dandelion	<i>Taraxum agg.</i>	1	2	3	
Dead-nettle, Red	<i>Lamium purpureum</i>	2			
Dead-nettle, White	<i>Lamium album</i>	1			rare on site
Dock, Broad-leaved	<i>Rumex obtusifolius</i>	1			
Dock, Wood	<i>Rumex sanguineus</i>	1			
Elder	<i>Sambucus nigra</i>	1	2		
Fescue, Giant	<i>Festuca gigantea</i>	2			
Fescue, Red	<i>Festuca rubra</i>	1	2		
Fleabane, Canadian	<i>Conyza canadensis</i>	2			
Forget-me-not, Field	<i>Myosotis arvensis</i>	2			
Fumitory, Common	<i>Fumaria officinalis</i>	2			rare on site
Groundsel	<i>Senecio vulgaris</i>	2	3		
Hawk's-beard, Smooth	<i>Crepis capillaris</i>	1	2	3	
Hawthorn	<i>Crataegus monogyna</i>	1			
Honesty*	<i>Lunaria annua</i>	2			
Honeysuckle	<i>Lonicera periclymenum</i>	2			in a grave

<b>Honeysuckle, Wilson's</b>	Lonicera nitida		2		planted hedge
Hornbeam	Carpinus betulus	1	2		+ saplings
Ivy	Hedera helix	1	2		abundant on banks
Ivy, Ground	Glechoma hederacea	1	2		
Jasmine, Summer	Jasminum officinale	1			
Lords-and-Ladies	Arum maculatum	1	2		
<b>Meadow-grass, Annual</b>	Poa annua	1	2	3	
Meadow-grass, Rough	Poa trivialis	1	2		
Meadow-grass, Smooth	Poa pratensis		2	3	
<b>Medick, Black</b>	Medicago lupulina	1	2		
Mint, Spear	Mentha spicata	1			rare on site
Mouse-ear, Common	Cerastium fontanum		2		
Mouse-ear, Sticky	Cerastium glomeratum		2		
Mustard, Garlic	Alliaria petiolata		2		
<b>Nettle, Stinging</b>	Urtica dioica	1	2		
Nipplewort	Lapsana communis			3	
Oak, Pedunculate	Quercus robur	1			
Oat-grass, False	Arrhenatherum elatius	1	2		
Parsley, Cow	Anthriscus sylvestris	1	2		
Pearlwort, Annual	Sagina apetala		2		
Plantain, Greater	Plantago major		2		
Plantain, Ribwort	Plantago lanceolata		2		
<b>Poa, Hard*</b>	Catapodium rigidum		2		
Poppy*	Papaver sp		2		
Poppy, opium	Papaver somniferum		2	3	
Primrose	Primula vulgaris		2		escape from a grave?
Rose	Rosa sp		2		
Rose of Sharon*	Hypericum calycinum		2		
Ragwort, Common	Senecio jacobaea	1	2		
Rye-grass, Perennial	Lolium perenne	1	2		
Sandwort, Thyme-leaved	Arenaria serpyllifolia s.l.			3	on wall
Saxifrage, Rue-leaved	Saxifraga tridactylites		2		
Scarlet Pimpernel	Anagallis arvensis		2		rare on site
<b>Selfheal</b>	Prunella vulgaris	1	2		
<b>Shepherd's-purse</b>	Capsella bursa-pastoris		2	3	
Snowberry*	Symphoricarpos rivularis		2		
Sorrel*	Rumex acetosa		2		
Sow-thistle, Prickly	Sonchus asper	1	2	3	
Sow-thistle, Smooth	Sonchus oleraceus	1	2		
Speedwell, Common	Veronica persica		2		
Speedwell, Common Field	Pentaglossis Sempervirens		2		
Speedwell, Germander	Veronica chamaedrys	1	2		
Speedwell, Green Field-	Veronica agrestis			3	rare on site
Speedwell, Ivy-leaved	Veronica hederfolia	1	2		
Speedwell, Slender	Veronica filiformis		2		
Speedwell, Thyme-leaved	Veronica serpyllifolia		2		
Speedwell, Wall	Veronica arvensis	1	2	3	
<b>Spurge, Petty</b>	Euphorbia peplus		2	3	
Stonecrop, Reflexed	Sedum rupestre		2		
<b>Stonecrop, White</b>	Sedum album		2		
<b>Strawberry, Wild</b>	Fragaria vesca		2		
Sycamore	Acer pseudoplatanus		2		+ seedlings/saplings

Thale Cress	<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i>	2	3	
Thistle, Spear	<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>		3	rare on site
<b>Toadflax, Ivy-leaved</b>	<i>Cymbalaria muralis</i>	1	2	3
<b>Trefoil, Hop*</b>			2	
Trefoil, Lesser	<i>Trifolium dubium</i>	1	2	
Violet, Common Dog-	<i>Viola riviniana</i>		2	
Violet, Sweet	<i>Viola odorata</i>	1	2	
Whitlowgrass, Common	<i>Erophila verna</i>		3	on wall
Willowherb, Broad-leaved	<i>Epilobium montanum</i>		2	
Willowherb, Great	<i>Epilobium hirsutum</i>	1	2	
<b>Willowherb, Hoary</b>	<i>Epilobium parviflorum</i>		?	3
<b>Wood Avens</b>	<i>Geum urbanum</i>	1	2	
Yarrow	<i>Achillia millefolium</i>		2	
<b>Yew, English</b>	<i>Taxus baccata</i>	1	2	hedge between 1&2
<b>Yew, Irish</b>	<i>Taxus baccata fastigiata</i>		2	
<b>Yorkshire-fog</b>	<i>Holcus lanatus</i>		2	
TOTAL		50	92	23

**OVERALL TOTAL**

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**Species uncertain:**

Aquilegia, Garden	<i>Aquiligia</i> cv.		3	
Buddlea			2	seedling
Willowherb(s)	<i>Epilobium</i> sp(p)	1		
	<i>Hypericum</i> sp.		3	species unidentified