



# Saving the Martyrs' Legacy

The former Chapel in the heart of Tolpuddle is internationally significant as the place where the Tolpuddle Martyrs preached and worshipped. It was built in 1818 as a Methodist Chapel and is listed Grade II\* by Historic England. It is on their Buildings at Risk Register and we need your help to conserve it for future generations.



The building may well have remained in use as a Methodist Chapel until a new chapel was built in Tolpuddle in 1862-63. Over the last 150 years it has been used for agricultural and storage purposes.

*'a quiet place in the heart of this historic Dorset village'*

In February 2015 the Tolpuddle Old Chapel Trust (TOCT), a Building Preservation Trust, purchased the building and site and with funding from Historic England undertook emergency repairs.

## How you can help

We need you to assist us in raising the final £95,000 to preserve, renovate and maintain the former Chapel. Visit our website and find out how to donate, how we can claim Gift Aid and how we will acknowledge your support. Contact us: [tolpuddleoctrust@btinternet.com](mailto:tolpuddleoctrust@btinternet.com) Write to TOCT, Former Chapel 59.a. Main Road, Tolpuddle DT2 7DQ



The Trust has already received support from a number of organisations. Now we need **your** support to achieve the ambition of completing the major conservation works by 2020.

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