

## HEAVITREE LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY

A (very) short version of the Heavitree Boundary walk, visiting 4 of the 9 stones.

At Livery Dole, stand next to the wooden bench on the north-east corner of the crossroads.

Next to it is an upright prismatic stone; on it you may just make out the letters signifying "St Sidwell" and "Heavitree". This is one of the oldest remaining stones of the nine still in situ on the longer walk.

Walk up Polsloe Road, cross Mont-le-Grand and by the crossing, you should see another stone, different design from the first, with "E" and "H" inscribed. This should really be at right-angles to its present position as Exeter lay to the west and Heavitree to the east with the line between the letters marking the boundary.

Cross Polsloe by the crossing and turn right, cross Grendon Road and turn left into Gladstone Road. Walk the length of this road to Heavitree Road, passing Waitrose, and cross onto the opposite pavement. Turn left and opposite the bus shelter, find another stone, this one with an arched top and "H P" inscribed with a bar between the letters. This is dated 1897, the date of the first recorded bound-beating.

Either walk through St Lukes campus to Magdalen Road or retrace your steps passing the front of St Lukes and turn left into College Road. Turn left again into Raleigh Road and at the end, turn left again into Magdalen Road.

At the eastern corner of Magdalen Road and College Ave, another stone of the same design as the previous one is seen next to the wall.

Continue up Magdalen Road back to Livery Dole. This route is about 1/3 mile.