

# FACTS AND FIGURES

## THE PARISH OF WEARE GIFFARD

### Physical

Area:	642 hectares (1587 acres)
Latitude and Longitude:	Lat: 50deg.59min.N. Long: 4deg.10min.W.
Location:	On the east side of the river Torridge, 4miles S.S.E of Bideford and 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> miles N.W. of Torrington
UK map Reference:	SS 478221
Range above sea level:	Between 7 metres (23 ft.) and 70 metres (231 ft.)

### Civil Representation

Parish:	Parish Council
District:	Torridge District Council
County:	Devon County Council
National:	England, U.K.

### Petty Sessional Division

Great Torrington

### Parliamentary

National Constituency:	Torridge and West Devon
European Constituency:	Devon and East Plymouth
Ward:	Rolle

### Ecclesiastical

Church:	Holy Trinity
Deanery:	Hartland
Deaconry:	Barnstaple
Diocese:	Exeter
Chapels:	At Torrington and Gammaton

### Saxon Administrative Division

Hundred of Shebbeare

### Population

293 (latest figure: 1981)

### Contacts:

Postal Address:	Bideford, EX39
Telephone:	Bideford, 01237 Torrington, 01805

### Facilities and Amenities

Parish Magazine:	The Crosslet, including the churches of Weare Giffard, Monkleigh, Landcross and Littleham
Newsletter:	The Torrington Crier
Bus Services:	Bideford-Torrington-Bideford, about every two hours during the working day Gas, 1935: Water, 1950's: Electricity and Sewerage Mains, 1980's.
Mobile Library	Fortnightly, 4 stops