

EDGWARE

The original tower was built in the 14th century and rebuilt in 1764 at the west end of Kentish ragstone with diagonal buttresses, the north east turret being taller than the battlemented parapet.

The records surviving from the Edwardian Inventories tell us there were four bells in total. The smallest bell was broken and sold by Henry Healey and William Hulting.

The present six bells cast in the churchyard are known as a maiden ring and are classified as Listed.

On Sunday May 2nd, 1903 six members of the Middlesex County Association rang a peal of 5040 changes of Bob Minor in two hours forty-three minutes: Richard Bevan, Mark Woodcock, Frank Smith, James Durrant, Francis Carroway and C H Martin - conductor. This was the first peal since the bells had been rehung by Messrs. Barwell.

Source Nikolaus Pevsner, *Buildings of England: Middlesex* 1951, p 46; Middlesex Bells in the Edwardian Inventories. LMAS *Transactions* Volume XI, part 1, p 41; Christopher J Pickford; Association records.