

DIRECTIONS TO: CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION, CANFORD CLIFFS, POOLE

Parish of Canford Cliffs & Sandbanks (Church Tel: 01202-700907)

BH13 7PF (Sat Nav)

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COMING FROM POOLE...

Assuming you come from POOLE town centre, take directions to SANDBANKS. The road lanes sometimes have logos of “sandcastles” in them which means the same thing! The road to Sandbanks goes under a very narrow railway bridge, and then goes through the shopping area of LILLIPUT (Tesco Express...May’s Estate Agents etc.) Carry straight on (as if going down to the chain ferry) up what is called EVENING HILL. When you come over the brow of Evening Hill you will see the Harbour and Brownsea Island on your right. Carry on for half a mile or so. A main turning on your left will direct you to Bournemouth and Canford Cliffs. DO NOT take this turning; but immediately after it is CHADDESLEY GLEN. As the map shows, the church is up here. The church will be obvious as you carry on up to the first bend. Park either in the parking area in front of the church, or in the car park a little further on next door to the church itself.

COMING FROM THE WEYMOUTH / SWANAGE DIRECTION

You could also come across the Chain Ferry into the parish if coming from Swanage / Studland direction...and then you are in the parish the moment you come off the ferry!

COMING FROM THE M3 / M27...via BOURNEMOUTH

If you take the directions to Bournemouth off the M3, it becomes the M27. The M27 will peter out becoming the A31 which eventually bye-passes RINGWOOD with the Parish Church very evident on your left. Filter left at the next big roundabout, which is the A338 spur road to BOURNEMOUTH. (Do *not* go straight on, despite it being signposted to POOLE.) After several miles of dual carriageway, the road becomes WESSEX WAY which bye-passes BOURNEMOUTH (the town centre being on your left). This road is strictly 50 mph with several speed cameras along its length. Carry straight on over roundabouts etc. until the road becomes a single carriageway and junctions with a large roundabout which has the Liverpool Victoria Friendly Society in the middle of it. Keep left entering this roundabout, and take the 2nd exit marked to CANFORD CLIFFS. The road you will now be on is called “The Avenue” and is marked as such on the 2nd map overleaf in the top right hand corner. Follow this tree-lined road down to the sea (Branksome Chine) and then up the hill away from it into Canford Cliffs Village. Carry on through the village and out...keeping left at the mini-roundabout...until you find yourself going down a hill (the Harbour Heights Hotel being on your left) and coming to a junction with Poole Harbour straight in front of you. Turn left...and then *immediately* left again. You are now in CHADDESLEY GLEN and the Church will be obvious after 100 yards on your left.

WARNING: On hot and sunny Summer Holiday days – as the beaches attract vast numbers - parking *can* be difficult. Although we have a car park (just beyond the church) give yourself plenty of time...just in case!