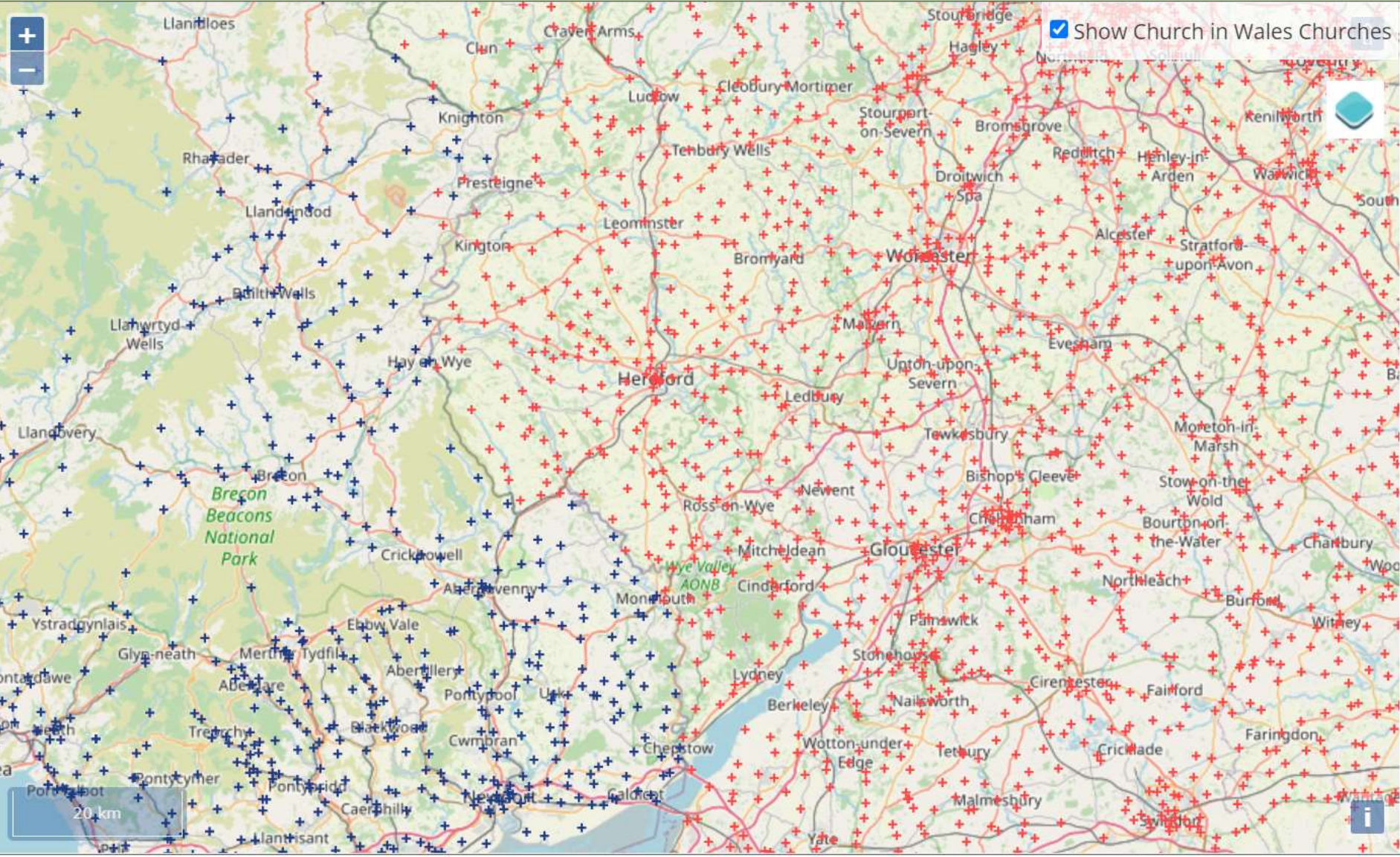


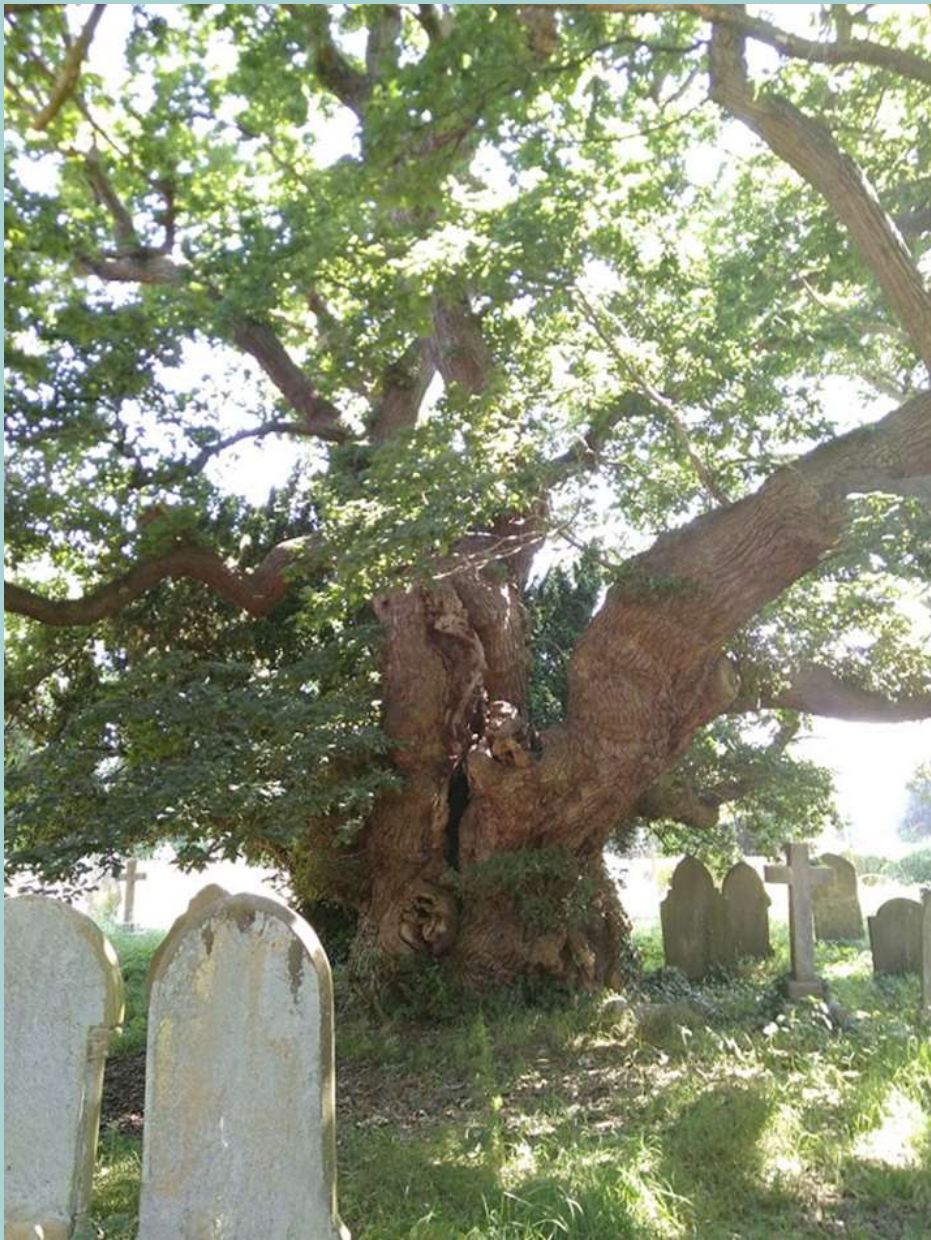




*'I like that ancient Saxon phrase,
which calls the burial ground God's Acre' Henry Wadsworth Longfellow*













Opening the Ark



Ancient Yews at least 800 years, no known upper limit

Veteran Yews 500 to 1200 years



Look after your veteran trees

- Clear saplings
 - Don't store anything under the canopy
 - Clear ivy from yews
 - Well rotted mulch
 - Volunteer tree surveys
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- Use the wood
 - Let it rot and provide habitat and humus







Medium Grass – can be easier



Give wildlife a home and be untidy

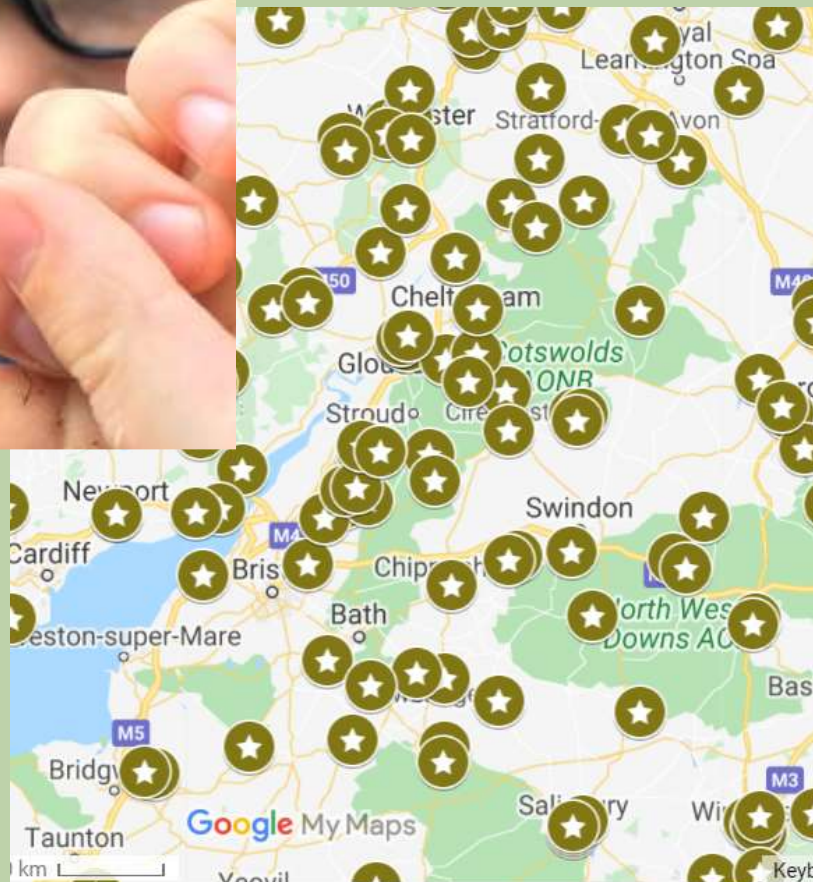
- Bird and bat boxes
- Bug hotels, hedgehog homes
- Compost heaps
- Deadwood and stone piles
- Rough corners

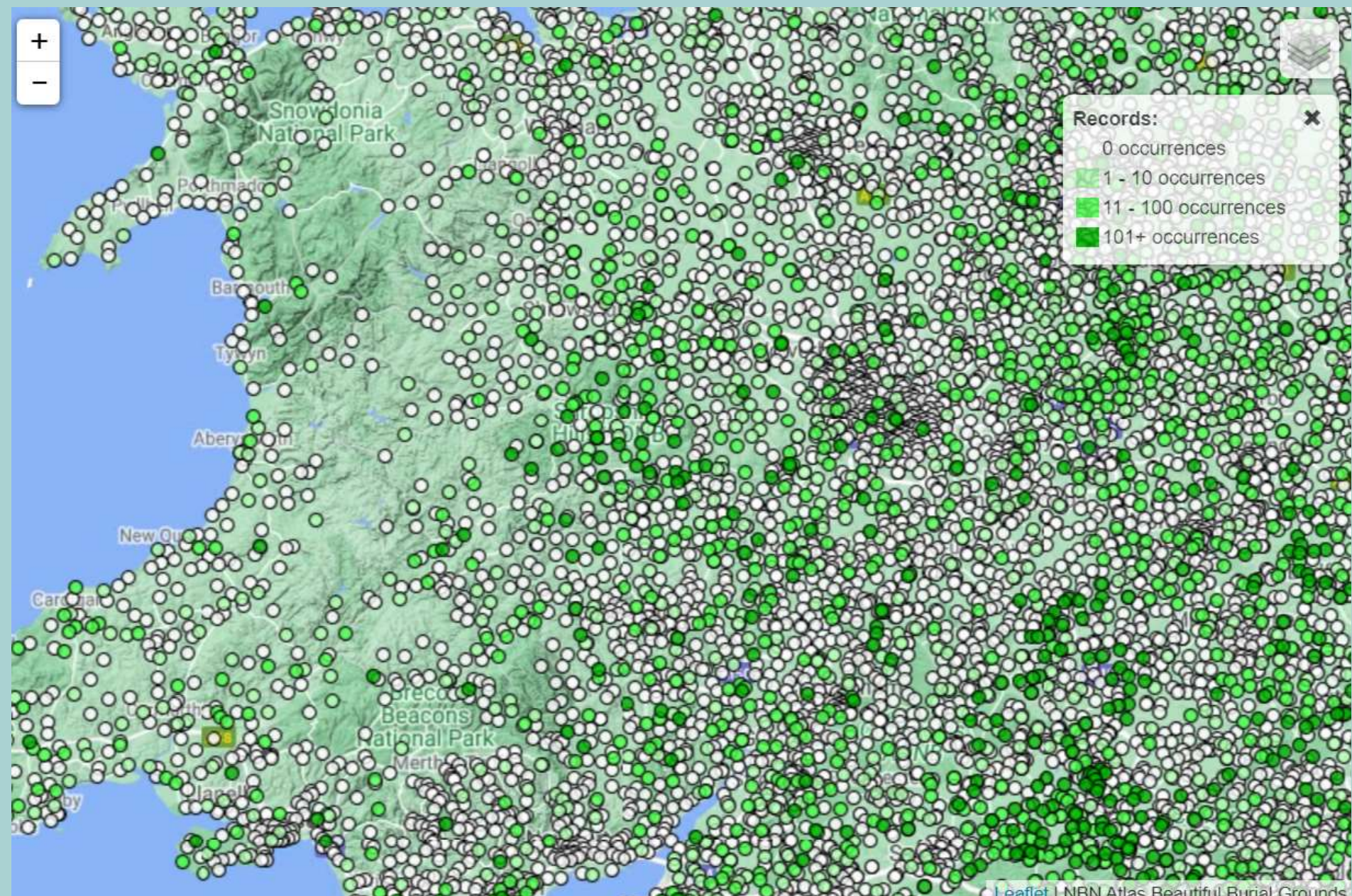


Plant for pollinators

- Use wildflowers and herbs for decorative planting such as Viper's Bugloss
- Early and late season flowers for bumblebees
- Simple flower shapes for insects to enter







Let wildlife out and bring people in









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