

Angel Hill War Memorial

a symbol of yearning for an end to wars, for world peace.



The memorial is located in the north west of the Clough near Charlestown Road.

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98 years ago today, 11th November 1918, the Armistice of Compiegne was signed stopping hostilities on the Western Front, thus ending the 1st World War, fighting on the Eastern Front having been halted by the Russian Revolution at the Treaty of Brest-Litovsk, 3rd March 1918.

Originally unveiled 28th May 1921, the memorial is now inscribed with the names of 320 local people killed in 2 World Wars. Throughout the world, over 17 million people (civilian & military) were killed in the 1st World War & over 60 million in the 2nd World War.

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