

BRADSHAW CC

DOWN YOUR WAY

Bradshaw is located about 4 miles outside of Halifax and is also close to Queensbury. It is located approximately 1,000 feet above sea level, which makes it one of the highest villages in Calderdale.



In c.1877 one writer talked of the ***'...rugged boldness of the hills at the foot of which the village nestles, the scattered homesteads, with here and there a pleasant nook.'***



Bradshaw Church is dedicated to St. John and was built in 1838 by Miss Wadsworth.



‘Horton Place’ was originally opened as a beer house. It was shut after, ‘...*the manner in which it was conducted did not find favour... and led to the magistrates to take away the licence.*’



Bradshaw Primary School is at the centre of the village near the church and the memorial. The school was mentioned in a book written c.1877: ***‘Turning to the right, the new board school built by the Ovenden School Board is reached, resting at the foot of the hill. It is a handsome building...’***

