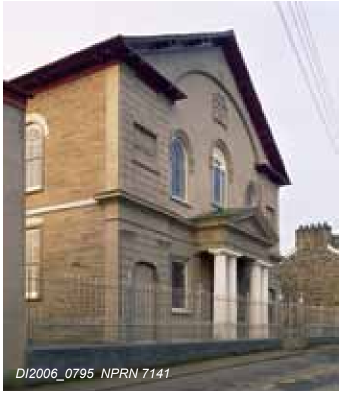
# Ceredigion: Capeli a Chyfoeth o Arddulliau

# Ceredigion: Chapels a Wealth of Styles



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Chwith: Enghraifft wych o gapel clasurol ei wedd yw capel Bethania, Aberteifi. Fe'i cynlluniwyd gan y pensaer Daniel Evans ym 1846-7.

Bethania Chapel, Cardigan is a fine example of a Classical chapel, built by architect Daniel Evans in 1846-7.

Mae gan Geredigion groestoriad da o gapeli - o gynllun cynnar capel gwledig Soar-y-mynydd a'i waliau hir i ffasâd crand capel Bethel, Aberystwyth. Yn yr ardaloedd trefol, esgorodd ffyniant ac amrywiaeth o enwadau ar gyfoeth o arddulliau pensaernïol. Mewn mannau eraill ceid clystyrau enwadol - aeth Rhydowen, y capel Undodaidd cyntaf i'w godi yng Nghymru, ymlaen i fod yn ganolfan i'r Smotyn Du, y clwstwr nodedig o gapeli Undodaidd ar hyd Dyffryn Teifi.

Ceredigion has a good cross section of chapels from the early long-wall plan of rural Soar-y-Mynydd to the grand showcase facade of Bethel, Aberystwyth. In urban areas prosperity and denominational diversity led to a wealth of architectural styles. Elsewhere were denominational clusters – Rhydowen, built as the first Unitarian chapel in Wales, went on to form the centre of Y Smotyn Du (The Black Spot), a notable cluster of Unitarian chapels along the Teifi Valley.

De: Soar-y-mynydd ger Llanddewibrefi, a godwyd ym 1828.

Right: Soar-y-Mynydd near Llanddewi Brefi, built in 1828.

Isod, de: Bethel, Capel y Bedyddwyr Cymraeg, Aberystwyth, a godwyd ym 1889.

Below Right: Bethel Welsh Baptist Church, Aberystwyth, built 1889.

Isod: Capel Llwynrhydowen, Dyffryn Teifi, a godwyd ym 1834.

Below: Llwynrhydowen chapel, Teifi Valley, built 1834.

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