

**Name of memorial:** R.A.F. Memorial.

**Inventory No. 1394**

**Place:** St. Mary's church, Blessington.

**Address and map reference:** St. Mary's church, Main Street, Blessington, Co. Wicklow.

Map reference: N 982 143 (Sheet 56).

Co-ordinates: N 53.1709°; W 6.5323°.

**Access:** at times of services. **Parking:** adjacent. **Disabled access:** yes.

**Position:** on the wall of the north transept.

**Description and dimensions:** grey granite plaque in wooden frame.  
Height: 72cms. Width: 56cms.

**Recorded by:** Rory O'Farrell 5 June 2022.

**Text:**

(R.A.F. wings)

**THIS PLAQUE WAS ERECTED  
TO COMMEMORATE  
PILOT OFFICER J. K. HILL  
SGT. F. H. ERDWIN  
SGT. J. T. LAMB  
SGT. S. WRIGHT  
WHO DIED IN THE CRASH  
OF A HAMPDEN BOMBER AT  
BLACK HILL, LACKEN ON  
17<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 1941.**

**“THE SOULS OF THE RIGHTEOUS  
ARE IN THE HANDS OF GOD.”**