

LONDON WESTMINSTER & MIDDLESEX FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY

ST BARTHOLOMEW THE GREAT

St Bartholomew the Great, West Smithfield

St Bartholomew the Great was an ancient parish in the City of London and formed part of Farringdon Without Ward. Each ward has an elected alderman and supporting councilmen in the City of London Corporation which has administered the City since before the Norman Conquest and is still doing so today.

This is London's oldest surviving church, being part of the Augustinian priory founded in 1123. Since then, it has had various parts rebuilt, demolished or restored. The parish was united with St Botolph Aldersgate in 1954. Records of St Bartholomew the Great including registers of baptisms (1616-1926), marriages (1616-1934) and burials (1616-1853) are at London Metropolitan Archives, Ref: P69/BAT3.



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