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ST CLEMENT, EASTCHEAP

St Clement, Eastcheap, Clements Lane

St Clement, Eastcheap, was an ancient parish in the City of London and formed part of Candlewick 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 church is first mentioned in documents in the 11th century. It was burnt down in the Great Fire of 1666 but rebuilt by Christopher Wren in 1686. The parish of St Martin Orgar, whose church had burnt, united with St Clement in 1670. St Clement was damaged by enemy bombs in the Second World War but restored. Records of St Clement Eastcheap, including registers of baptisms (1539-1940), marriages (1539-1839) and burials (1539-1853) are at London Metropolitan Archives, Ref: P69/CLE.



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