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ST STEPHEN, WALBROOK

St Stephen, Walbrook

St Stephen, Walbrook, was an ancient parish in the City of London and formed part of Walbrook 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.

The church of St Stephen was founded before 1096 on the west bank of the Walbrook and rebuilt on the east side in 1429. This church burnt down in the Great Fire of 1666 but was rebuilt by Christopher Wren in the 1670s. At this time it was united to the parish of St Benet Sherehog, which had also lost its church in the flames. St Stephen suffered damage from bombing in the Second World War. Records of St Stephen Walbrook, including registers of baptisms (1557-1946), marriages (1557-1940) and burials (1557-1849) are at London Metropolitan Archives, Ref: P69/STE2.



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