

LONDON WESTMINSTER & MIDDLESEX FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY

ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST

St John the Evangelist, Friday Street

St John the Evangelist, Friday Street, was an ancient parish in the City of London and formed part of Bread 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.

Originally dedicated to St Werburga, a princess of Mercia, this is the smallest parish of the City, measuring less than an acre. The church was destroyed in the Great Fire and so the parish joined that of All Hallows Bread Street in 1670.

Records of St John the Evangelist, Friday Street, including registers of baptisms (1653-1812), marriages (1653-1723) and burials (1653-1822) are at The London Archives, Ref: P69/JNE.

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