

Former places of worship in the Diocese of Southwark

BRIXTON HILL, ST SAVIOUR (1)

Ref: BRI01

Status	still used for worship (not Anglican)
Borough	Lambeth
Present parish	BRIXTON, ST PAUL W ST SAVIOUR
Built	1875
Build architect	E C Robins

Further information

"... a large church of Kentish rag, in French thirteenth-century style. A tower is at the west end of the north aisle, pinnacled, with an octagonal, slate-covered cap. The nave is of six bays, with low, rather wide aisles, and a clerestory of plate traceried windows. The chancel is rather short. Glass in the east window by Heaton, Butler and Bayne, 1875: in the nave and aisles, Powell." (from 'Parish Churches of London', Basil F L Clarke, Batsford, 1966)

There was a large marble font, which was destroyed by order of the Bishop of Southwark. Other fittings included a pulpit, an organ by Brindley & Foster and a single chimed bell of 1897 given for Victoria's jubilee. It is unknown whether these remain in the church. There is a site plan on file but no other documents apart from the CCC report and Bishop's directive.

Last baptismal registers at the LMA are from 1951 but it remained in use until 28 November 1976. Declared redundant in 1977 and leased to the New Testament Church of God, who extended it in 2000. Anglican worship in the parish continued in the [Methodist church](#) (BRI02) until 2005 when it was merged with St Paul's parish.

There was a church hall (location unknown) which was demolished around 1968.

Address	St Saviour's Road
Postcode (if located)	SW2 5HR
Grid reference	TQ 305 746
Grade	2
Listed Building ref. (if applicable)	204621
Listing found? (if applicable)	YES
CPW / CCC report on file?	YES, dated 1973
Record office & reference	LMA/P85/SAV1 (up to 1951); later registers with the present parish of St Paul
Diocesan property reference no.	0733



NOTES

Record office:
LMA=London Metropolitan Archives
www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/lma/

CPW/CCC refers to the reports prepared on churches proposed for demolition

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