

Former places of worship in the Diocese of Southwark

BRIXTON, ST PAUL

Ref: BRI07

Status	still used for worship (not Anglican)
Borough	Lambeth
Present parish	BRIXTON, ST PAUL W ST SAVIOUR
Built	1881
Build architect	W G Habershon & E Fawckner

Further information *"An eloquent Irishman, the Rev G Blake Concannon, began to minister in an iron church, and then transferred to a larger one: he then decided to build a permanent church. St Paul's was erected, at a cost of £16,000, to provide a greater number of sittings than any other church in the neighbourhood ... The builder was James of Gloucester. "* (from 'Parish Churches of London', Basil F L Clarke, Batsford, 1966).

"Decorated Gothic style, faced with yellow brick, banded by courses of red. Clerestoried nave and aisle with separate gabled roofs, the one covering the nave being of hammer-beam construction. Consecrated by the Bishop of Rochester on 29 July 1881 and seated 1500 people. A planned tower at the west end was never built. Galleries in the aisles were removed during World War 2. " (introduction to the 1959 Quinquennial Inspection report).

The North aisle was at some time converted to a hall, reducing the seating capacity. There is a single 18 inch bell.

It was declared redundant in 1980, and exchanged for the smaller Seventh Day Adventist church on Ferndale Road (built 1958). Still used by Adventists at 2006.

Address	Santley Street
Postcode (if located)	SW4 7QG
Grid reference	TQ 305 753
Grade	not known whether listed
Listed Building ref. (if applicable)	N/A
Listing found? (if applicable)	NO
CPW / CCC report on file?	YES, dated 1972
Record office & reference	LMA/P85/PAU (registers 1868-1970)
Diocesan property reference no.	not applicable



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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