

Former places of worship in the Diocese of Southwark

CROYDON, ST MATTHEW

Ref: CRO07

Status	demolished
Borough	Croydon
Present parish	CROYDON
Built	1866
Build architect	unknown

Further information The foundation stone of St Matthew's was laid on 21 June 1865. No description has been found, but the old postcard shown below given an idea. Another picture, a list of incumbents and some more history are on a Diocesan file.

The church was demolished in 1970 (the date and reasons for closure are unknown). The site was sold for redevelopment including lease of part of the site for a Diocesan Area Office. A replacement [parish church](#)/community centre was built 1972 on a different site in Chichester Road and remains in use. The new church contains a bell cast in 1930 that may well have come from the old St Matthew's.

Address	College Road
Postcode (if located)	CR0 1PF
Grid reference	TQ 327 656

Grade	not known whether listed
Listed Building ref. (if applicable)	N/A
Listing found? (if applicable)	NO
CPW / CCC report on file?	NO

Record office & reference	not known
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

Click on grid reference to view a location map (accurate to within 100 metres)

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