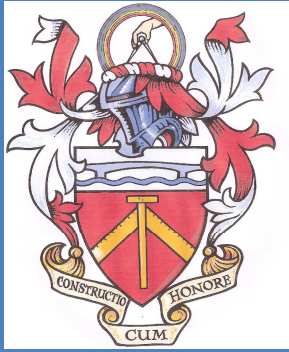


*The Worshipful Company
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*Tour of The Crypt
at St Paul's Cathedral*

10th March 2010, 6.00pm

(£38 for tour & light supper)



*All bookings and questions to the
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St Paul's Cathedral – Tour of the Crypt

In St Paul's Cathedral's 300th anniversary year, the Master cordially invites you to join her on a guided tour of the Crypt on Wednesday 10th March 2010 followed by a light supper afterwards; members' partners and guests are most welcome. Please follow the instruction overleaf to book in, but do hurry as a limited number of places is available. Bookings need to be received by 28th February.

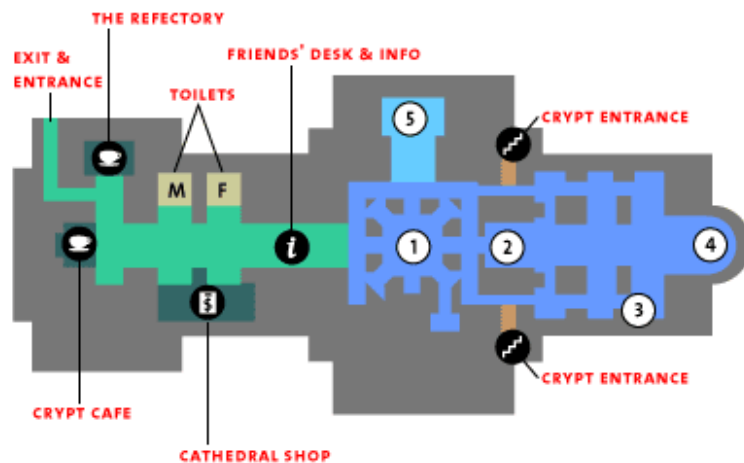
A Cathedral dedicated to St Paul has stood on this site since 604AD. The current Cathedral (the fourth to occupy this site) was designed by the court architect Sir Christopher Wren and built between 1675 and 1710 after its predecessor was destroyed in the Great Fire of London.

You probably already knew that, but did you also know that the crypt is the largest in Western Europe? Unusually for a cathedral, it is also the exact footprint of the cathedral floor above. The crypt is also the cathedral's foremost burial place, and the place where those who have made an outstanding contribution to the life of the nation and of the world now rest. Sir Christopher Wren himself was fittingly the first person to be buried here, in 1723. The inscription on his burial slab states, "Reader, if you seek his memorial, look all around you."

The crypt contains over 200 memorials as well as another chapel and the treasury. There are also effigies and fragments of stone that pre-date the Cathedral, relics of a medieval world...

Please meet at the Crypt Entrance at 6 o'clock for a 6.15pm start. The tour will last approximately one hour. Afterwards we shall retire to a nearby watering hole where a drink and a light supper have been laid on for us all.

For those that are interested and available beforehand, there is an Evensong service at 5.00pm (finishing at 6.00pm). This should be very pleasant (no cost) optional extra for those interested.



- 1 NELSON'S TOMB
- 2 WELLINGTON'S TOMB
- 3 CHRISTOPHER WREN'S TOMB
- 4 OBE CHAPEL
- 5 THE TREASURY

GUIDED TOUR OF THE CRYPT AT ST PAUL'S CATHEDRAL *PLUS* SUPPER

Members wishing to come to this event should complete and return this booking form with payment as soon as possible **by post**. Alternatively you can in the first instance **telephone** Andrew Hornby on 07703 161118 or **email** andrew.hornby@arcadis-uk.com to reserve your place. In any case, payment must be received by Sunday 28th February 2010.

Places are limited to 50 and will be reserved on a first come first served basis, with priority given to those applications accompanied by a cheque

Name of Constructor

Email address.....

Mobile Telephone Number.....

Name of Guest.....

Name of Guest.....

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Any special needs/dietary requirements.....

I enclose my cheque (to The Worshipful Company of Constructors) for £.....

Signed..... Date.....

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