Venue Hire
Conferences and Special Events
Set a short walk from the recently upgraded London Bridge Station and piazza, most of our rooms and spaces offer unrestricted views of the Thames and The City. A perfect setting; quiet spaces for concentrated reflection and strategic planning.

Summer drinks in the Churchyard

Wish you were here
Our prestigious location is exceptionally suited to staging business and private events, meetings, business gatherings and work conferences. Ample space, equipped with all the comforts and functionality required to welcome and spoil your delegates.

Southwark Cathedral and its catering partner LEAFI look forward to offering you the best in corporate and event hospitality together with the personal attention to detail that is so appreciated by our clients.
Garry Weston Library

Versatile space with plenty of natural light

The Library, with dramatic arches inspired by the Gothic architecture in the Cathedral, enjoys magnificent views of the Thames.

Capacities

- 80
- 56
- 36
- 28
- 120
John Trevor Williams Room

Flexible space overlooking the Courtyard

Set on the first floor this room offers a degree of privacy and a superb river view.

Capacities

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Queen Elizabeth Room

Fully accessible meeting room with a light and airy feel

Set on the ground floor adjacent to the Millennium Courtyard, this space is fully accessible. With plenty of natural light it is suitable for workshops and away days.

Capacities

- 30
- 20
- 24
- 20
- 60
Susanna Barford Room

Ideal for training and team building events

This room has key pad access to a large versatile space, with dedicated cloakrooms.

Capacities

- 40
- 30
- 18
- 15
- 60
Desmond Tutu Room
Ideal for meetings, interviews and as a breakout space

Capacities

12
12
Edward Charles Boorman Room

Private room ideal for smaller groups

This room is available to book on its own or as a breakout space together with the Garry Weston Library or John Trevor Williams Room.

Capacities

6 8
Special Events

Nave

Beautiful space with outstanding examples of high Gothic arches and ecclesiastical architecture

This space is available upon special request through Southwark Cathedral Enterprises.

Capacities

Standing reception 800
Private dining 150

Dimensions

18.5 x 31.8m (556.12m²)
with 12 pillars (2.43m²)
Retrochoir

Dating from the 12th century the retrochoir is one of the oldest and most atmospheric parts of the Cathedral with fine barrel-vaulted ceiling. Price upon application.

Capacities

Standing reception 250,
Private dining 50
Millennium Courtyard
Historic and memorable setting for your events

The Millennium Courtyard is available for parties and receptions with a marquee available for hire.

Capacities
Standing reception 400
Seated 80

Dimensions
15 x 23m (345m²)

Wet weather option
Southwark Cathedral Café
Churchyard

Outside space for summer parties and drinks receptions on a truly grand scale

Celebrate amidst lawns, mature trees and herbaceous borders with beautiful York stone and a traditional clapboard miniature pavilion offering delightful additions. The aspect is outstanding with unbroken views of the Shard, the hustle and bustle of neighbouring Borough Market and the gothic buttresses of the Cathedral.

Capacities

Standing reception 700

Dimensions

50 x 18m (900m²)

Wet weather options

Nave or Retrochoir
Conference Rooms

**Garry Weston Library**
PA, Bluetooth connection, audio line-out, hearing loop, AV - TV, Wi-Fi
Capacities
- Standing reception: 80
- Private dining: 56
- Standing reception: 28
- Private dining: 36

**Queen Elizabeth Room**
AV, Wi-Fi, flipcharts
Capacities
- Standing reception: 30
- Private dining: 26
- Standing reception: 20
- Private dining: 60

**Desmond Tutu Room**
AV, Wi-Fi, flipcharts
Capacities
- Standing reception: 12
- Private dining: 12

**John Trevor Williams Room**
PA, Hearing loop, AV - TV, Wi-Fi
Capacities
- Standing reception: 40
- Private dining: 30
- Standing reception: 15
- Private dining: 60

**Susanna Barford Room**
AV, Wi-Fi, flipcharts, keypad entry, dedicated cloakrooms
Capacities
- Standing reception: 30
- Private dining: 26
- Standing reception: 20
- Private dining: 60

**Edward Charles Boorman Room**
AV, Wi-Fi, flipcharts
Capacities
- Standing reception: 6
- Private dining: 8

**Edward Charles Boorman Room**
AV, Wi-Fi, flipcharts
Capacities
- Standing reception: 30
- Private dining: 26
- Standing reception: 20
- Private dining: 60

**Queen Elizabeth Room**
AV, Wi-Fi, flipcharts
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- Private dining: 60

**Churchyard**
Exclusive garden and terrace, jazz band
Capacity
- Standing reception: 700

**Special Events**

**Nave**
PA, AV - back projection, Wi-Fi, lighting scheme
Capacities
- Standing reception: 800
- Private dining: 150

**Millennium Courtyard**
Barbecue, cocktail bar, marquee hire
Capacities
- 80 seated
- 400 standing

**Retrochoir**
PA, lighting scheme
Capacities
- Standing reception: 250
- Private dining: 50

**Churchyard**
Exclusive garden and terrace, jazz band
Capacity
- Standing reception: 700
How to find us