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Annual Conference 2024

14th-15th September

***Transforming Church Archaeology: New Directions
and Approaches.***

Hosted by the Folk of Gloucester

The Society for Church Archaeology is pleased to announce its annual conference for 2024 on the theme of 'Transforming Church Archaeology'. For centuries, churches and other religious buildings have been at the heart of their respective communities. However, declining congregations and other societal changes means institutions such as the Anglican Church are undergoing a period of transformation that directly impacts the buildings they curate. Whilst some churches face closure and an uncertain future, others are adapted to meet the needs of the wider community or for alternative purposes. Within this context, archaeology has an essential role to play, on the one hand guiding adaptations to historic buildings and on the other providing new avenues for presenting and interpreting church heritage to a variety of audiences. Through an exploration of the multifaceted nature of church archaeology in the 21st century, this conference aims to demonstrate how it continues to play a role in a changing religious landscape.

Papers will be presented on 14th September at the Folk of Gloucester, situated in a 16th-century building in the heart of Gloucester. This will be followed by an optional conference dinner. On 15th September, there will be a walking tour of Gloucester churches with a local guide.

For enquiries about the conference and bookings: churcharchconference@gmail.com

Conference programme and booking form: www.churcharchaeology.org/current-conference

Conference Fees: £20 members, £45 non-members

Walking Tour: £7.50

To make a booking:

1. Our preferred booking method is through Eventbrite. We can accept online payments through our Eventbrite page or visit <https://www.churcharchaeology.org/currentconference>
2. However, if you are unable to book via Eventbrite AND you are paying by cheque, you may use the printed booking form below. We are unable to accept online payments via the printed booking form. Please use our Eventbrite booking form for online payments.
3. Eventbrite online payments (not inc. cheques) will close by **Friday 6 September 2024**.
4. All cheque payments (Eventbrite and printed booking) need to be received by **Friday 14 August 2024**. You can notify churcharchconference@gmail.com to expect a printed booking if you wish, but we cannot confirm your place(s) until we have received the form and cheque.
5. Booking will close earlier if all places have been allocated prior to the aforementioned dates. 6. Bookings are registered on a first-come, first-served basis.

****PLEASE ONLY COMPLETE THIS BOOKING FORM IF YOU CANNOT USE EVENTBRITE AND YOU ARE PAYING BY CHEQUE** Your booking will only be registered once the form has been received by the SCA Treasurer. You will be notified via email with booking confirmation (please include an email in the box below)**

Event	Price	Quantity
Annual Conference + AGM (members)	£20	
Annual Conference (non-members)	£45	
Conference Dinner (limited numbers). Pay at venue.	N/A	
Walking Tour of Gloucester	£7.50	
TOTAL TO PAY		

Name(s) of Attendees:
Contact email address (so we can confirm your booking):

*If you have not already joined, would you like to be added to the Society's email list?** **YES/NO** (delete as applicable)

Please make cheques payable to: The Society for Church Archaeology Please print and post your completed booking form with (a) your cheque (b) the name(s) of attendees being paid for (c) a return postal address to: Treasurer SCA, Pandy Treban, Bryngwran, Holyhead, Anglesey, LL65 3YW Please be aware that your booking will not be confirmed until the cheque has been received (and then a follow-up email is sent by us confirming receipt once it arrives).

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