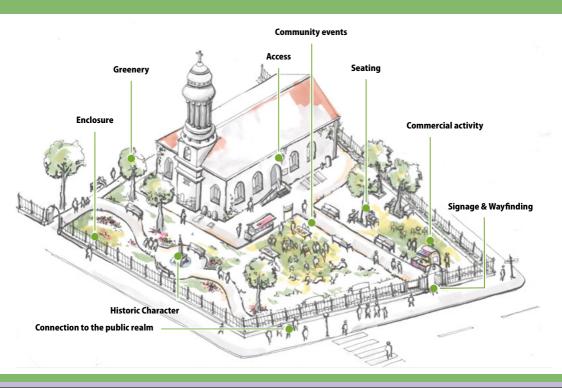
# Churchyards Enhancement Programme







# **Public Consultation**

## The City's Churchyards

Nowhere else in Britain is there so concentrated a group of former burial grounds within a tightly proscribed urban area. As a group of heritage assets, the City's churches and churchyards are a unique group of interlinked buildings and spaces. They vary in size, arrangement and atmosphere; individually and collectively they make a valuable contribution to City amenity, well-being and sense of place. They form the setting in which to appreciate numerous churches and monuments and provide green, tranquil havens amidst high volumes of commercial activity.

#### **Churchyards Enhancement Programme**

The City of London Corporation is working in partnership with the Diocese of London and St Paul's Cathedral to develop a programme of enhancement projects for the City's Churchyards which aims to:

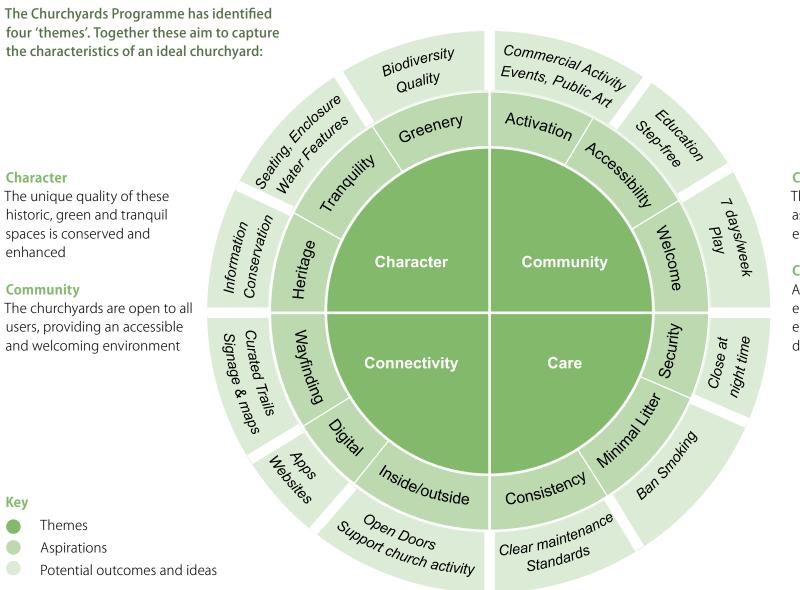
- Provide high quality, inspiring and sustainable spaces
- Ensure safe and inclusive places for all the City's communities
- Respond to the projected increase in worker, visitor and resident numbers in the City by providing enhanced areas to sit, eat lunch, play or relax, including accommodating 'agile working'
- Prioritise the enhancement of those churchyards in most need



St Olave Hart Street

#### **Funding and Consents**

The City proposes to use some of its Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) neighbourhood pot to deliver the churchyard enhancements as well as securing additional funds from other sources and bids. CIL is a statutory charge applied to new development to help fund the infrastructure needed to support planned development in an area. Infrastructure to be funded by the City CIL in accordance with the 2014 Regulation 123 List includes: Publicly accessible open space, sports and recreation facilities and public realm enhancement. Any alterations, including change of use, would be subject to the relevant consents including planning permission and the church faculty procedure.



# Connectivity

The churchyards are communicated as a public asset for people to enjoy, navigate and access easily

### Care

A high standard of maintenance ensures the churchyards remain enjoyable spaces and do not deteriorate over time

# Churchyards in the City of London



- 1. All Hallows by the Tower
- 2. All Hallows London Wall
- 3. All Hallows Staining
- 4. Austin Friars (Dutch Church)
- 5. Christchurch Greyfriars
- 6. Fen Court
- 7. St Alphage London Wall
- 8. St Andrew by the Wardrobe
- 9. St Andrew Holborn
- 10. St Andrew Undershaft
- 11. St Anne Blackfriars (Ireland Yard)
- 12. St Anne Blackfriars (Church entry)
- 13. St Anne & St Agnes

- 14. St Augustine Papey
- 15. St Bartholomew the Great
- 16. St Bartholomew the Less
- **17.** St Benet Fink
- 18. St Benet Paul's Wharf
- **19.** St Botolph Aldersgate (Postman's Park)
- **20.** St Botolph Aldgate (Without)
- 21. St Botolph Billingsgate
- **22.** St Botolph without Bishopsgate
- 23. St Bride Fleet Street
- 24. St Clement Eastcheap
- 25. St Dunstan in the East
  - 26. St Dunstan in the West (front of church)

- 27. St Dunstan in the West
- (burial ground)
- 28. St Edmund the King
- 29. St Ethelburga's
- 30. St Giles Cripplegate
- 31. St Helens Bishopsgate
- 32. St James Garlickhythe
- 33. St John Zachary
- 34. St Katharine Cree
- 35. St Laurence Poutney
- 36. St Lawrence Jewry
- 37. St Magnus the Martyr
- 38. St Margaret Lothbury

- 39. St Margaret Pattens 40. St Martin Ludgate (Within) 41. St Martin Organ 42. St Mary Abchurch **43.** St Mary Aldermanbury **44.** St Mary Aldermary 45. St Mary at Hill 46. St Mary le Bow 47. St Mary Somerset 48. St Mary Staining 49. St Mary Woolnoth 50. St Michael Cornhill 51. St Michael Paternoster Royal
- 52. St Nicholas Cole Abbey 53. St Olave Jewry 54. St Olave Hart Street 55. St Olave Silver Street 56. St Pancras Soper Lane (Pancras Lane Gardens) 57. St Paul's Cathedral precinct 58. St Peters-upon-Cornhill **59.** St Peter Westcheap 60. St Sepulchre Holborn 61. St Stephen Walbrook 62. St Swithin's London Stone (Salters Hall Court) 63. St Vedast Foster Lane 64. Temple Church



The churchyards below have been identified as those with the greatest potential for enhancement.



All Hallows London Wall



All Hallows Staining



**Christchurch Greyfriars** 



St Andrew by the Wardrobe



St Andrew Undershaft



St Anne Blackfriars (Ireland Yard)



St Anne Blackfriars (Church entry)



St Anne & St Agnes



St Bartholomew the Great



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St Bride Fleet Street



St Clement Eastcheap



St Giles Cripplegate



St Helen Bishopsgate



St Katharine Cree



St Mary Abchurch



St Mary Aldermary



St Mary at Hill



St Mary Somerset



St Mary Staining



St Nicholas Cole Abbey



St Olave Silver Street



St Paul's Cathedral



St Peters-upon-Cornhill



St Peter Westcheap



St Sepulchre Holborn

#### We want to hear from you

In order to develop projects that address the issues and meet the needs of the community, we want to hear your views:

- What do you most value about the City Churchyards?
- What would you most like to change about the City Churchyards?
- How can we better connect the City Churchyards? (e.g wayfinding, connecting the church interior to the churchyard exterior, exploring digital solutions)
- How can we increase the amenity value of the City Churchyards?
  (e.g the facilities available, potential new uses, enhancing historic character)

Please submit your comments by emailing us at: churchyards@cityoflondon.gov.uk

For further information about the programme, please visit **www.cityoflondon.gov.uk/churchyards** An online survey will be available on this page.

# What happens next?

Your comments and suggestions will help us to develop proposals and a delivery plan for the churchyards. Projects will be initiated as funding becomes available and prioritised according to evidence of need and benefits for the City community.