

## Tour of St Bartholomew's Hospital

Wednesday January 25<sup>th</sup> at 11 am



Discover more about this much-loved London hospital, whose history dates back nearly 900 years! It was founded by King Henry I's courtier Rahere in 1123, who is buried in the nearby St Bartholomew the Great Church.

Nothing remains of Rahere's buildings but there's still much to impress. On this tour you'll visit the medieval St Bartholomew the Less church, admire the 18th buildings by James Gibbs and the new Maggie's Centre, and walk up the elegant stairs to the Great Hall, which were decorated by one of Britain's greatest painters, William Hogarth. And there's even a strong Sherlock Holmes connection...

The cost of the visit is £15 (£20 for non-members) per person

We will meet outside the Henry VIII Gatehouse (pictured above) St Bartholomew's Hospital, West Smithfield, EC1A 7BE.

The nearest station is St Paul's on the Central Line. Map with directions to St Bartholomew's Hospital from St Paul's station: <https://www.streetmap.co.uk/map?x=531900&y=181580&z=0&sv=EC1A+7BE&st=2&pc=EC1A+7BE&mapp=map&searchp=ids>

For further information please contact our Visits Organiser, Tamara Rabin, at [visitstashh@gmail.com](mailto:visitstashh@gmail.com) or on 07791 211 524

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The cost for this guided tour is **£ 15 per person (£20 for non-members )** (non-refundable). If you can, please pay by making a bank transfer to the TASHH bank account, Sort Code: **20-36-16**, Account number: **40475416**, giving as reference St Bart's, and telling either Tamara or our treasurer Celia on [treasurerTASHH@gmail.com](mailto:treasurerTASHH@gmail.com) that you have done so. If you wish to pay by cheque, please complete this tear-off slip and send it, together with your cheque payable to TASHH, to Celia Newgas at 32 Merton Lane, London N6 6NB

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