

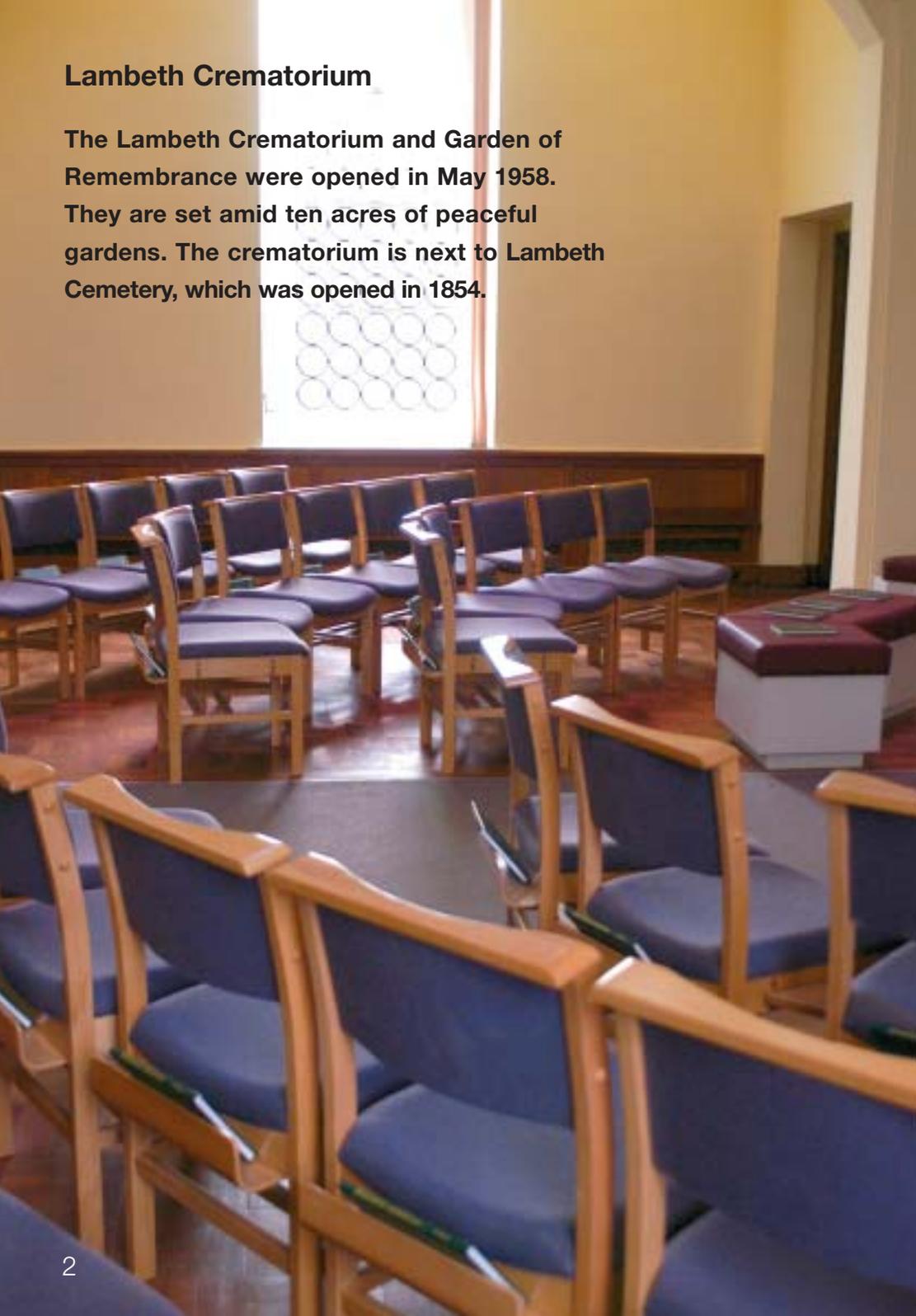
A guide to Lambeth Crematorium and its services



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The Lambeth Crematorium and Garden of Remembrance were opened in May 1958. They are set amid ten acres of peaceful gardens. The crematorium is next to Lambeth Cemetery, which was opened in 1854.



The chapel

The gentle curving design of the modern chapel takes into consideration the communal and private needs of those who are grieving. The building is full of natural light and the main foyer is welcoming and informal.

The use of natural materials and colours, coupled with soothing lighting, creates a relaxing and peaceful atmosphere which lends itself to services of any religious denomination or size.



Book of Remembrance

The Book of Remembrance is a simple and lasting record. The Book is traditionally bound and contains a page for each day of the year. The pages are turned daily, so that you can come and see your loved one's entry on that date each year.

Each volume of the Book is displayed in a presentation cabinet in the Book of Remembrance room, which is immediately adjacent to the crematorium building.

Please contact our staff for information on how to obtain copies of entries in the Book of Remembrance.





Garden of Remembrance

Ten acres of garden surround the main chapel building and radiate with colour and harmony all year round. The gardens have well-kept lawns and visitors are welcome to come and enjoy the serenity and beauty of the mature shrubs and borders.

The Garden of Remembrance is a special area set aside for cremated remains. You can arrange with our staff to scatter your loved one's remains in the garden. You can also arrange for the purchase and planting of memorial rose bushes and you are welcome to place floral tributes on the paved platforms on either side of the Book of Remembrance room.

A section of the garden is wooded and a small glade area has been cleared. In the spring, the glade is carpeted with crocuses and daffodils.

Services provided by Lambeth Crematorium

Religious and non-religious services

- All Christian denominations, including the Roman Catholic Church, allow cremation. Cremation is also acceptable to Sikhs, Hindus, Parsees and Buddhists but is forbidden by Orthodox Jews and Moslems.
- A full religious service can be conducted at the crematorium. You may also wish to hold a service in a separate place of worship followed by a brief committal ceremony at the crematorium.
- You may wish to hold a non-religious service that follows your cultural traditions. Secular services can be conducted at the crematorium. No ceremony need take place.

Music

Music is provided free of charge. Our staff will be happy to discuss your choice of music with you and the chapel is fitted with a public address system.

Memorials

The Book of Remembrance is the most popular form of memorial. Lambeth Crematorium can also provide the following:

- The purchase and planting of rose bushes and ornamental trees for the Garden of Remembrance (the fee for this service includes a memorial plaque and maintenance)
- Cremation plots
- Memorial cards
- A miniature Book of Remembrance.

Our staff will be pleased to provide you with more details.



Cremated remains

Cremated remains may be:

- scattered in the Garden of Remembrance or, with our permission, in another location in the grounds
- buried in a churchyard or cemetery
- taken away to be dispersed in a place chosen by you.

Lambeth Crematorium will provide a suitable container to those people who wish to take remains with them.

Opening times

Crematorium and Garden of Remembrance

November - March

Monday to Friday8am – 4pm

Saturday, Sunday and Bank Holidays.....10am – 4pm

April - October

Monday to Friday8am – 6pm

Saturday, Sunday and Bank Holidays.....10am – 6pm

Christmas Day.....10am – 2.30pm

Our offices

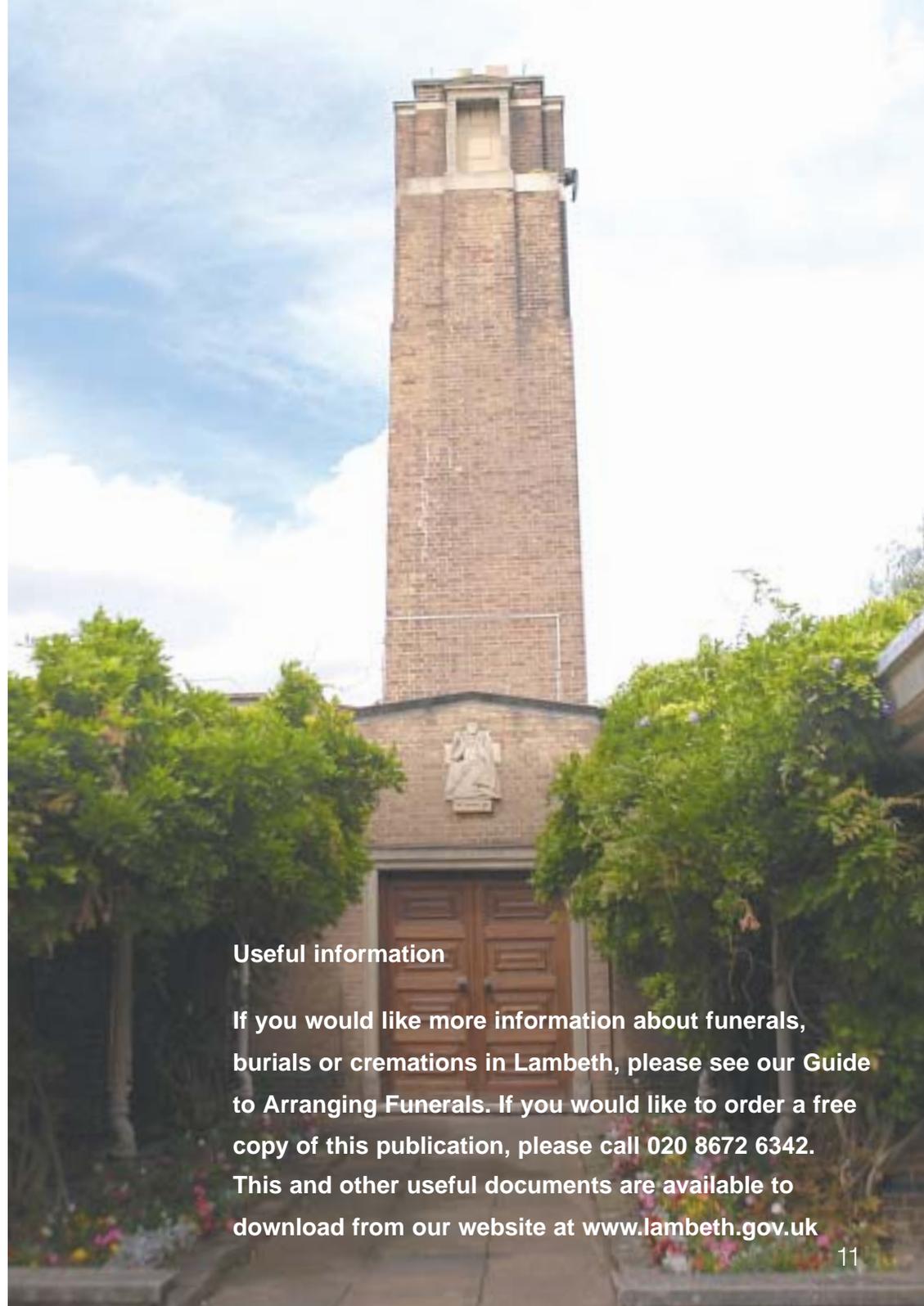
All year round

Monday to Thursday8.45am – 4.45pm

Friday8am – 4pm

Saturday, Sunday and Bank HolidaysClosed

If you wish to visit the Chapel, please arrange a time with our staff.



Useful information

If you would like more information about funerals, burials or cremations in Lambeth, please see our [Guide to Arranging Funerals](#). If you would like to order a free copy of this publication, please call 020 8672 6342.

This and other useful documents are available to download from our website at www.lambeth.gov.uk

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rogamos nos llame al **020 8672 6342**

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Se desejar esta informação noutro idioma
é favor telefonar para **020 8672 6342**

French

Si vous souhaitez ces informations dans une
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Bengali

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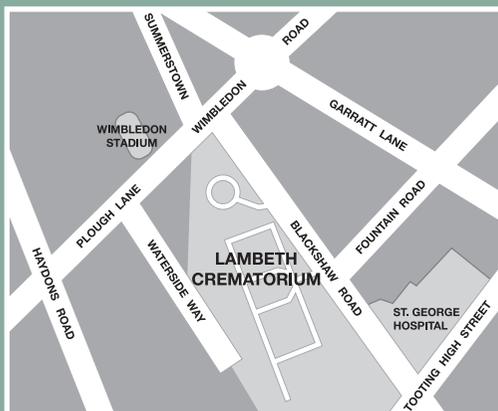
How to get to the crematorium

The crematorium is ten minutes walk
from Haydons Road train station.

The closest tube is Tooting Broadway.

Buses 57 and 280 stop outside.

Limited car parking is available at
the crematorium.



For more information about the services provided by
Lambeth Crematorium, please contact:

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