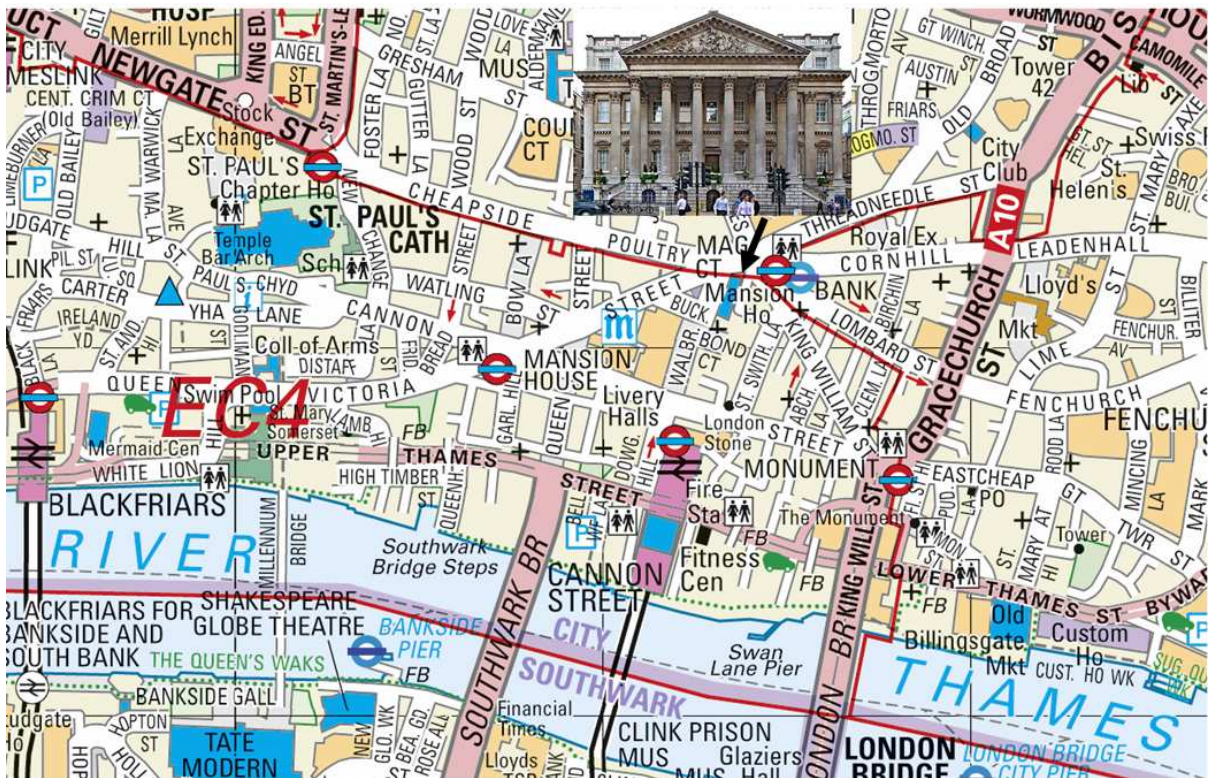




City of London

Mansions House



The Mansion House is located opposite the Bank of England at Bank Junction. As well as being the home and office of the Lord Mayor of the City of London, this unique building provides a spectacular setting for business meetings, civic and livery activity, and conferences.

Charitable and business related organisations also use Mansion House for fundraising events, receptions and dinners. A number of high profile events are held each year which provide a platform for cabinet ministers, visiting Heads of Government, and other prominent public figures. Some 50,000 people visit the Mansion House every year.

Built in the age of Hogarth, the Mansion House is a rare surviving Georgian town palace in central London. It was originally built to enable the Lord Mayor to represent the City in appropriate style; it also acts as a symbol of the City of London as the world's leading international financial and trading centre.

Although the Mansion House has undergone several redevelopments since it was built in 1758, it retains much of its original character.

Public tours with a City of London Guide

- When: every Tuesday at 2pm
- How long: one hour
- Meeting point: the A-board near the porch entrance to Mansion House – this is in Walbrook (exit 8 from Bank tube station)
- Cost: £7 adults; £5 concessions (please pay the guide in cash)

Booking

Tours cannot be booked in advance. Please arrive at the meeting point described above by 1.45pm for a 2pm start. The maximum number for the tour is 40, so please allow enough time. Visitors will be admitted on a first-come, first-served basis.

Please note that no tours take place in August when the Mansion House is closed for refurbishment; on public holidays which may fall on a Tuesday, such as Christmas Day and New Year's Day or when the Mansion House is used for other events

