

The SPAB JOHN BETJEMAN AWARD

This award celebrates excellence in the repair of places of worship of all denominations in England and Wales. It is given for repairs to a specific element of a building that have been completed within the previous 18 months. Work of any scale is eligible, but must be to the fabric of the building or to a significant element of its furnishing or fittings.

PAST WINNERS

2017

Winner

St Pancras 'new' Church, Euston Road, London

The Portico Project: roof, stone and terracotta repairs

2016

Winner

St Michael & All Angels, Bishop's Cleeve, Gloucs.

Repair of medieval oak staircase

Commended

All Saints, Wigan, Greater Manchester

Conservation and redisplay of C15 Lubeck altar piece

2015

Winner

St Martin of Tours, Bilborough, Nottingham

Conservation and recovery of wall paintings

Commended

St Mary, Nantwich, Cheshire

Repair and conservation of choir stalls

2014

Winner

St George's church, Hinton St George, Somerset

Conservation of monument to John Ist Baron Poulet in the Poulett Memorial Chapel.

Commended

Lanercost Priory, Cumbria

Conservation of William Morris dossal

Tewkesbury Abbey, Gloucs

Conservation of south side stonework

2013

No Award made.

2012

Winner

All Saints, Necton, Norfolk

Repair of cupola

2011

No Award made.

2010 Winner	St Mary the Virgin, Beeston-next-Mileham, Norfolk Repairs to nave roof
2009 Winner	Jordans Meeting House, Beconsfield, Hants. Repair of fire damaged roof and plaster ceiling
Runner up	St Andrew's, Hatfield Peverel, Essex Repair of Norman door
2008 <i>No Award made.</i>	
2007 Winner	St James, Dauntsey, Wiltshire Repair of Doom board
2006 Winner	St Mary and St Peter, Barham, Suffolk Repair to church tower
2005 Winner	St Alkmund, Shrewsbury, Shropshire Repairs to the cast iron north west window
2004 <i>No award made.</i>	
2003 Winner	St Mary, Beaminster, Dorset Repair of the tower stonework
2002 Winner	St Editha, Polesworth, Warwickshire Work to north cloister wall
2001 <i>No Award made.</i>	
2000 <i>No information.</i>	
1999 Winner	St Lawrence, Radstone, Northants. Repairs to nave and south aisle roofs

- 1998
Winner** **St Mary's Church, Bloxham, Oxfordshire**
Repair and conservation of 15th century carved stonework
(bellcote and chapel pinnacles)
- 1997
Winner** **St Peter's Church, Hanwell, Oxfordshire**
Conservation of decorative limestone frieze under the eaves of
the south side of the chancel
- 1996
Winner** **St John the Baptist, Hannington, Wiltshire**
Repairs to masonry, glazing, rainwater goods and roofs.
- 1995
Winner** **Mortimer West End Chapel, Padworth Common, Hants.**
Substantial repair and conservation of a very dilapidated structure
abandoned in 1960s
- 1994
Winner** **St Mary the Virgin, Cleobury Mortimer, Shropshire**
Stabilisation and repair of tower and spire
- 1993
Winner** **St John the Baptist, Plymtree, Cullompton, Devon**
Conservation of statue of Madonna & child on west face of tower
- 1992
Winner** **St Mary the Virgin, Whinburgh, Norfolk**
Roof repairs to mediaeval church
- 1991
Winner** **St Swithin's Church, Quenington, Gloucs.**
Repair and conservation of 12th century north and south doorways.
- 1990
Winner** **St Anne's Church, Limehouse, London**
Work on west tower of the church