# Ascension



# FACILITIES TO HIRE

#### **Church of the Ascension**

1 Thorold Road, Bitterne Park, Southampton, SO18 1HZ

# **WELCOME**

Ascension offers a lovely, bright, fresh multi-use building fully accessible for the disabled and those with pushchairs and buggies, with ample toilet and baby change facilities. There are a number of different spaces available to hire individually or in combination.

Our kitchen is of catering standard and available to hire alongside room bookings. Our Café is not currently in operation but we hope to resume this in due course. The Café space is available to hire in the meantime.

Outside there is parking for 16 vehicles behind the building.

We particularly welcome bookings from charities, community groups and local businesses, for regular or one-off hire.



# THE ROOMS

#### **Grace Hall**

Perfect for concerts, parties, wedding receptions, public meetings, adult education classes, craft & table top sales, exercise classes etc.

#### **Guide to Capacity:**

Seated as if for a meal 80-90 Seated theatre style 120









N.B. Due to acoustic panels on the high walls and ceiling, the Grace Hall is unsuitable for ball games.

#### **Vine Room**

Carpeted floor perfect for children's parties, training days, public meetings etc.

Guide to Capacity:
Seated for a meal 30
Seated theatre style 50





#### **Hampton Court Room**

A small room with a sofa and arm chairs and a more cosy atmosphere. Ideal for one-to-one meetings or counselling or small groups.

#### **Guide to Capacity**:

Seated (sofa and arm chairs): 4-5





#### **Café Space**

This is permanently set up to seat 28 people, with an additional 6 highchairs available. An ideal space for meals, informal meetings and training.





#### **Kitchen**

The kitchen can be hired alongside any room booking (at additional cost). Basic hire allows access to water boiler, crockery and cutlery. Full access includes use of ovens and dishwasher in addition to basic hire facilities.

It may be possible to arrange exclusive use.

Refreshments (tea, coffee, milk etc) are not provided, please bring your own.

#### **Worship Space**

Ascension's worship space may occasionally be available for concerts or other performances. It accommodates up to 220, chairs can be reconfigured to suit the performance; theatre style, in the round, etc. Audio Visual equipment is available at extra cost.









#### **Youth Space**

Downstairs we have an L shaped room, with a very casual feel. It has its own kitchenette and disabled access toilet. This space is currently set up to support Ascension's Youth Activities but may be available to hire occasionally for suitable activities.

# **Equipment**

Chairs, trestle & round tables, drinks' flasks etc are available on request for an additional charge.

Unfortunately, we cannot supply projectors, screens or flipcharts. You are welcome to bring your own (with a valid PAT certificate).

**Free wi-fi is available in all areas**. Please ask us for the passwords to access this.

### **Important Information**

Hirers are responsible for fully tidying up and cleaning the spaces they have used before departing. A basic cleaning package can be arranged at extra cost.

#### **Alcohol**

Any proposed use of alcohol on the premises must be discussed with us before the event.

# **HOURLY RATES**

### Hourly rates per room

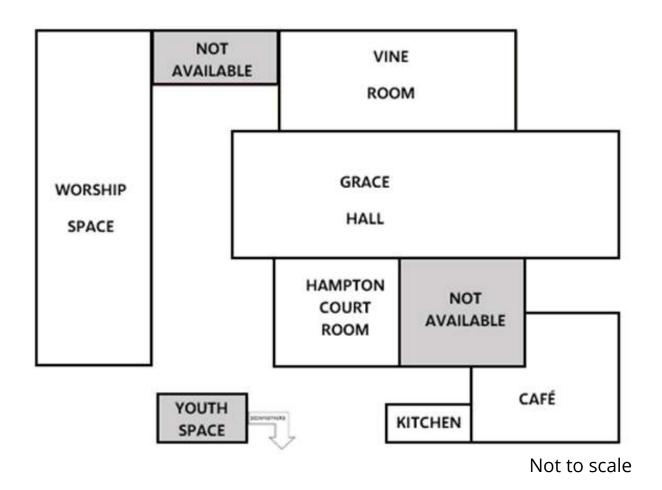
Room	Daytime	Evenings & weekends
Grace Hall	£ 33.55	£ 41.25
Vine Room	£ 17.35	£ 20.90
Hampton Court	£ 8.65	£ 11.50
Café Space	£ 17.35	£ 20.90
Worship Space	£ 66.00	£ 83.60
Kitchen (basic access)	£ 16.50	
Kitchen (full access)	£ 27.50	

Discounts may be available for regular bookings, registered charities and/or community users.

For bookings outside our normal centre opening times an additional keyholder charge may apply (for a keyholder to let you in and lock up).

Set up of our tables and chairs can also be arranged for you at additional cost.

# **Ascension Floorplan**



# MAKING A BOOKING



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