



# FACT FILE: Special Works Department

- Responsive Cleaning & Repair Service
- Monument Maintenance
- Monument Construction
- Term Maintenance
- Graffiti Removal
- Bronze Statue Treatment
- One Stop Building Solution
- Conservation
- Consultation & Design

Stonewest's Small & Special Works team is equally engaged in both preventative and reactive projects. Cyclical inspection or fast response to damage or graffiti are commonplace. Thus we are able to offer a tailor made service for clients engaged with Measured Term Contracts who are responsible for both commercial and residential property portfolios together with large individual public or private institutions. Stonewest provide a dedicated management and labour resource to carry out the cleaning, repair and alteration of internal and external masonry finishes with the minimal of disruption or closure of busy pedestrian routes.



## The Tower Hill Memorial

Working with the Commonwealth War Graves Commission, Stonewest as Principal Contractor completed important repair works to the Tower Hill Memorial which commemorates those who died in WWI and WWII in the Merchant Navy and Fishing Fleets. Work included re-patination and waxing of the WWII bronze panels along with masonry cleaning and repairs.

## The Royal Tank Regiment Memorial

Erected on the corner of Whitehall Court and unveiled by Her Majesty the Queen in 2000 the original design by G.H. Paulin was made a reality in bronze by Vivien Mallock. The bronze commemorates all ranks of the Machine Gun Corps, Tank Corps and Royal Tank Regiment as tanks were first used in battle in 1916. A specially designed concrete foundation was created to accommodate the stone plinth procured in Woodkirk York stone in 4 segments each weighing 1 tonne. Recesses accommodate their regimental badges.







### Spring Grove House

Working with Principal Contractor Osbourne and completed in 2011 the Portico to Spring Grove House was fully designed and built to re-instate the original doorway to the main building with all new work based on historical evidence. Stonewest provided masonry detailing and fixings to comply with all building regulations and within budget for the client. New Portland stone was employed throughout and the treads were lightly abraded to comply with B.S. Slip Resistance tests.



### The Constance Fund Diana Memorial

Working within the Royal Parks for their framework contractor Vinci Facilities, Stonewest as specialist trade contractor undertook the re-building and commissioning of the fountain originally sculpted by E.J.Clack. Working with fountain specialists, Stonewest re-routed water and electrical supplies within the structure prior to recommissioning. New clay maquettes were modeled and new bronze elements were cast to replace missing sections. The existing bronze work was re-patinated and waxed and some elements were re-gilded. The granite trefoil base was cleaned, re-furbished and re-built to its original design.



### The Chattri Memorial

One of many successful projects for the Commonwealth War Graves Commission, Stonewest supplied all materials, manufactured and built the newly completed Chattri memorial. Set within the South Downs to the North of Brighton the original Chattri was built after WWI and pays tribute to all those Indian soldiers who died fighting for the British Empire. The new memorial sits alongside the existing Chattri, and was built to commemorate by name the 53 Sikh and Hindu soldiers who were killed.