

# Basic Detail Report

**Title Church of the Sacred Heart, Silas Deane Highway, Wethersfield**

Date 1938

Primary Maker John J. McMahon

Medium Photostats on paper

Description Designs for an Italianate church include a basement floor plan, a main floor plan, a gallery and ceiling plan, plans showing roof construction, a rear elevation, a front elevation, a south side elevation, and several sections.

The building includes a sanctuary, vestibule, baptistery, sacristy, side chapels, nave and choir gallery. Steel beams support the tower, belfry, and deck. There is a slate roof; louvered dormers; and pitch, felt and slag roofing. Details include steel and iron stairs and radiator recesses. Several plans show the arrangement of trusses supporting the roof.

Dimensions Sheet (height x width): 16 1/2 x 24 3/4in. (41.9 x 62.9cm)