

Basic Detail Report

Title Chalice

Date 1800-1820

Primary Maker The Tolland Congregational Church

Medium Blown colorless lead glass with a light grey tint

Description Large chalice, or goblet, made of blown colorless lead glass with a light grey tint. The chalice has a bucket-shaped bowl with tapered sides, above a short stem that widens at both ends, and a round foot with a pontil mark on the bottom. There are a few light scratches on the exterior, and a ring of light scratches and wear on the bottom of the foot. Pontil mark: A rough place on a blown glass object where the solid metal rod, or pontil, is cracked off the object after final shaping and decoration. Pontil marks can be polished to achieve a smooth surface.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x diameter): 7 7/8 x 5in. (20 x 12.7cm)