

# Massachusetts Cultural Resource Information System

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<b>Inventory No:</b>	NWB.624
<b>Historic Name:</b>	Church of Aloysius de Gonzaga
<b>Common Name:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	2 Beck St
<b>City/Town:</b>	Newburyport
<b>Village/Neighborhood:</b>	
<b>Local No:</b>	30; 19-42,114
<b>Year Constructed:</b>	C 1905
<b>Architect(s):</b>	Fontaine and Kinnicutt
<b>Architectural Style(s):</b>	Romanesque Revival
<b>Use(s):</b>	Church
<b>Significance:</b>	Architecture; Religion
<b>Area(s):</b>	NWB.D: South End District NWB.L: Newburyport Historic District
<b>Designation(s):</b>	Nat'l Register District (8/2/1984)



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Church # 624  
House # 2920

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and D+L (624) (30)

2. Town Newburyport

MISSION Boston Street address 2 BECK ST.

ant to: Name Church of Aloysius de Gonzaga

on Original use Church

with the Present use " "

ide): Present owner " "

ry Open to public Yes

ation Date 1905 Style -

Education Military affairs

Government Religion/philosophy

Literature Indians

Music Development of town/city

Source of date John J. Currier (see over)

Architect NA Fontaine and Kimball

3. CONDITION: Excellent Good Fair Deteriorated Moved Altered Added

#### 4. DESCRIPTION

FOUNDATION/BASEMENT: High Regular Low Material: Stone & Brick

WALL COVER: Wood Brick Brick Stone Other

ROOF: Ridge Gambrel Flat Hip Mansard

Tower Cupola Dormer windows Balustrade Grillwork

CHIMNEYS: 1 2 3 4 Center End Interior Irregular Cluster Elaborate

STORIES: 1 2 3 4 ATTACHMENTS: Wings Ell Shed

PORCHES: 1 2 3 4 PORTICO Balcony

FACADE: Gable end: Front Side Ornament:

Entrance: Side Front Center Side Details:

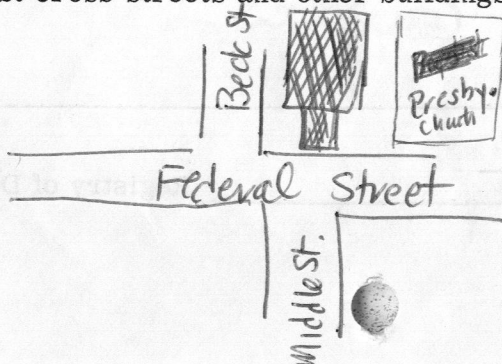
Windows: Spacing: Regular Irregular Identical/Varied

Corners: Plain Pilasters Quoins Cornerboards

5. Indicate location of structure in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings

6. Footage of structure from street

Property has feet frontage on street



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Photo Date 1973

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# RELATION OF SURROUNDING TO STRUCTURE

NWB. 624

## 1. Outbuildings

## 2. Landscape Features: Agriculture Open Wooded Garden: Formal/Informal

Predominant features

Landscape architect

## 3. Neighboring Structures

Style: Colonial Federal Greek Revival Gothic Revival Italian Villa Lombard Rom.

Venetian Gothic Mansard Richardsonian Modern

Use: Residential Commercial Religious

Conditions: Excellent Good Fair Deteriorated

GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF HISTORIC IMPORTANCE OF SITE (Refer and elaborate on theme circled on front of form)

The most interesting feature of this church is the fact that it was built attached to a well proportioned, 3 storied gambrel house of a much earlier period. (The gambrel roof has now been removed and a ridge roof replaced it. It is now also covered with asbestos shingles)

## BIBLIOGRAPHY AND/OR REFERENCE

## RESTRICTIONS

Original Owner:

Deed Information: Book Number

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Registry of Deeds

# INVENTORY FORM CONTINUATION SHEET

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION  
MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING  
220 MORRISSEY BOULEVARD  
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02125

Town

*Newburyport* *2 Beek St.*

Property Address

Area(s)

Form No.

*NWB* | *624*

BUILDING INSPECTION DEPARTMENT—DISTRICT POLICE			
PLAN RECORD			
CASE	<i>G RACK</i>	<i>2</i>	APART. <i>4</i> NO. <i>3156</i>
BUILDING	<i>St. Aloysius Church.</i>		STORIES <i>1B</i>
CITY OR TOWN	<i>Newburyport.</i>	STREET <i>Beek.</i>	
TO BE USED FOR	<i>Religious Purposes.</i>		CLASS <i>Church</i>
OWNER	<i>R. G. Bishop of Boston.</i>		<i>Brick</i>
ARCHITECT	<i>Pontaine &amp; Kinnicutt.</i>		<i>Veneer.</i>
CERTIFICATE APPROVAL—SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS—REFERRED			
DATE	<i>June 23, 04</i>		
INSPECTOR	<i>WHITE.</i>		
FORM 41. 10.000. 2-2-12			