

1. STATE Maryland  
 COUNTY Baltimore City  
 TOWN " VICINITY Union Square  
 STREET NO.  
 West Lombard and South Mount Streets  
 ORIGINAL OWNER Catholic Church  
 ORIGINAL USE church  
 PRESENT OWNER Catholic Church ? vacant  
 PRESENT USE none  
 WALL CONSTRUCTION brick  
 NO. OF STORIES -

HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY  
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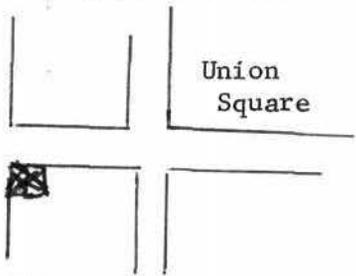
2. NAME  
 DATE OR PERIOD 1902  
 STYLE Late Lombard - modified  
 ARCHITECT  
 BUILDER

3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE

4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION OPEN TO PUBLIC No

What was once obviously a large and wealthy Roman Catholic church is now vacant and falling into disrepair. Built in 1902, this church is a modified basilica plan whereby the side aisles and upper triforium are in the same vertical plane. Built on a rusticated stone base, the church is the perennial Baltimore brick, but with white stone facing. The west (main) front has a typical European layout with two towers, three entrance doorways with arcade of windows above, and with a rose window. The arches of the doorways and the windows above are Romanesque in shape and there are 3/4 columns with Romanesque capitals on the reveals of the doorway arches and on the bell tower ventilator (louvred) windows. In the rear, on the West Lombard Street side, there is a 1931 stucco addition that appears to be the entrance to a grotto or shrine of some kind. Adjoining the church on the South Mount Street side is rather nice, ~~perhaps~~ probably earlier, brick parish house. This church is one of the tallest buildings in the Union Square area and is visible from some distance (it can be seen from the Baltimore-Washington Expressway, for example) and it should be preserved as an area landmark and some compatible use should be found for it.

5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered Interior Fair-Good Exterior



6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional)

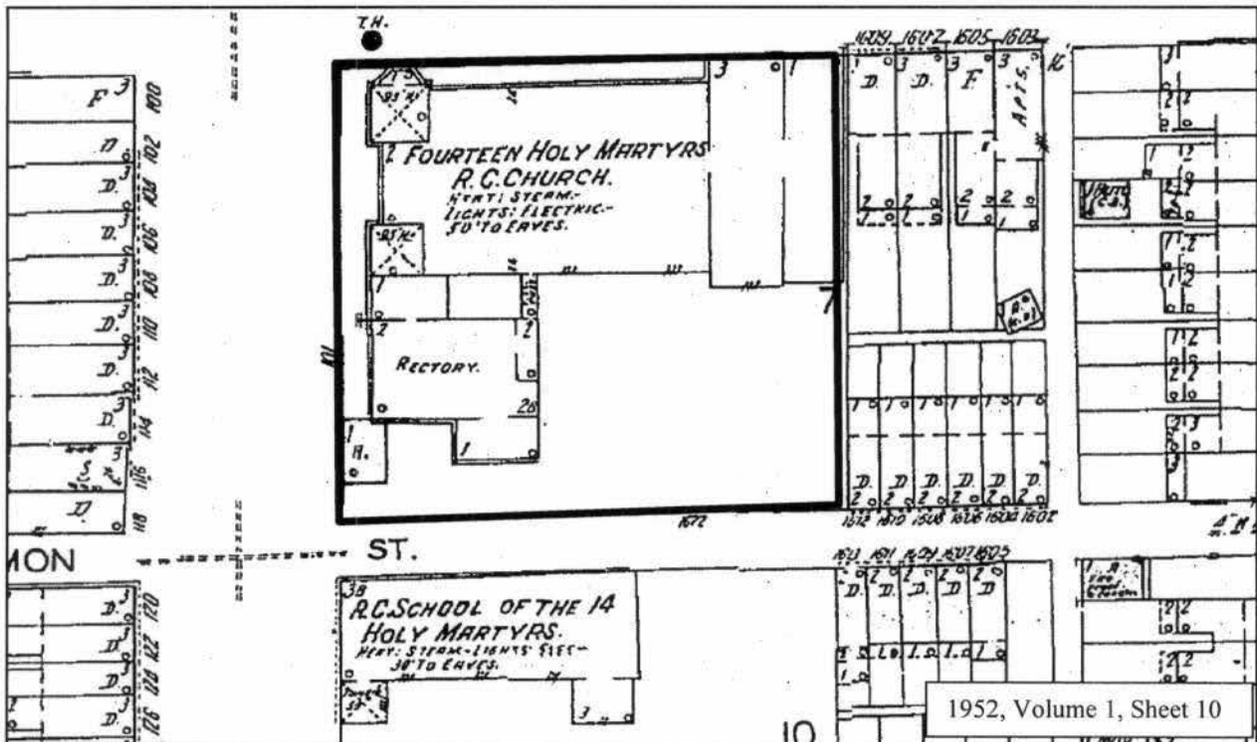
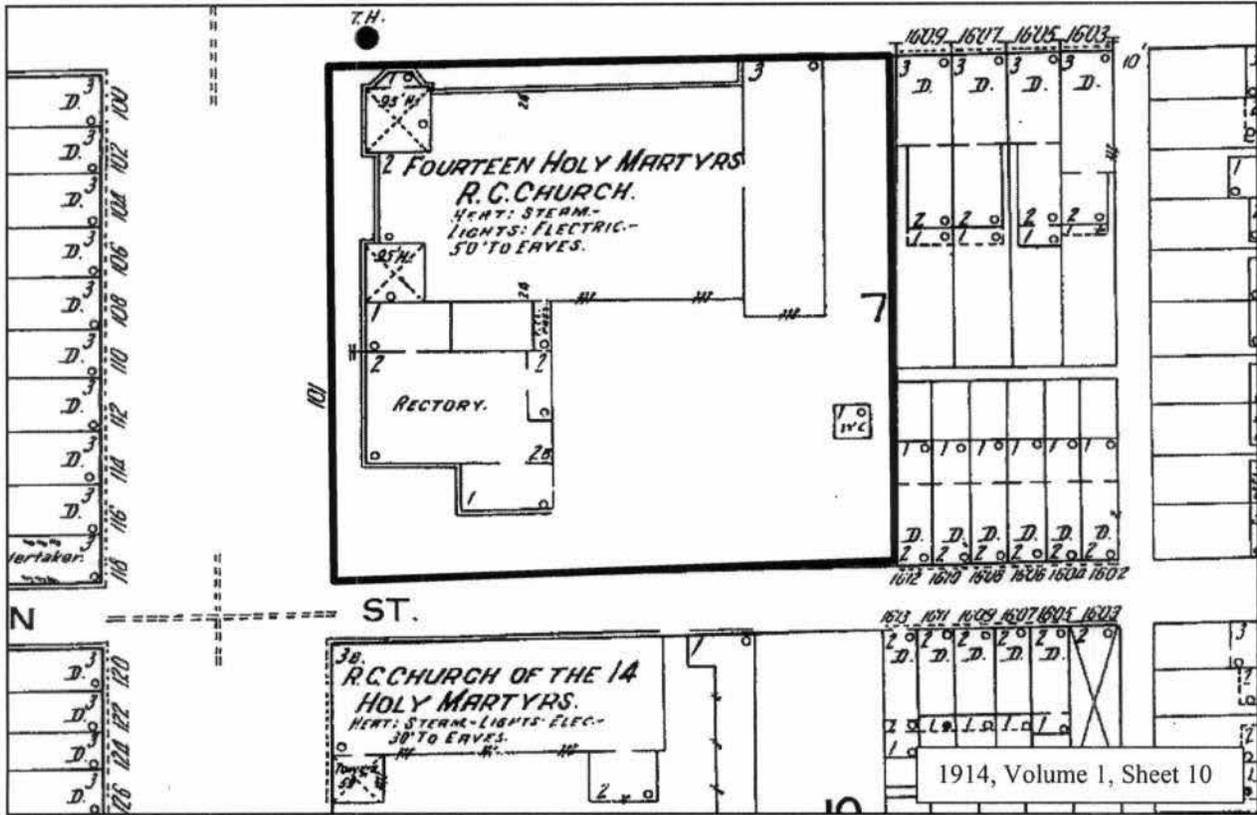
7. PHOTOGRAPH

8. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Pages)  
 INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.  
 A worker at Vista on Pratt Street told me that someone was trying to raise funds to rehabilitate the church.

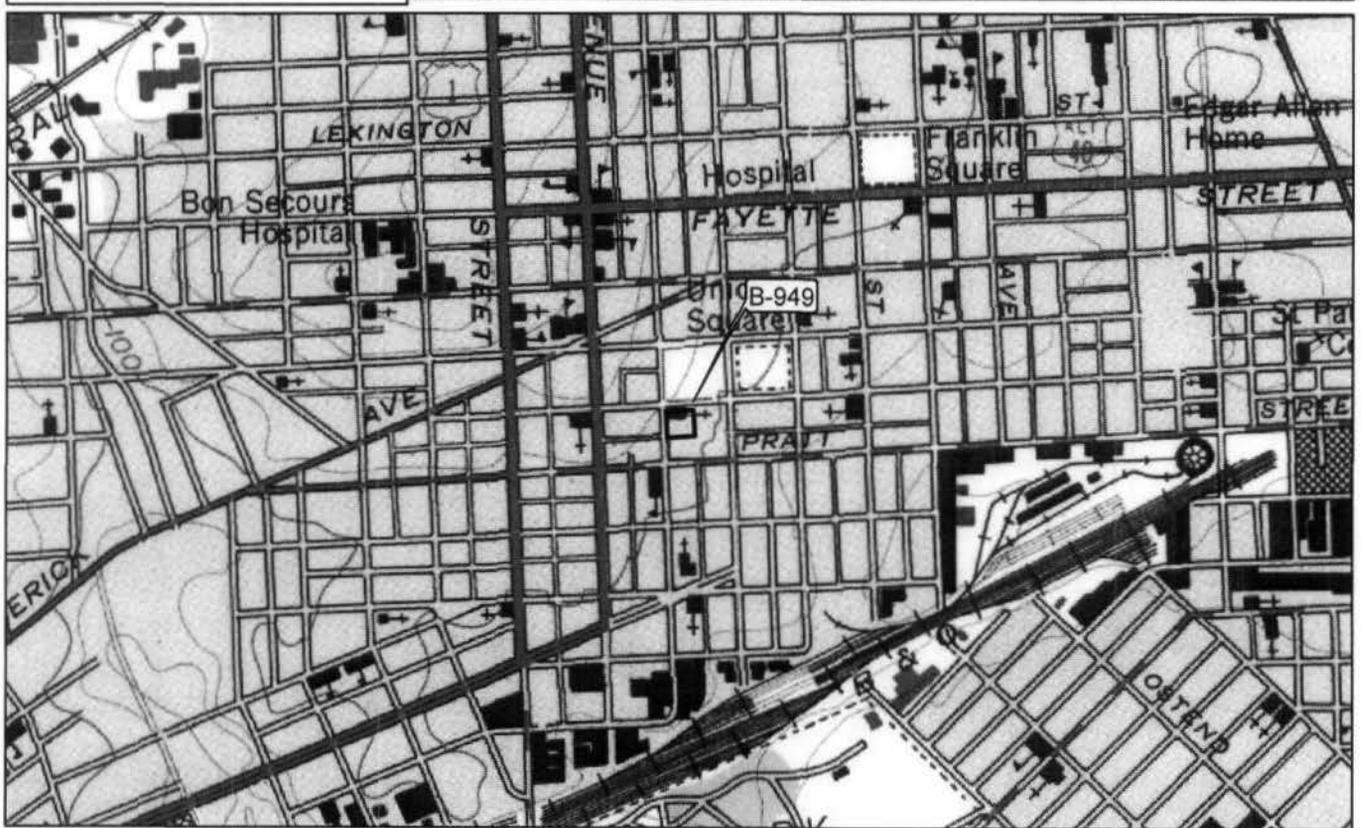
9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER  
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 Fourteen Holy Martyrs Roman Catholic Church and Rectory  
 101 S. Mount Street  
 Sanborn Maps



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Fourteen Holy Martyrs Roman Catholic Church & Rectory  
101 S. Mount Street  
Block 0245, Lots 005 & 005A  
Baltimore City  
Baltimore West Quad.





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W. Lombard St.  
Baltimore S. Mount St.