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## Design for the Great South Window over Balcony In the Central Baptist Church, Providence

This window is designed to symbolize, in terms of color and light, the controlling theme of Motherhood, with related implications of Peace and Divine Love.

The dominating medallions are devoted to saintly mothers, Elizabeth and her young son, John the Baptist; Saint Ann holding the Child, Mary; the Blessed Mother with the Christ Child; and Eunice and Timothy.

These suggest Motherhood in relation to the preparation for life - the mother's teaching, especially as we think of Saint Ann and the young Mary, and Eunice instructing her son Timothy.

Smaller medallions below are related to Christ's Childhood from the Mativity, His Presentation in the Temple when the aged Simeon took Him in his arms and blessed God, the Flight into Egypt, and the Holy Family.

In the lower panels are symbols of the four Evangelists who told the story of Christ, His love and compassion: - the winged man of Saint Matthew, the lion of Saint Mark, the ox of Saint Luke, and the eagle of Saint John.

In the tall tracery members above the panels are Angels of Praise and Prayer, and at the extreme top are Seraphim of the Choir of Angels nearest the throne of God. The Seraphim, with their ruby wings, are traditional symbols of Divine Love.

The color symbolism throughout the design reflects the spiritual significant of the theme. The red of love and tenderness is balanced by the blue of heavenly truth and wisdom. These two dominant colors are supported and accented by white, the color of faith and purity; green, the color of hope and immortality, and the gold of victory and achievement.