

CHARLES J. CONNICK : DESIGNER AND WORKER IN STAINED AND
LEADED GLASS : NINE HARCOURT STREET, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

City or Town Cambridge, State Mass. No. 2598

Church Harvard-Epworth. Date of Completion 1944.

Donor and Address 35-00

Architect Quality of Glass

Denomination and Minister

Footage sight Sizes, full

Ventilators Set by

Position in Church

Height from floor Protection Glass Groove Rabbet Stone Wood

Points of compass

Quality of light

Inscription

Design wanted Staging

Shipping address Blue-prints Received

Bill to Templets

Photos of Cartoons Mailed

General Information Repair - 2 panels.

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The theme of this window is the much-loved Canticle to the Sun by Saint Francis of Assisi, a copy of which is enclosed herewith.

The Sanctuary of Benediction is an ideal place in which to set forth in the spirit of Saint Francis of Assisi, the blessed forces of Nature to sing in light and color as he sang about them in immortal words.

Brother Sun, Sister Moon are the dominant figures. Underneath them are Mother Earth and Brother Fire, - and above, Sister Water and Brother Wind; while in the circular tracery piece is the symbolic figure of Sister Stars.

Growing forms, fruit and flowers, animals and birds, make up the design, the key color of which is a very precious violet glass which I have been saving for just such significant use as it will serve in this window.

Two samples of the glass are being sent you to give you an idea of its power and beauty, which could never be set forth in opaque water color. (Note: These pieces are sent in the hope that they will be returned, for - small as they are - they can be used to advantage in the window itself.).

The significant characteristics of this window will be made sufficiently clear in line and contrasted color, so that it will serve to most excellent purpose at a distance of sixty-five feet. Also the text will be in letters sufficiently large and clear to be read at that distance.

Text: "Praised be my Lord God with all His Creatures."