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## SACRED SPACES: CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN IN THE WILDERNESS



ACCEPTED DESIGN, CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN IN THE WILDERNESS, DENVER, COLO. TRACY & SWARTWOUT, ARCHITECTS.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 16**

**COFFEE AT 8:30**

**BUILDING TOUR AT 9:00**

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Please join ICAA Rocky Mountain Chapter for an intimate view of the Cathedral of St. John in the Wilderness.

The original church was located at 20th & Welton and was destroyed by fire in 1903. The present day St John's Cathedral, located at 1350 Washington Street, broke ground in 1909 with the first service in the new church held in 1911. St John's Cathedral was designed by New York architects, Tracy and Swartwout, in a Gothic style that was intentionally modeled after the Canterbury Cathedral and Westminster Abbey in England. Of the original design, the two transepts, choir and great tower have never been built. Only the nave was completed of limestone with a "temporary" brick chancel. The height of the ceiling in the Nave is 65 feet. It is 185 feet long and 52 feet wide.

Source: Saint John's Church in the Wilderness: A History of St. John's Cathedral in Denver, Colorado, 1860 - 2000 by Robert Irving Woodward

**Location:** Meet for coffee at Panera Bread, 1350 Grant Street, Denver, CO 80203

**Tour Cost:** \$10 General, no cost to ICAA Members

**Register for the Event at:** <http://www.eventbrite.com/event/5706305714#>