



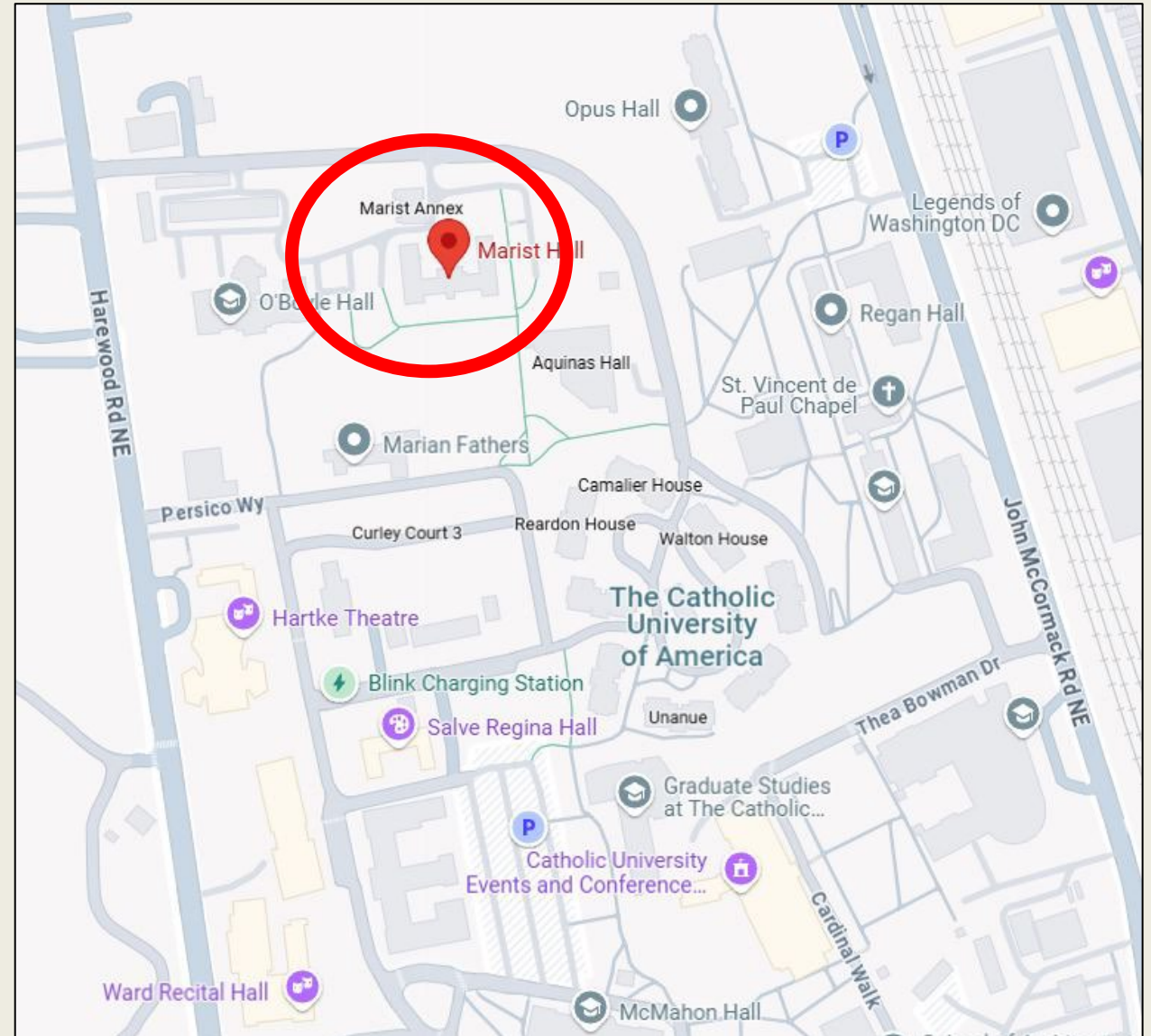
Marist College (Marist Hall)

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Marist Hall

- Notification sent to CUA/ANC 5A in October 2022
- Submitted to HPO in November 2022
- Scheduled for consideration at the July 24, 2025 HPRB meeting





- Constructed: 1900
- Architect: Lemuel W. Norris
- Builder: John S. Larcombe
- Romanesque Revival

Primary Façade, South Elevation (DeFerrari, 2022).



West Elevation (DeFerrari, 2022).



Detail of Tabernacle (DeFerrari, 2022).

Marist Hall

Historical and Architectural Significance

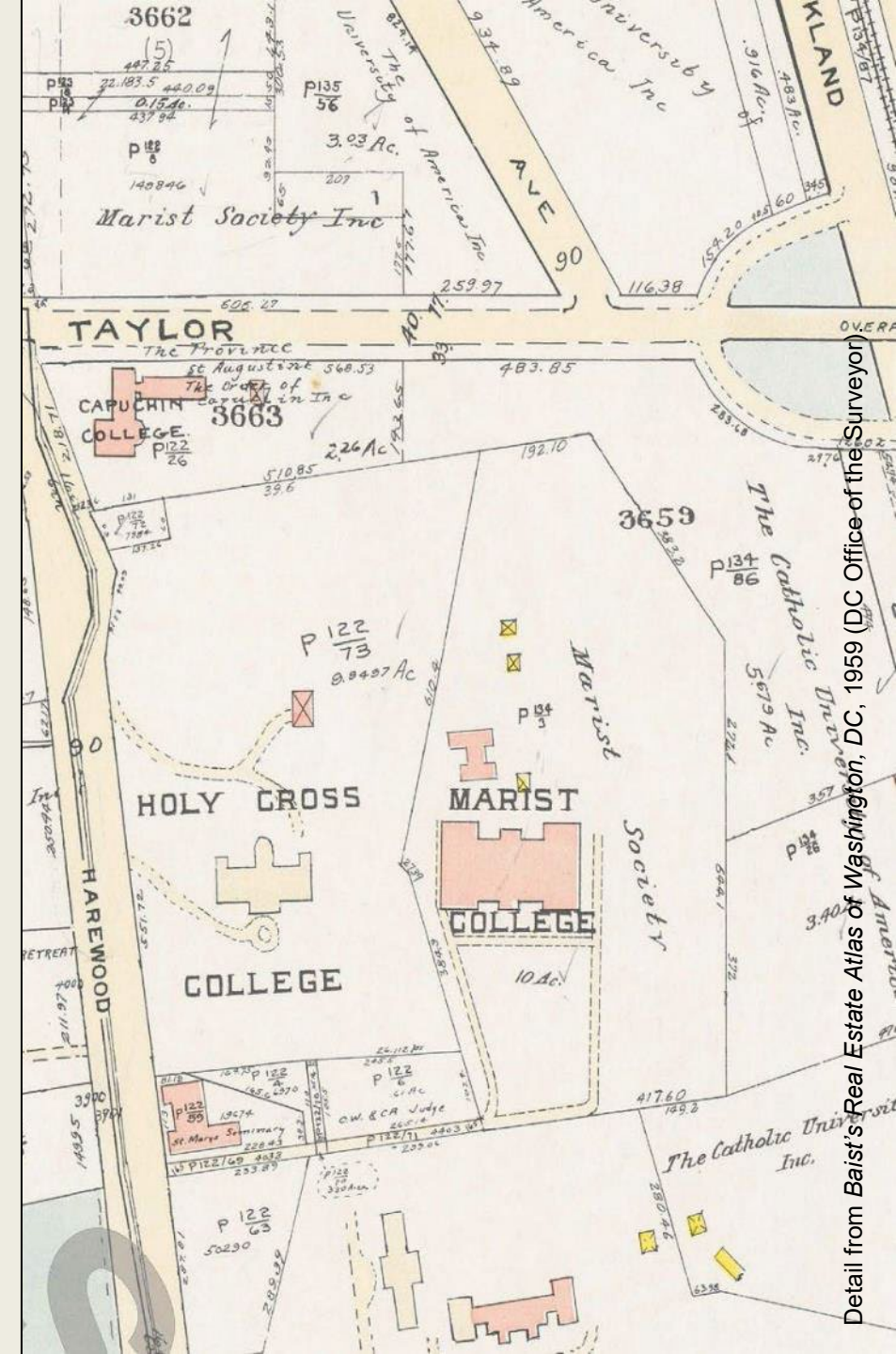
- **National Register Criterion A (History) and Criterion C (Architecture)**
- **DC Inventory Criterion B (History) and Criteria D, E, and F (Architecture and Urbanism, Artistry, and Work of a Master)**
- Areas of Significance: Architecture and Education
- Period of Significance: 1900



Undated Postcard View of Primary Façade.

Marist Hall

- **Constructed for Society of Mary (Marist Fathers) religious order in 1900**
 - Originally located at nearby Brooks Mansion
 - Second order to affiliate with CUA
- **One of the first purpose-built seminary buildings in “Little Rome”**
 - The other being Holy Cross College in 1899 (now CUA’s O’Boyle Hall)
 - The only other educational buildings at the time were CUA’s Caldwell Hall (1889), McMahon Hall (1895), and Albert Hall (1897, demolished)
- **In 1975, the building became part of CUA and Marist College became Marist Hall**





Marist College from the southwest, around the time of its construction in 1900 (Special Collections, CUA).



Thank You!

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