

 $\bf 85A\text{-}032\text{-}27\ Chapel\ of\ the\ Incarnation\ (NR)$

14070 Brandywine Road

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Built in 1916, the Chapel of the Incarnation was constructed of poured-in-form concrete covered with a coarse pebble-filled stucco resembling adobe. The chapel is a unique example in the county of Spanish mission style church architecture. This unusual church building with its attached parish hall was designed by Washington architect William J. Palmer and built in 1916 as a mission chapel for St. Thomas' Episcopal Church in Croom. With its shaped parapet and bell tower, the Chapel of the Incarnation was listed in the National Register of Historic Places in 2000. It is protected by a preservation easement held by The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, and is currently undergoing partial restoration and rehabilitation.