PLACES FOR REFLECTION at John Carroll:

1. Saint Francis Chapel is situated at the crossroad of University pedestrian travel, a quiet center in the midst of a busy campus, a gathering place for our community of faith at worship, a refuge for the prayerful student in the late night hours or at any time of day. It is a physical symbol and expression of this University’s Catholic and Jesuit heritage and its commitment to spiritual values. (shown below left)

2. Beaudry Shrine with Statue of Mary is located between Bernet Hall and the Boler School of Business. The Shrine was dedicated on October 28, 1951 in memory of Bob Beaudry, class of 1950. Since Bob Beaudry’s name and memory represented that intangible quality - school spirit - it was decided to build a memorial. The shrine to Our Lady, Mother of Grace, was made possible by contributions from Bob’s family and friends. It is an outdoor “quiet space” on campus, a perfect place on your way to somewhere else. (shown above right)

3. Native Prairie Garden (observed from Dauby Plaza) is an area with a collection of Native Tall Prairie Plants installed by family, friends, and students in memory of Dr. Mark Diffenderfer.

4. James Davis Garden is a peaceful sanctuary tucked in near the Garden Level entry to the Administration Building. The Dawn Redwood and Scotch Pine provide the canopy for magnolia, dogwood, American Holly and a variety of shade loving ground covers and plants including the state wildflower, Trillium. (shown top next column)

5. Hidden Meditation Garden is truly a hidden retreat tucked between the brick structures of O’Malley Center and B’Wing. The small courtyard offers an outdoor private respite in the middle of our campus.

6. Labyrinth on Rodman Terrace is on the patio of Rodman Hall on the quadrangle side of the building. It is 42 feet in diameter, a replica of the eleven circuit labyrinth at Chartres Cathedral, and the path from the start to the center is about 850 feet. There are as many ways to walk the labyrinth as there are people. Walk at your own pace, and in the spirit of the moment. You will find you may walk it in different ways at different times. It could be for fun, for peace or for healing.

7. Rodman Chapel is located in the Rodman Hall administration building, and was formerly the residence of the Jesuit community of John Carroll and the chapel for the Jesuit community while they were in residence. Built in 1938, it is named after Fr. Benedict Rodman. Fr. Rodman was highly instrumental in the development of the new university campus in University Heights and was President of John Carroll University from 1928-1937. The chapel was dedicated in January 1940. The stained glass windows and furnishing were provided through the generosity of the John Carroll Guild of 1954. (shown above right)

Places for Reflection

This walking tour brochure has been developed for those that would like to engage in quiet reflection, re-energize, and return to work with a renewed focus

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LEGEND: Places for Reflection

- Accessible Route
- Handicapped Accessible Parking
- Accessible Building Entry

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   • Relaxation Room

- Murphy Hall Chapel
- Sutowski Hall Chapel
- Dolan Hall Reflection Rm
- Pacelli Hall Reflection Rm

* Murphy and Sutowski Chapels and Dolan and Pacelli Reflection Rooms are within Residence Halls, and therefore, not open to the general public

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