

Sacred Heart Window

The Sacred Heart window is a circular shaped window which is positioned in what would have originally been the Sacred Heart altar, before the changes to the church made after Vatican Two.

This beautiful Rose Window (most circular designed stained-glass windows are called Rose Windows). It is lower than most of the windows in the church which means it can be easily seen and appreciated by the congregation.

In the centre of this circular window is the Sacred Heart, an important symbol in Catholic teaching. The window depicts the Sacred Heart shining with divine light, pierced by a lance and encircled by a crown of thorns, depicting the love of God for humanity. The colour red symbolises love and sacrifice. The Sacred Heart is guarded by four angels on radiating segments edged with trademark Mayer canopies.