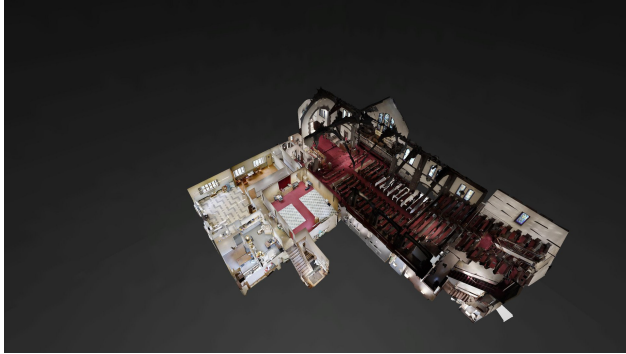




JOSHUA "AUGUSTINE" LEHN / PROJECT BRIEF

Spark Works Trinity

Giving a former church a new community purpose.



PROPERTY

Former Trinity Lutheran Church

PROJECT START

August 2018

SIZE

Approximately 16,000 sq ft

ADDRESS

2701 W 3rd Street, Duluth, MN

PROJECT ROLE

Adaptive reuse, community enterprise, and space planning through Spark Works.

PROJECT QUESTION

Relate the character and arrangement of a former church to collaborative work, creative activity, and gathering.

DOCUMENTATION APPROACH

Use the documented project history and spatial record together to explain how large shared spaces, side rooms, and circulation relate.

AVAILABLE RESULT

A spatial record accompanying documented pre-2020 coworking, artist, and event uses in an approximately 16,000-square-foot former church.

GUIDED READING STOPS

01 Sanctuary and gathering space

Find the large sanctuary in the dollhouse view, then explore it at eye level.

02 Side rooms and quieter work

Explore the smaller rooms connected to the main gathering areas.

03 Connections between levels

Look at the stairs and routes connecting the different spaces.

04 A building with successive uses

Return to the overall model and consider the relationship between the sanctuary and ancillary rooms.

Record: Project began August 2018. Historic uses are described without implying the venue is currently operating. The project start is listed as August 2018; scan date, ownership details, investment totals, occupancy, and returns remain to be documented.