

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

Map # 4

1. Historic Name (s) 4432 West Broadway		22. ADD/County JF-L-W-S - 41	
Original Owner <u>Basil Doerhoefer</u> House (West Louisville)		23. Zoning Classification Magisterial District	
Present Name 4432 West Broadway		24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75') New Albany - 133	
3. Owner's Name Christ Temple Apostolic Church, Inc.		25. UTM Reference 16 602720 4234010	
4. Owner's Address 723 South 45th Street Louisville, KY 40211		26. Prehistoric Site Historic Site Building X	
5. Location 4432 West Broadway, Louisville, KY 40211		27. District Name: Yes No X	
6. Open to Public Yes No X	7. Visible from road Yes X No	8. Ownership Private X Local State Federal	
9. Local Contact/Organization Louisville Landmarks Commission		28. Significance Evaluation meets NR criteria	
10. Site Plan with North Arrow 		11. Architect D. X. Murphy	
		12. Builder unknown	
		13. Date 1902	
		14. Style Colonial Revival 1/4	
		15. Original Use residence	
		16. Present Use religious	
		17. Condition Interior Exterior Good	
18. Description No. 4432 is an imposing, three-story frame residence on a limestone foundation. A veranda with a pre-formed concrete balustrade extends around three sides of the house. The principal facade is distinguished by a four-columned portico which is topped by a pair of hipped dormers. The Ionic-style columns are either stone or concrete. The central entry consists of double doors flanked by sidelights and capped by an elliptical fan light. All these elements		29. Status National Landmark National Register Landmark Certificate Kentucky Survey Local Landmark HABS/HAER	
		30. Theme Primary architecture 03 Secondary Other	
		31. Endangered Yes No X	
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19. History Built in 1902, this residence was the first home of the wealthy tobacco merchant and business leader, Basil Doerhoefer. Doerhoefer was the most important real estate developer in this part of the West End, acquiring large tracts of land along Broadway as early as 1890 and later subdividing it. Dennis X. Murphy began his career in the prestigious Louisville firm of Henry Whitestone before establishing his own practice with his brother James in		ATTACH 	
20. Significance 4432 West Broadway is an outstanding example of an early Colonial Revival residence. Its excellence of design and quality of detailing are the work of a prominent Louisville architect.		Roll No. 58 Picture No. 23 Direction	
21. Source of Information Caron Annual Directories of the City of Louisville. Jefferson County (KY) Deed Books. National Register Nomination Form, Doerhoefer-Hampton House, Landmarks Commission (1978).		33. Tape No. Negative No. 34. Prepared by: Hugh Foshee, Researcher 35. Organization: Landmarks Commission 36. Date: January 5, 1981 37. Revision Dates 38. Staff Review	

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have leaded glass. Bands of egg and dart, wave, and pellet molding and pilasters with decorative capitals enrich the entry. Above it is a balcony with a wrought-iron railing in a fish-scale pattern. Providing access to the balcony is an arched, leaded-glass doorway flanked by smaller windows in a Palladian arrangement. Completing the symmetrical facade are eight, large, sash windows with twelve-over-one lights. This pattern of multi-light upper sashes and single, lower panes continues throughout the house. The main and porch cornices are enriched by dentils and egg and dart molding. The hipped dormers contain a single window each. The hipped roof and dormers are covered in slate shingles. A frame balustrade once crowned the roof.

An entry on the east side of house contains a leaded glass door. A porte-cochere is supported by slender, paired columns with Ionic capitals. The two dormers on this side are gabled and contain three windows. There is also a group of three stained-glass windows in the second story. The west side features an elliptical bay window completely encased in leaded glass.

The only apparent alterations to the house are at the rear, where a first-story porch was enclosed and a second-story enclosed porch is probably a later addition.

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1890. The firm was responsible for such buildings as the Jefferson County Jail (1902-1905) & the German Bank (1913), as well as numerous designs for the Catholic Church and several commercial buildings for Doerhoefer's tobacco firm. After Doerhoefer's death in 1923, the house became part of the Loretto High School. It is now owned by the Christ Temple Apostolic Church.