

West Front Oak Grove



A grove of trees with lawn, plantings, walkways and benches completes the Bishop John T. Walker Court at the entrance to the Cathedral. This park-like setting in the midst of a busy capital city captures the spirit of the original Olmsted design.

Many of the plants and trees here memorialize or honor individuals or groups. Among them is the Jean C. Vandemark Memorial (1991). This garden, located near the glass elevators, is planted with boxwood, abelia, viburnum, and amsonia.