

Cleveland Architects**Bernard F Vande Velde****Birth/Established:** October 1, 1854 **Death/Dissolved:** October 24, 1920**Biography:**

Bernard Vande Velde was the son of Dutch-born parents. He was raised on China Street, later moving to Pearl Road, and then to 2713 Woodbridge Street, on the west side. In 1880 he was a draftsman with the firm of Heard and Smith and by 1885 was listed as an architect in Cleveland City Directories. In 1885 he had a short-lived partnership with Vincent Wyss, who later practiced in Lancaster, Ohio. Vande Velde was the architect of several significant ecclesiastical buildings for the Roman Catholic diocese in the last decade of the 19th century and the first decade of the 20th century. Notably, he designed the Gothic Revival style Our Lady of Lourdes Church, St. Wenceslas Church, and St. Philemon Church. He never married and was a member of St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church. He died of cancer on October 24, 1920.

Building List

Structure	Date	Address	City	State	Statue
St. Joseph's Church	1877		Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Immaculate Conception of St. Mary School	1885-6	2680 Stoney Ridge	Avon	Ohio	Standing
St. Bridget's School	1885-6	2506 E. 22nd Street	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church and School	1888	5828 Cable Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
St. John's Cathedral School	1888	1031 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Commercial Building for John G. Mueller	1888	6115 Woodland	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
John Meckes Dry Goods Store	1888	1920-8 West 25th Street	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Theodore Sanford Residence	1888	9719 Lamont Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Joseph M. Holecek Residence	1889	3168 West 48th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
St. Stephens School and Teachers Residence	1889	1913-9 West 57th Street	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
James Rochford Residence	1889	1581 East 22nd Street	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Residence for James Rochford	1889	1573 East 22nd Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
William Kees Residence	1889	2710 Vega Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial-Residential Building for John Schuster	1889	10809-11 Cedar Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial - Residential Building for August Theurer	1889	3002 Seymour Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial-Residential Building for Ludwig Retz	1889	1930 Columbus Road	Cleveland	OH	Standing
August Zedler Residence	1890	3293 West 25th Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
St. Patrick's School	1890	3401 Whitman Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Residence for Henry Krosen	1890	4315-7 Whitman Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Standing
Addition to St. Stephen's School	1890	1915 West 57th Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Peter Carroll Residence	1890	1556 East 22nd Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
David Jones Residence	1890	7607 Marble Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished

Commercial-Residential Building for Max Cohen	1890	806-12 Broadway	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
John Metzger Residence	1890	2522 East 39th Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial-Residential Building for Max Cohen	1890	666-70 Broadway	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Sisters of St. Joseph Convent	1890	731 Starkweather	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Adolph and Julius Pletcher Block	1890	1879-1887 Fulton Road	Cleveland	Ohio	Standing
Rectory for St. Bridget Roman Catholic Church	1890	2508 East 22nd Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
St. Augustine's Convent	1890-2	14808 Lake Avenue	Lakewood	Ohio	Demolished
Commercial & Residential Bldg for Patrick C. O'Brien	1891	5421 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Stores and Residence for George Sell	1891	7807-9 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
St. Adalbert School	1891	2333 East 83rd Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
John Monson Residence	1891	1570 East 22nd Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial - Residential building for George Sell	1891	7033 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Our Lady of Lourdes Church	1891	3393 East 55th Street	Cleveland	Ohio	Standing
Immaculate Conception Rectory	1891	4129 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
John O'Donnell Residence	1891	7252 Broadway	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Residence for Elizabeth Bertrand	1891	3700 Woodbine Ave	Cleveland	Ohio	Standing
St. Joseph's Church	1891-5	14316 Saranac Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Residence for Edward Hrabk	1892	3336 West 25th Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial & Residential Bldg for Patrick C. O'Brien	1892	5411-7 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial Building for Jonathan Goetz	1892	1898 West 25th Street	Cleveland	Ohio	Standing
St. Cassimir Church and School	1892		Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Commercial-Residential Building for Christian Durchschlag	1892	2575 Scranton Road	Cleveland	OH	Standing
St. Mary' Pastoral Residence	1892	151 Front Street Berea	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Sacred Heart of St. Mary's	1892	33 Raymond Avenue	Shelby	Ohio	Demolished
St. Wenceslas Church	1892-9	3715 Broadway	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
St. Agnes Church	1893	8000 Euclid Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Holy Name Pastoral Residence	1893	8328 Broadway	Cleveland	Ohio	Standing
Sacristy addition to St. Stephen Roman Catholic Church	1893	1920 West 54th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial-Residential Building for Gerge Engert	1893	10115-7 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial Building for Charles Sauer	1894	3230 Lorain Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Standing
Terrace for Mary Montpelier	1894	5403-17 Chester Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Addition to St. Agnes R. C. Church	1894	8000 Euclid Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Alteration of dwelling to store	1894	418 Prospect Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Entertainment building addition for Svornosh Katalocka Society	1894	4451 Douse Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Apartment House for Mrs. Mary Montpelier	1894	5403-17 Windsor Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Margaret Mulhern Residence	1894	1508 Chester Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Residence for James Rochford	1894-5	1609 East 22nd Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
St. Mary's of the Assumption School	1895	1950 West 30th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial-Residential Building for Peter Carroll	1895	1316 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Addition to St. Vincent's Hospital	1895-6	2315 East 22nd Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Henry Fischer Residence	1896	1429 West 81st Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished

Commercial-Residential Building for Anna Wandel	1896	7921-3 Lorain Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
St. Stephen's Church Rectory additions and alterations	1896	1930 West 54th Street	Cleveland	Ohio	standing
Commercial-Residential Building for Patrick O'Donnell	1897	3516 Detroit Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial-Residential Building for the Leisy Brewing Company	1898	9216 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Residence for Mrs Mary Ann Wilshaw	1898	2207 East 86th Street	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Commercial-Residential Building for Leisy Brewing Company	1899	9216 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Apartments	1899	2135-9 Franklin	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
St. Catherine School addition	1900		Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
3 story wood apartment for Mike Gleason	1901	5702 Cedar Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Triple Residence for Henry Vottler	1901	1412-8 Abbey Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Additions to St. Peter's School	1901	1720 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Immaculate Conception Church	1902	103 West 4th Street	Port Clinton	Ohio	Standing
Apartment Building for Ludwig Retz	1903	1936 Columbus Road	Cleveland	OH	Standing
St. Philemon Church	1903		East Cleveland	Ohio	Standing
Apartment Building (16 suites) for M.P. Platten	1904		Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
St. Augustine Parish House	1904	2486 West 14th Street	Cleveland	Ohio	Standing
Two story store and auditorium for Joseph Slezak and Thomas Kurtz	1904	800 - 4 College Street	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
J. Spang Baking Company Stables	1906	2701 Barber Ave	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Commercial Building for Chritopher Hoflich	1909	9912 Lorain Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Standing
Residence for Fred A. Sanders	1912	11206 Clifton Boulevard	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Two family residence for H.J. Van DeVelde	1915	1296 W. 116th A	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
St. Mary's Church remodeling	nd	708 Erie Street	Grafton	Ohio	Demolished
St. Mary's Church remodeling	nd	145 Front Street	Berea	Ohio	Demolished
St. Mary's Church remodeling	nd		Wakeman	Ohio	Standing
Immaculate Conception Church	nd	45 West Vine Street	Willoughby	Ohio	Demolished
John Heiser Residence	nd	16160 Euclid Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Alexander Gunn Residence	nd	1655 Davenport Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Thomas Goodwillie Residence	nd	5219 Prospect Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Gen D.W. Caldwell Residence	nd	11200 Lake Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished

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