

# ENGLISH HERITAGE REVIEW OF DIOCESAN CHURCHES 2005 (EXTRACT)

## The Sacred Heart, Newhaven

The Priest's House, 36 Fort Road, Newhaven, East Sussex BN9 9EJ



### HISTORIC IMPORTANCE OF CHURCH

ARCHITECT(S) & DATE(S): W E B Romain, clerk of works 1898

LISTED STATUS: not listed

IN CONSERVATION AREA: No

LIST DESCRIPTION: N/A

POSSIBLE AMENDMENTS/ADDITIONS TO LIST DESCRIPTION AND/OR  
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: N/A

HISTORY AND BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF CHURCH IF NOT LISTED:

A brick and flint building in a simple neo-Norman style with triplets of stepped lancets. The church appears to have been extended at the sanctuary end and to have had a completely new roof and windows. According to D R Elleray it was designed by W Romaine Walker but this can not be verified and the building does not seem to be of the quality or calibre one would expect of an established London architect with a national practice.

#### SOURCES

D Robert Elleray *Sussex Places of Worship* 2004

#### **STATEMENT OF IMPORTANCE**

The Sacred Heart is a modest round-arched style building the character of which has been eroded by changes over the years. I do not consider the church merits statutory listing.