

# Alpena's Places of Worship: A Historical Tour from 1860-1890

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## Key terms:

### Architecture Styles:

- Gothic Revival (1840 -1880)
  - Defined by a steeply pitched roof, pointed-arch shape windows, and inspiration drawn from medieval design
- Richardsonian Romanesque (1880 - 1900)
  - Defined by round-topped arches over windows, rough-faced stonework, round towers with conical roofs, and asymmetrical façade.

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- Corbeled brick
  - a shelf or ledge formed by projecting successive courses of masonry out from the face of the wall.
- Mansard roof
  - a four-sided gambrel-style hip roof characterized by two slopes on each of its sides with the lower slope
- Parapets
  - a low protective wall along the edge of a roof, bridge, or balcony.
- Rusticated stone base
  - cut stone, with smooth or roughly textured block faces
- Tripartite
  - divided into or composed of three parts.
- Tracery
  - ornamental stone openwork, typically in the upper part of a Gothic window.
- Voussoirs
  - a wedge-shaped or tapered stone used to construct an arch.