



Imagery

1. The large iris is in memory of Susan’s late husband who loved to tend to his rooftop garden located right above the mural.

2. Flowers in the decorative Bohemian style were taken from the Bohemian Cafe across the street. They reference the rich Czech culture in the neighborhood.

3. This green space with people dancing and celebrating together is a vision of the future. We would like this mural to inspire more community gatherings at which neighbors can foster relationships and grow together.

4. This allegorical figure of a woman dances into the scene celebrating the vibrant past and the evolving future of 13th Street. She is modeled after Erica of the Wallflower Vintage Shop wearing one of her vintage dresses, and represents the melding of new business life with an appreciation of the culture of the past. The figure’s style is taken from the Czech artist Alphonse Mucha.

5. This film strip refers to the old Berkeley Theatre on 13th Street. Each frame is filled with a snapshot from the neighborhood. From bottom left to upper right the images include: the Donut Stop morning crew, Caroline and Bella from Rebel Interactive, the Lady Justice statue from the Koenig|Dunne law firm, two women in Bohemian dress celebrating the move of the Bohemian Cafe, Sokol Gymnasts, Phil Wherley’s early start to a career in printing, a couple dancing polka at Vocelka’s, Franky playing accordion at Vocelka’s, and a young girl getting penny candy from the old candy shop.

6. Architectural designs in the arches include elements from the Prague Hotel and other buildings along 13th Street. Both the Czech and Italian influences can be seen, including art nouveau designs by Alphonse Mucha.

7. These arches provide a view onto 13th Street’s past and present. From left to right you can see: Hempel Sheet Metal and Sokol Gymnastics, Frank Foreman at his barber shop, a modern view of the Donut Stop the Why Not and the Law Firm, St. Francis Cabrini Catholic Church, the Prague Hotel, the old Bohemian Cafe, and a streetcar in front of The Golden Goose.

8. Garden tools and vegetables refer to the new community garden started by the Dahlman Neighborhood Association on 14th and Williams Street.

9. Three houses represent the unique and charming architecture of the homes in the neighborhood.