Contents

List of Illustrations	ix
List of Maps	xi
Preface	xiii
Acknowledgements	XV
A Note on Terminology	xvii
Introduction	1
1. A pious people	14
2. Each should tend his own garden: Strategies, 1520-1566	44
3. Retribution and reform, 1566–1571	68
4. 'Catholics were not asked': Rebellion, 1572-1585	94
5. Reconciliation and atonement, 1585–1598	125
6. Marshalling the sacred, 1598–1621	159
Epilogue: Tilburg, 1633	192
Appendix: The principal Catholic diarists and memoirists	
discussed in the text	203
Bibliography	207
Index	233