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## Former Methodist Church



27 Harding Street,  
Portarlinton - Exterior Side  
View



27 Harding Street,  
Portarlinton - Exterior Front  
Door



27 Harding Street,  
Portarlinton - Exterior Side  
View



27 Harding Street,  
Portarlinton - Exterior -  
Garage



27 Harding Street,  
Portarlinton - Exterior - Roof

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### Location

27 Harding Street, PORTARLINGTON VIC 3223 - Property No 252460

### Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

### Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

### Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1564

### Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

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## Statement of Significance

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### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The former Portarlington Methodist Church was opened in the 1870s. It has been significantly altered for use as a private residence . It is of historic and social significance to the local Portarlington community. The former Portarlington Methodist Church was one of the many Wesleyan Methodist places of worship on the Peninsula, but the only one in Portarlington. , It is of LOCAL cultural significance.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Greater Geelong - Bellarine Heritage Study, Huddle, Howe, Lewis and Francis, 1996;
Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Hermes Number	21445
Property Number	

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## Physical Description 1

The site consists of the original church to the south , with new extensions to the north in a sympathetic style . The current building has been altered to suit a private residence. A photograph c1912 shows a simple dark brick church, with brick buttresses, a steep pitch gable roof clad with tiles and pointed arch motif windows with paned glass. The original form, the window openings and the timber finials and pendants on the gable ends are still visible. The roof has been reclad in corrugated metal, and the walls appear to have been rendered and painted .

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