# ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH



196901\_Axedale\_Drake Street\_010\_img02



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## Location

10 DRAKE STREET, AXEDALE - PROPERTY NUMBER 196901, GREATER BENDIGO CITY

## Municipality

**GREATER BENDIGO CITY** 

### Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## **Heritage Overlay Numbers**

**HO54** 

## **Heritage Listing**

**Greater Bendigo City** 

#### Statement of Significance

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#### What is significant?

St Paul's Anglican Church to the extent of the 1913 stone building and the weatherboard hall removed from Junortoun are significant. The small toilets/store are not significant.

#### How is it significant?

St Paul's Anglican Church, Axedale is locally significant to the City of Greater Bendigo.

#### Why is it significant?

St Paul's Anglican Church is of historical significance as one of the three remaining churches in Axedale, demonstrating the sectarian divide between Catholics and Protestants. *Criterion A* 

The church is of aesthetic significance for its demonstration of the principal elements of the Primitive Gothic style , including the gable roof, pointed arch windows and side porch. *Criterion E* 

St Paul's is of social significance for the Axedale community as a place of continuous worship for over 100 years. *Criterion G* 

Heritage Greater Bendigo - Former Shires of McIvor and Strathfieldsaye Heritage Study,

Study/Consultant Context P/L, 2008;

Construction dates 1913,

Architect/Designer Beebe, John,

Hermes Number 32571

**Property Number** 

#### **Physical Description 1**

St Paul's Anglican Church was designed in the Primitive Gothic style and built in 1913 and is a very late example of this style. it resembles a number of churches in the study area but is unusual for the roof ventilators which are more commonly seen on school buildings of the period. Variations in building materials are evident across the Bendigo region and St Paul's, like St Mary's and St Andrew's, are all of the local bluestone from the Axedale quarry. The stone is squared and coursed and decoration is confined to brick dressings around the door and window openings, and a label mould above the entry door. The windows have diamond pattern leaded glass. The site comprises the church and a weatherboard hall (removed from Junortoun)linked by a roof to a small timber building close to the church.

#### **Physical Conditions**

Good

## Integrity

High

#### **Historical Australian Themes**

## 8 Building Community Life

## 8.1 Maintaining Spiritual Life

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