# **Church of Christ**



Church of Christ 514 Dandenong Rd, Caulfield, August 1994

# Location

514 Dandenong Road CAULFIELD NORTH, Glen Eira City

Municipality

GLEN EIRA CITY

### Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

### **Heritage Overlay Numbers**

HO20

# **Heritage Listing**

Glen Eira City

# **Statement of Significance**

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The Dandenong Road Church of Christ has regional importance as a landmark building along the Dandenong Road. It successfully addresses its triangular site by placing the belltower at the apex, deploying Romanesque and Gothic elements freely and to dramatic effect, heightened by the symbolism of the Cross (compare Robert Haddon's St Stephens in Balaclava Road of 1926).

| Heritage<br>Study/Consultant | Glen Eira - Caulfield Conservation Study, Andrew Ward, Architectural Historian, 1994; |
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| Hermes Number                | 43594   |
| Property Number              |   |

# **Physical Description 1**

A prominently situated Romanesque influenced church with central battlemented bell tower surmounting the entrance and incorporating a cross in the stucco work on each elevation.

Flanking battlemented and curved walls link with the nave which has comer buttresses with cupola terminations. Windows are flat and segmental arched and there is interesting corbelled brickwork.

### **Physical Description 2**

Integrity: Good, later sympathetic rear hall, stucco overpainted.

# **Physical Description 3**

Condition: good

# **Historical Australian Themes**

#### Worship (Church of Christ)and Caulfield asa pre~eminentinterwar suburb

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