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## Former Gaelic Church & Schoolhouse



B4268 Frmr Gaelic Church



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Interior

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### Location

271 Latrobe Terrace,, GEELONG VIC 3220 - Property No B4268

### Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

### Level of significance

State

### Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H1121

### Heritage Listing

National Trust

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### Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 21, 2005

A combined church and school house built in 1853-4 to the design of John Young and of interest on historical, religious and architectural grounds. It is one of the most intact surviving examples of the government subsidised church-schools of the 1850s, the oldest surviving Free Presbyterian church in Victoria, and its first congregation was largely immigrants from the Scottish highlands. It has a design of a distinctive though naive Tudor character rendered particularly attractive by the combination of local sandstone and old brickwork.

Classified: 26/10/1978

Revised: 03/08/1998

See also B1146 Free Presbyterian Church (next door).

First Classified 3/3/88

Revised: Classified State 3/8/98

Hermes Number 68290

Property Number

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