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# St George's Presbyterian Church & Manse (former)

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## Location

245 Latrobe Terrace, GEELONG VIC 3220 - Property No 202527

## Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO223

## Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

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## Statement of Significance

Last updated on - December 6, 2018

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### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The original large nave of St. Georges Presbyterian Church, with vestry and apse constructed of irregularly coursed basalt with Hawksbury River freestone dressings, was erected in 1861 by contractors Brown and Gibson.

St. Georges Presbyterian church was formed in 1861 by a breakaway group from the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Yarra Street. The large and finely constructed church reflects the wealth of many of the church's foundation patrons, which included Francis Ormond and other Western District Squatters. The church, as completed, is a significant and intact work of noted ecclesiastical architect Billing. Important Presbyterian church historian, the Rev. A.J. Campbell, was the first incumbent.

Removed From City Fringe Heritage Area (HO1639)

Heritage Study/Consultant	Greater Geelong - Geelong Region Historic Buildings and Objects Study Volume 2, Allan Willingham, 1986; Greater Geelong - Geelong City Urban Conservation Study, Volumes 2-5, Graeme Butler, 1991; Greater Geelong - Geelong City Urban Conservation Study Volume 1, Graeme Butler, 1993; Greater Geelong - Geelong City Urban Conservation Study, Volume 4(a), Helen Lardner, 1995; Geelong City Fringe Heritage Area Review, RBA Architects + Conservation Consultants, 2018;
Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Hermes Number	15797
Property Number	

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