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# St Peters Church

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## Location

25 Percy Street, NEWTOWN VIC 3220 - Property No 203985

## Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO229

## Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

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## Statement of Significance

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### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

St Peter's Church of England Newtown is an early work of pioneer Geelong architect Joseph L. Shaw, being erected in this relatively unadorned chapel was built of regular coursed squared basalt rubble with Barrabool sandstone dressings.

The church, although one of the oldest surviving in Geelong is eclipsed for architectural importance by many other Churches designed by JL Shaw a noted and prolific ecclesiastical architect in the Geelong region.

### RECOMMENDATIONS: PROTECTIVE MEASURES

Geelong Regional Commission Register.

### REFERENCES

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Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Hermes Number	16212
Property Number	

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