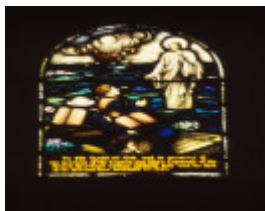

Stained Glass Window at Melbourne Chapel of St. Peter, Missions to Seafarers Anglican Chapel



Melbourne Missions to Seamen BR&Co 1947

Location

717 Flinders Street, Melbourne, MELBOURNE CITY

Municipality

MELBOURNE CITY

Level of significance

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Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

Heritage Study/Consultant

Vic War Heritage Inventory - Stained Glass Memorial Windows Study, Bronwyn Hughes, 2013;

Architect/Designer

Brooks, Robinson & Co,

Hermes Number

196673

Property Number

Memorial Window References & Acknowledgements

Argus, 13 December 1947, p.44.

Memorial Window Subject

Christ and the Seamen from *Jervis Bay*

Memorial Window Text

n/a

Memorial Window Inscription

To the Glory of God, and in memory of the heroism of the Captain and Ship's Company of the Armed Merchant Cruiser 'Jervis Bay' and the men of the Merchant Navy November 5th 1940.

Memorial Window Description & History

The Reverend FL Oliver was responsible for ordering many memorial windows for St. Peter's Chapel at the Mission for Seamen, Melbourne -from 1933 to 1958. The memorial to the men of HMAS *Jervis Bay* given by the Ballarat branch of the Seaman's Mission and the Ladies' Guild, was unveiled by Chaplain Oliver on 14 December 1947. The small round-headed window measured 24 1/2 x 17 1/4 inches and was ordered from Brooks, Robinson & Co. in May of that year. The design showed men on a life raft, seeing the vision of Christ before them and the *Jervis Bay* sinking on the horizon in the background. A second window, *Jesus at the House of Martha and Mary*, was unveiled during the same service; a memorial to Miss Karen Brady who was killed during the blackout while returning home from work at the Mission.

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