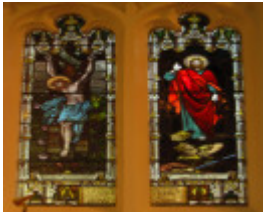

Stained Glass Window at Maffra St.John's Anglican Church



Maffra St Johns Anglican Church

Location

Church Street, Maffra, WELLINGTON SHIRE

Municipality

WELLINGTON SHIRE

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

Dancey, George H, Brown, John W, Brooks, Robinson & Co,

Hermes Number

197022

Property Number

Memorial Window References & Acknowledgements

Gippsland Times, 31 March 1919, p.3; 19 June 1919, p.3.

Memorial Window Subject

Crucifixion/Resurrection

Memorial Window Text

Greater love hath no man than this, that a man may lay down his life for his friends. John XX.13 I am the resurrection and the life

Memorial Window Inscription

To the Glory of God and to perpetuate the memory of the men of this parish who fell in the Great War 1914 1918
[LH] Erected by Rebecca Mills [RH] Erected by the congregation

Memorial Window Description & History

When the commemorative window to VAD Louie B Riggall was erected in March 1919, there was already mention of a companion window to be installed in the chancel. The Bishop of Gippsland, Dr. Cranswick, at the conclusion of his address at the unveiling, noted that 'Mrs. J. Mills had promised a memorial window in honour of local men who had paid the supreme sacrifice, while another would be paid for by voluntary donations'. Rebecca Mills was a generous benefactor to the church over many years. The window by Brooks, Robinson & Co. of Melbourne was installed by June of the same year when the church was visited by the Governor-General and Lady Helen Munro-Ferguson, who came specifically to see the two war memorial windows as part of their tour of the district.

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