
Stained Glass Window at Portland Wesley Methodist [now Uniting] Church



Portland Wesley Church St George

Location

Percy Street, Portland, GLENELG SHIRE

Municipality

GLENELG 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	Unknown,
Hermes Number	197043
Property Number	

Memorial Window References & Acknowledgements

Argus, 20 November 1922, p.11; *Portland Guardian*, 16 November 1922, p.2.

Memorial Window Subject

St. George

Memorial Window Text

St. George

Memorial Window Inscription

In memory of those who died and of those who served in the Great War 1914-1918

Memorial Window Description & History

This tall round-headed window was designed in the light-filled plain style often preferred by Methodist architects and congregations. The figure of *St. George*, with shield and sword, was set against a rectangular quarry background. The head of the window featured the Palm and Crown, emblems of Peace and Victory, with the same used as an alternating pattern in the border. Below the figure of the saint were the crossed flags of Britain and Australia. Although the maker is unknown, the stance and treatment of *St. George* has similarities with versions by Brooks, Robinson & Co. The window was unveiled on Henty Day, Sunday 19 November 1922, by the President of the Methodist Conference, the Reverend Joseph Snell.

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