
Church of Christ



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Location

55 Hamilton PI HAMILTON, Southern Grampians Shire

Municipality

SOUTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Level of significance

Stage 2 study complete

Heritage Listing

Southern Grampians Shire

Statement of Significance

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SIGNIFICANCE: » Important as the building of one of the minor denominations. Sits well at the transition in the streetscape between the road to the Henty Highway and the grid of the town plan.

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

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55 Hamilton Place

Built on land originally sold by the Crown to J Phillips in 1857, the Church of Christ is of local significance for its architecture and its historical associations with one of the minor denominations in Hamilton. The church, apparently built between the wars, is in a traditional Gothic style which has been pared down in detail and has

domestic overtones. The sense of Gothic style is created by the windows, the bellcast section of the roof and the fleche which crowns it. The simplicity of the detailing, the materials and the scale of the building suggest a domestic informality.

The building is substantially intact and in good condition. It sits well at the transition in the streetscape between the road to the Henty Highway and the grid of the town plan.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Southern Grampians - City of Hamilton Conservation Study, Timothy Hubbard with Carlotta Kellaway & Michael Looker (plus Francis Punch), 1991;
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Physical Description 1

MATERIALS:

Roof: »corrugated iron

Walls: »rendered brick

Dressings: »timber

Plinth: »clinker brick

Windows: »timber double hung sash

Paving: »concrete

Other: »leadlighting in windows

Integrity

INTEGRITY: E

CONDITION: E

Physical Description 2

NOTABLE FEATURES:» The bellcast roof section and fleche in main ridge.

Historical Australian Themes

ASSOCIATED HISTORIC THEMES

Evolution of the Town: 1930s

Religion:Church of Christ

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