
Chapel Of Adult Deaf Society Of Victoria



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Location

101 Wellington Parade South,, EAST MELBOURNE VIC 3002 - Property No B4751

Municipality

MELBOURNE CITY

Level of significance

Regional

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

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Resembling Greek and Italian Byzantine churches, this stuccoed church, with its shaped brick trim, expressed voussoirs and corbelled eaves, was built in 1929 by T J Armstrong to the design of the architects Gawler and Drummond, for the Adult Deaf Society.

Set in an implied octagonal plan and covered by a Marseilles-pattern hipped roof, the church is set on axis with the main gates of Palmer Square and almost centrally within the square itself: its raised octagonal tower, with centred oculus, is a dominant visual element in both the Square and the building.

It is one of a small group of churches in the Mediterranean style built in the State prior to World War Two, and was at the time a rare example of an interdenominational church in Victoria.

Classified: 03/11/1983

File Note. Chapel is part of Jolimont Square.

Hermes Number 65853

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