

City of Greater Geraldton Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places Place Record

Area:	Greenoug	n Pla	ce Number	: 49	Categ	gory:	1	
Assessr	nent Date:	23/09/1997	7 Las	st Revisior	n Date:	09/0)2/2005	
HCWA	Number:	1167	Ass	set ID:		MCI	H12690	7

PLACE DETAILS

Name:	WesleyChurch
Other Names:	WesleyChapel
Type of Place:	Church
Address:	CnrCompany & McCartney Roads
Suburb:	Greenough

LOCATION

Мар	Geraldton	GPS	6795194.00	GPS	279567.000
Reference:	S.E.	Northing:	0000	Easting:	000

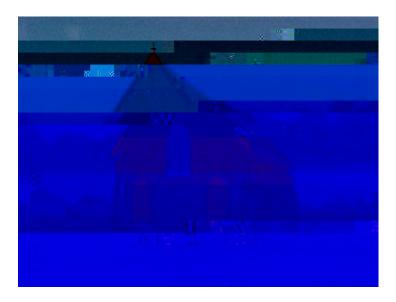


Photo Description: 16/09/2004 Henkel Wesley Church, north and east elevations

SITE DETAILS

Lot No.:	Part Lot CG 85		
Reserv No.:	36061	Assess No.:	63594
Dia/Plan:	231869	Vol/Fol:	

USE OF PLACE

Original Use: Current Use:	Church Not in use		
Ownership:			
Public Access:	No	Occupied:	Not Occupied

DESCRIPTION

Walls:LimestoneRoof:Condition:GoodIntegrity:Original fabric:Modifications:Integrity:

Wesley Church, located on the south east comer of the intersection of Company and McCartney Roads opposite Gray's Store [Place No. 50], is a tall Victorian Gothic Revival random rubble limestone building. Originally a shingled roof, the place has a steeply pitched and recently re-sheeted gable comugated colorbond roof. The side walls and comers of the church are buttressed from just below roof level to form three structural bays down each side. Eside G G a ú r bays

Colorbond

The foundation stone for the Wesley Church was laid in 1867 by Joseph Hardey of Tianby House in Maylands. Land for the church was donated by John Mills. The place was constructed using ticket of leave labour and opened for worship in 1870. Many of Greenough's early settlers were members of the strong Wesleyan Community which was led by the Waldeck family, who lived in nearby Mt Pleasant [Place No. 29]. In October 1912 the Waldeck memorial windows were dedicated. Due to a declining population, the church was closed and the pews were sent to the Methodist Church Hall in Geraldton and the pulpit to Mullewa. In December 1955 half the roof was tom of the Wesleyan Church in a storm, fortunately the memorial windows were not damaged. (Sources: Palassis Architects, "Greenough District Conservation Masterplan", 1995, pp 173, 212, Geraldton Guardian 20/12/1955 & Greenough-Walkaway Heritage Tiail)

HISTORIC THEMES

HC WA:	400 Social and civic activities
	406 Religion
	602 Early settlers
AHC:	8.6.4 Making places for worship
	8.6 Worshipping
	7.6.12 Conserving Australia's heritage

STATEMENT OF SIG NIFIC ANCE

The Wesley Church has high historic and social significn

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OTHER LISTING S

Shire of Greenough - Town Planning Scheme (43), 01/01/1970 National Tiust of WA - Classified, 01/01/1970 Australian Heritage Commission - Register, 01/01/1970 Heritage Council of WA - Register, 01/01/1970

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

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Photographs:

G HS0157 a nniversary (1939), G HS1419 Waldeck windows (1955), G HS1575 church ruin (n.d.), G HS1579 church ruin (1967), G HS1580 church ruin (n.d.), G HS1718 unveiling G