

# City of Greater Geraldton Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places Place Record

Area: Greenough Place Number: 221 Category: 5

Assessment Date: 09/12/2005 Last Revision Date: 11/03/2010 HCWA Number: 13755 Asset ID: 11/03/2010

# **PLACE DETAILS**

Name: Moonyoonooka Anglican Church Site

Other Names: St Martin's Anglican Church

**Type of Place:** Site

Address: Geraldton-Mount Magnet Road

**Suburb:** Moonyoonooka

# **LOCATION**

**Map** 16.16 **GPS** 6815462.00 **GPS** 268110.000

Reference: Northing: 0000 Easting: 000



# **Photo Description:**

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## **SITE DETAILS**

**Lot No.:** Lot 542

Reserv No.: Assess No.: 15301

Dia/Plan: Vol/Fol:

# **USE OF PLACE**

Original Use: Church
Current Use: Site

Ownership:

Public Access: No Occupied: Not Occupied

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Walls: Not applicable Roof: Not applicable

**Condition:** Fair **Integrity:** 

Original fabric: Modifications:

Located on the corner of the Geraldton-Mount Magnet Road and the Moonyoonooka-Narra Tarra Road is the site of St Martin's Anglican Church. There remains no evidence of the former church on the site.

# **HISTORY**

Construction Date: 1914 Source: Doncaster

Architect: Unknown Builder: Unknown

Anglican services had been held at Moonyoonooka as early as 1886. A wooden church was built at Moonyoonooka in 1914 and deicated by Archbishop Riley on 8 November 1914. The building was sold during World War II and replaced with a former army hut in 1948. The first service was held in the new church on Christmas Day 1948 and the building was dedicated by Bishop Frewer on 21 August 1949. The last service was held in this church on 11 August 1963. The building was sold in October 1966.

#### HISTORIC THEMES

**HCWA:** 406 Religion

405 Sport, recreation and entertainment

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AHC: 8.6.4 Making places for worship

8.10.1 Making music

## STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Moonyoonooka Anglican Church Site has high significance as a site of community worship in the Moonyoonooka district. The site also provides evidence of the increasing importance of Moonyyooka as a regional settlement from the 1890s and the consequent decline of the community since the 1960s.

## **MANAGEMENT CATEGORY**

Management Category: 5

**Level of Significance:** HISTORIC SITE: The site has historic significance

for its previous use and its role in the historical

development of the locality.

Management Recommendation:

Proposed development may need to have regard to possible archaeological evidence remaining on the site. Recognise and interpret

the site if feasible. This may be achieved

through a variety of methods including, but not limited to, signage, public art, paving treatment and landscaping as well as design treatment of

any new development which reflects the

former use of the site.

#### OTHER LISTINGS

No other listings

#### SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Doncaster, E.W. (Rev), One Hundred Years on the Greenough.

#### OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos

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