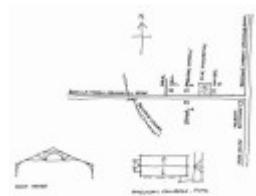


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Location

1281 Bacchus Marsh-Balliang Road BALLIANG, MOORABOOL SHIRE

Municipality

MOORABOOL SHIRE

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO126

Heritage Listing

Moorabool Shire

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 1, 1995

An Early English Gothic Anglican timber church designed by Frank Lee and built in Balliang (formerly Staughton Vale) township in 1912.

It is of local historical significance in embodying Balliang and its way of life, the aspirations of its residents and the religious development of its country life. Socially significant as central to the identity of Balliang, as a traditional meeting place and community focus.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Moorabool - Bacchus Marsh Heritage Study 1995, Richard Peterson and Daniel Catrice, 1995;
Architect/Designer	Lee, Frank,
Other Names	St George's Church of England,
Hermes Number	114978
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Physical Conditions

Excellent, despite the lack of spouting.

Intactness

Excellent. Ogee spouting has been removed.

Physical Description 1

St George's Anglican Church, Balliang is an Early English Gothic timber church, with three bays to the nave and liturgically correct orientation.

There is a 10-pane lancet window and a gable roof vent to each bay. The east end has an incised semi-circular half round decoration over a jerkin-head roofed narthex and porches each side, with balustrades. Vestries form transepts, with a leadlight window in the chancel, north side. Rafters are exposed. Inside, two steps rise at the chancel which has a pseudo-four centred arch. Timber pews have cast-iron frames. The roof trusses are exposed, with a semi-circular pattern similar to the gable-ends.

Historical Australian Themes

Townships, Community Life

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