Stained Glass Window at Murrumbeena Koornang [formerly St. Giles' Presbyterian] Uniting Church



Murrumbeena St Giles Koornang Uniting

Location

117 Murrumbeena Road, Murrumbeena, GLEN EIRA CITY

Municipality

GLEN EIRA CITY

Level of significance

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Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

Heritage Vic War Heritage Inventory - Stained Glass Memorial Windows Study, Bronwyn

Study/Consultant Hughes, 2013;

Architect/Designer Kellock, David Taylor,

Hermes Number 196807

Property Number

Memorial Window References & Damp; Acknowledgements

Argus, 10 November 1933, p.11; St. Giles Presbyterian Church Murrumbeena (An Outline of Sixty-five Years of Progress) 1890-1955, Murrumbeena 1955, pp.27-8.

Memorial Window Subject

Turning of Swords into Ploughshares

Memorial Window Text

n/a

Memorial Window Inscription

To the Glory of God and in memory of those who served 1914-1918 1939-1945

Memorial Window Description & Emp; History

St. Giles' Presbyterian Church was designed by Melbourne architect, Louis R Williams, in 1933. Only one stained glass window was installed prior to the Second World War when a program of filling the leadlight windows was prepared, and largely completed, by David Taylor Kellock (1913-1988). The subject of this window is the allegorical turning of swords into ploughshares. Each light holds a full length figure, apparently of a worker, possibly a reaper, a blacksmith and a scyther or tiller of soil.

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