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# VICTORIAN CHURCHES

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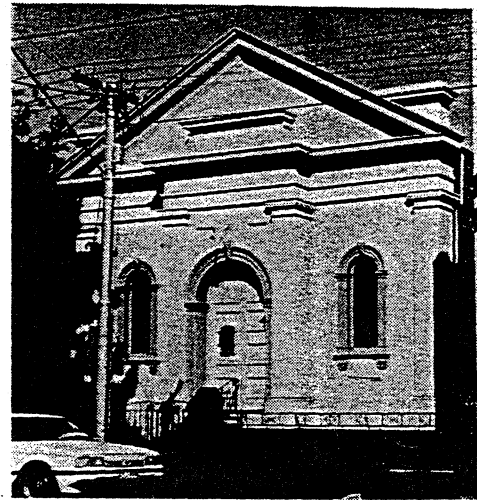
118. St Martin's, cnr Cromwell Road & Wilson Street, Hawksburn  
 Anglican 1883-87 [1922]  
 Architect Edmund G. Ovey [A. & K. Henderson, Alsop & Martin]

Gothic-Polychrome/Polytexture: Full Polychrome  
 A polychrome brick church designed by E.G. Ovey and built in 1883-87. The exterior is of particular interest for its elaborate diaper patterned brickwork and polychromatic voussoirs and the apse focussing upon a three-light window. The interior retains its timber fittings, stained glass and Fincham pipe organ of 1887. The crenellated tower was added in 1922.

- 5. Special Exterior Form or Treatment: three-light gabled apse window similar in treatment to Holy Trinity, Balaclava; elaborately patterned brickwork
- 8. Joinery, Furniture & Fittings: oak altar by Robert Prenzel, 1913
- 9. Organ: Fincham 1887



119. Church of Christ, 220-30 High Street, Prahran  
 Church of Christ 1880s  
 Architect unknown Classical: Pedimented  
 A Church of Christ believed to have been built after 1880, making it one of the later examples of the classical pedimented Nonconformist church form.



120. Baptist, 88 Kooyong Road, Armadale  
 Baptist 1898  
 Architect Sydney Smith Romanesque: Blood & Bandage

A church built in 1898 to the design of Sydney Smith in a very advanced style derived essentially from the Romanesque and characterised by the contrast of cement dressings against pressed red brick, though here also with dark brick diapering and chequerboard gables. The interior space is centralised, with ramped floor and fine timber furnishings, and now includes a Fincham organ originally made for the Baptist Church in East Melbourne.

- 8. Joinery, furniture & Fittings
- 9. Organ: Fincham 1877



121. Congregational, 250 Malvern Road, Prahran  
 Congregational 1858  
 Architect Crouch & Wilson Later Gothic: Free Decorated

A bluestone church with cement detailing, built in 1858-59 to the design of Crouch & Wilson, the main façade incorporating a large three-light traceried window with flanking turrets, and a wooden porch to the right. The interior has aisles separated from the nave by wooden columns and a sloping floor. The important pipe organ was built by Frederick W. Nicholson of Bradford in about 1863 and retains its Gothic case and diapered façade pipes.

- 9. Organ: F.W. Nicholson, Bradford c.1863

