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Inventory—Nomination Form

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TEXAS HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY FORM—TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION (rev.8-82)

1. County Williamson WM
City/Rural Georgetown GE

2. Name St. John's Methodist Church
Address 301 E. University

3. Owner St. John's Church c/o Pastor
Address Charles Walton, 301 E.

4. Block/Lot Glasscock/Blk. 24/Lot p. 5

5. USGS Quad No. 3097-313 Site No. 174, Photo 45
UTM Sector 627-3389

6. Date: Factual 1906 Est. _____

7. Architect/Builder C. H. Page of Austin
Contractor _____

8. Style/Type Gothic Revival

9. Original Use religious
Present Use religious

10. Description Stone church; exterior walls with ashlar-cut stone; gable roof with composition shingles; front elevation faces south; stained-glass windows; primary double-door entrance with transom at base of tower; two-story tower with crenelated stone parapet at southwest corner; steeply pitched pyramidal

11. Present Condition excellent

12. Significance Primary area of significance: architecture, ethnic history. A good example of Gothic Revival architecture in Georgetown. Designed by Austin architect C. H. Page who also designed the Williamson County Courthouse (Site

13. Relationship to Site: Moved Date _____ or Original Site (x)scribe mostly residential neighborhood southeast of CBD

14. Bibliography Georgetown Historical Society files, A History of St. John's United Methodist Church Informant D. Moore/HHM Date July 1984

DESIGNATIONS

PHOTO DATA

TNRIS No. _____ Old THC Code _____ B&W 4x5s _____ Slides _____

NR: ☐ RTHL ☐ HABS (no.) TEX _____
☐ Individual ☐ Historic District
☐ Thematic ☐ Multiple-Resource

NR File Name _____

Other _____

YEAR	DRWR	ROLL	FRME		ROLL	FRME
		3	35	to		
		29	8	to	29	13
				to		

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UTM Pt. 14/627040/3389540
Acreage Less than one acre

#3. Owner address (cont'd): University, Georgetown, 78626

#10. Description (cont'd): roof with metal finial capping tower; primary entrance with pointed-arch transom and stained glass; secondary entry on east elevation; all window openings with pointed-arch stone hood molds; windows with fixed stained-glass lights and pointed-arch transom; gable extensions on south, east, and west elevations; lancet window in each gable; beaded mortar work; metal tie rods. Outbuildings include modern brick education wing at rear of property.

#12. Significance (cont'd): No. 417). Founded as early as 1871 by Swedish settlers near Union Hill, located about three miles south of Georgetown. In 1882 a frame church built at present day Westinghouse Rd. and FM 1460. This

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EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

Saint John's Methodist Church (Georgetown
MRA)
Williamson County
TEXAS

Working No. DEC 2 1985
Fed. Reg. Date: _____
Date Due: 1/3/86 - 1/16/86
Action: ACCEPT
RETURN 1-4-86
REJECT
Federal Agency: _____

- ☐ resubmission
☐ nomination by person or local government
☐ owner objection
☐ appeal

Substantive Review: ☐ sample ☐ request ☐ appeal ☐ NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

Recom./Criteria _____
Reviewer _____
Discipline _____
Date _____
_____ see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: ☒ technical corrections cited below
_____ substantive reasons discussed below

1. Name

2. Location

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

4. Owner of Property

5. Location of Legal Description

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

Has this property been determined eligible? ☐ yes ☐ no

7. Description

Condition

- | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> excellent | <input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated |
| <input type="checkbox"/> good | <input type="checkbox"/> ruins |
| <input type="checkbox"/> fair | <input type="checkbox"/> unexposed |

Check one

- ☐ unaltered
☐ altered

Check one

- ☐ original site
☐ moved date _____

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- ☐ summary paragraph
☐ completeness
☐ clarity
☐ alterations/integrity
☐ dates
☐ boundary selection

8. Significance

Period _____ Areas of Significance—Check and justify below

Specific dates _____

Builder/Architect _____

Statement of Significance (*in one paragraph*)

- ☐ summary paragraph
- ☐ completeness
- ☐ clarity
- ☐ applicable criteria
- ☐ justification of areas checked
- ☐ relating significance to the resource
- ☐ context
- ☐ relationship of integrity to significance
- ☐ justification of exception
- ☐ other

9. Major Bibliographical References

X 10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

UTM References _____

X Verbal boundary description and justification *what part of "Blk 24/lot p.5" is being nominated?*

11. Form Prepared By

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

____ national ____ state ____ local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature

title

date

X 13. Other

- ☐ Maps
- ☐ Photographs
- ☒ Other

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Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to _____

Signed *OT Byers* Date *1/14/86* Phone: _____

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AMENDMENTS - FEBRUARY 1986

4. VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION: Glasscock Addition, Block 24, Lots 5 through 8.

12. SIGNIFICANCE, continued: facility was abandoned in 1906 when St. John's Church was built in Georgetown. Services were held in Swedish until the late 1930s or early 1940s. An important landmark for the Swedish community of Georgetown and outlying areas.

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic Group

Name Georgetown MRA
State Williamson County, TEXAS

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

41. Patrick, Woodson & Margaret,
House

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National Register

for Keeper

Attest

Delores Byers 1/14/86

42. Reedy, J.H., House

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National Register

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Attest

Delores Byers 4/29/86

43. Rouser House

Substantive Review

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Attest

Linda McClelland 1/14/86

44. Saint John's Methodist
Church

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National Register

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Attest

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45. Saxon Motor Car Store

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46. Sansom-Schmalenbeck House

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47. Stone, Robert and Lula,
House

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48. Sillure, A.W., House

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49. Taylor-Cooper House

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50. Vaden, W.C. and Kate,
House

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"Historic Resources of Georgetown, Texas" Multiple-
Resource Nomination; city limits and extraterritorial
jurisdiction of Georgetown, Williamson County, Texas.
Photo: David Moore, 1984; neg. with Texas Historical
Commission, Austin.

Site No. 174, St. John's Methodist Church, 301 E.
University, camera looking northeast.

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Please refer to the map in the
Multiple Property Cover Sheet
for this property

Multiple Property Cover Sheet Reference Number: 64000843