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SITE NO. 6

NAME Greater St. Paul A.M.E.Church
ADDRESS 215 West 3rd Street

COUNTY Tom Green
CITY San Angelo
UTM 14/362960/3481880
BLOCK/LOT 1/14,15,16
Miles Addition

ARCHITECT/BUILDER Unknown

OWNER Greater St. Paul AME Church
215 West 3rd Street
San Angelo

DATE: 1927
STYLE: Vernacular

DESCRIPTION

A simple, rectangular building with medium-pitched roof and a gabled entry porch. The one-story brick veneer portion is set on a raised basement of cast stone blocks. Wide monumental stairs lead to the entry porch supported by brick piers. Main entry features double doors with elliptical arched fanlight. Auditorium windows are topped with round arched lights.

Physical condition good Site: original ☒ moved ___date
Alterations

SIGNIFICANCE

Congregation organized in 1883 by Reverend J. W. Walker, former soldier at Fort Concho. St. Paul's was the first all Black church in San Angelo and has helped establish other churches in the city. Built in 1927 during a period of rapid growth in the city, this building replaced a frame structure built about WWI. Located within a prominently Black and Hispanic area, it has been an important community building and a prominent institution for several generations of Black citizens in San Angelo.

Area of Significance Black history Level of Significance local

DESIGNATION: NR NHL RTHL HABS HAER HESI HSI OTHER

RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS

ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION Less than one acre

BIBLIOGRAPHY Historic Inventory of San Angelo, Texas Tech University

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic GroupName San Angelo MRA
State Tom Green County, TEXAS

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

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| 11. Develin House | Substantive Review | for Keeper | Patrick Andrus | 11/25/88 |
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: NOMINATION

PROPERTY Greater St. Paul AME Church
NAME:

MULTIPLE San Angelo MRA
NAME:

STATE & COUNTY: TEXAS, Tom Green

DATE RECEIVED: 10/11/88 DATE OF PENDING LIST: 10/25/88
DATE OF 16TH DAY: 11/10/88 DATE OF 45TH DAY: 11/25/88
DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

REFERENCE NUMBER: 88002548

NOMINATOR: STATE

REASONS FOR REVIEW:

APPEAL: N DATA PROBLEM: N LANDSCAPE: N LESS THAN 50 YEARS: N
OTHER: N PDIL: N PERIOD: N PROGRAM UNAPPROVED: N
REQUEST: N SAMPLE: N SLR DRAFT: N

COMMENT WAIVER: N

☒ ACCEPT ☐ RETURN ☐ REJECT 11/25/88 DATE

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National Register

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

RECOM./CRITERIA _____
REVIEWER _____
DISCIPLINE _____
DATE _____

DOCUMENTATION see attached comments Y/N see attached SLR Y/N

CLASSIFICATION

☐ count ☐ resource type

STATE/FEDERAL AGENCY CERTIFICATION

FUNCTION

☐ historic ☐ current

DESCRIPTION

☐ architectural classification
☐ materials
☐ descriptive text

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

BIBLIOGRAPHY

GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

☐ acreage ☐ verbal boundary description
☐ UTM's ☐ boundary justification

ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTATION/PRESENTATION

☐ sketch maps ☐ USGS maps ☐ photographs ☐ presentation

OTHER COMMENTS

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to

Signed _____ Phone _____

Date _____

MY FATHER'S HOUSE SHALL BE CALLED
A HOUSE OF PRAYER FOR ALL THE PEOPLE
GREATER ST PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH



SA Site No. 6

Roll 12
#13

Roll 12 Church

13 215 West 3rd Street

Photographer: Don Abbe

Date: March 1985

View: south-southeast

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

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