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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM

SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN *HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS*
TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Trinity Episcopal Church

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

248 North Arthur Street

— NOT FOR PUBLICATION

CITY, TOWN

Pocatello

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Second

STATE

Idaho

— VICINITY OF

CODE

16

COUNTY

Bannock

CODE

005

3 CLASSIFICATION**CATEGORY**

☐ DISTRICT
☒ BUILDING(S)
☐ STRUCTURE
☐ SITE
☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC
☒ PRIVATE
☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS
☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED
☐ UNOCCUPIED
☐ WORK IN PROGRESS
ACCESSIBLE
☐ YES: RESTRICTED
☒ YES: UNRESTRICTED
☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE ☐ MUSEUM
☐ COMMERCIAL ☐ PARK
☐ EDUCATIONAL ☐ PRIVATE RESIDENCE
☐ ENTERTAINMENT ☒ RELIGIOUS
☐ GOVERNMENT ☐ SCIENTIFIC
☐ INDUSTRIAL ☐ TRANSPORTATION
☐ MILITARY ☐ OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Trinity Episcopal Church

STREET & NUMBER

248 North Arthur Street

CITY, TOWN

Pocatello

— VICINITY OF

STATE

Idaho

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Bannock County Courthouse

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Pocatello

STATE

Idaho

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

Idaho State Historic Sites Inventory

DATE

1972

— FEDERAL ☒ STATE — COUNTY — LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

Idaho State Historical Society

CITY, TOWN

Boise

STATE
Idaho

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION

☐ EXCELLENT
☒ GOOD
☐ FAIR

☐ DETERIORATED
☐ RUINS
☐ UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

☒ UNALTERED
☐ ALTERED

CHECK ONE

☒ ORIGINAL SITE
☐ MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Trinity Episcopal Church is a Gothic parish church complete with buttresses, lancet windows, and Gothic arched portals. It is constructed of white rusticated sandstone with "Red Idaho Rock" trim, both of which were quarried on the Fort Hall Indian Reservation.

The building is distinguished by an L-shaped plan and a 92' clapboard bell tower with spire. The tower, which was originally shingled, rises from two buttress-like piers which frame a fine stained glass window. The dormers have trefoil stained glass windows and the gable of the wing has a stick ornament.

The Gothic interior has oak furnishings and embossed galvanized iron ceiling panels from Ohio. The stained glass was purchased from Wells Brothers of Chicago. There is an open beam ceiling.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW

☐ PREHISTORIC	☐ ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	☐ COMMUNITY PLANNING	☐ LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	☐ RELIGION
☐ 1400-1499	☐ ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	☐ CONSERVATION	☐ LAW	☐ SCIENCE
☐ 1500-1599	☐ AGRICULTURE	☐ ECONOMICS	☐ LITERATURE	☐ SCULPTURE
☐ 1600-1699	☒ ARCHITECTURE	☐ EDUCATION	☐ MILITARY	☐ SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
☐ 1700-1799	☐ ART	☐ ENGINEERING	☐ MUSIC	☐ THEATER
☒ 1800-1899	☐ COMMERCE	☐ EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	☐ PHILOSOPHY	☐ TRANSPORTATION
☐ 1900-	☐ COMMUNICATIONS	☐ INDUSTRY	☐ POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	☐ OTHER (SPECIFY)
		☐ INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES	1897-1898	BUILDER/ARCHITECT	W. Y. Van Winkle - Mooney &
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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE	Johnson
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The Trinity Episcopal Church is architecturally significant as a good example of a Gothic parish church rendered in stone. Architect W. Y. Van Winkle of Hailey reportedly designed this building after an English parish church in Lancashire.

It was the first stone Episcopal Church in Idaho and one of the few nineteenth Century stone churches in the state. Its fine galvanized iron ceiling is also a rarity and worthy of preservation, as are the stained glass windows. The window behind the altar is especially note-worthy.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Neil, J. M. Saints and Oddfellows, Boise Gallery of Art, 1976, p. 90
Pocatello Tribune, October 9, 1897, p. 1, c. 5; April 12, 1899 p. 1, c. 4-5.

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY less than one acre.

UTM REFERENCES

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VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

This property includes all the land owned by the Trinity Episcopal Church at 248 North Arthur in 1977.

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Don J. Hibbard, Architectural Historian

ORGANIZATION

Idaho State Historical Society

DATE

2 November 1977

STREET & NUMBER

610 North Julia Davis Drive

TELEPHONE

384-2120

CITY OR TOWN

Boise

STATE

Idaho

12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL

STATE X

LOCAL

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE

Merle Wells

TITLE *State Historic Preservation Officer*

DATE 2 November 1977

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

ATTEST:

W. M. ...
DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ARCHEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION
Charles ...
KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

DATE

2-2-78

KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER
DATE 2-1-78



PROPERTY OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

NOV 7 1977

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Trinity Episcopal Church
248 N. Arthur Street
Pocatello, Idaho *Bannock Co.*
J. M. Neil - photographer
1976
Idaho State Historical Society

Side view from the southeast

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