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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
REGISTRATION FORM

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This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form (National Register Bulletin 16A). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the information requested. If any item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional entries and narrative items on continuation sheets (NPS Form 10-900a). Use a typewriter, word processor, or computer, to complete all items.

1. Name of Property

historic name Garfield Methodist Church

other names/site number _____

2. Location

street & number 1302 E. Roosevelt Street not for publication _____
city or town Phoenix vicinity _____
state Arizona code AZ county Maricopa code AZ 013 zip code 85006

3. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, I hereby certify that this nomination request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register Criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant nationally statewide locally. (See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

J. G. Allen AZSHPD 6/23/93
Signature of certifying official Date

ARIZONA STATE PARKS
State or Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria. (See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

Signature of commenting or other official Date

State or Federal agency and bureau

4. National Park Service Certification

I, hereby certify that this property is:

entered in the
National Register

- entered in the National Register Helena Beys 8/10/93
 ___ See continuation sheet.
- ___ determined eligible for the _____
 National Register
 ___ See continuation sheet.
- ___ determined not eligible for the _____
 National Register
- ___ removed from the National Register _____
- ___ other (explain): _____

Signature of Keeper

Date of Action

5. Classification

Ownership of Property (Check as many boxes as apply)

- private
- ___ public-local
- ___ public-State
- ___ public-Federal

Category of Property (Check only one box)

- building(s)
- ___ district
- ___ site
- ___ structure
- ___ object

Number of Resources within Property

Contributing	Noncontributing
<u>1</u>	___ buildings
___	___ sites
___	___ structures
___	___ objects
<u>1</u>	<u>0</u> Total

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register 0

Name of related multiple property listing (Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a multiple property listing.)

Religious Architecture in Phoenix, Arizona

6. Function or Use

Historic Functions (Enter categories from instructions)

Cat: RELIGION Sub: Religious Structure

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Current Functions (Enter categories from instructions)

Cat: RELIGION Sub: Religious Structure

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

7. Description

Architectural Classification (Enter categories from instructions)

Mission/Spanish Colonial Revival

Materials (Enter categories from instructions)

foundation CONCRETE

roof ASPHALT

walls BRICK

other _____

Narrative Description (Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

8. Statement of Significance

Applicable National Register Criteria (Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing)

- A. Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.
- B. Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.
- C. Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.
- D. Property has yielded, or is likely to yield information important in prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations (Mark "X" in all the boxes that apply.)

- A. owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.
- B. removed from its original location.
- C. a birthplace or a grave.
- D. a cemetery.
- E. a reconstructed building, object, or structure.
- F. a commemorative property.
- G. less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.

Areas of Significance (Enter categories from instructions)

ARCHITECTURE

Period of Significance 1910-1942

Significant Dates 1926

Significant Person (Complete only if Criterion B is marked above)

Cultural Affiliation N/A

Architect/Builder Wallingford, Vere, O.

Narrative Statement of Significance (Explain the significance of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

9. Major Bibliographical References

Bibliography (Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form on one or more continuation sheets.)

Previous documentation on file (NPS)

- preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested
- previously listed in the National Register
- previously determined eligible by the National Register
- designated a National Historic Landmark
- recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey # _____
- recorded by Historic American Engineering Record # _____

Primary Location of Additional Data:

- State Historic Preservation Office
- Other State agency
- Federal agency
- Local government
- University
- Other
- Name of repository: _____

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property Less than one acre

UTM References (Place additional UTM references on a continuation sheet)

Zone	Easting	Northing	Zone	Easting	Northing
1 <u>12</u>	<u>402130</u>	<u>3702490</u>	3 _____	_____	_____
2 _____	_____	_____	4 _____	_____	_____

____ See continuation sheet.

Verbal Boundary Description (Describe the boundaries of the property on a continuation sheet.)

Boundary Justification (Explain why the boundaries were selected on a continuation sheet.)

11. Form Prepared By

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organization Woodward Architectural Group date September 1991

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city or town Tempe state AZ zip code 85281

Additional Documentation

Submit the following items with the completed form:

Continuation Sheets

Maps

- A **USGS map** (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.
- A **sketch map** for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources.

Photographs

Representative **black and white photographs** of the property.

Additional items (Check with the SHPO or FPO for any additional items)

Property Owner

(Complete this item at the request of the SHPO or FPO.)

name _____

street & number _____ telephone _____

city or town _____ state _____ zip code _____

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Garfield Methodist Church

name of property

Maricopa/Arizona

county and State

Religious Architecture in Phoenix, Arizona

name of multiple property listing

Description

The Garfield Methodist Church was constructed in 1926. It was designed by local architect Vere Wallingford. The building is constructed in the Mission Revival architectural style and represents the Southwestern Regionalism property type. It retains integrity of design, materials, workmanship, and feeling. The Garfield Methodist Church has been in continuous use as a church from 1926 to the present day.

The Garfield Methodist Church is located on the northeast corner of Roosevelt and 13th Streets and faces west onto 13th Street. The site is characterized by grass and asphalt surfaces and open space. No outbuildings are located on the site.

The Garfield Methodist Church is a rectangular, two-story building of wire-cut brick construction. It measures 80 x 40 feet. The gable roof is covered with asphalt shingles. Clay tile is located at the ridges. It has a concrete foundation.

Exterior features include a two-story corner entry vestibule simulating a bell tower. This gable roofed feature is distinguished by a curvilinear parapet punctuated by a round arched bell opening. The walls are detailed with round arched recessed panels that frame the second story circle head casement windows and elliptical arch doorways below. A large round arch focal window at the gable wall and tall round arched windows along the sanctuary walls have been infilled with plaster. Other windows are wood casements with four to twelve lites per leaf.

Alterations include infilled windows of stucco finish which are recessed to still retain the shape of the original brick openings. The original entrance doors have been relocated to the outer arch of the vestibule.

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Statement of Significance

The Garfield Methodist Church is significant under Criteria C in the area of Significance of Architecture. Designed by local architect Vere Wallingford and built in 1926, the Garfield Methodist Church is a good local example of the Mission Revival architectural style and therefore represents the historic context "Religious Architecture in Phoenix, 1910-1942." The building is a good illustration of the Southwestern Regionalism property type. The building possesses the important characteristics of the property type, specifically a design concept based on the revival of the Spanish Colonial architectural themes found throughout the Southwestern United States.

The subtle Mission Revival design of the Garfield Methodist Church is principally conveyed by its corner entry portico detailed at the roof with a curvilinear parapet. Designed to present the image of a bell tower, that element is complemented by a series of large arched window openings on the side walls. The two story arched focal window at the gable wall facade once contained a stained glass window, but is now infilled with stucco. Variations from the true Mission Revival Style include unstuccoed brick masonry and a simple gable roof.

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Arizona Republic. Phoenix, Arizona, 1890-1942, Various Issues.

Phoenix City Directories, Phoenix, Arizona, 1889-1942.

Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps, Phoenix, Arizona, 1893-1942.

Whiffen, Marcus. American Architecture Since 1780: A Guide to the Styles. Cambridge: MIT Press, 1976.

Verbal Boundary Description

The nominated property is located on Lot 12, Block 1 of Mathers Subdivision.

Boundary Justification

The boundary includes the original church site which has historically been associated with the property.