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*N. Smith*

IN THE MATTER OF THE ONTARIO HERITAGE ACT  
1990, R.S.O., CHAPTER 0.18

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE LANDS AND PREMISES  
AT THE FOLLOWING MUNICIPAL ADDRESS IN  
THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

*Oxford*

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

TO: Ontario Heritage Foundation  
77 Bloor Street, West  
Toronto, Ontario  
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TAKE NOTICE that the Council of The Corporation of the City of Woodstock intends to designate the property, including lands and buildings, at the following municipal address as a property of architectural and/or historical value or interest under Part IV of The Ontario Heritage Act, 1990, R.S.O., Chapter 0.18.

MUNICIPALLY KNOWN AS:

Calvary Pentecostal Church  
24 Light Street  
Woodstock, Ontario

REASONS FOR DESIGNATION

a) Architectural:

- Gothic Revival Style
- exterior walls are made of square uncoursed Limestone ashlar
- a red Sandstone is used for trim including:
  - steeply sloped sills with full lugs
  - Gothic arches over window tops
  - labels over windows ending in carved corbel responds (rosettes)
  - windows are arched in the Gothic style with stained glass panels
  - there are three (3) Rose windows complete with stained glass and full Sandstone belt course surrounding them
  - small buttresses are present
  - the North-west corner has a bell tower on the roof
  - the South-west corner roof has a bell-cast roof
  - the roof is slate

b) Historical:

Congregational Church 1885-1917  
Calvary Pentecostal Church 1941-1994  
24 Light Street - Woodstock, Ontario

1885

FORMATION OF THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

In 1885 about 100 people from various local churches joined together under the leadership of Rev. William Cuthbertson M.A., founding pastor, to form the first congregational church in Woodstock. The organizational meeting of this fledgling church was held in the Town Council Chamber. The first public services were conducted in the Court House in 1885.

Dated at Woodstock this 10th day of January, 1994.

*Louise Gartschore*  
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Assistant Clerk