

3600 Newboyne Rd, Newboyne

St. Peter's Anglican Church



Rideau Lakes

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Heritage Significance

Built in the Gothic Revival and Picturesque style, St. Peter's Anglican Church is one of the most impressive churches in the area. Strategically sited on a hill overlooking its accompanying vault and cemetery, the church features local sandstone set in broken courses and a steep gable roof with projecting eaves and verges, plain fascia, and molded soffit along the roofline trim. The front double doors are surrounded by a molded wooden, arched frame topped with stone voussoirs and a steep gable. Gothic style stained-glass windows with plain slip-sills and capped with stone voussoirs and keystones, decorative cresting at the peaks of the roof, and decorative buttresses along the main building and tower complete the elaborate façade. Newboyne was settled in the 1820s by predominantly Irish families who constructed their first church in 1852. It was replaced by St. Peter's in 1873 (interior completed in 1889) to accommodate the quickly rising population.

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