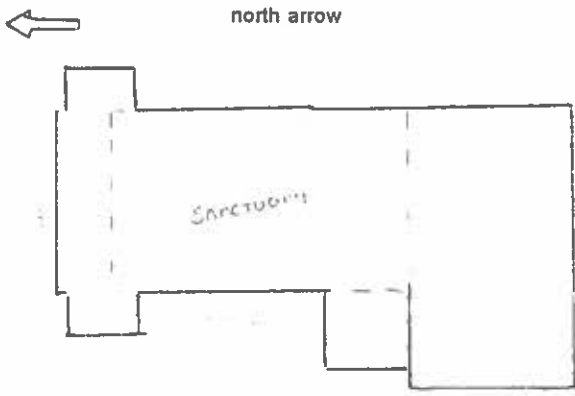


<b>COLORADO HISTORICAL SOCIETY</b> Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation 1300 Broadway Denver, CO 80203  <b>HISTORIC BUILDING INVENTORY</b>		SITE NO.: 5ME8523
COUNTY: Mesa CITY: Grand Junction		Eligible for National Register <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no date _____ initials _____ Criteria <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D Contributes to a potential National Register district <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no district name: _____
HISTORIC BUILDING NAME: First Church of God		Eligible for State Register <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no date _____ initials _____ Criteria <input type="checkbox"/> a <input type="checkbox"/> b <input type="checkbox"/> c <input type="checkbox"/> d <input type="checkbox"/> e Areas of significance: _____ _____
CURRENT BUILDING NAME: Parsonage		LOCAL LANDMARK DESIGNATION: <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no  Date of designation: N/A Designating authority: N/A
ADDRESS: 745 N. 4th St., Grand Junction, CO 81501		P.M.: UTE township: 1S range:1W SE ¼ of SE ¼ of NW¼ of NW¼ of section 14
OWNER NAME & ADDRESS: First Church of God, 745 N. 4th St., Grand Junction, CO 81501		UTM REFERENCE-12 Easting: 710600 Northing: 4327700
		USGS QUAD NAME: Grand Junction  Year: 1962; photorevised 1973 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 7.5' <input type="checkbox"/> 15'
STYLE: English Gothic		Block: 36 Lot(s): 14 - 16 Addition: Year of addition:
BUILDING TYPE:		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original location <input type="checkbox"/> moved  Date of moves(s):
MATERIALS: Concrete Foundation - Brick/Face Brick - Asphalt Shingle Roof		HISTORIC USE: Religious  PRESENT USE: Religious
STORIES: 2	SQUARE FOOTAGE: 6254	DATE OF CONSTRUCTION- estimate: 1939 actual: Source of information: Tax Assessor's Records
PLAN SHAPE: 		ARCHITECT: Unknown  Source of information:
		BUILDER/CONTRACTOR: Unknown  Source of information:
		ORIGINAL OWNER: First Church of God  Source of information: Lot and Block Books
		ASSOCIATED BUILDINGS- <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no  Type:

**ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION:** One story, side gable roof. Structure has two parts. Church proper has a long nave with short gabled transepts. A front gabled education wing situated at right angle to the nave, is the remodeled original building. Concrete steps, with wrought iron railing and stone piers, lead to small concrete terrace resting on a stone foundation. Vestibule situated in the elbow created by the church nave and front gabled wing. Twin door entrance has glazed doors. Above the door is a tall, solid brick tower featuring a stone Latin Cross in relief. Nave walls have regularly spaced brick wall buttresses with stone coping. Windows around church are rectangular metal sash casements with brick sill with eight lights of amber glass. High basement of the education wing has metal sash casements with three lights. Gray composition shingle roof. Brick siding laid in English bond. Raking cornices and window frames are beige. Landscaped lawn with many trimmed hedges and trees along facade. Five young trees along street of corner lot.

**PHOTOGRAPHS (include photographs showing each side of building and any associated buildings)**

Film roll no.: 38	Photographer: Carolyn Howard
Negative no.: 8	Location of negatives: City Of Grand Junction

**CONSTRUCTION HISTORY (include description and dates of major additions, alterations, or demolitions):** Additional construction or modifications not noted in Assessor's records.

**HISTORICAL BACKGROUND (discuss important persons and events associated with this building):** The first half of this structure was built ca. 1939, by the Church of God of Grand Junction, to serve as its place of worship. From ca. 1926-1955, an adjoining house was located at 745 N. 4th. The house was later torn down ca. 1956, and the Church expanded. A new sanctuary was built in 1956, and the 1939 building was veneered with brick and remodeled into Sunday School space.

**INFORMATION SOURCES (be specific):** Plat Map, Appraisal Card, Lot and Block Books, Grand Junction City Directories.

**SIGNIFICANCE (check appropriate categories)**

**Architectural significance:**  
 represents the work of a master  
 possess high artistic value  
 represents a type, period, or method of construction

**Historical significance:**  
 associated with significant person(s)  
 associated with significant event  
 associated with a pattern of events  
 contributes to an historic district

**National Register eligibility:**  
 Individual  yes  no  
 Criteria:  A  B  C  D  
 Area(s) of significance: Architecture

**Contributes to a potential district:**  
yes no  
 District name:

Period of significance: 1939

THEME(S):

**STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (briefly justify the significance checked above):** A simplified, 1955 version of Gothic. Building and grounds are well maintained. The 1939 building was remodeled and veneered with brick to blend with the new nave.

**INVENTORY COMPLETED BY:** Museum Group Staff

**DATE:** 5/31/96

**AFFILIATION:** Museum of Western Colorado

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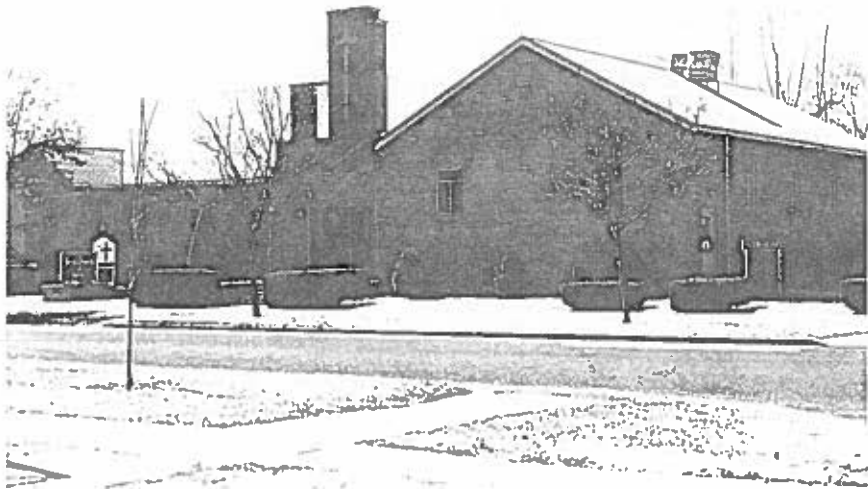
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