

## CITY AND COUNTY OF SWANSEA

<b>LISTED BUILDING</b>	Argyle Presbyterian Church of Wales, St. Helen's Road, Swansea.
<b>Grade:-</b>	II
<b>Date of Notification:-</b>	30.03.1987
<b>National Grid Reference:-</b>	SS 6481592760
<b>O.S. 1:10000 Sheet No:-</b>	SS 69 SW
<b>CADW Reference No:-</b>	11617
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### **Notes:-**

On corner with Argyle Street and slightly set back downhill.

Founded 1873. Designed by Alfred Bucknell, architect of Sketty.

Fine two-storey and basement classical temple with rendered façade (over brickwork); Composite Order to tetrastyle portico in antis. Top cornices of pediment cut back and cemented, main modillion and dentil cornice remains. Oculi to outer bays. Modern pantiled roof. Architraved sash windows with marginal glazing bars to recessed centre with continuous band courses and arched keyblocked doorways, traceried fanlights, double three-panel doors.

Additional doorways to return angles. Wide steps with area railings and pedimented piers.

Five-bay rendered flank elevation with single composite pilaster, the rest Doric, tall arched lights over rusticated basement with hall under. Polygonal apso over passageway at south end.

### **References:-**

Shown as Methodist Chapel on 1876-7 O.S. map.

The Builder, 11 October 1873, page 814.