

Name of memorial: Waller Memorial

Inventory No. 1452

Place: Glasnevin Cemetery

Address and map reference: Glasnevin Cemetery, Finglas Road, Dublin 11

Map reference: O 150 368 (Sheet 50).

Co-ordinates: N 53.3698°; W 6.2776°.

Access: during opening hours. **Parking:** adjacent to gate. **Disabled access:** yes.

Position: on the left of the path leading in from the gate in Prospect Square, about 35meters from the gate.

Description and dimensions: Celtic cross on a square plinth bearing the inscription.

Height: appx. 180cms. Width: appx. 90cms.

Recorded by: Edward Bourke 24 June 2022.

Text:

**Sacred to the memory of
WILLIAM DILLON WALLER
who fell at the Battle of the Wilderness
in America on the 5th May 1863*
combatting for the constitution of the
great Republic of the United States.
In the Italian war of 1860,
he gallantly took up arms with the
Irish Papal Brigade St Patrick
in defence of the chair of St Peter
and gained for himself laurels which were
publicly acknowledged by Pope Pius IX
in electing and proclaiming him Knight of
of the order of St.
This monument is erected as a tribute
to his amiable and sterling qualities
In of his private and in Ireland
Requiescat in pace**

*The Battle of the Wilderness was from 5th to 7th May 1864.