



4 Allandale Historic Walking Tour (red line)

- 1** Allandale Station: The Simcoe and Huron Union Railway Company line known affectionately as "Oates, Straw and Hay" reached here in 1853. The OSH became the Grand Trunk Railway, which built the present station in 1905.
- 2** 268 Bradford Street: Completed in 1907, the old Railroad YMCA was built and administered by local citizens primarily to offer overnight accommodations to 'deadheading' railway men.
- 3** 4 Esso Road: This is an example of a building made to fit its irregular-shaped lot.
- 4** Esso Road Presbyterian Church: In 1877, the Allandale area Presbyterian established a Sunday school and meeting place in a vacated blacksmith's shop on the west side of Esso Road.

- 5** St. George's Anglican Church: After meeting for twenty years in various buildings around the village, Allandale's Anglican congregation built their homey English Gothic parish church in 1892.
- 6** Burton Ave United Church: In 1895, the Allandale or Burton Avenue Church was erected here. The church was damaged by lightning in 1933 and 1966.

TRAIL DETAILS:
LENGTH - 2km & 4km
SURFACE - Paved
TERRAIN - Level
DIFFICULTY - Easy
DOG - Leashed
ZONES - 4km
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