Since 2003 the Ada County Historic Preservation Council has selected properties throughout the County to be honored as County Treasures. These are sites or structures that add to Ada County’s heritage that are maintained through the dedication of caring individuals, groups and businesses. The Council recognizes these people for their efforts in preserving Ada County’s heritage.
The Eagle Museum of History and Preservation is housed inside the former Saint Matthew’s Catholic Church. The church was designed by well-known Idaho architects Tourtellete and Hummell and constructed in 1938 and was originally located on Eagle Road where the Eagle Elementary School parking lot is located. The structure was moved to the Eagle City Hall complex where it recently became the home for the Eagle Museum of History and Preservation.

The Eagle Museum of History and Preservation moved the old church a couple of years ago. When the church was built Eagle was a small unincorporated agricultural community.

The Ada County Historic Preservation Council wishes to acknowledge the efforts of the Eagle Museum of History and Preservation for preserving this Ada County Treasure.