- A. Present Churches
 - * APEX: Corner of Chatham Street and Hughes Street in Apex; Founded in 1870 according to a printed history; Earliest deed August 3, 1872, Book 34, Page 578 on Raleigh-Augusta RR sold April 5, 1883; Present site November 20, 1917; Book 324, Page 39; Membership 362.
 - <u>* CARY, FIRST:</u> 117 South Academy Street; Founded in 1871 according to local church records; Earliest deed April 6, 1871, Book 235, Page 562, recorded March 20, 1909; Membership 1,858.
 - * CARY, <u>WHITE PLAINS</u>: Corner of Ralph Drive and Maynard Road; Founded October 1, 1961 according to local church records; Earliest deed May 31, 1962, Book 1506, Page 387; Membership 1,671.
- <u>* CARY, ST. FRANCIS</u>: Meeting in temporary quarters; Founded by the appointment on June 10, 1981 of a minister and organized January 10, 1982 according to church records; Earliest deed June 14, 1983, Book 3137, Page 151; Membership 83.
- <u>* EBENEZER:</u> 6020 Rock Quarry Road south of Raleigh; Founded May 21, 1840 according to a printed history; Earliest deed May 21, 1840, Book 15, Page 402; Membership 412.
- <u>* FUOUAY:</u> <u>400</u> North Main Street in Fuquay-Varina; Founded October 13, 1903 according to local church records; Earliest deed November 7, 1902, Book 171, Page 561; Membership 496.
- <u>* GARNER, FIRST:</u> On U.S. Highway 70 in Garner; Founded by 1867 according to a membership list for Cary Circuit; Named Beulah Church according to a church deed; Earliest deed May 24, 1890, Book 114, Page 238; Became Garner in 1893; Membership 1,268.
- <u>* GARNER, SAINT ANDREWS</u>: Just east of U.S. Highway 401 two miles south of Raleigh; Founded January 10, 1965 according to local church information; Earliest deed August 30, 1967, Book 1781, Page 319; Formerly Southside Methodist Church; Membership 489.

HOLLANDS: On County Road 1010 near the intersection with County Road 1006 six miles south of Garner; Founded in 1812 according to a printed history; Earliest deed March 4, 1861, Book 23, Page 683 for land whereon the church then stood; Red Meeting House built in 1812 became Hollands by 1857 when a new church was built; Membership 321.

<u>* HOLLY SPRINGS:</u> Community of Holly Springs; Founded in the late 1860's and added to the Buckhorn Circuit in 1870 according to circuit records; Formerly used old high school academy property; Present site deeded March 7, 1917, Book 313, Page 450; Old church lot sold September 8, 1920, Book 406, Page 466; Membership 129. <u>* KNIGHTDALE:</u> On First Avenue in Knightdale; Founded in July, 1917 according to a printed history; Earliest deed November 26, 1917, Book 324, Page 86; Membership 388.

MACEDONIA: 5501 Holly Springs Road west of Raleigh; Founded in 1855 according to a church historian: Earliest deed March 28, 1855, Book 20, Page 797; Membership 481.

<u>MILLBROOK:</u> 1712 Millbrook Road north of Raleigh; Founded about 1865 according to church records; Formerly named Sidney Bethlehem; Earliest deed March 29, 1869, Book 27, Page 652 for land whereon the church then stood; Membership 968.

* PLEASANT <u>GROVE:</u> 4415 Pleasant Grove Church Road six miles west of Raleigh; Founded about 1855 according to church records; May have been called Mt. Pleasant prior to 1867; Earliest deed January 10, 1867, Book 136, Page 131 and recorded on January 22, 1896; Membership 385.

RALEIGH, ASBURY: On Creedmoor Road about three miles north of U.S. 70; Founded by the appointment on June 7, 1979 of a minister and organized November 18, 1979 according to church records; Earliest deed November 2, 1979, Book 2783, Page 690; Member-ship 861.

RALEIGH, AVENT FERRY: 2700 Avent Ferry Road; Founded March 10, 1956 according to local church records; Earliest conveyance a lease agreement June 28, 1956, Book 1243, Page 452; Church property deeded June 11, 1959, Book 1372, Page 50; Formerly Wynnewood Park, became Avent Ferry in June, 1983; Membership 111.

RALEIGH, BENSON MEMORIAL: 4706 Creedmoor Road; Founded March 22, 1964 and named Northwest Raleigh Methodist Church according to a printed history; Earliest deed is for a parsonage July 30, 1964, Book 1606, Page 127; Became Benson Memorial on October 27, 1965 in Book 1677, Page 486; Membership 988.

- <u>* RALEIGH, COKESBURY:</u> 3315 Poole Road; Founded July 24, 1960 according to a printed history; Earliest deed is for a parsonage October 26, 1960, Book 1429, Page 398; Church deed October 5, 1965, Book 1681, Page 557; Membership 41.
- <u>* RALEIGH, EDENTON STREET:</u> Corner of Edenton Street and Dawson Street; Founded in 1811 according to a printed history; Original lot No. 215 conveyed to trustees by Wilie Wm. Jones of Halifax County on March 14, 1811 exchanged for adjoining lot No. 231 on April 22, 1818, Book 2, Page 156; Formerly Asbury's Meeting Place in 1806; Membership 2,866.

<u>RALEIGH, FAIRMONT:</u> 2501 Clark Avenue; Founded December 5, 1937 according to a church history; Earliest deed October 31, 1938, Book 792, Page 259; Membership 1,012. <u>* RALEIGH, WILSON TEMPLE:</u> 1023 Oberlin Road; Founded in 1865 according to a printed history; Formerly Wilson's Chapel Methodist Episcopal Church; Earliest deed September 9, 1873, Book 37, Page 227; Membership 298.

<u>SOAPSTONE:</u> On County Road 1831 west of State Road 50 six miles north of Raleigh; Founded before 1837 and named Soapstone Meeting House; Became Methodist on July 12, 1837 according to a deed recorded in Book 13, Page 38; Membership 83.

- * WAKE <u>FOREST</u>: South Main Street Extension in Wake Forest; Founded at the present location in 1936 according to a church history; Members trace their beginnings to Hartsfield Meeting House, Founded in 1829 and Rolesville Church built in 1859 from which the congregation moved to Wake Forest; Earliest Wake Forest deed December 20, 1880, Book 74, Page 783 (This property was sold in 1883); Fleming-Hartsfield Memorial Church deeded November 16, 1936, Book 735, Page 332; Became Wake Forest in 1937; Membership 250.
- <u>* WENDELL:</u> Corner of Wilson Avenue and Main Street in Wendell; Founded in 1903 according to a church history; Chartered March 31, 1906; Earliest deed November 28, 1905; Book 229, Page 278; Membership 331.
- <u>*</u> <u>ZEBULON:</u> Corner of Arendell Street and Church Street in Zebulon; Founded in 1907 according to a church history; Earliest deed November 5, 1907, Book 220, Page 495; Membership 592.
- B. Former Churches

<u>ASBURY CHAPEL:</u> Earliest deed July 8, 1854; Book 20, Page 793; Methodist Episcopal, South.

BETHEL: Earliest deed May 16, 1808; Book U, Page 385; Methodist.

<u>CENTRAL:</u> Earliest deed September 1, 1887; Book 97, Page 634; Methodist Episcopal, South.

COX <u>MEMORIAL:</u> Earliest deed April 2, 1881; Book 62, Page 503; Methodist Episcopal.

CRABTREE: Earliest deed April 1, 1799; Book Q, Page 164; Methodist.

<u>EPWORTH:</u> Earliest deed October 10, 1901; Book 163, Page 286; Methodist Episcopal, South.

HARTSFIELD: Earliest deed November 5, 1829; Book 11, Page 354; Methodist.

<u>OAKEY</u> GROVE: Earliest deed October 13, 1886; Book 118, Page 20; Methodist Episcopal, South.

<u>ROLESVILLE:</u> Earliest deed November 21, 1859; Book 23, Page 103; Methodist Episcopal, South.

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<u>SOUTH HARRINGTON STREET:</u> Earliest deed December 10, 1853; Book 20, Page 167; Methodist Episcopal, South.

STONEY HILL: Earliest deed August --, 1816; Book 1, Page 7; Methodist.

TUCKER GROVE: Earliest deed September 21, 1887; Book 120, Page 483; Methodist Episcopal, South.