

WAYNE COUNTY

Present Churches

: Intersection of County Roads 1003 and 1719 one and a half miles west of the Lenoir County line; Founded about 1880 according to local church information; Earliest deed December 8, 1895, Book 69, Page 8; Membership 132.

* BETHEL: On County Road 1705 near the Greene County line; Founded in 1800 according to a church history; May have been on Snow Hill Circuit just prior to 1840 when the church was moved to the present site; Earliest deed February 20, 1846, Book 20, Page 195; Membership 103.

BROGDEN: On U.S. Highway 117 three miles south of Goldsboro; Founded August 24, 1958 according to local church records; Earliest deed June 27, 1960, Book 530, Page 5; Membership 191.

* EBENEZER: On U.S. Highway 70 two miles east of the Johnston County line; Founded in 1840 according to local church information; Earliest deed October 31, 1845, Book 20, Page 58; Membership 121.

* EUREKA: On State Road 222 in the Community of Eureka; Founded in 1880 according to a church history; Earliest deed March 24, 1887; Book 58, Page 424; Formerly Beaman's Chapel; Membership 262.

* FALLING CREEK: Intersection of County Roads 1006 and 1210 one mile north of Grantham; Founded in 1874 according to a church history; Earliest deed May 12, 1877, Book 42, Page 266; Membership 109.

FREMONT: Corner of Sycamore Street and Carolina Street in Fremont; Founded about 1861 according to local church information; Earliest deed March 25, 1869, Book 29, Page 553; Membership 318.

* GARRIS CHAPEL: On County Road 1731 two miles south of U.S. Highway 70 one mile west of the Lenoir County line; Pounded in 1909 according to local church information; Earliest deed March 10, 1952, Book 383, Page 5; Membership 127.

GOLDSBORO, AIRBORO: South Slocumb Street Extension at Harrell Street; Founded in 1954 according to local church records; Earliest deed April 12, 1955, Book 474, Page 223; Membership 111.

GOLDSBORO, DANIELS MEMORIAL: 2803 East Ash Street; Founded in 1878 according to local church information; Earliest deed March 20, 1883, Book 51, Page 76 for land "on which Daniel Chapel is situated"; Membership 387.

GOLDSBORO, JEFFERSON: Corner of Jefferson Street and Royal Avenue; Founded September 15, 1957; Earliest deed is for a parsonage October 3, 1957, Book 470, Page 528; Church property deeded March 29, 1976, Book 888, Page 641; Membership 259.

* GOLDSBORO, NEW HOPE: 200 New Hope Road; Founded August 23, 1956 according to local church records; Earliest deed 1960, Book 530, Page 578; Membership 173.

GOLDSBORO, SAINT JOHN: 1100 North John Street; Founded in 1875 according to local church information; Earliest deed September 20, 1870 (should be 1876), Book 41, Page 303; Formerly Methodist Episcopal; Membership 23.

* GOLDSBORO, SAINT LUKE: 1608 East Pine Street; Founded September 20, 1950 according to local church information; Earliest deed January 16, 1951, Book 364, Page 398; Membership 1,028.

- * GOLDSBORO, SAINT PAUL: Corner of Chestnut Street and John Street; ~~Form~~ Founded in 1849 according to local church information; Earliest deed March 3, 1863, Book 28, Page 161 for land whereon the church then stood; St. John Methodist Church merged with St. Paul on March 25, 1935, Book 232, Page 123; Membership 1,505.
- INDIAN SPRINGS: On County Road 1744 six miles east of Seven Springs; Founded in 1853 according to a church deed; Earliest deed November 16, 1853, Book 23, Page 462 (Part of this lot was sold to the Board of Education on September 25, 1912, Book 111, Page 581); Membership 30.
- * MOUNT CARMEL: Intersection of County Roads 1537 and 1545 near the Goldsboro Municipal Airport; Founded August 25, 1878 accord to local church information; Earliest deed January 20, 1882, Book 49, Page 5; Membership 146.
- * MOUNT OLIVE, FIRST: Corner of Church Street and James Street in Mount Olive; Founded September 29, 1870 according to local church records; Earliest deed June 6, 1873, Book 51, Page 135 for land to which Everettsville Methodist Church was moved; Membership 554.
- * PINE FOREST: On State Road 581 near the intersection of County Road 1007 and State Road 581 two miles west of Goldsboro; Founded October 1, 1884 according to a church history; Earliest deed November 19, 1903, Book 85, Page 420; Membership 360.
- * PROVIDENCE: On County Road 1219 near U.S. Highway 13 four miles southwest of Goldsboro; Founded about 1800 according to local church information; Earliest deed August 22, 1826, Book 13, Page 142 known by the name Providence Meeting House; Membership 383.
- * SAINT JOSEPH, PIKEVILLE: On Church Street in Pikeville; Founded in 1856 according to a church deed; Earliest deed June 3, 1856, Book 37, Page 370; Church building dedicated November 21, 1856 according to Annals of Southern Methodism, Duke University Library; Another deed for land at same location given September 18, 1903, Book 83, Page 212 named Pikeville M.E. Church, South; Membership 159.
- * SALEM: On County Road 1300 two miles north of Goldsboro; Founded by 1805 according to a church deed; Earliest deed November 19, 1805, Book 9, Page 42 for building a meeting house; This Meeting House is described as Salem in Annals of Southern Methodism, 1856, pp. 257-258, Duke University Library; Membership 268.
- SAULSTON: Intersection of County Roads 1556 and 1572 four miles northeast of Goldsboro; Founded by 1892 according to a church deed; Earliest deed December 5, 1892, Book 63, Page 418; Membership 210.

SEVEN SPRINGS: On State Road 55 in the Town of Seven Springs; Founded by tradition prior to the Civil War according to local church information; Earliest deed April 23, 1913, Book 112, Page 382; Membership 112.

SMITH CHAPEL: On State Road 55 and County Road 1006 one mile north of the Duplin County line; Founded in 1853 according to a church history; Earliest deed November 4, 1853, Book 23, Page 175; Church building dedicated July 29, 1855 according to Annals of Southern Methodism, Duke University Library; Membership 190.

WALKER MEMORIAL: On State Road 111 one mile north of Cliffs of Neuse State Park; Founded in August, 1963 according to local church records; Earliest deed April, 1950, Book 356, Page 302 to trustees for Walker Memorial Church; Membership 75.

* WESTWOOD: On U.S. Highway 70 one and a half miles west of Goldsboro; Founded August 14, 1955 according to local church information; Earliest deed July 3, 1974, Book 856, Page 25, Membership 165.

* YELVERTON: On County Road 1058 one mile east of the Green County line; Founded in 1847 according to a church history; Earliest deed October 14, 1845, Book 20, Page 162 for land "where they shall erect a house for public worship for the M.E. Church, South to be called Yelverton's Meeting House"; Yelverton is named as a preaching place on the Trent Circuit in 1805; Membership 264.

* ZION: On State Road 111 just north of the Duplin County line; Founded in 1881 according to local church information; Earliest deed November 7, 1877; Book 43, Page 202; Membership 156.

B. Former Churches

DUDLEY: Earliest deed April 1, 1870; Book 30, Page 243; Methodist Episcopal, South.

ELM STREET: Earliest deed June 26, 1891; Book 65, Page 40; Methodist Episcopal, South.

SAINT JOHN: Earliest deed December 21, 1886; Book 56, Page 404; Methodist Episcopal, South.

JACKSON: Earliest deed August 5, 1899; Book 64, Page 764; Methodist Episcopal, South.

PHILLIPS CHAPEL: Earliest deed October 19, 1892; Book 66, Page 107; Methodist Episcopal, South.

PINEY GROVE: Earliest deed February 9, 1876; Book 40, Page 272; Methodist Episcopal, South.

THOMPSON CHAPEL: Earliest deed ----, 1871; Book 51, Page 302;
Methodist Episcopal, South.

C. Unnamed Church Property

Methodist Episcopal: December 3, 1831; Book 15, Page 293.