The Bascomb Methodist Church was transferred from the Dalton District to the North Atlanta District when it was created in 1888 and placed in the Woodstock Circuit. It is one of the oldest Methodist organizations in Cherokee County, dating back to the early eighteen and thirties (1830).

The church and cemetery are located four miles west of Woodstock on approximately five (5) acres of land, donated by John T. Huey, William R. Page, and Martin Luther Chapman, in a fertile agricultural section of many good farm homes. As was customary of the time, the first building was of logs, later to be replaced by a substantial frame building in 1883 valued at $800.00.

Until modern consolidated schools were established in Cherokee County, there was also a frame public school building on the church property and is recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Court in Cherokee County at Canton, Georgia, in Book of Deeds, M Page 287 & 288 and contains the Trust Clause.

Bascomb members are a loyal God-fearing people, who love and support their church and its institutions. Bascomb has the largest Sunday School on the Circuit (136 enrollment). With a matchless, trained leadership of the younger members of the church, Bascomb has always observed Children's Day the first Sunday in June. (The writer sat in on the 1955 one. It was a marvel of excellence, trained by Madams Clarence Chapman, L. D. Poore, T. J. Huey, Mrs. Milford Smith).

Bascomb members who are well known teachers and active in the literary field as well as in church work are: Miss Guida Hubbard, Glen Hubbard, Mrs. Homer Hubbard (Evelyn Lovingood), Mr. & Mrs. C. L. Chapman, Miss Martha Chapman (Mrs. Ernest Andress), Cora Hasty Poore (Mrs. Edgar Poore), Misses Jessie and Willie Chapman, Mr. M. L. Chapman, Mr. & Mrs. Herbert McClure, W. D. McClure, Miss Lee Wood, John Armada Reeves, Miss Guyrene Free, Mrs. Marie McClure Smith (Mrs. Harry Lee Smith), Robert McClure, Mrs. James McCollum. The late Rev. E. T. Hendrick - 1856-1891 - and Mrs. George Lovingood Hendrick - 1861-1928 - were parents of Rev. Claude Hendrick of the North Georgia Conference, and the late Dr. & Mrs. John Lovingood were Bascomb people. Bascomb is also the home church of Rev. Aden King of the North Georgia Conference. The late Mrs. Bertha Hughes Burtz, wife of the late Rev. John Burtz, was raised in Bascomb Church.

Men who served their church as Sunday School Superintendents are Joseph Mackey, Dilmus Smith, Jim Poore, Alonzo McClure, J. A. Reeves, W. D. McClure, M. L. Chapman, who served as Sunday School Superintendent for 33 years, is a tower of strength in his church and was succeeded as Sunday School Superintendent by his son, Clarence L. Chapman.

Bascomb is served by the same pastor and District Superintendent as the other churches of the Circuit. The Allatoona flood control project flooded many farms, causing a large number of people to move out of Bascomb community.
The following improvements have added much to the comfort and efficiency of doing work and beauty to the church: Four Sunday School rooms in 1934 with L. L. Burch, preacher in charge; Electric lights in 1938 with W. F. Lunsford, preacher in charge; gas heat, landscaping and planting shrubbery in 1949 with Burch Fannin, preacher in charge; new comfortable pews in 1952 with Ross G. Free, preacher in charge; beautiful hardwood floors, Sunday School annex, dining room and kitchen were added in 1955 with Robert L. Vaughn, pastor in charge.

Someone has said, "History is really a record of successful, well-lived lives." This is very true of Bascomb Church. We have but little in the way of records, but the stewards who have carried on through pioneer, war, and reconstruction days, working for the uplift of humanity, teaching and leading the youth to live wholesome Godly lives, have built Bascomb Church into a power against sin and evil. The following are some of the families who have shared in this great service to their church:

Eli Lovinggood and son Charlie
William Poore and sons, M. W., G. M., Belton & Lewis
Nathan Medley
Bill Medley
N. A. Kennett
Jackson Bond
A. W. Hughes
J. E. Hughes
Dr. W. J. A. Hughes
Milton DeLay and sons, R. H. (Rus), Francis (Bud)
Walter J. Huey, Thomas A. Huey, Mrs. Eula Brown Huey, & Ludie Huey Dobbs
Joseph Mackey and son Lee, daughters Abbigail (Mrs. Belton Poore), Annie (Mrs. Henry Hubbard), Arrie (Mrs. Martin Luther Chapman), Laura (Mrs. G. W. Waters)
Jess Mackey and wife
Martin Luther Chapman and son Clarence L., daughters Jessie, Willie, and Ora (Mrs. Herbert McClure)
E. M. Goddard and son Carl and daughter, Irene
W. David McClure and sons Herbert, Lanier, W. D., Jr., and Robert, and daughters Marie (Mrs. Harry Lee Smith) and Inez (Mrs. Gene Thompson)
Henry Hubbard and sons, Roy, Glen, Homer, and daughter Ouida Mae
Jim Poor
Jasper Priest
Oscar Thompson
Lee King and family
Lewis Pritchett
Dallas Smith
Mr. & Mrs. T. J. Huey
Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Tyson
Mr. & Mrs. Milford Smith
Mr. & Mrs. L. D. Poor and daughter, Linda
Mr. & Mrs. Willard Dobbs and children
Outstanding speakers who have served the church are:
Judge Howell Brook, Canton, Ga.; Dr. Herbert E. Stotts, Boston
University School of Theology; Kenneth Armstrong, a Nazarene
preacher from Colorado; Rev. & Mrs. Jose Mignes from Argentina.

Bascomb had many revivals of far-reaching good and took
active part in the great meeting that started at Woodstock,
moved on to Bascomb and there to Ebenezer, with both congregations
of all churches following and taking part.