

1977 - Rome Dist

HISTORY

of

CARTERSVILLE, DOUGLAS STREET METHODIST CHURCH

THE FELTON CHAPEL
METHODIST CHURCH WAS
ORGANIZED SEPTEMBER 19, 1909
(EAST CARTERSVILLE, CHARGE)
CARTERSVILLE, GEORGIA

THE FELTON CHAPEL CHURCH WAS ORGANIZED ON SEPTEMBER 19, 1909 AFTER A REVIVAL CONDUCTED BY THE REV. D.P. JOHNSTON AND THE REV. W.A. WILLIS. THE REV. W.A. WILLIS BEING APPOINTED THE FIRST PASTOR BY THE NORTH GEORGIA CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH. THE REV. W.P. LOVEJOY BEING THE P.E. AT THAT TIME OF THE DALTON DISTRICT.

MRS. REBECCA L. FELTON GAVE THE LOT WHERE THE CHURCH WAS BUILT, AND THIS IS WHY THE CHURCH WAS CALLED FELTON CHAPEL. THE REV. C.A. ALLDAY A LOCAL PREACHER LIVING IN THE COMMUNITY GAVE A GREAT DEAL OF TIME AND EFFORT TO THE BUILDING OF THE CHURCH.

THE FELTON CHAPEL CHURCH WAS ORGANIZED ON
SEPTEMBER NINETEENTH, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINE

WITH THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:

REV. C.A. ALLDAY
MRS. C.A. ALLDAY
W.N. JOHNSTON
MRS. W.N. JOHNSTON
MRS. N.E. GILMER
HORACE GILMER
J.L. MIDLER
MRS. J.L. MILLER
J.M. COLLINS
MRS. J.M. COLLINS

THE REV. W.A. WILLIS SERVED THE CHURCH AS PASTOR UNTIL NOVEMBER 16, 1910. THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE WAS HELD AT THAT TIME AT ATHENS, GA.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1910 APPOINTED THE REV. J.E. RUSSELL PASTOR OF THE EAST CARTERSVILLE CHARGE, WHICH WAS MADE UP OF EMERSON, FELTON CHAPEL AND FROMING THE EAST CARTERSVILLE CHARGE.

THE REV. T.J. CHRISTIAN, P.E.

THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF 1911 APPOINTED THE REV. W.E. VENABLE PASTOR AND THE REV. T.J. CHRISTIAN BEING APPOINTED P.E. OF THE DALTON DISTRICT. DIED DURING THE YEAR OF 1910, AND THE REV. W.T. IRVINE WAS APPOINTED P.E. IN 1911.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1912 APPOINTED THE REV. J.H. HARDY PASTOR.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1913 APPOINTED THE REV. N.A. PARSON PASTOR THE REV. N.A. PARSON WAS APPOINTED 1914 FOR THE SECOND TIME.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1915 APPOINTED THE REV. M.J. SMITH, PASTOR AND THE REV. S.B. LEDBETTER, P.E. OF THE DALTON DIST.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1916 APPOINTED THE REV. M.J. SMITH AS PASTOR FOR THE SECOND YEAR.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1917 APPOINTED THE REV. ADRIAN WARWICK AS PASTOR.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1918 APPOINTED THE REV. N.F. HAYES AS PASTOR AND THE REV. S.B. LEDBETTER, P.E. THE REV. S.B. LEDBETTER DIED DURING THE YEAR.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1919 APPOINTED THE REV. W.J.BELLEW PASTOR, WHO WAS RECEIVED AS AN ELDER FROM THE BAPTIST DENOMINATION, HOWEVER, HE DID NOT COMPLETE THE YEAR. THE REV. BRASWELL DEAN FINISHED THE YEAR.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1920 APPOINTED THE REV. J.W.STEPHENS PASTOR, ALSO THE FELTON CHAPEL CHURCH WAS TAKEN FROM THE EMERSON AND EAST CARTERSVILLE CHARGE AND WAS PLACED WITH WHITE.
THE REV. J.F.YARBOUGH, P.E.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1921 APPOINTED THE G.W.DAVIS PASTOR OF THE EAST CARTERSVILLE CHARGE, FELTON CHAPEL BEING TAKEN FROM THE WHITE CHARGE. FORM THE EAST CARTERSVILLE CHARGE WAS, FELTON CHAPEL, EMERSON ROBERT JONES MEMORIAL CHURCH. THE REV. G.W.DAVIS WAS APPOINTED FOR THE SECOND TIME IN 1922.
THE REV. S.A. HARRIS, P.E.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1923 APPOINTED THE C.C.CLIETT AS PASTOR, ATCO, EMERSON WAS TAKEN AWAY FROM THE EAST CARTERSVILLE CHARGE. THE EAST CARTERSVILLE CHARGE WAS MADE UP OF FELTON CHAPEL AND ROBERT JONES MEMORIAL.
THE REV. C.C.CLIETT SERVED AS PASTOR FOR THREE YEARS.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1926 APPOINTED THE REV. A.F.NUNN AS PASTOR

THE CONFERENCE OF 1927 APPOINTED THE REV. J.E.WARD AS PASTOR
THE REV. FRANK QUILLIAN. P.E.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1928 APPOINTED THE REV. R.I.JOHNSON AS PASTOR, THE REV. JOHNSON SERVED AS PASTOR TWO YEARS.
EMERSON AND ATCO WAS PUT WITH FELTON CHAPEL AND EAST CARTERSVILLE
THE CONFERENCE OF 1930 APPOINTED THE REV. H.A.MCNEAL AS PASTOR

THE CONFERENCE OF 1931 APPOINTED THE REV. CLIFTON FREEMAN AS PASTOR WHO SERVED FOUR YEARS.
AND THE REV. J.R.TURNER, P.E.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1934 APPOINTED THE A.M.PIERCE AS P.E.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1935 APPOINTED THE REV. S.H.MILSAPS AS PASTOR WHO SERVED THREE YEARS.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1938 APPOINTED THE REV. W.L.JOLLY AS PASTOR AND THE REV. J.S.THRAILKILL, P.E.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1939 APPOINTED THE REV. H.L.COCHRAN AS PASTOR WHO SERVED FIVE YEARS. EMERSON IS PUT WITH WHITE CHARGE
THE CONFERENCE OF 1942 APPOINTED THE REV. C.M.LIPHAM AS DIST. SUPT.
THE CONFERENCE OF 1944 APPOINTED THE REV. FRED RAY PASTOR, WHO DID NOT FINISH THE YEAR. THE REV. FRED RAY DIED ON NOV. 10, 1945 OF AN HEART ILLNESS. ALSO THE NAME OF THE CHURCH WAS CHANGEE FROM FELTON CHAPEL TO THE DOUGLAS STREET METHODIST AS THE CHURCH WAS MOVED FROM THE CORNER OF SUMMITT STREET TO THE CORNER OF MOON STREET AND DOUGLAS STREET.

AT THE CONFERENCE THE ATCO CHURCH ASK FOR A FULL TIME PASTOR AND WAS GIVEN A FULL TIME PASTOR AND THE DOUGLAS STREET CHURCH WENT ON FULL TIME. THE OLD FELTON CHAPEL CHURCH BUILDING BEING SOLD AND BEGINNING THE PRESENT DOUGLAS STREET CHURCH.

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Luther Porter

THE CONFERENCE OF 1945 APPOINTED THE REV. J.D. BOOTH AS PASTOR, WHO, WHILE HE WAS PASTOR BUILT OR COMPLETE THE BASEMENT PART ~~XXXXXX~~ OF THE CHURCH, WHICH HAD BEEN STARTED BY THE REV. FRED RAY.

THE REV. BOOTH SERVED THE CHURCH AS PASTOR FOR THREE YEARS.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1948 APPOINTED THE REV. W.H. KEY AS PASTOR AND THE REV. N.P. MANNING, D.S.

THE REV. W.H. KEY SERVED THE CHURCH AS PASTOR UNTIL FEB. 24, 1949 or ABOUT THIS TIME. WHEN HE RESIGNED AS PASTOR, AS THERE AROSE AN IRRECONCILABLE CONDITION IN THE CHURCH, AND AS A RESULT SOME 60 MEMBERS WITH DREW FROM THE CHURCH AND WENT TO THE DOUGLAS STREET SCHOOL BUILDING FOR WORSHIP ON FEB. 27, 1949 (SUNDAY MORNING.)

THE REV. N.P. MANNING, D.S. HOLDING AND BEING RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SERVICES FOR SOME THREE WEEK.

THIS ISM THAT AROSE GAVE SOME TO QUESTION AS TO WHOM THE PROPERTY AND MATERIALS OF THE DOUGLAS STREET METHODIST BELONGED TO. THE GROUP THAT LEFT THE CHURCH CARRIED SOME QUESTIONABLE MONIES AND MATERIALS WITH THEM. THIS RESULTED AN INJUNCTION WHICH CARRIED FOR SOME THREE YEARS BEFORE BEING SETTLED. THE WITHDRAWING GROUP OFFERED TO BRING ALL THAT WAS POSSIBLE BACK, AND ADJUST ALL OTHER THINGS.

THE REV. LUTHER PORTER WAS APPOINTED PASTOR ON THE 23RD OF MARCH 1949 OF THE DOUGLAS STREET CHURCH, AND APPOINTED SOME ADDITIONAL OFFICIALS TO REPLACE THE ONES THAT LEFT THE CHURCH.

THE REV. N.P. MANNING SERVED FOR FOUR YEARS ON THE DISTRICT.

THE CONFERENCE OF 1951 APPOINTED THE REV. H.C. STRATTON AS D.S.

The Rev. T. L. Rutland furnished a good bit of information in regards to the history of the first 15 years of the old Felton Chapel Church.