The first Methodist Church, Hunts Chapel, built in 1902, was named for the owner of the first textile industry here in the county. The textile company at that time was called Middle Georgia Textile Company.

The church at that time was a union church. In the morning the Methodist had their services; in the afternoon the Baptist had theirs. The church also served as a schoolhouse.

The first members of the church were:
- Mr. Sam Mason
- Mr. Walter Mason
- Miss Minnie Mason
- Miss Julie Mason
- Miss Jennie Mason
- Mr. Bennie Mason
- Mr. John Wooten
- Mr. John Huff

The first pastors of the church were:
- Reverend Page for the Methodist
- Reverend Pace for the Baptist

This church was destroyed by a tornado in 1909. It was rebuilt at the same location in 1910, still serving for both Methodist and Baptist. In 1915 the Baptist built their own church and the Methodist kept the old one changing the name to Imperial Methodist Church. This church was used until 1939. The present church was built then and the old one was torn down. The first pastor of our present church was Reverend Auther Kinsey.