

1977 Dalton Dist. #1 B. Vannell

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MCGAUGHEYS METHODIST CHURCH

DALTON DISTRICT

This church was organized about August 15, 1882 with Riley Barnes, W. C. Kirby, W. M. Wilson, F. M. Swinney, and W. Headrich among its organizing members. Services were at first held in a log school house while the church was being erected on two and one-half acres of ground deeded for this specific purpose by R. B. McGaughey for the consideration of \$50.00. The first church was built by F. M. Swinney and is still standing today. The first pastor of the church was H. Triplette.

In 1951 three Sunday School rooms were built across the back of the church.

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