

TURNERVILLE METHODIST EPISCOPAL SOUTH HISTORY
REV. W. H. BOWMAN HISTORIAN
HISTORY OBTAINED FROM CHURCH RECORDS

TURNERVILLE METHODIST CHURCH IS LOCATED AT TURNERVILLE IN NORTH-Habersham county, Georgia on highway 23 and Georgia 441,15 miles north, Clarkesville

Turnerville Methodsit Church was organized March 10, 1886 by- B. W. Thomas a Methodist Minister. The officials were-- B.W. Thomas pastor, Mitchell Franklin treasurer, George T. Stribling Secretary.

Charter members were --

Thomas Franklin
Sarah Frabklin
Peter Ivester
Nancy Ivester
S. E. Garrett
M. E. Demore

Sarah Davidson
Walter Garrett
Mary E. Taylor
Sarah E. Anderson
A. J. West
Matilda Ivester

THE TRUSTEES WERE --

A. J. West
T. A. Franklin
J. R. Franklin

G. A. Anderson
Mitchell Franklin

N. H. C. Ellerd and F. J. Ellerd made deed July 28, 1886 ¹ for sum \$ 10.00 and love methodist Episcopal Church South the Trustees with Trust Clause is recorded in public records Habersham County, Georgia Calrkesville, Book G. G. page 607 June 20, 1888.

PASTORS SERVING THIS CHURCH TO DATE WERE ---
April 14, 1953

B. A. Thoms 1886.
~~Woodward Riddick~~
M. V. Maris 1887
C. E. patilla 1888
D. M. Edwards 1889
H. M. Strosier 1890
A. B. weaner 1891
Robert McClure 1892
Loy Warwick 1893
W. R. Stilwell 1894- 1896
W. C. Davis 1897
M.H. Edwards 1898
J. D. Milton 1899- 1902
J. W. Gober 1903- 1904
B. P Searcy 1905 - 1906
W. A. Simons 1907 -- 1909
W. C. Fox 1910
J.E Rorie 1911- 1912
J. R. Jordon 1913
J. S. Strickland 1914
O. N. Ponder 1915
G. F. Chandler 1916
L. B. Linn 1917 - 1925
J. L. Harrison 1926- 1927

Bill Chapell 1928- 1929
Doc. C. Paterson 1929- 1931
Calvo Smith 1931- 1934
G. M. Spivey 1934- 1936
Hoke Sewell 1936- 1940
A. A. Phillips 1940- 1942
B. C. Matterson 1942- 1946
V. O. Gentry 1946- 1949
Arthur Chamblee 1949- 1950
James Okley 1950- 1952
Sam Coker 1952- 1953
W. H. Bowman

This IS a wood building 30 x40 feet on high hill with 1 service monthly for 30 years.
The Church Records are with W. A Demore Trustee and School Supt.