

History of Brooklyn Baptist Church - Conecuh Co., AL

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Brooklyn Baptist Church

The Brooklyn Baptist Church was organized in 1821 by Elder Alexander Travis in the same small log house which was used as a school with Mr. Scruggs, teacher. The present church was built in 1861. W.C. Morrow preached the dedication sermon.

On September 24-26, 1854, the 48th Annual Session of the Bethlehem Baptist Association was held at Brooklyn Baptist Church. The minutes of this meeting read:

"Report on the State of Religion and Digest of Letters"- Your Committee beg leave to report, that in consequence of some cause only twenty of the forty-four churches composing the Association, are represented in this body that the presumable cause is the unholy war of subjugation, waged by an untiring and merciless enemy; that though in the midst of the troubles and confusion of war, God has been gracious to many of the churches, in granting them the refreshing influence of the Holy Spirit, and building them up by an ingathering of many precious souls. We therefore would recommend the favored churches, and all Christians to bow suppliantly and earnestly to the God of Nations, that He would speak peace out of this confusion, so that all the churches may be represented in the next Association. Noah Parker, Chairman."

The minutes also showed the following member churches:

Churches	Number of Members	Post Office	NOTE from TTFA webmaster: The transcription from the original record makes it difficult to discern in most cases the separation between these three positions, so in cases where the distinction is not obvious, they have been placed together in this table.	
			Pastors	Clerks and Delegates
Stockton	80	Stockton	Not represented	
Montgomery Hill	108	Tensaw	Not represented	
Little River	125	Mt. Pleasant	A. J. Lambert	J. T. Boyle, T. Shark
Claiborne	141	Claiborne	R. J. Draughon	Not represented

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Salem	198	Claiborne	G. L. Lee, D. M. McNeil, James Newberry	
Zion	129	Monroeville	J. McWilliams, W. D. McWilliams, T. Pope	
Philadelphia	133			
Pleasant Hill	54			
Bethaney	242	Burnt Corn	G. L. Lee, R. R. Mosely	
Belleville	169	Belleville	A. Jay, Jno. Nored, T. Ballard, E. Straughn, R. B. Higdon	
Hopewell	2u		Not represented	
Murder Creek	45	Sparta	J. Thames , J. H. Brewton, T. Nelson	
Arkadelphia	145	Belleville	G. H. Lee, Jas. Nored, Isaac Hines, William Nored	
Catawba Springs	40	Brewton	Letter	
Beulah	347	Sparta	W. C. Morrow, E. G. Autrey, W. C. Morrow, T. Kendall	
Shiloh	19		Not represented	
Pilgrim's Rest	57	Brewton	J. T. Cook, B. L. Lovelass	
Pensacola	204	Burnt Corn	A. Hendrix	
Olive Branch	88	Evergreen	P. S. Milner, J. A. Williamson, Letter	
Sparta	15	Sparta	A. Jay, K/F Beaumont	
Breckinridge	33	Evergreen	S. Johnson, J. M. Kelly, M. Stucky, J. S. Merti(?)	

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Evergreen	194	Evergreen	Y. M. Rabb, R. P. Stallworth, William Rabb, Jr.	
New Hope	38	Sepulga	J. P. Myers, J. R. Cook, S. Maxwell	
Union	43	Sepulga	A. W. Jones	Not represented
Brushy Creek	60		Not represented	
Oaky Streak	10		Not represented	
Milton	304		Not represented	
Macedonia	17		Not represented	
New Prospect	100		Not represented	
Georgiana	50	Georgiana	P. S. Miller, N. Robson, Milner & Rob	
Brooklyn	151	Brooklyn	J. F. Cook, J. P. Collier, Z. Williams, J. M. Robinson, C. L. Thornton	
Bethel	113	South Butler	J. G. B. Lockhart, Giles Driver, N. Parker	
Sepulga	33	Jamestown	J. T. Thames, J. Jones	
Elam	50	Brewton	M. J. Herrington	
Sardis	14		Not represented	
Pleasant Hill, Ala.	13		Not represented	
Old Town	110	Evergreen	A. Jay, J. P. Deer, W. G. Lee, W. Overstreet, A. Thomas	
Pine Barren	26		Not represented	

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			Pastors	Clerks and Delegates
Shady Grove	12		Not represented	
Little Escambie	16		Not represented	
Coon Hill	10		Not represented	
Mt. Carmel	34	Garland	J. P. Myers	
Cedar Creek	8	Sparta	J. Thames, J. W. Kirkland	

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