

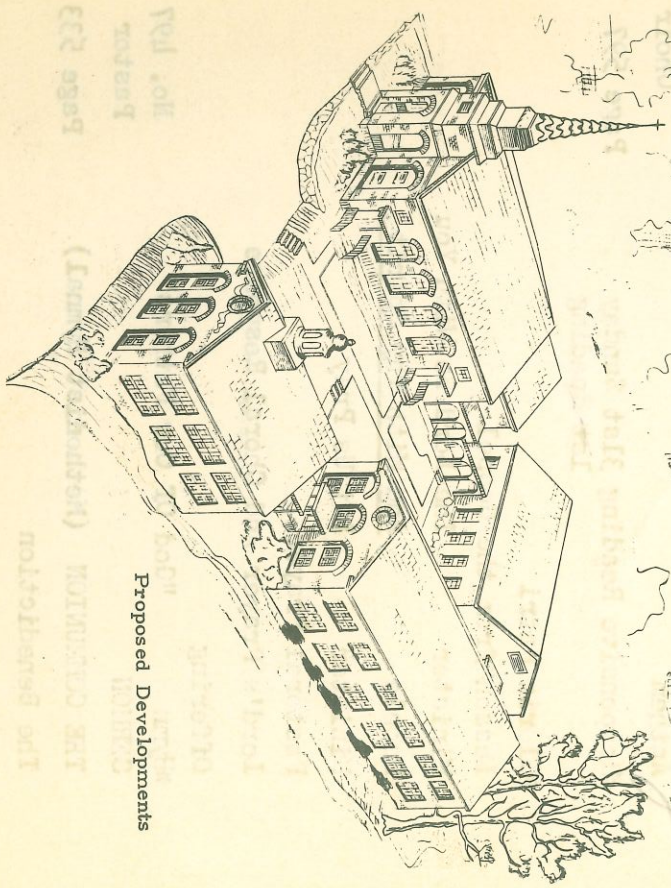
HISTORY
of
MOUNT GILEAD M.E. CHURCH
SOUTH

"On a peaceful, wooded hillside, a mere stone's throw from the sights and sounds of the bustling city of Atlanta, ... stands Mount Giload Methodist Church, oldest in Fulton County. At this site rests the body of Grandfather Smith in whose home Rev. Wm. J. Parks, Georgia's initial convert to Methodism, preached the first sermon of Mount Giload on April 23, 1824. In 1825 a heavy-log house, built by men of the community served as the "House of Worship" until 1858, when it was replaced by a "more modern edifice." This Church served as a hospital for both the Blue and the Grey troops participating in the Battle of Atlanta. In the Church cemetery one will find many Blue and Grey markers of Civil War dead. Some of the blood-stained lumber from the old Church was used in building a third sanctuary in 1908. Today this Church still proudly uses the pulpit that was built just after the Civil War to replace the one demolished in the conflict, and cherishes a hand bell, still in use after more than a century of service.

History compiled by J.M. Baker

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Proposed Developments

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ENTER IN SILENCE, WORSHIP IN REVERENCE
DEPART IN PEACE

MORNING WORSHIP

AUGUST 1, 1965 11 A. M.

The Prelude John Oliver Organist

Lesson from the Epistle Pastor

Collect for the Day

*Hymn "Holy, Holy, Holy" No. 1

Apostles Creed Congregation

Prayer of Confession Methodist Hymnal
(Prayer No. 4, Page 510)

Anthem Choir

*Responsive Reading 31st Sunday Page 597
1st Reading

*Gloria Patri

Lesson from the Gospel

Minister The Lord Be With You

People And With Thy Spirit

Minister Let Us Pray

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer and Choral Response

Offering

*Hymn "God Of Our Fathers" No. 497

SERMON Pastor

THE COMMUNION (Methodist Hymnal) Page 533

The Benediction

The Postlude

"I must work the works of him that sent me,
while it is day: the night cometh, when no
man can work."

--John 9: 4.

ACTIVITIES OF THE WEEK

Monday 7:30 PM - Official Board Meeting

Wednesday 3:00 PM - Children's Choir

Thursday 7:30 PM - Chancel Choir

WELCOME:

We extend a cordial welcome to all who are visiting with us today. We invite you to make this your Church home. If you are interested in membership, please speak to the pastor.

OFFICIAL BOARD MEETING - Monday, 7:30 PM, in the Fellowship Hall. This is a very important meeting and ask that all members please be present.

CAMP MEETING TIME IS HERE AGAIN. THERE WILL

BE NO EVENING WORSHIP FOR THE NEXT TWO SUNDAYS.

NEIGHBORS

"Love thy neighbor as thyself,"
The neighbor old or new;
And do to him as you should like
For him to do to you.

Some neighbors live right next to us,
Some far across the sea;
And when we love them as we should
All strife will cease to be.

Annihilate that greedy self
Which wants the first and best;
Just love your neighbor as yourself,
And leave to God the rest.

For it is from God's treasure house
The needs of all are filled;
God loves us, neighbors everyone,
And peace on earth He willed.
Ann Roe Anderson