

SAINT STEPHEN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

4664 Covington Highway
Decatur, Georgia 30035
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Clifford Bahlinger
Pastor

May 5, 1997

Sue Ellen Owens
Old Courthouse On the Square
Decatur, Georgia 30030

RE: Information on history of St. Stephen Lutheran Church

Saint Stephen Evangelical Lutheran Church was organized September 14, 1958. Rev. Joseph Holt was the Mission Developer and first pastor of St. Stephen and left in 1963.

Pastors that followed and terms of service are as follows:

Rev. Bill Bennett	1963-1964
Rev. David E. Kinsler	1964-1973
Rev. Mark H. Frank	1974-1978
Rev. Armin Windmueller	1978-1980
Rev. Edward Breuer	1981-1985
Rev. Don Rehner	1986-1992
Rev. Clifford A. Bahlinger	1993-

Over the years of ministry at St. Stephen, eight Youth accepted the call to serve the Lord and are pastoring churches in various states.

Since Rev. Bahlinger has been our pastor, St. Stephen has become a Multi-racial integrated church and at present time are housing a Nursery by Childkind, Inc. caring for infants of drug related or aid parents.

Shaun Benford, 3590 River Edge Court, Decatur, Ga. 30034 phone #404-244-7322, said she would be glad to serve as Contact person for St. Stephen.

Sincerely,
Yours In Christ,



Madelyn Golomb, Treasurer

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