MINUTES

OF THE

One Hundred Twenty-Seventh
Annual Session
OF THE

Senter District Primitive Baptist Association

HELD WITH

BIG HELTON CHURCH IN CONJUNCTION
WITH NORTH FORK CHURCH
ASHE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA
SEPTEMBER 12, 13 and 14, 1980

-1980-

Next Session convenes with Senter Church, located between Jefferson, N. C. and Sparta, N. C. take Highway 221 out of Jefferson, N. C. about eight miles, near Nathan's Creek School.

SEPTEMBER 11, 12 and 13, 1981

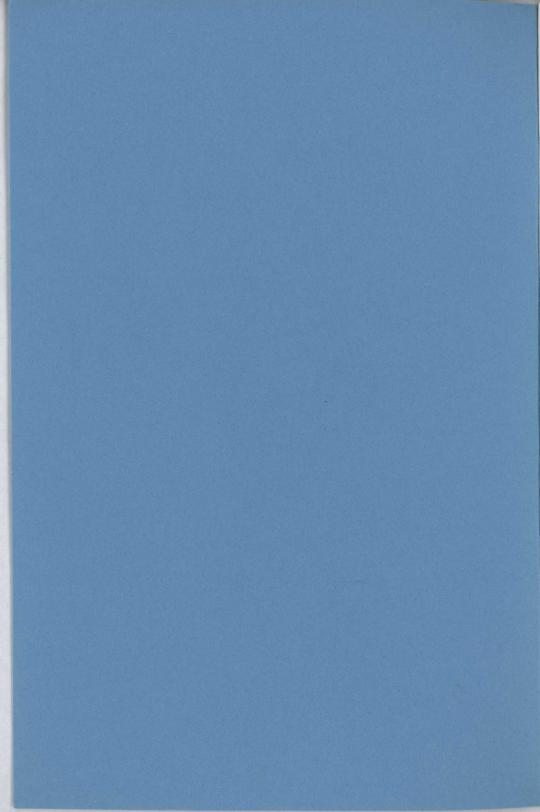
OFFICERS

ELDER G. D. ROTEN, Moderator; Fleetwood, N. C. 28626. Phone 877-4834.

ELDER BILLY YATES, Assistant Moderator; Rt. 1, Sparta, N. C. 28675. Phone (919) 372-5311.

BROTHER EARL W. SEVERT, Clerk; 4798 North Cherry St. Winston-Salem, N. C. 27105. Phone 767-6851.

ELDER FLOYD F. SOUTH, Assistant Clerk; Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C. 28694. Phone 246-7456.



Proceedings of the

SENTER DISTRICT PRIMITIVE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Held at Big Helton Church in conjunction with North Fork Church

FRIDAY - September 12, 1980

The Association met pursuant to adjournment of last year and called to order with Song and Prayer by Elder Steve Douglas of the Senter Association.

The Introductory Sermon was delivered by Elder H. B. Thomas of the Chestnut Grove Primitive Baptist Church, Lambsburg, Va. Text; Psalms 103; Malachi 3rd Chapter.

Association work opened with Song and Prayer by Elder Floyd F. South of the Senter Association.

ON MOTION:

- 1. Letters from the Churches read, Correspondents seated.
- 2. The Association appointed Elder G. D. Roten, Moderator; Elder Billy Yates, Assistant Moderator; Brother Earl W. Severt, Clerk; Elder Floyd F. South, Assistant Clerk.
- 3. Called for Petetionary Letters, Received none.
- Called for Transient and Visiting Bretheren and Sisters from Sister Associations and Churches. The following were seated and given the right Hand of fellowship.

Mountain Association of North Carolina and Virginia.

Elder Curtis D. Hash
Sister Bernice Hash
Brother Raymond Nichols and Wife
Elder Walter Evans
Brother J. Mack Osborne and Wife
Sister M. A. Jenkins
Brother Greene Ward
Elder Elmer R. Sparks
Brother Lon M. Reeves
Brother Walter Osborne
Sister Lela R. Crouse
Sister Marjorie Caudill

Original Bear Creek Association, of North Carolina.

Elder Joseph N. Baucom Brother David Helms and Wife Mt. Zion Association, of W. Va.
Lic. Franklin Oresta
Elder J. R. Lilly
Brother and Sister Alfred Morgan

Original Little River Association, of N. C. Brother and Sister Coleman Strickland

Reorganized Silver Creek Association, of N. C.

Sister Doshie Whittington Sister Dolly Wagner Sister Barbara W. Reeves Elder Gene F. Watson

Independent Churches:

Pleasant Hill Primitive Baptist Church, Statesville, N. C. Sister Mary Brooks

Saint Clair's Bottom Primitive Baptist Church, of Va.

Sister Sarah Sadler
Brother Glenn Blevins
Sister Sibyl Davis
Sister Ada E. Davis
Brother Melvin Davis

Pine Primitive Baptist Church, of N. C. Elder and Sister Kemp H. Walker

Chestnut Grove Primitive Baptist Church, of Lambsburg, Va. Elder H. B. Thomas

Troutdale Primitive Baptist Church, of Va. Sister Zena Richmond Sister Leona Adams

Mt. Carmel Primitive Baptist Church, of Bell Air, Md. Sister Elsie Kupisch

Abbots Creek Primitive Baptist Church, of N. C. Brother B. R. Dillard

Dan River Primitive Baptist Church, of N. C. Sister G. W. Dickerson

Afton Road Primitive Baptist Church, of Danville, Va.
Brother John Lawrence and Wife
Brother Henry and Sister Louise Winn
Brother and Sister Claude Reece
Sister Mrs. Aubey Strader

Cold Springs Primitive Baptist Church, of Creston, Ky. Brother J. D. and Sister Gladys Bolt

Liberty Hill Primitive Baptist Church, Va. Elder and Sister John F. Goad

Pine Grove Primitive Baptist Church, of Va. Elder Ray Rotenizer and Wife

Montview Primitive Baptist Church, of Winston-Salem, N. C. Deacon Frank King

Pine Ridge Primitive Baptist Church, of N. C. Brother Wilbur Stone

Harmony Grove Primitive Baptist Church.
Brother Ward and Sister Ruby Dalton

- The Moderator to make all temporary appointments in this session.
 - A. Committee on Finance:

 Deacon Bertie Bare
 Deacon Willard Hartzog
 Bro. Norman Brown
 - B. Committee on Arrangements:

 Elder Floyd F. South
 Elder Billy Yates
 Elder C. O. Yates
 with Moderator and Clerk
 - C. Committee on Ministry:

 Deacon G. L. Mash
 Elder Steve Douglas
 Deacon Wayne Severt
 with Delegates of Big Helton and North Fork Churches.

- 6. That the Committee on Arrangements meet after Church service here at Senter Church for conference.
- 7. To adjourn until 10:00 a.m. Saturday with Song and Prayer by Elder Ed Severt of the Senter Association.

SATURDAY - September 13, 1980:

The Association met as scheduled, called to order with Song and Prayer by Elder Billy Yates, of the Senter Association.

ON MOTION:

- 1. Roll call, Omitted.
- 2. Reading of the Constitution, also Rules of Decorum, omitted but to be printed in Minutes.
- 3. A. The Committee on Arrangements recommend that we continue seating all orderly, peace loving Primitive Baptist as Visitors.
 - B. The Committee reported from last year on old Church property that had gone down, of which had been dissolved.
 - C. The Committee on Arrangements recommend changing Article of Faith #2 to include the 1611 Version of the King James Version of the Bible. That had been before the Churches for one year, to read as follows.

We believe that the scriptures of the Old and New Testament as Translated in the 1611 King James version of the Holy Bible, is the written word of God and the only rule of Faith and Practice.

- 4. The next Association to be held on Friday before the Second Sunday in September, 1981 at Senter Church.
- 5. To appoint the Clerk to oversee the printing of 600 copies of the Minute and distribution of same.
- 6. That Minutes be mailed to all Visitors.
- 7. To appoint Deacon Bertie Bare as Treasurer to hold funds for printing and postage of Minutes.
- 8. That the Finance Committee handle the balance of the funds and distribution of same, to Visiting Elders.
- 9. That Obituaries and a Memoriam be printed in Minutes.

10. FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORTED AS FOLLOWS:

Year 1980

BEAR CREEK\$ 38.00	
BEAVER CREEK 60.00	
BIG HELTON 115.00	
HORSE CREEK 25.00	
MEADOW FORK 35.00	
NORTH FORK 80.00	
RIVER VIEW 74.00	
ROANS CREEK 46.00	
SENTER 91.00	
Total Received From Churches	564.00
Treasury Report:	
Balance From Last Year\$576.41	
Interest Received From Bank 7.86	
Paid out for Printing and Postage	
of Minutes Last Year 368.15—	010.10
Alecadard Atotalied Libin Later Loui initialistic	216.12
Received From Donations Saturday and Sunday	257.00
Total Received\$1	
	,037.12
Expenditures:	.,037.12
Expenditures:	
To The Moderator\$	-0-
To The Moderator\$ To The Assistant Moderator	-0- -0-
To The Moderator\$ To The Assistant Moderator To The Clerk	-0- -0- 60.00
To The Moderator\$ To The Assistant Moderator To The Clerk To The Assistant Clerk	-0- -0- 60.00 -0-
To The Moderator	-0- -0- 60.00 -0- -0-
To The Moderator	-0- -0- 60.00 -0- -0- 55.00
To The Moderator	-0- -0- 60.00 -0- -0- 55.00 20.00
To The Moderator	-0- -0- 60.00 -0- -0- 55.00 20.00 285.00
To The Moderator	-0- -0- 60.00 -0- -0- 55.00 20.00 285.00 420.00
To The Moderator	-0- -0- 60.00 -0- -0- 55.00 20.00 285.00
To The Moderator	-0- -0- 60.00 -0- -0- 55.00 20.00 285.00 420.00

Elder G. D. Roten, Moderator Elder Billy Yates, Assistant Moderator Brother Earl W. Severt, Clerk Elder Floyd F. South, Assistant Clerk

ORDER OF PREACHING

FRIDAY MORNING:

Elder Steve Douglas (Opened with prayer)

Elder H. B. Thomas (Introductory, Text; Psalms 103; Malachi 3rd ch.)

FRIDAY EVENING:

Elder Floyd F. South (opened business with prayer)

Elder Ed Severt (closed business with prayer)

Elder Curtis D. Hash (preached)

Elder Billy Yates (closed with prayer)

FRIDAY NIGHT: at Beaver Creek Church.

Elder Billy Yates (opened with prayer)

Lic. Franklin Oresta (preached)

Elder J. R. Lilly (preached) Elder Steve Douglas (closed with prayer)

SATURDAY MORNING:

Elder Billy Yates (opened business with prayer)
Deacon Wayne Severt (closed business with prayer)

SATURDAY MORNING at School Auditorium:

Lic. Franklin Oresta (opened with prayer)

Elder Kemp Walker (preached) Elder Walter Evans (preached)

SATURDAY EVENING:

Elder John F. Goad (opened with prayer)

Elder Gene F. Watson (preached)

Elder Ray Rotenizer (preached)

Elder Elmer Sparks (closed with prayer)

SATURDAY NIGHT: at Beaver Creek Church.

Elder Steve Douglas (opened with prayer)

Elder Billy Yates (preached)

Elder Joseph N. Baucom (preached)

Elder G. D. Roten (closed with prayer)

SUNDAY MORNING:

Elder Floyd F. South (opened with prayer)

Elder Joseph N. Baucom (preached)

Elder Ray Rotenizer (preached)

Elder G. D. Roten (preached)

Elder C. O. Yates (closed with prayer)

ANNUAL MEETING

The Senter Church will hold a week's meeting beginning on Sunday night after the Second Saturday meeting in April, running through Friday Night.

OBITUARIES

SISTER LESSIE LYDIA COCKERHAM CRAVEN

Mrs. Lessie Lydia Cockerham Craven, 93, of Route 1, Purlear, widow of Charlie Smith Craven died Saturday morning in Wilkes General Hospital, February 9, 1980.

Mrs. Craven was born April 8, 1886, in Ashe County, daughter of Ransom and Celphi Pennington Cockerham. She was a member

of Bare Creek Primitive Baptist Church in Ashe County.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Georgia Mitchell of Rt. 4, North Wilkesboro, Mrs. Audrey Holland of Severn, Md. and Mrs. Ruth Parsons of Rt. 1, Purlear; son Herman Craven of Eden, Ohio; 35 grandchildren. 46 great grandchildren and 7 great-greatgrandchildren.

Funeral service was conducted at 2 pm Tuesday at Bare Creek Primitive Baptist Church in Ashe County by Elder Dewey Roten and Elder Floyd F. South, burial was in the Church

cemetery.

BROTHER CHARLIE H. PHILLIPS

Mr. Charlie H. Phillips was born May 13, 1905, died June 2, 1980.

He joined River View Primitive Baptist Church in 1960.

He was married to Gladys Miller, December 28, 1931.

Surviving are His Wife Gladys Phillips, one son, Don C. Phillips, one grandson, David Charles.

He is missed in the home and by all friends and neighbors.

SISTER MAE CALLOWAY MILLER

Mrs. Mae Calloway Miller, age 84, of West Jefferson, N. C. the widow of the late George A. Miller, died Friday, August 31, 1979 at the Blowing Rock Hospital after an extended illness. Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday, September 2 at the Badgers Funeral Home Chapel with Elder Dewey Roten officiating with burial at Ashelawn Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Miller was born in Ashe County May 7, 1895 to Martha Kilby and Alfred Calloway. She was a member of Beaver Creek

Primitive Baptist Church.

Surviving are nine children. Mrs. Georgia Lewis, Mrs. Mary Nell Weaver, Mrs. Sallie Scott, Harry Lee Miller of West Jefferson, Allan Miller of Reynoldsburg, Ohio, Mrs. Hazel Hodges of Banner Elk, Mrs. Silver Abernethy of Drexel, Jimmie R. Miller of Charlotte, Mrs. Betty Monroe of Princeton, New Jersey. 18 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren also survive.

SISTER MYRA MASH MILLER

Mrs. Myra Mash Miller, was born March 2, 1900, in Ashe

County to Jesse and Jane Severt Mash.

She was married to Philmore Miller on February 16, 1922. To this union was born seven children, Mozelle, Pauline, Bower, Britt, Barney, Gladys and Bryant which preceded her in death.

Her husband preceded her in death on August 16, 1977. Surviving in addition to Her six Children are two brothers, Claude and Harry Mash, sixteen grand-children and eight great-

grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

She joined Bear Creek Primitive Baptist Church in 1939 to which she remained faithful till death. She loved her Church and all Her many friends she will be greatly missed by Her family and many friends but our loss is Heaven's gain. She will be waiting in Heaven for us where all her troubles and pains are over.

SISTER MARTHA FIDELLA ROARK PERRY DAVIS

Martha Fidella Roark Perry Davis age 83 of Rt. 1, Box 149 Lansing, N. C. passed away April 9, 1980 at the home. She was born in the Horse Creek Community of Ashe County, N. C. on August 26, 1897, to Bill and Edith Roark.

She joined the Pond Mountain Primitive Baptist Church later moving her membership to Horse Creek Primitive Baptist Church where She remained a faithful member until Her death.

Funeral Services were conducted at 2 pm Wednesday at the Horse Creek Primitive Baptist Church, Elder Dewey Roten, Elder Floyd F. South and Elder Steven Douglas attended the Service.

Surviving are Her husband Mr. Millard Davis two children by Her first marriage, Estel Perry Creston, N. C.; Osa Martin of Baltimore, Md. Children by Her second marriage are Garfield Davis, Kennette Square, Pa.; and Dorthy Davis of the home. 21 grand-children, 17 great-grand-children and 1 great-great-grand-child.

Martha was a loving wife and a wonderful mother, She was well thought of by Her many Friends. She will be greatly missed by Her Brothers and Sisters in Christ but we feel Her Soul is Basking in the Paradise of God.

IN MEMORIAM

Bear Creek:

Sister Lessie Lydia Cockerham Craven Sister Myra Mash Miller

Horse Creek:

Sister Martha Fidella Roark Perry Davis

River View:

Brother Charlie H. Phillips

Beaver Creek:

Sister Mae Calloway Miller

Senter:

Brother Lillard Davis Sister Omah Blevins

ORDAINED ELDERS AND THEIR ADDRESSES

Elder G. D. Roten Lake Ashe Rd., Fleetwood, N. C. 28626
Elder Ed Severt Ennice, N. C. 28623
Elder C. O. Yates Rt. 2, Fleetwood, N. C. 28626
Elder Jack McGinnis
Winston-Salem, N. C. 27105
Elder Calvin Whittington Wilbar, N. C.
Elder Allen Whittington, Rt. 2, Box 229, Millers Creek, N. C. 28651
Lib Samuel Whittington, Rt. 2, Box 231, Millers Creek, N. C. 28651
Elder Billy Yates Rt. 1, Sparta, N. C. 28675
Elder Floyd F. South Rt. 2, West Jefferson, N. C. 28694
Elder Steve Douglas Rt. 2, Box 518, Crumpler, N. C. 28617

CHURCHES AND PASTORS

Bear Creek — Elders Dewey Roten, Ed Severt, C. O. Yates
Beaver Creek — Elders G. D. Roten and Floyd F. South
Big Helton — Elders Dewey Roten and S. P. Douglas
Horse Creek — Elders Dewey Roten and S. P. Douglas
Meadow Fork — Elders Allen Whittington and Edd Severt
North Fork — Elders Dewey Roten and Steve Douglas
Riverview — Elders Jack McGinnis, C. O. Yates, G. D. Roten
Roans Creek — Elders G. D. Roten, Floyd F. South and Billy Yates
Senter — Elders Dewey Roten and Steve Douglas

DISTRIBUTION OF MINUTES TO CHURCHES

Churches and No. of Minutes - Clerks and their Addresses

Bear Creek: Margai	et Jarvis, Eunice,	N. C. 28623	30
Beaver Creek: Wills			
Creston, N. C.	28615	••••••	30

Big Helton: Mrs. Kathleen Burchette, Rt. # 1, Box 192A, Warnesville, N. C. 28693
Horse Creek: Carl Ball, P. O. Box 385, West Jefferson, N. C. 28694 15
Meadow Fork: Mabel Johnson, Laurel Springs, N. C. 2864430
North Fork: Mrs. Kathleen Burchette, Rt. #1, Box 192A, Warrensville, N. C. 28693
Riverview: C. O. Yates, Rt. 2, Fleetwood, N. C. 2862630
Roans Creek: G. L. Mash, Rt. 1, Box 56, Jefferson, N. C. 2864045
Senter: Annie Jones, Rt. 1, Box 157, Crumpler, N. C. 2861755
DISTRIBUTION OF MINUTES TO SISTER
ASSOCIATIONS
Ebenezer: Aubrey E. Utz, Madison, Va. 2272725
Mountain: Raymond R. Nichols, Rt. 1, Box 139, Galax, Va. 24333 25
Bear Creek: Claude Parnell, 4244 Glennhigh Rd., Winston-Salem, N. C. 27107
Silver Creek: Johnny D. Freeman, 167 Friendly Park, Lenoir, N. C. 2864525
North Carolina Collection: The Library, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N. C. 27514
The Primitive Baptist Library, Rt. 2, Elon College, N. C. 27244
The American Baptist Historical Society 1106 South Goodman Street, Rochester, New York 14620
Wake Forest University The Z. Smith Reynolds Library
Box 7777, Reynolda Station, Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27109
COMMUNION MEETINGS

Bear Creek — 1st Sat. and Sun. in May Beaver Creek — 4th Sat. and Sun. in May

ing churches and dates:

We wish to extend to all our churches and to the peaceloving Baptists of our faith and order to commune with us at the followSenter — 2nd Sat. and Sun. in June
Riverview — 3rd Sat. and Sun. in June
Horse Creek — 4th Sat. and Sun. in June
North Fork — 1st Sat. and Sun. in July
Big Helton — 3rd Sat. and Sun. in July
Roans Creek — 4th Sat. and Sun. in July
Meadow Fork — 2nd Sat. and Sun. in August

RULES OF DECORUM

- 1. The Association shall be opened and closed by prayer.
- 2. A Moderator and Clerk shall be chosen by the suffrage of the members present.
- 3. Only one person shall speak at a time, who shall rise from his seat and address the Moderator when he is about to make his speech.
- 4. The person thus speaking shall not be interrupted in his speech by anyone except the Moderator till he is done speaking.
- 5. He shall strictly adhere to the subject, and in no way reflect on the person who spoke before, so as to make remarks on his slips, failing or imperfection, but shall fairly state the matter as nearly as he can so as to convey his light or ideas.
- 6. No person shall abruptly break off or absent himself from the Association without liberty obtained from it.
- 7. No person shall rise and speak more than three times on one subject without liberty obtained from the Association.
- 8. No member of the Association shall have liberty of laughing during the sitting of the same, nor whispering in the time of public speech.
- 9. No member of the Association shall address another in any other appellation than the title of brother.
- 10. The Moderator shall not interrupt any member or prohibit him from speaking till he gives his light on the subject except he break the Rules of this Decorum.
- 11. The names of the several members of the Association shall be enrolled by the Clerk and called over as often as the Association requires.

- 12. The Moderator shall be entitled to the same privileges of speech as any other member, provided the chair be filled, and he shall not vote unless the Association be equally divided.
- 13. That any member who shall willingly and knowingly break any of these rules shall be reproved by the Association as they shall think proper.

CONSTITUTION

The churches from Mountain Association, Cranberry, Senter, South Fork, Silas Creek, and Big Helton, and also the Three Forks Association, Beaver Creek, Bear Creek, North Fork, and Horse Creek, having been dismissed from the Mountain and Three Forks Association, at their annual meetings in A.D. 1853, to form a new Association, met by the respective delegates in a convention, with the Senter Church October 21, 1853, formed and adopted the present Constitution of the Senter Association.

- 1. This Association shall be composed of members chosen by the different churches in our union and duly sent to represent them in the Association.
- 2. Who, in producing letters from their respective churches certifying their appointment, shall be entitled to their seats. Each church shall be entitled to three delegates. In their letters are to be expressed their number in full fellowship, those baptized, received by letter, excluded, and dead since the last Association.
- 3. The members thus chosen and convened shall have no power to lord it over God's heritage, nor shall they have any clerical power over the churches, nor shall they infringe any internal right over any church in the union.
- 4. The Association shall be governed and ruled by a regular decorum.
- 5. The Association shall have a Moderator and Clerk, who shall be chosen by the suffrage of the members present.
- 6. New churches or any regular Baptist Church of Jesus Christ of our faith and order, being legally dismissed by letter from any sister Association, upon application by letter and delegates, shall be admitted into our union.
- 7. Every church in the union shall be entitled to representation in the Association.
- 8. Every query, first being debated in the church and then presented to the Association, shall be read and debated and answered unless it be withdrawn by the member who presents it.

- 9. Every motion made and seconded shall come under the consideration of the Association, except it be withdrawn by the member who made it.
- 10. The Association shall endeavor to furnish the churches with the minutes of the proceedings, the best method for accomplishing this purpose shall be at the discretion of the future Association.
- 11. We think it necessary to have an Association fund to defray the expenses of the same and it is the duty of each church in the union to contribute such sums as they think proper to the Association, and those monies shall be deposited in the hands of a treasurer who shall be accountable to the Association for the same.
- 12. There shall be an Association book wherein the proceedings of the Association shall be recorded by a secretary appointed by the Association, who shall receive a yearly compensation for his trouble.
- 13. The minutes of the Association shall be read, corrected; if need be and signed by the Moderator and Clerk before the Association rises.
- 14. Amendments to their plan or form of government may be made at any time by a majority of the Association, when they may deem it necessary, by giving the churches twelve months notice.
- 15. The Association shall have power to provide for the general union of churches, to endeavor to preserve a chain of communion among the churches, to give the church the necessary advice in matters of difficity.
- 16. To inquire into the cause, if any church fails to represent themselves at any time in the Association.
- 17. To appropriate those monies contributed by the churches to any purpose they may think proper.
- 18. The Association shall have power to withdraw from any church in the union which shall violate the rules of this Convention deviate from the orthodox principles of the gospel.

ARTICLES OF FAITH

1. We believe in one only true and living God, Father, Son and Holy Ghost and these three are one.

- 2. We believe that the scriptures of the Old and New Testament as Translated in the 1611 King James version of the Holy Bible, is the written word of God and the only rule of Faith and Practice.
 - 3. We believe in the doctrine of election by grace.
- 4. We believe in the doctrine of original sin and in Man's impotency to recover himself from the fallen state he is in by nature by his own free will or ability.
- 5. We believe that sinners are called, converted, regenerated and sanctified by the Holy Spirit, and that all who are thus regenerated and born again by the Spirit of God shall never fall finally away.
- 6. We believe that sinners are justified in the sight of God only by the imputed righteousness of Jesus Christ.
- 7. We believe that baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances of Jesus Christ and that true believers are the only subjects of those ordinances and we believe the only true mode of baptism is by immersion.
- 8. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and a general judgment and the joys of the righteous and that the punishment of the wicked will be eternal.
- 9. We believe that no minister has the right to administer the ordinances of the gospel except such as are regularly called, and come under the imposition of hands by the Presbytery.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

BEAR CREEK—Sunday (only) 11 a. m. following the first Saturday. A stucco cinder block building just off highway No. 16, at Glendale Springs, N. C. Note: Glendale Springs, N. C. is located between North Wilkesboro, N. C. and Jefferson, N. C. Highway 16. Traveling from North Wilkesboro, N. C., turn right at Glendale Springs. Traveling from Jefferson, N. C., turn left at Glendale Springs. Church in a small grove of pines on right in sight from Glendale Springs, N. C.

BEAVER CREEK—Fourth Saturday night 7 p. m., and Sunday 2 p. m. A brick church building, located about three miles from West Jefferson, N. C. Take highway 221 about one mile toward Boone, N. C. turn left on highway 163 about 2 miles, Church on left side of highway.

BIG HELTON—Sunday 10:30 a. m. following the third Saturday. A white wood church building about one mile west of Sturgill, N. C. Take Highway 194 from Lansing, N. C. to Sturgills, N. C., turn left, church about one mile on left side of road.

HORSE CREEK—Sunday (only) 11 a. m. following the fourth Saturday. A white wood frame building about four miles northwest of Lansing, N. C. Take Highway 194 from West Jefferson, N. C., to Lansing, N. C. From Lansing, go 1353 around one mile, turn left on 1324, follow 1324 to Joe Hampton Road, follow to end of pavement, turn left to church.

MEADOW FORK—Sunday after Second Saturday—A white weatherboard building. Located on Highway # 18. Between North Wilkesboro, N. C. and Laurel Springs, N. C. Near Blue Ridge Parkway.

NORTH FORK—Sunday (only) 2 p. m. following the first Saturday. A white asbestos shingle church building, located about three miles west of Warrensville, N. C. Located between Warrensville, N. C. and Trade, Tenn. Take Highway No. 88 out of Warrensville, N. C., about one mile you will come to the North Fork of New River, take first right hand road, church about two miles on right side of road.

RIVERVIEW—Third Sunday following the third Saturday. A brick church building, located about eight miles from West Jefferson, N. C. Take Highway 221 about one mile and a half toward Boone, N. C. Turn left on state road No. 1147, go about six miles, church on left side of road.

ROANS CREEK—Fourth Sunday 11:00 a. m. (only) Following the fourth Saturday. A brick church building located between Jefferson, N. C., and Laurel Springs, N. C. Take Highway No. 88 out of Jefferson, N. C. about seven miles, church on left side of road.

SENTER—Second Saturday, 11 a. m. and Sunday, 2 p. m. A brick church building, located between Jefferson, N. C. and Sparta, N. C. Take Highway 221 out of Jefferson, N. C. about eight miles near Nathan's Creek School.

	1829	1869	1898	1785	1849	1840	1840	1785	1832	Church Established
	Senter	Roans Creek	Riverview	North Fork	Meadow Fork	Horse Creek	Big Helton	Beaver Creek	Bear Creek	CHURCHES
TOTAL	Deacon Bertie Bare, Bro. Norman Brown, Bro. Bobby Absher, Deacon Paul Bare, Alt.	Deacon G. L. Mash, Deacon Oscar Burgess, Elder Billy Yates, Deacon Guy Reeves, Alt.	Elder C. O. Yates, Deacon Willard Hartzog, Deacon Wade Miller, Deacon Paul Miller, Alt.	Deacon Grover Burchette, Sister Hettie Sapp, Sister Floss Roten, Sister Edna Roten, Alt.	Elder Allen Whittington, Lib. Samuel Whittington, Sister Mabel Johnson, Sis. Nora Whittington, Alt.	Deacon Millard Davis, Deacon Carl Ball, Sister Lessie Ball	Sister Enice Kilby, Sister Bertie Blevins, Sister Gladys Blevins, Sister Stella Helms, Alt.	Elder Floyd F. South, Deacon Don Watters, Sister Willa Crey Miller, Sister Jean Walters, Alt.	Deacon Wayne Severt, Sister Annie Pierce, Sister Verna Jones, Sister Margaret Jarvis, Alt.	MESSENGERS
0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	June	July	June	July	Aug.	June	July	May	May	Communion Month
	10	4	ယ	1	10	4	ယ	4	-	Sat. of Meeting
9	1	1	ယ		10			-	1	Ordained Elders
-					-					Liberated
0										Rec. by Exp. & Bapt.
0										Received by Letter
0										Restored to Fel.
0										Dis'd, by Letter
1								-	NAME OF THE PARTY	Excluded
7	10		-			1		-	10	Deceased
229	62	43	32	19	19	6	17	14	17	Total Membership
\$564.00	91.00	46.00	74.00	80.00	35.00	25.00	115.00	60.00	\$ 38.00	Contributions

