

HISTORICAL EVENTS AT NEW HOPE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

The following information was compiled by Anne Elizabeth Wilson Chambers:

ITEM	DATE	IN MEMORY OF:	GIVEN/DONATED BY:
Old Nags Head Chapel	Circa 1745		
Camden Circuit	1804-1865		
Church Land Deeded (2 acres for \$10)	June 2, 1809		
Church Built (Church used as landmark in road petition 1810)	Circa 1809		
Church grounds enlarged (Located west of the church for \$30)	October 13, 1834		
Ministers of Hertford Circuit	1866-1891		
Long-Handled Collection Boxes	Circa 1809		
Communion goblet	Circa Late 1800		
Communion table	Circa 1909		
Perquimans Circuit – 5 churches	1891-1957		
Church Remodeled – vestibule added, and main belfry added, floor elevated, slave gallery removed, cuspidors removed, the pulpit was built. Also, another document states in 1915 there were additions made, and at that time the old slave gallery that extended across the entire back and sides was removed.)	1909		
Indian cemetery found on west side of church. Remains could be early settlers as there is no documentation that they were Indians.	Circa 1910		
Friendly bible Class and Sunday School Records	1917		
Wesley Bible Class Charter #7020	April 5, 1918		
Bible	July 6, 1919		Donated by Friendly Bible Class
Sunday School Board Classes Charter #8574 Chancie Endeonor Wesley Young Adult	March 19, 1921		
Eight classrooms added along the side of the nave on west side of	1926		

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church and small belfry added.			
Willing Worker Class Charter #11922	November 11, 1926		
Electric Lights	1940	In memory of Charney Umphlett & D. May 7, 1926 and Wife Martha Matthews D. January 25, 1940	Donated by the Family
Bread Tray	1948	In memory of WBC	
Central heating added	Circa 1950's		
Repair, refinish and replace alter rail. Added communion tray	Circa early 1950's		
Organ	Circa 1950		
Large hanging brass cross	Circa 1954	In memory of William Woodley Spencer, died January 7, 1954 and Lucy Howell Spencer, died June 17, 1949	Donated by Ruby Spencer Edwards
Drapes	Date Unknown		Donated by Rebecca Webb, died June 14, 1994 and Mary Webb, Died June 9, 1994
New Hope/Woodland Charge	1957		
Parsonage built (Appendix L contains survey)	1957		
Charter United Methodist Men New Hope Woodland	April 25, 1958		
Brass Cross & BrassCandelabra	Circa 1958-1959	In memory of Joseph Wesley Haskett, died 1952 and Alice Wood Haskett, died 1958	
1 st Flags	Circa 1961	In memory of Rachel Spivey, died December 1960	Donated by Mr. & Mrs. Carson Spivey Sr. & Family
Bible for Class Room	Circa 1961	In memory of Rachel Spivey, died December 1960	Donated by Mr. & Mrs. Carson Spivey Sr. & Family
Small Alter tables and Flower urns	Circa 1961	In memory of William E. Dail, died July 31, 1961	Donated by Mattie U. Dail, died June 17, 1975

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Hardwood floors added over original	Circa Mid 1960's		
Nursery, 2 bathrooms, choir room, & second story classrooms added	Circa 1962-1963		
Light on lectern	1963	Ralph Proctor, died 1962	Wife, Edith Proctor
Vestibule remodeled	Circa 1970-1971		
Kneeling Cushions	Circa mid 1970's		Gladyce Perry, died July 13, 1998
Heating updated & air conditioning added	Circa 1975		
Hymn Board	Circa 1975	Mattie U. Dail, Died June 17, 1975	Dail Family
Church covered with siding	1976		
Large sign in front of church	Circa late 1970's	Mr. & Mrs. William C. Hurdle, died 1940/February 16, 1955; Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Turner, Died April 10, 1968/ June 19, 1975	Ervin & Etta H. Turner
Alter rail refinished	Circa 1980's		
Piano lamp; Communion Service	Circa 1980's		Mr. & Mrs. F. I. Gordon
Updated electrical lights	Circa 1980's		Celia Umphlett Boyce, died March 9, 1991
Baptismal Font	1981	Hoyle & Sallie Mae Jones; Died September 25, 1981 & May 10, 1981	Family
Church Deed Discovered	1981		
Pew Cushions	1985	Ervin A. Turner; Died December 12, 1984	Etta H. Turner; Died August 3, 2001
Paraments	1987	Norman Godfrey, Died 1987	Helen Godfrey
Brass Collection Plates	1987	Norman Godfrey, Died 1987	Helen Godfrey
Lectern in vestibule	Circa 1988	Issac "Ike" C. Butt, died November 6, 1988	

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Chimes	1988	Naomi Spivey Bright, died June 17, 1988	Family
Handicap Ramp	1989	Mary Spencer Davidson-Banks, died 1946	Family & Church Members
Becomes Station Church	1991		
Parsonage Bought Woodland' share (Appendix M) Appendix N contains a description & value of the church and parsonage.	March 4, 1991		
Paraments	1992	Lucious & Edity Butt; died September1, 1984/ December 15, 1988; and Andrew & Virginia Ownley, died July 19, 1974 and June 23, 1982	William & Mary Lou Ownley & Family
Paraments	1992	Edith Spivey, died November 30, 1991	Mr. & Mrs. Carson Spivey, Jr. & Family
Music gallery added in the sanctuary	1997		
Fellowship Hall added (Appendix O contains ideas for the hall)	1997		
Choir Loft extended	1997		
Brass Urns replaced	1998		
Piano	1998		
Carpets Replaced & Choir Chairs Padded	1998		Mr. & Mrs. Bill Sawyer
Music Sound System	1999		Mr. & Mrs. Mark Rossnagel
Flag Pole	1999	Myres Turner Forbes	Clayton Forbes
Glazed chalice and Plate communion set	2000		Mr. & Mrs. Jim Darnell
Recessed Lighting	2001		
Last "Grave House" Lost in storm (Name on the grave was Elizabeth Nicholson	2003		
Overhead Projector & screen	2003		
Communion cloth	2004	Margaret Butt, died	Family

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		May 26, 2004	
American & Christian Flags for exterior flag pole	2004		Clayton Forbes
Two Sunday Schools rooms turned into Church Office and Pastors Office	2004/2005		
Bibles for the pews	July 2005		Congregation
Staging for Kings Kids purchased	2005		
American flag & Christian flag replaced in sanctuary	2005	Marshal Hugh Caddy; died December 16, 2005	Family
Memory Board	2005	Benjamin H. Chambers, Died November 2, 1990	Family
Candle lighter	2008	Thomas R. Butt	
Ebony music stand	2009	Robert Waszak USMC 3/3	
Processional Cross	2009	Kit White	
Kawai Piano	2009	Paschal & Winnie Lancaster	
Grave houses	2009		Ann Butt & Lee Stallings
Time Capsule	2009		Don & Pat Oglesby
Lenox China, Seder Set	2009		Debbie Beattie
Stained Glass Paraments	2009		Pastor Bill & Susan Masciangelo
Church Line Drawings	2009		Meredith Wood
Colorado Blue Spruce	2009		Don & Pat Oglesby