

# Pamunkey United Methodist Church and Cemetery



It is commonly accepted, but not proven, that the original Pamunkey Church building was a log structure which was destroyed by fire. The present sanctuary was probably constructed on a one acre site, donated by Eppie Gilliam and John Slater, years before the deed was recorded at New Kent Courthouse in January 1875.

The original Pamunkey Church had been abandoned by the Methodist Denomination, but it began to recover mainly due to about 10 members who persevered with Sunday School and prayers. In 1868 Rev. Jesse K. Powers from the New Kent and Williamsburg Circuit held services on the third Saturday afternoon of each month. In 1869, the Rev. Joseph Lear preached every four weeks. The first organ was installed during the subsequent ministry of Rev. Joseph P. Wise, and the oil lamp chandeliers were hung in 1898. By 1900 membership had grown and services were often crowded.

The Pamunkey Memorial Association assumed responsibility for maintenance of the church in 1928. Interest from a trust fund, created mainly due to the effort of Clarence Gilliam, son of Eppie, benefits the church even today.

Loretta and Hawthorne Davis  
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Austin, baby			A-2	1	3	(no dates)
Austin, baby			A-2	2	3	(no dates)
Austin, James D., Jr.			A-2	5	3	(no dates)
Austin, Louis Delaware		Jun 21, 1888	A-2	3	3	
Austin, Mary F.	Jun 08, 1829	Sep 11, 1906	B-2	1	13	
Austin, Myrtle C.			A-1	4	2	(no dates)
Austin, Peter R.	1889	1958	A-1	3	2	
Austin, Sarah A.	Nov 15, 1834	Jan 15, 1923	A-2	6	3	
Austin, Sarah F.	Mar 10, 1849	Nov 25, 1919	A-2	4	3	
Badger, Raymond	Feb 08, 1920	Nov 01, 1990	B-1	6	12	US Army, World War II
Batkins, John			A-6	10	9	(no dates)
Blayton, Joseph W.	1905	1962	C-6	1	25	
Boroughs, David L.	1894	1978	C-3	12	21	PVT US Army, World War I
Boroughs, Margaret D.	1910	2005	C-3	13	21	
Boroughs, Robert E.	1903	1969	A-6	13	9	
Boteler, Albert Leeroy	Aug 13, 1894	Oct 02, 1908	C-4	7	22	
Boteler, Emily Leonia	1853	1917	C-3	6	21	
Boteler, Emily Oliver	1873	1889	C-3	4	21	
Boteler, Robert Franklin	1847	1892	C-3	5	21	
Boteler, Thomas Edward	1871	1900	C-4	6	22	
Boteler, Thomas Edward	Oct 28, 1892	Oct 13, 1907	C-4	5	22	
Boteler, William Leeroy			C-5	6	23	(no dates)
Bowmer, Earl Douglas	Jul 25, 1909	Dec 06, 1976	C-3	1	20	
Bowmer, Murriel Mills	Feb 12, 1904	Mar 16, 1995	C-3	2	20	
Browning, Jacob Maynard	Mar 31, 1924	Aug 30, 1979	B-2	8	13	
Bunch, James W.	1916	1990	A-7	8	10	
Bunch, Opal B.	1917	1998	A-7	9	10	
Burnette, Timothy			A-7	1	10	(no dates)
Campbell, Mary	1857	1937	A-5	13	7	
Caroll, Thomas	Illegible	Aug 19__	A-1	6	2	
Couch, Carrie L.	1900	1960	C-8	9	2	
Couch, Edwin Tyler	1876	1950	C-8	8	30	
Couch, Ellen J.	Jan 31, 1855	Nov 05, 1915	C-7	5	27	Wife of Isaac S. Couch
Couch, Florence Boswell	Jul 28, 1876	Oct 21, 1840	C-8	7	30	
Couch, Florence M.	Oct 13, 1878	Feb 10, 1902	C-7	4	27	
Couch, Isaac S. Couch	Apr 22, 1853	Feb 25, 1928	C-7	6	27	Our Father
Couch, J. Watson	Oct 08, 1841	Dec 13, 1919	C-7	9	28	
Dillard, Linwood U.	Oct 09, 1920	Nov 12, 1970	B-1	5	12	
Duval, Irvin		May 03, 1892	C-5	3	23	Age 18 yrs. "Our only boy"

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Duvall, D. C.		Apr 20, 1901	C-5	4	23	Age 56 years
Eames, Ellen Octavia	May 12, 1849	Nov 29, 1922	C-8	5	29	
Eames, John W., Jr.	1876	1951	C-8	6	29	
Eames, John Willis	Sep 01, 1847	Feb 14, 1926	C-8	4	29	
Farmer, Alexander L.	Nov 27, 1861	Jul 26, 1933	A-5	8	6	
Farmer, Ella L.	1866	1956	A-5	9	6	
Fellows, James			C-2	6	18	(no dates)
Franks, baby			A-5	2	6	(no dates)
Franks, John William	Sep 18, 1859	Jan 18, 1944	A-5	3	6	
Franks, Lucy W.	Jan 08, 1872	Oct 02, 1945	C-4	4	22	
Franks, Priscilla Gilliam	1851	1886	A-5	1	6	
Fryer, Jermie Guy	--	May 10, 1990	A-1	2	2	
Gilliam, Benjamin Myrtiland	Feb 18, 1889	Jan 22, 1971	D	4	31	
Gilliam, brother	1879	1888	A-5	6	6	
Gilliam, C. Albert, Jr.	Feb 02, 1920	Aug 04, 1985	A-4	4	5	
Gilliam, Claude D.	Ma 08, 1876	Nov 11, 1932	D	3	31	
Gilliam, father	1845	1896	A-5	4	6	
Gilliam, Ida M.	Feb 16, 1918	Mar 09, 2011	A-4	5	5	
Gilliam, J. C.	Mar 27, 1836	Sep 29, 1905	D	1	31	
Gilliam, James A.	May 28, 1903	Nov 24, 1975	A-1	5	2	
Gilliam, mother	1857	1934	A-5	5	6	
Gilliam, S. Elmore	Feb 05, 1847	Sep 22, 1917	D	2	31	"Mother"
Gilliam, sister	1896	1975	A-5	7	6	
Gordon, Aylese M.	1907	1995	C-6	2	25	
Gordon, Maurice A.	1909	1995	C-6	3	25	
Hastings, Maude G.	--	Nov 28, 1935	D	5	32	
Hastings, William T.			D	6	32	(no dates)
Hewlett, A. D.			C-2	4	18	(no dates)
Hewlett, Willie			C-2	5	18	(no dates)
Hicks, baby			A-6	1	8	(no dates)
Hicks, baby			A-6	2	8	(no dates)
Hicks, Eliza Gilliam			A-6	5	8	(no dates)
Hicks, Lucy			A-6	3	8	(no dates)
Hicks, Ryland			A-6	4	8	(no dates) "9 Months"
Hicks, Shepperd			A-4	7	5	(no dates - CSA emblem)
Hill, Julian A.	--	Aug 22, 1920	A-5	11	7	
Hill, William M.	--	Mar 27, 1932	A-5	10	7	
Jacobson, Martha E.	Jan 07, 1871	Sep 06, 1904	B-2	3	13	
Jenkins, Bessie E. Gilliam	Jun 02, 1936	Jan 05, 1999	A-1	7	2	
Jennings, Amanda			A-3	5	4	(no dates)

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Jennings, baby			A-4	3	5	(no dates)
Jennings, Emma	1861	1926	A-3	3	4	
Jennings, Mansfield	1857	1927	A-3	2	4	
Lippold, Mother Minna	1836	1888	A-6	6	8	
Manning, Mary E.	1885	1960	A-5	12	7	
Marston, Mary M.	1910	1978	C-1	7	17	
Marston, Randolph T.	1898	1982	C-1	8	17	
Martin, Carol Philbates	Nov 22, 1890	Jan 17, 1969	A-3	8	4	
Martin, George D.	Feb 21, 1870	Jul 11, 1949	A-3	7	4	
Martin, Mattie W.	Dec 17, 1870	Dec 23, 1937	A-3	6	4	
Mills, Anne Harris	Jul 25, 1919	May 29, 2008	C-2	2	18	
Mills, E. Hansford	Sep 1876	Sep 1903	A-7	3	10	
Mills, Edward	Nov 25, 1900	Jun 07, 1989	C-4	1	22	
Mills, Edward E. "Buster"	May 27, 1925	Aug 27, 2003	C-5	1	23	
Mills, Ethel P.	Jan 14, 1901	May 22, 2001	C-4	2	22	
Mills, Georgia	Feb 22, 1839	Mar 11, 1905	A-7	2	10	
Mills, James Boswell	Feb 04, 1914	Jun 05, 1979	C-2	1	18	
Mills, Margaret L.	Jan 10, 1926	--	C-5	2	23	
Morgan, baby			A-4	9	5	(no dates)
Morgan, Margaret Louise	1911	1997	A-4	13	5	
Morgan, William Clarence	1905	1965	A-4	12	5	
Morris, Lou Hewlett			C-1	1	17	(no dates)
Phaup, Alvin F., Jr. "Sonny"	Oct 13, 1938	Jan 27, 2011	C-8	11	30	
Phaup, Alvin Francis, Sr.	Apr 17, 1920	Aug 11, 1997	C-8	12	30	
Phaup, Carolise	Sep 30, 1901	Jul 22, 1902	C-7	10	28	
Phaup, Deborah Mills	1880	1973	C-7	13	28	
Phaup, Odell Mattox	Aug 16, 1918	Apr 25, 2005	C-8	13	30	
Philbates, baby			A-4	10	5	(no dates)
Philbates, Geneva M.	Oct 11, 1920	--	B-2	11	13	
Philbates, George Andrew, Sr.	Jun 05, 1908	Dec 13, 1997	A-4	1	5	
Philbates, George Emmett	Jul 30, 1868	May 31, 1941	A-4	11	5	
Philbates, Gladys Mae Cumber	May 26, 1912	Nov 25, 1986	A-4	2	5	
Philbates, Henry C.	Jun 14, 1917	Nov 07, 1983	B-2	10	13	
Staniuf, Anna B.	Dec 07, 1913	Oct 02, 1993	C-6	8	26	
Staniuf, Joseph J.	Oct 17, 1913	Sep 19, 1991	C-6	7	26	
Taylor, baby			C-2	8	19	(no dates)
Taylor, Christie Evans	Dec 25, 1916	Dec 18, 2010	C-6	10	26	
Taylor, Clarence H.	Sep 27, 1900	Sep 02, 1984	C-6	11	26	
Taylor, Elizabeth Hunt	Sep 26, 1911	Jul 24, 2001	C-2	13	19	
Taylor, Frank	May 30, 1905	Dec 13, 1972	C-2	12	19	
Taylor, Lillian May	--	Nov 1907	C-2	9	19	
Taylor, Lucy Ratcliffe	1830	Jul 11, 1886	C-1	5	17	
Taylor, Nannie L.	1870	1939	C-2	10	19	

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Taylor, Dr. Oliver Francis	Dec 23, 1826	Dec 14, 1897	C-1	6	17	
Taylor, Robert H.	Jul 26, 1913	Apr 03, 1978	C-6	9	26	US Navy
Taylor, William J.	1862	1940	C-2	11	19	
Taylor, Willie Alma	Jun 28, 1889	May 17, 1972	C-6	12	26	Wife of C. H. Taylor
Trent, Marvin Lee	Apr 24, 1957	Mar 09, 1994	B-3	8	14	
Trull, David W.	Illegible		A-2	7	3	(Jul 5, 1953-Jul 7, 1998)
Vogt, William A.	Jan 18, 1962	Jun 18, 2003	C-5	10	24	"Beloved son and brother"
Walker, Isham G.	Jan 16, 1850	Aug 16, 1918	A-7	4	10	
Walker, Margaret C.	Oct 15, 1851	Jul 18, 1919	A-7	5	10	
Williams, baby			C-3	7	21	(no dates)
Williams, Sarah F.	Jun 11, 1855	Nov 12, 1908	B-2	2	13	
Williams, William F.	Jan 05, 1863	Jan 29, 1934	A-6	12	8	
Woodward, Berkley H.	1890	1912	A-6	9	8	
Woodward, Susan H.	1854	1902	A-6	8	8	
Woodward, William Bertrand	Jul24, 1851	Dec 21, 1923	C-7	8	28	"My Husband"
Woodward, William H.	1839	1907	A-6	7	8	
Yasko, Frank	1898	1968	C-6	5	26	
Yasko, Nellie	1893	1965	C-6	6	26	
Zawodny, David A.	Aug 21, 1943	Mar 23, 1999	C-5	11	24	
Zawodny, John Albert	Dec 09, 1908	Jan 11, 1987	C-5	12	24	
Zawodny, Julia B.	Jan 20, 1925	--	C-5	13	24	