

Title: St. John's Episcopal Church

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Abstract: St. John's Episcopal Church was organized June 7, 1847 with the help of the Rev. Benjamin Ackerly, rector of St. Paul's Church. He felt that the South Side of Milwaukee needed an Episcopal Congregation. The first church was a small wooden edifice on South Division St. (later Pierce St.) near Hanover St. On December 27th, 1853 a much larger brick church, around the corner on Hanover St., was consecrated. A spire was added in 1860 and chimes in 1867. The church was remodeled in 1893. In 1922 a frame church on S. 26th and Mitchell Sts. was purchased for a mission. In 1932 the recent church was built on the Mineral St. property, and the church on Hanover was abandoned.

Access and Use: No restrictions

Language: English

Notes: Marriage certificates and material related to Rev. David Keene donated by Francis Chute, February 2015 and December 2017.

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Groom	Bride	Date
Brown, Robert	Fischer, Mary	1848
Younger, Joseph	Dunn, Dorothy	1848
Butler, Francis	Brewer, Ann	1849
Bently, Henry	James, Martha	1849
Dunn(?), Charles	Hiath, Lucy	1849
Lindon, Joseph	Williams, Sarah	1849
Lilly, Henry	Jasker(?), Sarah	1849
Whittaker, John	Jones, Sarah	1849
Sexton, Kellogg	Taylor, Mary	1854
Adams, Thomas	Luke, Emma	1856
Adams, George	Martin, Elisabeth	1860
Bayley, William	Adams, Mary Ann	1860
Neldon, John	Marrow?, Sarah	1860
Hamoffer?, Earl	Hourand?, Mary	1860
Wafon(?), Robert A.	Puddock(?), Gertrude L.	1860
Blodgette, Harrow	Greene, Helen	1861
Harlin, Edgar	Greene, Sarah	1861
Larkin, Charles	Martin, Charlotte	1861
Moss, William	Fansley(?), Susan	1861
Southuels (?), William	Andrews, Emma	1861
Ladd, Samuel	While, Olivia	1863

McIntosh, James	Jules, Cornelia	1863
Seman, Gaylin	Martin, Harriet	1863
Uelster?, Adrian	Meloly(?), Adrian	1864
Smith, John	Lacy, Emily	1864
Belloros, George	Mclair, Mary	1864
Todd, Robert	(?) Synds ,Elizabeth	1864
Reid, John	Diffey, Margret	1864
Rose, James	Shorts, Janene	1864
Smith, Mason	Lankim(?), Louise	1865
Brew, Richard	Griffert, Margret	1865
Black, Robert	Thompson, Elizabeth	1865
Buekley, John	Smith, Helen	1865
Emos, Alred	Fooler, Hannah	1865
Griffin, John	Vance, Jennie	1865
Harrison, Homer	Dieson?, Ellen	1865
Kross?, George	Gillenson, Sarah	1865
Maroh, Henry	Dillie, Helen	1865
Page, Francis	Whartley?, Harriet	1865
Ramsey, David	Eliza ,Hayes	1865
Taylor, John	Keith, Martha	1865
Smiley, David	Furlon, Sarah	1865
Sullivan, Daniel	Homp, Laura	1865
Baltell, Louis	Hannah, Frish	1866
Bower, John	Grimmsheu?	1866
Fowler?,Samuel	Emily,?Prefountain	1866
Hayman, Joel	Dawson, Grace	1866
Hopkins, Paul	Isabella ,Highland	1866
Neu, Joseph	Dixon, Augusta	1866
Rheimer, Frank	Smith, Maryann	1866
Place, Henry	Drake, Doria	1866
Shepard, Joseph	Cox, Charlotte	1866
Emenson, Johnson	Austin, Polly	1867
Lawrence ,Young	Campell, Cornelia	1867
Warner, Edward	Williams, Anna	1867
Farnsworth, Calvin	Wright. Josie	1868
Jones, Hugh	Folsom, Lodema	1868
Bersihand, Dominique	Perry, Marcielina	1869
Johnson, Martin	Hendricksen, Kerren	1869
Rhines, Webster	Quinn, Susy	1869
Lyon, Thomas	Gillmann, Henrietta	1869

Kelly, George	Derrick, Mary	1869
Herriman, Charles	James, Susan	1869
Bliss, Frederick	Ware, Catherine	1869
Rowe, Gilbert	Sutsin, Mary	1869
Bleud, Clarence	Cummings, Ann Elizabeth	1869
Enos, Horace	Chase, Ella	1870
Cochren, Alexander	Schofield, Mary	1870
Hiland, James	Tole, Jane Elizabeth	1870
Coffin, Moses	Rowe, Anna Elizabeth	1870
Dixon, Jon	Topliff, Clara	1872
Yale, Willard	Elliot, Mary	1872
Reynolds, Hugh	Wilson, Mary	1872
Wright, Benjamin	Dowe, Helen	1872
Dunlop, Henry	Price, Mary	1872
Green, John	Mheen, Bridget	1872
Rynaston, John	Livingston, Margaret	1872
Rich, David	Day, Mary Jane	1872
Tracy, Samuel	Nayden, Virginia	1872
Pratt, George	Davis, Lolla	1872
Tyson, Thomas	Taylor, Mary	1873
Conor, Edward	Rogers, Alice	1873
Rohlsdorf, Robert	Gesler, Sophia	1873
Ardern, James	Proctor, Mary	1873
Hooker, Wiliam	Dousman, Rosalie	1873
Wentworth, Sidney	Day, Phoebe	1873
Hill, Matthew	Lord, Mary	1873
Shepherdson, Edward	Sears, Emma	1873
Warmann, Otto	Liedel, Ellen	1873
Fehrenkamp, John	Wilson, Eleanor	1874
Regenfuss, Lothaire	Sharples, Mary	1874
Coons, Frank	Putnam, Margaret	1874
Ludwig, Herman	Lurkins, Mary	1874
Lindquist, Charles	Hoversen, Annie	1875
Gildersleve, James	Folsom, Julia	1875
Kingsbury, Seymour	Armstrong, Catherine	1875
Collins, Thomas	James, Esther	1875
Dodsworth, Herbert	Cary, Helen	1875
Davies, Byron	Peterson, Ellie	1875
Moore, Henry	Church, Anna	1875
Close, Henry	Nicholson, Annie	1875

Moore, Robert	Miller, Augusta	1876
Harris, Joseph	Lee, Ida	1876
Bingham, James	Brown, Florence	1876
Buck, Stephen	Elliot, Harriet	1876
Smith, Robert	Fogg, Mary	1876
Cooper, Edwin	Ferguson, Alice	1877
Radcliff, Thomas	Tabberner, Martha	1877
Northcote, James	Argove, Hannah	1877
Hamilton, Edward	Dickmann, Hannah	1877
Brown, George	Moore, Mary	1877
Dyer, Charles	Wolf, Lottie	1877
Baldwin, Arthur	Adams, Lucy	1877
Mains, Charles	Foley, Mary	1877
Swick, Frank	Krause, Mary	1877
Hayes, George	Lee, Emma	1877
Bartlett, John	Reeler, Harriet	1877
Marshall, Richard	Gillespie, Samantha	1877
Radcliff, Charles	Dadd, Maria	1877
Brown, Horace	Chase, Julia	1878
Hinsey, William	McGlathery, Sarah	1878
Emmerling, Joseph	Miechel, Eugenic	1878
Mitchell, John	Becker, Harriet	1878
Baxter, Abel	Grimshaw, Emily	1878
Mainzer, John	Conklin, Mary Jane	1878
Glass, William	Harrison, Emma	1879
Moore, Robert	Devere, Hattie	1879
Eppers, John	Neff, Julia	1879
Fohey, George	Niemann, Mary	1879
Veech, Alexander	Grimshaw, Sarah	1879
Fourness, Montague	Ashbourn, Sarah	1879
Buechner, Henry	Low, Elizabeth	1879
Drake, Samuel	George, Clara	1879
Kelly, Marcus	Kingston, Lizzy	1880
Dole, Edward	Dickens, Mary	1880
Ackerman, E.J.	Lurkins, Ada	1880
Allison, Thomas	Shurr, Klara	1881
Memick, David	Ladue, Anna	1881
Middleton, Frank	Hinsey, Annie	1881
Hoth, Addison	Fourness, Fanny	1881
Wood, Thomas	Williams, Emily	1881

Bartell, Ellis	Thomas, Lydia	1881
Harris, Charles	Rush, Florence	1881
Hoppin, Albert	Dole, Alice	1881
Bioins, Maro	Pilkington, Elizabeth	1882
Blackbourn, George Washington	LaRoy, Esther	1882
Earl, Benjamin	Marrow, Helen	1882
George, Charles Henry	Cochran (?), Nellie	1882
Middlemas, Archibald	Adams, Mary Ann Emma	1882
Quin, John	Boas, May (Mary?) Laura	1882
Richards, Henry	Watson, Mary Jane	1882
Schottle, Charles John	Wolfgraun	1882
Ward, Lindsey	Erwin, Augusta E.	1882
White, Henry Leu Eyck	Driscoll, Fanny	1882
Williams, Thomas	Phillips, Mary	1882
Durant, Walter	Johnson, Lillie	1883
Evans, Elbert John	Lyness, Ella Margaret	1883
Galloway, Donald John	Grimshaw, Jennie	1883
Gibson, Henry Walter	Wale, Sophia	1883
Gregory, John Goadby	Paul, Caroline Strong	1883
Harts, John Leslie	Dodge, Ida L.	1883
Hibbard, Dan Vosburgh	Damon, Hattie Bartley	1883
Higby, Charles F.	Tole, Mary	1883
Hinkley, Edward	Adams, Louisa	1883
Holdin, James	Thomas, Louisa	1883
Kerr, James H.	James, Emma	1883
Langgard, Clay	Klinter, Lizzie	1883
Loeber, Theodore	Howard, Elizabeth	1883
Parliamesch(?), Samuel	Rollins, Carrie Andrews	1883
Starr, Henry Arthur	Shafer, Catharine Barbara	1883
Sweet, Benjamin	Goggin, Julia	1883
Walton, William	Newell, Margret	1883
Jones, Thomas	Bigelow, Chloe	1884
Lee, Charles	Davis, Agnes	1884
Lerch, Cornelius	Yeudale, Susan	1884
Pepperday, Josphe	Hox, Mary	1884
Layton, Charles	Aston, Annie	1884
Slim, William	Calloway, Mary	1884
Clark, William	Drought, Helen	1884
Kenny, William	Youngs, Nellie	1884
Whiteney, George	Ogden, Mary	1884

Becher, Franklin	Wolf, Ada	1884
Shafer, John	Schlenger, Grace	1884
Daniell, Edward	Lowum, Johannah	1884
Fohey, Frederick	Wolf, Philipera	1884
Putz, Iddo	Jones, Amanda	1884
Hubbard, Roland	Gilbert, Mary	1884
Von Brown, William	Louglas(?), Jammie	1884
Lunberg, Adolph	Renseth, Antoinetta	1885
Stark, William	Bailey, Mary	1885
Glasfell, Harrison	Watson, Rebecca	1885
Grider, Andrew	Roberts, Ada	1885
Kleinbeck, Anthony	Woodbury, Grace	1885
Minn, William	Fitzgerald, Mary	1885
Franklin, Thomas	Thickens, Sabrina	1885
Baxter, Alfred	Hayden, Ellen	1885
Gilbert, George	Flynn, Annie	1885
Payler, William	Pratt, Nellie	1885
Phoenix, John	English, Margaret	1885
Black, Thomas	Fitzgerald, Clara	1886
Binney, Henry	Thompson, Alice	1886
Hubbard, Edward	Howe, Ida	1886
Lowbridge, Parker	Johnson, Hattie	1886
Loard, Edmund	Lunn, Jane	1886
Dadd, Edward	Ramlah, Dora	1886
Larkin, Clarence	Thuss, Pauline	1887
Clark, Oscar	Leurroy, Elizabeth	1887
Fagan, John	Croell, Georgie	1887
Seerup, Carl	Grimshaw, Jessie	1887
Willioer, W.G.	Wale, Selma	1887