

CLOSED CHURCHES IN THE SOUTH HUNTINGDON TOWNSHIP AREA, FORMERLY PART OF THE BAY OF QUINTE PRESBYTERY,
HASTINGS COUNTY

by Linda Farrell, April 27, 2014

Moira United Church;

- Located on Lot 12, Concession 3 Huntingdon or Carson Rd. just off Moira Road
- The first church erected on this property was built in 1854 called the Wesleyan Methodist Church according to information in the Moira book. The plaque in Thomasburg United Church states that Moira church was built in 1857. Moira was a part of the Thomasburg circuit. (Moira, Roslin and Thomasburg)
- The church burned in 1872 and was rebuilt in 1873.
- In 1874 the church was renamed as a Canadian Methodist church
- In 1884 the church was renamed as Methodist Church of Canada
- In 1890 the Moira church became part of the West Huntingdon circuit (Moira, Westhuntingdon, Fuller, and Eggleton).
- In 1925 the Methodist church in Moira became the United Church of Canada.
- In 1947 the Westhuntingdon circuit was changed, Fuller was removed and added to Ivanhoe circuit. Thomasburg was added. (Moira, Westhuntingdon, Eggleton and Thomasburg).
- In 1967 Moira United Church was closed by Bay of Quinte Presbytery. The congregation moved to the churches in Roslin and Thomasburg.
- In 2010 the Moira Community centre received money from the Trillium foundation to upgrade the building including a new kitchen, washrooms and heating/cooling system. The group, "People Helping People" are caretakers of the building on behalf of the Municipality. The Moira Hall is used for weddings, social functions and meetings.
- The wall mural, "The Saviour with a Lamb" was painted directly on the wall in the original Moira United Church in 1915 by Wilhelm Fritzen, a German refugee. In 1952 the painting was cleaned and touched up by Manley MacDonald a famous artist in the Quinte area. The painting is now covered by a curtain to prevent damage to this rare and unique art treasure.

Mount Zion Episcopal Church, Moira;

- Located on Moira Road at the top of "Pancake Hill", was built in 1880
- The church was destroyed by a hurricane in 1899 and the members then mainly attached themselves to the Moira Methodist church. The church was never rebuilt.

Quaker church at Moira;

- Located on Emerson Road, off Moira Rd., Lot 14, Conc. 1, Huntingdon Twp., Hastings County
- The original log building was erected in 1845. This building was replaced by a stone structure and held monthly meetings from 1868, quarterly meetings started in 1869.
- There are no remains of the church today.

Fuller United Church;

- The church was built in 1855 on Conc 6 Lot 12
- In 1887 the building was called, "The Little Bible Christain Church". This was the first church in Huntingdon Twp.
- It was then a Methodist church until 1925 when it became a United Church.
- The Fuller United Church was closed in 1967 by Bay of Quinte Presbytery
- There was a plaque on the exterior of the church, "1905 B.L.Mylks when the building was stuccoed.

Fuller Presbyterian Church;

- The building is still standing today and is used for storage.

Bethel United Church;

- Bethel church was located at Chapman corners just off Highway #37 in Hungerford Twp.
- This church was built in 1848 – 1854 and was rebuilt in 1873.
- - In 1891 Roslin, Thomasburg and Bethel became a pastoral charge.
- The church was closed in 1947 and became part of Tweed charge.
- There are no remains of the church today.
- A picture of this church is located on a plaque with other churches that were a part of Thomasburg circuit.

West Huntingdon United church;

- The West Huntingdon United church is located at the corner of Sills Rd. and Highway 62, Conc 4 Lot 3 Huntingdon Twp.
- The building is still standing beside the Orange Lodge building.

West Huntingdon St. Andrews Presbyterian Church;

- The church is located on Highway 62, 2 kilometers south of Ivanhoe.
- The church was closed March 11, 2011 and is now sold to a private individual.

West Huntingdon Episcopal Methodist;

- Located on Conc. 2 L 2 on Hwy. 62, Huntingdon Twp.
- There are no remains of the church today.

Eggleton United Church;

- This church is located on Conc 9, Lot 35 in Sidney Township just off Tuftsville Rd., but included because Eggleton was part of Westhuntingdon circuit in 1947.

Beulah United Church at Ivanhoe;

- The church was built in 1882, burned in 1926 and rebuilt in 1927.
- The church is now used by “The Standard Church” congregation.

Ivanhoe Presbyterian Church;

- The church was located on Conc. 7 Lot 7 Huntingdon Twp., which is now Slab St.,
- There are no remains of the building today.

Ivanhoe Methodist Church;

- The church was located on Conc. 8 Lot 8 Huntingdon Twp., which is now Slab St.
- There are no remains of the building today.

CEMETERIES, ACTIVE AND INACTIVE IN THE SOUTH HUNTINGDON TOWNSHIP AREA, FORMERLY PART OF BAY OF QUINTE
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Quaker Cemetery at Moira – closed;

- Located on Emerson Road, off Moira Rd., Lot 14, Conc. 1, Huntingdon Twp. Hastings County
- The tombstones have been grouped together and the grass is cut regularly in the summer.

Moira Cemetery – open;

- Located on Moira Rd.on, Lot 15 Conc 2, Huntingdon
- Contact person is Don Hawley 613 477 2072

Luke's cemetery – open:

- Located on Moira Road on the south corner of Highway 62 and Moira Road
- Contact person is Barbara Caterer, Stirling.

Bethel cemetery – open;

- Located at Chapman Corners just off Highway # 37 in Hungerford Twp.
- At one time the cemetery was associated with the church.

Lloyd cemetery – closed;

- Located on Conc 1 Lot 6 Huntingdon Twp. at the end of School House Rd.

Rollins cemetery – closed;

- Located Conc 7 Lot 9 Huntingdon Twp., off Slab St., Ivanhoe

Clarke-Eggleton cemetery - open

- Located in Sidney Twp. Conc 9 Lot 35 on Baptist Church Rd., just off Tuftsville Rd.

Archibalds cemetery – closed;

- Located off Hollowview road, east off Hwy. 62, property now owed by David Ried, Conc 5 Lot 3 Huntingdon
- The cemetery is maintained by the Municipality

Gauen cemetery – closed;

The cemetery is located Conc 7 Lot 6 just off Hwy. 62

Lilac (Mitz) cemetery – closed;

- The cemetery is located Conc 6 Lot 6 Huntingdon Twp. and is maintained by the Municipality.

Methodist-Episcopal Westhuntingdon – closed;

- The cemetery is located Conc 3 Lot 2 Huntingdon Twp.

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New White Lake Cemetery – open

- The cemetery is located Conc 10 Lot 10 Huntingdon Twp.

Old White Lake Pioneer Cemetery – closed;

- The cemetery is located Conc 10 Lot 9 Huntingdon Twp.
- Associated with Bethesda United Church at one time.

Downey cemetery – closed;

- The cemetery is located Conc 10 Lot 8 Huntingdon Twp.

Reid Settlement cemetery – closed;

- The cemetery is located Conc 7 Lot 2 Huntingdon Twp.

St. Paul's Anglican cemetery – closed;

- The cemetery is located Conc 1 Lot 20 Huntingdon Twp.

Wood family cemetery – closed;

- The cemetery is located Conc 8 Lot 3 & 4 Huntingdon Twp.

Haggerty cemetery – closed;

- The cemetery is located on Sills Road east of Hwy. 62, Conc 4 Lot 3 Huntingdon Twp. on the farm now owned by James Haggerty and maintained by the Haggerty family.

Morgan family cemetery – closed;

- The cemetery is located Conc 9 Lot 1 or 2 Huntingdon Twp.

McCumber family cemetery – closed;

- located on Scholtz Rd., Fuller

Thomasburg cemetery – open:

- The cemetery is located directly opposite Thomasburg United Church in Hungerford Twp.
- Contact person is Paul Kennedy, 613 478 6482

Native Indian Cemetery – closed;

- The cemetery is located Conc 5 Lot 5 Huntingdon Twp.

