

**BEAUFORT COUNTY
HISTORIC SITES SURVEY - 1997**

INTENSIVE LEVEL BUILDING INVENTORY FORM

Statewide Survey Site Form
State Historic Preservation Office
South Carolina Department of Archives and History
Columbia, SC

Site Number: U- 13 - 45.00
Access County Site #
USGS Quad: 251 Jasper
Doc. Level: Intensive Level-Building

Historic name(s): St. Luke's Episcopal Church Map Ref.: _____ Tax Number: R600 029 000 0007 0000
Common name(s): St. Luke's Methodist Church City Block Ref.: _____ Island: _____
Address/location: 3080 Okatie Highway City/Vicinity of (vic.): Pritchardville vic.
Date: 1824 Alteration date: _____
Ownership: 1. private 2. city 3. county 4. state 5. federal 6. unknown
Category: 1. building 2. site 3. structure 4. object
Historic use(s): Church Current uses: Church

National Register Status: _____ Date: _____ Listing Name: _____ NRIS # _____
listed individually in National Register 11/10/87 St. Luke's Methodist Church

SHPO Determination: District: Contributing Non-contributing Potential: _____

Consultant Recommendation: _____

Previous Survey: _____ Reference: _____ Notes: _____
 H.A.B.S. Other.. _____
 Feiss-Wright (1969) _____
 Historic Resources of the Lowcountry (1979) _____
 Milner Historic District Inventory (1979) _____
 A Guide to Historic Beaufort (1995 ed.) _____

Photograph:



Photographs:

- prints
- slides
- negatives

Date: 5/9/97

Recorder: B. Harvey, Brockington & Assoc.

Roll # Neg. View of:
H-12 6 ne oblique

Style: Greek Revival Commercial Form: _____

Core Shape: rectangular Stories: 1 story Construction: frame

Roof: Shape: gable (end to front) Material: composition shingle

Chimney: Type: _____ Material: _____

Exterior Walls: weatherboard
tabby

Windows: single Type: double hung Pane 12/12
Config.: _____

Doors: single Foundation: brick piers
double

Porch Height: 1 story Porch Width: entrance bay only Porch Roof Shape: gable

Porch Details: octagonal columns Decorative wood
Elements: _____

Outbuildings: none Interior
Features: _____

Number of Related Resources: 1

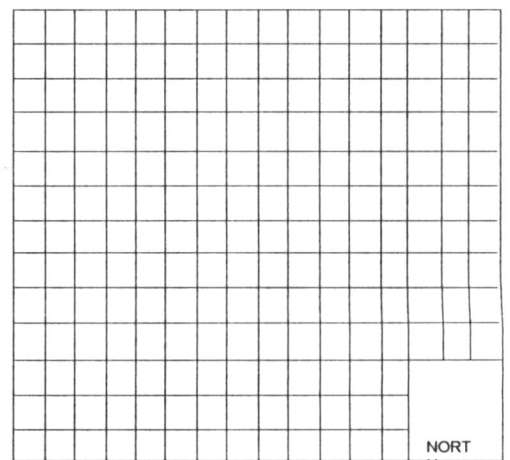
Surroundings: rural Acreage: _____ Quadrangle: Jasper

Alterations: Alteration date: _____ Integrity: excellent Condition: excellent

Description: 3-bay facade features central entrance with double doors flanked by fluted pilasters on plinths topped by entablature. Projecting central portico supported by octagonal columns and flat pilasters. Single door at each side of portico, with fluted pilasters leading into arch and keystone surrounding a 12-pane semicircular window. 4 window bays along sides; rounded with 12-pane transoms

Historical Data: Built 1824 as St. Luke's Episcopal Church, built on land from Bull Hill Plantation, donated by John Guerard. Replaced a 1786 church. Episcopal services discontinued after Bluffton's Church of the Cross was consecrated in 1857. The oldest surviving rural Episcopal church in Beaufort County. Sold in 1875 to Methodist Church.

Sketch:



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Informant/ Bibliography: Highway marker; Cole, Historic Resources of the Lowcountry, p. 72; NRHP nomination, "St. Luke's Methodist Church."