

African American Churches

Georgetown / Scott County Museum



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Information about African American Churches in the local area. All interpretations were done by William McIntyre .

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Top Left: Wesley Methodist Church was organized in 1867 and built in 1872. You can also see this church right behind the museum!

Top Middle: Mount Pleasant Baptist Church is the oldest church in Sadieville, Kentucky. It went up on a hilltop in 1884. A frame school behind it was long used for educating black children.

Top Right: This is the Wayman Chapel, A.M.E.

Bottom Right: This is the Zion Baptist Church. It was created in 1897.



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Painting: Illustrated by L. B. West on July 17, 2000.

Bottom Left: Chambers Avenue Christian Church was built in the 1920's. It houses the Disciples of Christ congregation for Georgetown's African Americans.

Bottom Right: First Baptist Church was organized in 1811. The first meeting house erected here in 1815. Howard Malcom, pastor and president of Georgetown College, urged the location of the church to be near the college and a lease of the original site to the black congregation in 1842.



Closing Statement:
*Visit the museum to learn more
about African American
History!*

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