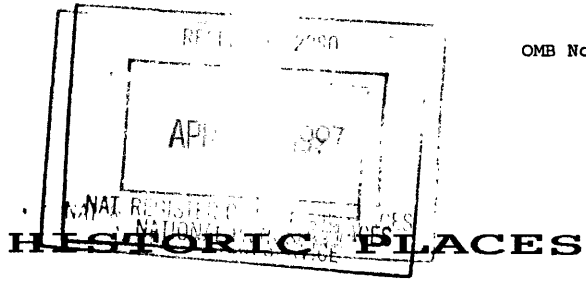


**United States Department of the Interior
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**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
REGISTRATION FORM**

This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form (National Register Bulletin 16A). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the information requested. If any item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional entries and narrative items on continuation sheets (NPS Form 10-900a). Use a typewriter, word processor, or computer, to complete all items.

1. Name of Property

historic name Goodwill Parochial School
other names/site number Goodwill Day School

2. Location

street & number 295 North Brick Church Road not for publication
city or town Mayesville vicinity
state South Carolina code SC county Sumter code 085 zip code 29104

3. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1986, as amended, I hereby certify that this nomination request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register Criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant nationally statewide locally.
(See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

Mary W. Edmonds 4/21/97
Signature of certifying official Date

Mary W. Edmonds, Deputy SHPO, S.C. Department of Archives & History, Columbia, S.C.
State or Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria.
(See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

Signature of commenting or other official Date

State or Federal agency and bureau

4. National Park Service Certification

I, hereby certify that this property is:

- entered in the National Register See continuation sheet.
- determined eligible for the National Register See continuation sheet.
- determined not eligible for the National Register
- removed from the National Register
- other (explain): _____

Edson H. Beall 5/30/97
Signature of Keeper Date of Action

Signature of Keeper Date of Action

5. Classification

Ownership of Property

(Check as many boxes as apply)

- private
- public-local
- public-State
- public-Federal

Category of Property

(Check only one box)

- building(s)
- district
- site
- structure
- object

Number of Resources within Property

Contributing	Noncontributing	
<u>1</u>	<u> </u>	buildings
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	sites
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	structures
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	objects
<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	Total

Name of related multiple property listing
Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a multiple property listing.)

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register 0

N/A

6. Function or Use

Historic Functions (Enter categories from instructions)

Cat: <u>EDUCATION</u>	Sub: <u>School</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Current Functions (Enter categories from instructions)

Cat: <u>VACANT</u>	Sub: <u>Not in Use</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

7. Description

Architectural Classification

(Enter categories from instructions)

Late 19th & Early 20th Century
Movements

Materials

(Enter categories from instructions)

foundation	<u>Brick Piers</u>
roof	<u>Metal/Tin</u>
walls	<u>Wood/Weatherboard</u>
other	_____

Narrative Description

(Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

8. Statement of Significance

Applicable National Register Criteria

(Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing)

- A** Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.
- B** Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.
- C** Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.
- D** Property has yielded, or is likely to yield information important prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations

(Mark "X" in all the boxes that apply.)

- A** owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.
- B** removed from its original location.
- C** a birthplace or a grave.
- D** a cemetery.
- E** a reconstructed building, object, or structure.
- F** a commemorative property.
- G** less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.

Areas of Significance

(Enter categories from instructions)

ARCHITECTURE

EDUCATION

Significant Dates

ca. 1890

1933

Significant Person

(Complete if Criterion B is marked above)

Cultural Affiliation

Architect/Builder

Period of Significance

ca. 1890-1933

Narrative Statement of Significance

(Explain the significance of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

9. Major Bibliographical References

Bibliography

(Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form on one or more continuation sheets.)

Previous documentation on file (NPS)

- preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested.
- previously listed in the National Register
- previously determined eligible by the National Register
- designated a National Historic Landmark
- recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey # _____
- recorded by Historic American Engineering Record # _____

Primary Location of Additional Data

- State Historic Preservation Office
- Other State agency
- Federal agency
- Local government
- University
- Other

Name of repository: S.C. Department of Archives and History, Columbia, S.C.

10. Geographical Data

Acreeage of Property Less than one acre

UTM References

(Place additional UTM references on a continuation sheet)

	Zone	Easting	Northing	Zone	Easting	Northing
1	<u>17</u>	<u>579640</u>	<u>3752550</u>	3	_____	_____
2	_____	_____	_____	4	_____	_____
	<u>See continuation sheet.</u>					

Verbal Boundary Description

(Describe the boundaries of the property on a continuation sheet.)

Boundary Justification

(Explain why the boundaries were selected on a continuation sheet.)

11. Form Prepared By

name/title Ruby Jean C. Boyd, Clerk of Session

organization Goodwill Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) date 2 August 1995

street & number 975 One Mile Road telephone (803) 495-3513

city or town Gable state S.C. zip code 29051

Additional Documentation

Submit the following items with the completed form:

Continuation Sheets

Maps

- A **USGS map** (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.
- A **Sketch map** for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources.

Photographs

Representative **black and white photographs** of the property.

Additional items (Check with the SHPO or FPO for any additional items)

Property Owner

(Complete this item at the request of the SHPO or FPO.)

name Goodwill Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) c/o Ms. Ruby Jean C. Boyd, Clerk of Session

street & number 975 One Mile Road telephone (803) 495-3513

city or town Gable state S.C. zip code 29051

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Goodwill Parochial School
name of property
Sumter County, South Carolina
county and State

The Goodwill Parochial School, located along the east side of S.C. Highway 527 approximately one third mile north of its intersection with U.S. Highway 378 (McBride's Corners or Dabbs Crossroads) in eastern Sumter County, is a ca. 1890 two-story, lateral-gable frame building sheathed in weatherboard. The main block is five bays wide by three bays deep. Set upon a brick pier foundation, the facade (west elevation) consists of a two-story, one-bay deep by one-bay wide central gabled pavilion that is flanked on each floor by two six-over-six, double-hung sash windows. Windows throughout contain six-over-six, double-hung sash. The first level of the pavilion is an open stoop that contains an entrance with double-leaf, two paneled door, sidelights, and transom that have been closed partially. At this level are two wood piers which provide support to the upper enclosed portion. A six-over-six, double-hung sash window appears on each exposed elevation of the pavilion's second floor. The pavilion features a relatively small broken or open boxed gable above roof level. Within the gable is beaded board arranged in a chevron-patterned field. At roof level along both front and rear elevations is a plane frieze and boxed cornice with returns. Within each end gable is a large lozenge shaped louvered vent. The V-crimp metal-clad, steeply-pitched roof is pierced only by two interior chimneys. In the center of the rear (east) elevation and on both levels are doorways which once opened onto small porches or stoops. At the right rear is a one-story gabled ell with a metal-clad roof.

Presently the roof is in poor shape, having never been repaired following Hurricane Hugo in September 1989. While many of the window sash have been broken out, the chimney caps need rebuilding, and the building is generally in need of repair, the overall architectural integrity of the building remains intact.

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Goodwill Parochial School, a late-nineteenth and early-twentieth century parochial school for blacks in Sumter County, was sponsored and supported by the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. for over sixty years and then by Goodwill Presbyterian Church, which stands nearby. The school, built ca. 1890, is significant as a scarce and relatively intact example of late nineteenth-century vernacular architecture associated with the black community and for its association with the development of black education in South Carolina.

Goodwill Parochial School was established during Reconstruction, probably soon after Goodwill Presbyterian Church was founded in 1867; by 1872 the Committee on Freedmen of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. (later the Presbyterian Board of Missions for Freedmen) reported that Goodwill, with over 350 students, was one of the three "most active" parochial schools supported by the church in South Carolina.

The present two-story school was built ca. 1890, after the church was granted 3.74 acres by G.W. and A.M. McBride to build a manse and a new school building. The minister of Goodwill Presbyterian Church also served as the principal of Goodwill Parochial School. The first to serve both institutions was a Reverend West, the first minister of Goodwill Presbyterian Church; West was succeeded in 1895 by Dr. Irby C. Davis, who served until 1924; and finally by Dr. Warren J. Nelson, who served 1924-1960.

By 1932, in the midst of the Depression, the Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. recommended that the church discontinue its financial support of the day schools it had long supported in the South. Goodwill Parochial School was "discontinued" along with thirty-five other black parochial schools--most of them in Virginia, the Carolinas, and Georgia--on June 1, 1933. The school did not close its doors, however, with the loss of its support from the national church, but continued to educate local children until it was consolidated in 1960 with Eastern School, a black public school in Sumter County School District 2.¹

¹Inez Moore Parker, The Rise and Decline of the Program of Education for Black Presbyterians of the United Presbyterian Church U.S.A., 1865-1970 (San Antonio: Trinity University Press, 1977), pp. 54, 57, 144-46; Cassie Nicholes, Historical Sketches of Sumter County, Volume II (Greenville: A Press, 1981), pp. 351-53, 442-43.

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Section PHOTOGRAPHS Page 7 Goodwill Parochial School
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The following information is the same for each of the photographs:

Name of Property:	Goodwill Parochial School
Location of Property:	Mayesville vicinity Sumter County, South Carolina
Name of Photographer:	J. Tracy Power, S.C. SHPO
Date of Photographs:	March 1996
Location of Original Negatives:	S.C. Department of Archives & History, Columbia, S.C.

1. Facade, left oblique
2. Facade, right oblique
3. Facade, right oblique detail
4. Facade, entrance detail
5. Facade, second-story detail
6. Left elevation

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Goodwill Parochial School
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Verbal Boundary Description

The boundary of the nominated property is shown as the heavy black line marked "Goodwill Parochial School" on the accompanying Sumter County plat, drawn at a scale of 1"=50'.

Verbal Boundary Justification

The nominated property is restricted to the historic building and its immediate surroundings.