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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Third and Main Streets
Dayton
Yamhill County, Oregon

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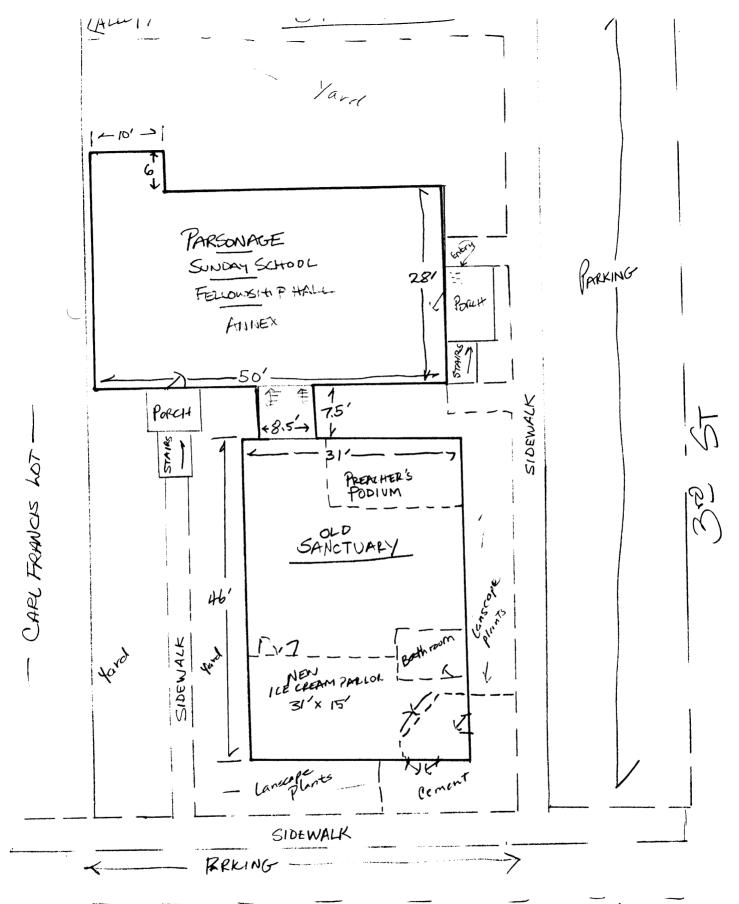
The purpose of this continuation sheet is to add a secondary date of significance [1939] to documentation for the First Baptist Church in order to better reflect the 1987 Multiple Resource Area nomination, Historically and Architecturally Significant Properties in Dayton, Oregon. The MRA recognized four historic periods of development in the community between 1848 and 1936.

In 1939, the First Baptist Church congregation constructed a Sunday School, attached by a breezeway at a right angle to the rear face of the 1886 brick volume. The single-story annex of wood construction on a partially daylighted basement story measures 28 x 50 feet in footprint, is clad with shiplap siding and has a shingled gable roof of medium pitch with close verges. The building is entirely subordinate to the older volume because its site is a slightly sloping grade. The building exterior is simply finished with plain corner boards and surrounds for doors and double-hung, hopper-style windows. A shed roof on posts shelters the entrances at the east end, which fronts on Third Street. The upper door is reached by a raised porch deck and stairway parallel with the facade. The basement door is achieved by a concrete stairwell. A third entrance is located in the south elevation, at the westerly end, which is set back from, but parallel with the facade of the original volume.

The Sunday School annex conveys the type of simple, economical construction which epitomized small community buildings in the Depression era. Historically, it housed a fellowship hall, kitchen, lavatories, wood furnace room and a classroom in the basement, and classrooms and offices in the main story. For more than 50 years, the Sunday School attachment has contributed to the substantial presence of the Baptist congregation at a main intersection at the northeast corner of the town square. Because of its breezeway form of attachment, the Sunday School is not registered as a separately contributing feature. However, because it represents 20th century evolutionary development of church facilities, it now may be considered a contributing attachment to the original volume. [Please see attachments]

Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer

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MAIN ST.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DAYTON

