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1. Historic Name (s) Pennsylvania Run	Presbyterian Church	22. ADD/County	
<i>y</i>		Jefferson/Jeffe	erson
Original Owner		23. Zoning Classification	
Present Name Smyrna Missionary R.	antist Church	Magisterial District 24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75	:/\
Smyrna Missionary Baptist Church 3. Owner's Name Pennsylvania Run Cemetery Trustees		Louisville East	
Pennsylvania Run Cem	etery Trustees	25, UTM, Reference	
4. Owner's Address c/o Sterling E. Yo		16 62 0 1 20	42 2 0 5 7 0
8102 Glaser Lane 40291		Zone Easting Northing	
5. Location Vaughn's Mill Road 7/	10 mi south	26. Prehistoric Site	Object
of Outer Loop 6. Open to Public 7. Visible from road	8, Ownership	Historic Site Building X	Structure
Yes X No Yes X No	Private	27. District Yes	No X
9. Local Contact/Organization	Local	Name:	W X
Jefferson County Office of	State		
Historic Preservation	Federal	28. Significance Evaluation	
10. Site Plan with North Arrow B654	11. Architect		
, 2034 W	Unknown	29. Status	Date
	12. Builder	National Landmark	
* ** /L:	Unknown	National Register	
++ 💆 /🐼	13. Date 1840	Landmark Certificate	1977
4 + 4 /	14. Style	Kentucky Survey	
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* * 	15. Original Use	30 Thoma	
· 1//3	Church	Primary Architecti	ire
//38	16. Present Use	Secondary Religion	
	Church	Other	
See boundary description	17. Condition GOOd	31. Endangered	Yes
(page 2) and attached	Interior Good		No X
aerial photo.	Exterior	32.	
Rectangular, one-room frame ch	urch building with		ATT 4 CU
	nd has double doors		ATTACH PHOTO
one side, tower on other. One-			111010
has open belfry with steeple of			
roof. Tower has single door, w	windows, and serves		
as a vestibule. The belfry and			
additions, date unknown. The		n <u>i</u>	
the same wall as the entry (Cor		_	
19. History According to the Minutes	of the Session of		•
Pennsylvania Run Church, a buil	ding fund was begun		
in 1840 "for the purpose of ere	cting a new church		
which would better accomodate t	he congregation."		
The present structure was built	that year on the	Roll No.	
site of an earlier log building was organized by Scotch-Irish F	rochutoriana from	Picture No.	_
Pennsylvania in 1789 and (Cont.	respycerians from	Direction	-
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20. Significance Pennsylvania Run Chur	ch is one of a few	33. Tape No.	Negative No.
nineteenth-century, rural chur	ch buildings re-	34. Prepared by:	
	The austere frame	Carol Tobe	
structure is typical of early		Researcher 35 Organization Jeffers	on County Office
and the added vestibule-tower		of Historic Pre	
ract from the integrity of	the building. The Cont. on next page)	36. Date 1 October	
_21. Source of Information		37. Revision Dates	38. Staff Review
mccaulley, Mary E. Rush. "The	History of Penn-	September 20, 1	.982
sylvania Run Presbyterian Churc	cn." paper.		
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supported by square columns parallel to the ridge line. The interior is characterized by a lack of decoration. All moldings are very simple. There is a shallow niche with wood molding centered between the doors behind the pulpit. This is the only decoration. In 1949 a basement was completed to provide space for Sunday School classes and a fellowship hall. The basement does not diminish the overall integrity of the structure.

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"supply" ministers were sent periodically by the Transylvania Presbytery. In 1799 a full-time minister was "called" by the church, and presumably the first (log) structure had been built by then. The cemetery was there by 1795 - that is the earliest known burial date on a tombstone. The church split in the 1860s and the Southern sympathizers at Pennsylvania Run formed a new church. In 1965 the Pennsylvania Run congregation moved to a new building and deeded this church building to the trustees of the cemetery.

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cemetery surrounding the church is significant since it dates from the 1790s the earliest period of the congregation's establishment. Many families who were among the earliest settlers in this area of Jefferson County are buried in the cemetery. William Cummins, a founder of the church, who died in 1795, is also buried there.

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Minutes of Transylvania Presbytery 1789-1799. Historical Foundation of the Presbyterian and Reformed Churches, Inc. Montreat, North Carolina.

Boundary Description

The boundary of the nominated site is shown as a red line on the attached aerial photo. (SCALE: 1'' = 200') The site contains approximately $5\frac{1}{4}$ acres and includes the church building and the cemetery.

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character of this block. 317-23 Wenzel (photo 274) are residential structures built 1900-05, and include late Victorian and shotgun styles. Various decorative elements are used on these frame structures including fish scale shingles, bracketed cornices, and lathe-turned spindles. Cabel Baptist Church, at 312, is a modern brick building that must be considered an intrusion.

408-14 Wenzel is a group of four shotgun residences, two frame and two brick. 414 is an intact, brick camelback, ca. 1875, with rounded window panes. 417 is a two-story commercial building, ca. 1880. Stone piers in the storefront are intact, as are the stone lintels and enriched cornice above. 419-21 (photo 273) is an early, two-story double residence, with simple openings and cornice. Next door at 423, a shotgun residence has been encased in concrete block and its openings altered radically. The cornice is largely intact.

509-523 S. Wenzel (photo 271) sits on a triangular lot at the point created by Wenzel and Chestnut St. The style incorporated into this house is a one-and-one-half-story frame cottage with a fine, lathe-turned-spindled porch across the facade. 514-16 are two, brick shotguns, ca. 1890 (photo 270).