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Sandy Creek Baptist Church - Butler County, Kentucky (MSS 313)

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ORGANIZATIONAL HISTORY

Sandy Creek Baptist Church was constituted on 15 June 1805, eight miles south of Morgantown near Mud Creek in Butler County, Kentucky. It was the first Baptist church organized in the county, with an original membership of 37 whites and 3 African Americans. The church’s first two buildings were log structures, the second built before 1840. A third, frame building was constructed in 1901 during the pastorship of J. H. Newman.

COLLECTION NOTE

The collection consists of photocopies of two minute books of Sandy Creek Baptist Church, Butler County, Kentucky. Book I (Folders 2 & 3) contains minutes of church meetings and membership lists from 15 June 1805 to 19 March 1853. Book II (Folders 4 & 5) contains minutes of church meetings and membership lists from 14 May 1853 to 7 February 1903. Both whites and African Americans appear in the membership lists.

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(includes membership lists  Sept. 12, 1868;
dated 1891, 1901, 1902)  1891-1902

Folder 5  Minute Book II  Oct. 1869-   1 item
Feb. 7, 1903

BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD

MSS  SANDY Creek Baptist  1805-1903
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Minute books of Sandy Creek
Baptist Church, Butler County, Kentucky.
Includes minutes of church meetings and
lists of both white and African American
members.
½ box.  5 folders.  5 items.  Photocopies.
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SUBJECT ANALYTICS

African Americans – Butler County
Baptists – Butler County
Churches – Butler County
Religion – Butler County

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