

First United Methodist Church of Murray, KY

Senior Pastor Appointments 1839 - Present

The Memphis Conference has changed the Church name four times:

1840 The Methodist Episcopal Church,
1844 The Methodist Episcopal Church, South,
1939 The Methodist Church,
1968 The United Methodist Church

1839 - Wadesboro Station

The Church began meeting in homes as early as 1832 and were served by Local Preachers including Rev Isaiah P'Pool of Murray and Rev Thomas L. Boswell, D.D.

1839-1840	Daniel Mooney
1840-1841	Benjamin Barham
1841-1842	Alexander C. Chrisholm
1842-1843	Isaac N. Manley
1843-1844	Daniel Mooney

1845 - Murray Station

1844-1845	E. L. Ragland
1845-1846	M. F. Mitchell
1846-1847	John P. Stanfield
1847-1848	E. H. Rhodes
1848-1849	William E. Sullivan
1849-1850	John P. Stanfield
1850-1851	John W. Abell
1851-1853	Levi B. Lee
1853-1854	Francis M. Morris
1854-1855	Wade H. Frost
1855-1856	J. S. Smotherman
1856-1857	M. D. Robinson
1857-1858	Francis M. Morris
1858-1859	D. C. McCutchen
1859-1860	T. C. Ellis
1860-1861	Jas B. McCutchen

1861-1863	John H. Witt
1863-1864	M. D. Robinson
1864-1865	W. T. C. Young
1865-1867	John H. Witt
1867-1869	J. V. Fly
1869-1870	W. T. C. Young
1870-1871	David C. McCutchen
1871-1872	John G. Glasgow
1872-1873	Benjamin F. Peeples
1873-1874	James G. Pirtle
1874-1875	W. C. Sellars
1875-1876	Joab A. Russell
1876-1877	Benjamin B. Risenhoover
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1880-1882	J. R. Hardin
1882-1885	George W. Evans
1885-1887	Winfield J. Mecoy
1887-1888	Edward B. Graham
1888-1889	William J. Carlton
1889-1891	Edward H. Stewart
1891-1892	Thomas F. Cason
1892-1894	C. C. Bell
1894-1897	Richard H. Pigue
1897-1899	Thomas P. Clark

1901 - Methodist Episcopal Church, South of Murray, KY became a full station

1899-1902	James H. Felts
1902-1904	Lewis D. Hamilton
1904-1905	E. S. Harris
1905-1907	Cleanth Brooks
1907-1909	Millard F. Leake
1909-1910	Paul B. Jefferson
1910-1912	William A. Russell
1912-1914	John M. Pickens
1914-1916	James A. Hassell
1916-1918	Henry W. Brooks
1918-1921	Anthony J. Meaders
1921-1924	John W. Waters
1924-1925	Clyde W. Ehrhardt
1925-1926	Earl A. Tucker
1926-1927	Raymond W. Walker
1927-1929	Charles E. Norman

1929-1932	John O. Ensor
1932-1936	Osee A. Marrs
1936-1941	J. Mack Jenkins
1941-1947	Thomas H. Mullins, Jr
1947-1951	George W. Bell
1951-1959	Paul T. Lyles
1959-1963	Walter E. Mischke
1963-1968	Lloyd W. Ramer
1968-1973	Samuel R. Dodson, Jr
1973-1978	James A. Fisher
1978-1985	Walter A. Mischke, Jr
1985-1992	A. Nowell Bingham
1992-1995	Jerry L. Jeffords
1995-2004	Larry J. Daniel
2004-2011	Richard P. Smith
2011-Present	Rick C. Dye