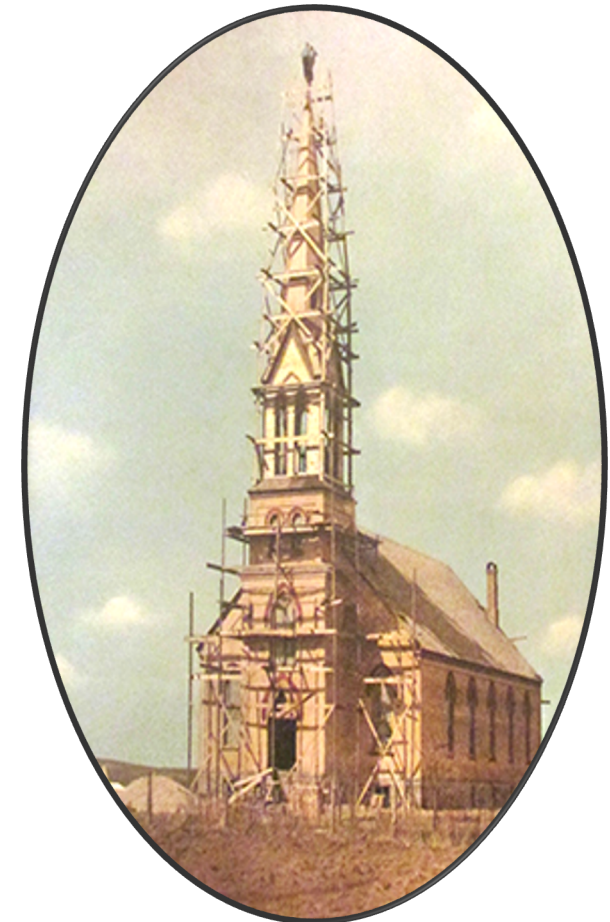


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History:	Bulletin		
	Booklet		
	Book		
	Video		
	Display(s)		
Refreshments:	Morning	coffee	
		cake	
		other	
	Noon	catered	
		pot-luck	
		other	
	Afternoon		
Flowers:	Altar		
	Other		
Decorations:	Tables		
	Other		
Photographs:		group (congregation)	
		group (former pastors)	
		church interior	
		church exterior	
		pastor(s) / preacher(s) / liturgist(s) / etc.	
Archives:	Local congregation & synod archives	announcement	
		service folder (bulletin)	
		congregation history	
		pertinent photographs	

# PLANNING YOUR CONGREGATION'S ANNIVERSARY



Church anniversaries are a time to pause and recall God's great acts in a Christian congregation. We see the blessings of the heroes of the faith who went before us, upon whose shoulders we stand. This is the time to rejoice in the blessings of Word and Sacrament in the mist of a group of special people in a special place.



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Anniversary Committee:			
Date(s):			
Theme:		Bible verse	
		historical reference	
		other	
Announcements / Invitations:	Bulletin	when?	
	Social Media	when?	
	Printed/Mailed	when?	
Special guests:	Charter members		
	Former pastors		
	Former pastors' families		
	Synod president		
	Circuit visitors		
Morning Service:	Preacher		
	Lector		
	Liturgist		
	Music		
Afternoon:	Service	preacher	
		liturgist	
		music	
	Program	master of ceremonies	
		speaker(s)	
Offering:	Local needs		
	Special project		
	Synod		
Service Folder (bulletin)	Purchased		
	Local Design		