

DeWitt Circuit:

1851 a separate DeWitt circuit was created that included DeWitt, Riley, Olive, and Victor

For several years prior to 1878 the DeWitt circuit included DeWitt, South Riley, Grove school house in Victor, and part of Olive Twp.

In 1878 it was changed to include DeWitt, Bath Station #1, and South Riley

In 1879 it was changed to include DeWitt, Wacousta, Jason, South Riley, and Gunnisonville

In 1881 Delta Mills replaced South Riley.

In 1888 Dewitt, Olive, and Gunnisonville

In 1933 Dewitt and Emanuel M. E. (1933-48 & 1967-1970)

Records Available:

First Church Record Book (1860-1876)

Pastors Listed:

A. L. Crittenden, H. Law, and Geo. Bradly -- 1860-1861

William Stafford -- 1861-1863

Charles Chick -- 1863-1865

Henry D. Jordan -- 1869-1870

William Swift -- 1873-1876

Missing records: 1836-1850; 1851-1859; 1865-1869; 1870-1873; 1876-1878

Record of Baptisms -- 1860-1861; 1870; 1873-1875

Financial Record -- 1873-1874

Record of Marriages -- 1860-1864; 1869-1870; 1876-1877

List of Probationers -- 1858-1864; 1869-1876

Alphabetical List of Members -- 1858-1876

Class Member List

No. 1 -- DeWitt (J. A. Sweet) 1858-1861

No. 2 -- South Riley (A. M. Roberts) 1858-1861

No. 3 -- North Riley (Philip P. Peck) 1858-1861

No. 4 -- Watertown (S. G. Lackey) 1858-1861

No. 5 -- Lowell School Watertown (R. W. Holbrook) 1858-1861 [to Grand Ledge]

No. 6 -- Blood School Victor (John Parker) 1858-1861 [to Bath]

No. 7 -- Swarthout School Victor (Anthina Swarthout) 1858-1861 [to Bath]

No. 8 -- Post School Victor (Thomas Gibbard) 1858-1861

No. 9 -- Pecks School Bingham (Michael Treece) 1858-1861

No. 10 -- Merihew School Olive (John W. Merihew) 1858-1861

No. 11 -- Muskrat School (Joseph Webb) 1858-1861 [to Olive]

No. 12 -- Holly School Olive (R. W. Holly) 1858-1861

Class Member List (cont.)

- No. 1 -- DeWitt (R. Webber) 1862-1865
- No. 2 -- N. Watertown (Geo. Kinney) 1862-1865
- No. 3 -- N. Riley (John Patterson) 1862-1865
- No. 4 -- Watertown (Horatio Garlock) 1864
- No. 5 -- Wacousta [blank]
- No. 6 -- N. Olive (John W. Merihew) 1864
- No. 7 -- Pennington's Corners [blank]
- No. 8 -- N. Eagle [blank]
- No. 9 -- VanDyke School (Hiram Tucker) 1864
- No. 1 -- DeWitt (Wm. Roberts) 1869
- No. 2 -- [blank]
- No. 3 -- Wacousta (Edward Root) 1869
- No. 1 -- DeWitt (Wm. Roberts) 1870
- No. 2 -- Wacousta (Edward Root) 1870
- No. 3 -- Watertown Center (Horatio Garlock) 1870
- No. 4 -- [Not Given] (R. W. Hawley) 1870
- No. 5 -- Olive Church (J. W. Merrihew) 1870
- No. 6 -- [Not Given] (Henry Jones) 1870
- No. 7 -- [?Victor Twp.] (Charles Jarvis) 1872
- No. 1 -- DeWitt (Wm Roberts) c1872
- No. 2 -- Olive Church (J. W. Merrihew) c1872
- No. 3 -- [?Olive Twp.] (R. W. Holly) c1872
- No. 4 -- [Not Given] (Henry Jones) c1872
- No. 5 -- [?Victor Twp.] (Charles Jarvis c1872 [to Victor Class 11-10-1872])
- No. 6 -- [Not Given] (Wm. Briggs) c1872
- No. 7 -- [Not Given] (Wm. H. H. Pitts) c1872
- No. 8 -- Victor Center (Ira Wyman) c1872
- No. 8 -- Victor Center (Truman Shattuck) 1873-1876
- No. 1 -- DeWitt (Wm Roberts) 1876
- No. 2 -- Kreeps School (Norman Williams) 1876 [to Olive Church]
- No. 3 -- Olive (John W. Merrihew) 1876

Book 2 (1876-1895)

Marriage, Baptism, Membership

Includes: DeWitt, Delta Mills, Gunnisonville, N. Olive, S. Riley, Wacousta

Book 3 (1896-1914)

Marriage, Baptism, Membership

Includes: DeWitt, Gunnisonville, N. Olive, S. Olive

Book 4 (1914-1945)

Marriage, Baptism, Membership

Includes: DeWitt, Gunnisonville, N. Olive, S. Olive, Emanuel

Book 5 (1949-1970) DeWitt Methodist Church

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