

**Brushy Creek Baptist Church
Greenville Co., S.C.**

**A List of Members
Recorded
1828 – 1832**

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Brushy Creek Baptist Church was among the first of organized churches in Greenville County and from its inception kept records of the meetings and members.

These member roll lists local residents, many being some of the first settlers of the area and their descendants.

Consider, too, that for many years this was the only church to hold regular meetings and drew members from communities a considerable distance away. Brushy Creek was the "Mother" church for many that sprang up in nearby communities.

This list is the first compiled in the records and names often reoccur. The member rolls show members, when they were received into the grace of the church, or when they were baptized. In a few instances it also shows the age when baptized. The "Remarks" column lists the members disposition, whether dismissed from the church, excommunicated, excluded from the membership and in some cases the death of a member. For a more detailed account, you must read the actual church minutes.

When Bapt. Or Rec'd

Name of Member	Age When Bapt.	Remarks
Lewis	Rector	n/d
Jacob	Bredwell	n/d
Arch	Fowler	n/d
Henry	Rayns	n/d
Joseph	Wilbanks	n/d
John	Howard	n/d
Danl	Wilbanks	n/d
Ann	King	n/d
Ann	Morgan	n/d
Mary	Kemp	n/d
Elizabeth	Rector	n/d
Sarah	Simmons	n/d
Conney	Kemp	n/d
Elizabeth	Waddle	dead
Elizabeth	Hadsen	n/d
Mary	Smith	n/d
Nancy	Russel	n/d
Elizabeth	Tate	n/d
Ineretis	Sowel	n/d
Hannah	Luny	n/d

Ruth	Sims	n/d	
Mary	Jacobs	n/d	
Aggy	Sowel	n/d	
Judith	Wilbanks	n/d	
John	Kemp	18 Sep 1802	Excommunicated
Joshua	Barton	18 Sep 1802	
Poly	Rayns	17 Jul 1802	
Nancy	Waddle	18 Sep 1802	
Rachel	Cox	18 Sep 1802	
Hubbard	Carnes	18 Sep 1802	
Wm.	Johnson	26 Sep 1802	
Jane	Johnson	26 Sep 1802	
Elizabeth	Butler	26 Sep 1802	
Drury	Dupre	26 Sep 1802	
Benj	Butler	6 Oct 1802	
Peter	Sorter	16 Oct 1802	
George	Russel	16 Oct 1802	
Jacob	Bright	16 Oct 1802	Excommunicated
Richd	Kemp	16 Oct 1802	
John	Holland	16 Oct 1802	
Ann	Dupre	27 Oct 1802	
Eliza	Kemp	31 Oct 1802	

Pleasant	Hudson	4 Nov 1802
Sarah	Hudson	4 Nov 1802
Nancy	Davis	4? Nov 1802
Willie	Butler	28 Nov 1802
Sarah	Butler	28 Nov 1802
Jenny	a negro	28 Nov 1802
Sol.	Hornbuckle	n/d
Chasinda	Hornbuckle	n/d
John	Austin	n/d
Steph.	Marchbanks	n/d
Polly	Marchbanks	n/d
Wm.	Austin	n/d
Nancy	Austin	n/d
Lucrecy	Austin	n/d
Wm.	Butler	n/d
Avy	Howard	n/d
Chas.	Cox	n/d
Anny	Cox	n/d
Sarah	Edwards	n/d
Mary	Roundtree	n/d
Peggy	Dean	n/d

This above is the first list of names left on record.

On the next page is the next list taken by order of the church, 19 Jul 1828

		When Bapt. Or Rec'd	
Name of Member		Age When Bapt.	Remarks
L.J.	Hudson	Apr 1821	
Pleasant	Hudson	4 Nov 1802	
Sally	Hudson	4 Nov 1802	
W.B.	Johnson	n/d	
Henrietta	Johnson	n/d	
Jacob	Bridwell	17 Oct 1802	
Stephen	Holtzclaw	n/d	
Geo	Russel	17 Oct 1802	
Elizabeth	Rector	Aug 1820	
Sally	Rector	Aug 1820	
Polly	Rector	Apr 1820	
Phebe	Walker	n/d	
Peggy	Dean	n/d	
Nancy	Waddle	n/d	
Sally	Roberts	Aug 1820	
Elizabeth	Smith	n/d	

Elijah	Smith	n/d	
Celia	Foster	n/d	
Sarah	Moore	n/d	
Alvy	Wood	n/d	
Pamelia	Stairly	n/d	
Chas F.	Deean	n/d	
Susannah	Ward	n/d	
Sherrard	Roberts	n/d	
John	Roberts	n/d	
Dorha	Roberts	n/d	
Hiram	Roberts	n/d	
Dudly	Howel	n/d	
Thos	Taylor	n/d	
Tyre	Roberts	n/d	
Elizabeth	Holtzclaw	n/d	
Nancy	Cox	n/d	
Nancy	Cunningham	n/d	
A.F.	Richard	n/d	Excluded
Math.	Rector	n/d	
Mary	Ross	n/d	
Peggy	Taylor	n/d	
Mrs?	Fleming	n/d	

The above list of members left on record.

On the next page is the third list made Oct 1831

		When Bapt. Or Rec'd	
Name of Member		Age When Bapt.	Remarks
Levi Jos.	Hudson	Apr1821	Our Pastor Dismissed
Pleasant	Hudson	4 May 1802	Dismissed Feb 23 1840
Sally	Hudson	n/d	Died Sep 1837
Jacob	Bridwell	n/d	Died Feb 1841
Dudley	Howard (sic)	16 May 1829	
Steph	Holtzclaw	n/d	Dismissed
Eliz.	Rector	n/d	
Polly	Rector	Apr 1820	
Phebe	Walker	n/d	Dead 14 Jvly 1838
Nancy	Waddle	n/d	Dismissed
Sally	Roberts	n/d	Dismissed 18 Feb 1832
Elizth	Smith	n/d	Dismissed July 1832
Elijah	Smith	10 Jun 1826	Dismissed 18 Feb 1832
Celia	Foster	July 1819	
Sarah	Moore	n/d	Dead age 67. Died in 1837

Peggy	Dean	n/d	
Alvy	Wood	July 1819	Dismissed by Letter
Permelia	Stairly	8 July 1827	Dismissed
Susannah	Ward	16 Aug 1828	Dismissed?
Sherrard	Roberts	20 Sep 1828	Dismissed 18 Feb 1832
John	Roberts	n/d	Dismissed 18 Feb 1832
Dorha	Roberts	n/d	Dismissed 18 Feb 1832
Mrs.	Fleming	7 May 1828	Dismissed 12 May 1832
Hiram	Roberts	18 Apr 1829	Dismissed 18 Feb 1832
Thos	Taylor	15 Aug 1829	
?	Roberts	15 Aug 1829	Dismissed 18 Feb 1832
Elizabeth	Roberts	15 Aug 1829	Dismissed 18 Feb 1832
Nancy	Cox	n/d	
A.F.	Richards	17 Jul 1830	excluded
Nathal	Rector	17 Jul 1830	Dismissed 7 Apr 1832
Mary	Ross	14 Aug 1830	
Peggy	Tayler	18 Sep 1830	
Rinda	Kemp	19 Jun 1831	
Sarah	Tayler	19 Jun 1831	
Frances	Redmon	19 Jun 1831	
Elizabeth	Vaughn	16 jul 1831	Dismissed
Rebecca	Barbary	20 Aug 1831	Dismissed

Thos	Altom	20 Aug 1831	Dismissed 9 Jun 1832
Eliza	Altom	20 Aug 1831	Dismissed 9 Jun 1832
Lyn	Walker	20 Aug 1831	Dismissed
Anderson	Roberts*	3 Sep 1831	These few members were received in fellowship after by an arm of the Church when formed at Mountain Creek and were Dismissed with that arm.
Milly	Roberts*	3 Sep 1831	
James	Roberts*	3 Sep 1831	
Adeline	Roberts*	3 Sep 1831	
Polly	Roberts*	3 Sep 1831	
John D.	Smith	17 Sep 1831	
Elizabeth	Smith	17 Sep 1831	
Silvia H.	Smith	17 Sep 1831	
James	Watson	17 Sep 1831	
Mary	Watson	17 Sep 1831	
Eli C.	Sheppard	17 Sep 1831	Dismissed
Hepziah	Sheppard	17 Sep 1831	Dismissed
Willis	Threlkeld	17 Sep 1831	Dismissed excommunicated
Nancy	Ligon	17 Sep 1831	Dismissed 12 Feb 1832
Robert	Vaughn	17 Sep 1831	Dismissed
Ermin	Green	17 Sep 1831	by letter, Dismissed
Philip C.	Lester	15 Oct 1831 57 yrs.	
John	Sheppard	15 Oct 1831	Dismissed
Sally	Sheppard	15 Oct 1831	

William	Sheppard	15 Oct 1831	Dismissed
Mitty	Sheppard	15 Oct 1831	
Nancy	Harbin	15 Oct 1831	Dismissed
George	Holtzclaw	15 Oct 1831	Dismissed
Polly	Rutledge	15 Oct 1831	Dismissed June 23 . D_1839
Mariah	Turner	15 Oct 1831	
Susannah	Walker	15 Oct 1831	Dismissed
Mariah	Shockly	15 Oct 1831	
Louisa	Shockly	15 Oct 1831	
Salina	Smith	15 Oct 1831	
Hannah	Vaughn	15 Oct 1831	
Joshua	Hawkins	15 Oct 1831	Dismissed 12 Jun 1935
Nancy	Raynes	15 Oct 1831	
Sally	Wells	15 Oct 1831	Dismissed
Rebecca	Barbary	15 Oct 1831	
Joel	Hammett	5 Nov 1831	Dismissed
Louisa	Hammett	5 Nov 1831	Dead
Jincy	Hawkins	5 Nov 1831	Dismissed 12 Jany 1832
Samuel	Walker	5 Nov 1831	
Margaret	Walker	5 Nov 1831	
Susan	Walker	5 Nov 1831	
Lousia	Smith	5 Nov 1831	Dead

Melinda	Sheppard	5 Nov 1831	Dismissed excommunicated
Aggy	Harbin	5 Nov 1831	Dismissed
Johannah	Young	5 Nov 1831	excommunicated
Jesse	Hawkins	5 Nov 1831	
Elizabeth	Hawkins	5 Nov 1831	Dead
Caleb	Green	5 Nov 1831	Dismissed
Wm.	Hudson	5 Nov 1831	Dismissed
Polly	Shockly	5 Nov 1831	
Nancy	Rains	5 Nov 1831	Dismissed
Love	Waldrip	5 Nov 1831	
Mary	Miller	5 Nov 1831	
John C.	Green	5 Nov 1831	Dismissed
Milly	Green	5 Nov 1831	and wife
Edmund	Miller	5 Nov 1831	Dismissed
Lucy	Miller	5 Nov 1831	
Jonathan	Hammett	19 Nov 1831	
John	Howel	19 Nov 1831	Dismissed
Wesley	Hudson	25 Nov 1831	Dismissed by Letter
Phebe	Hudson	25 Nov 1831	Dismissed by Letter
Mary	Watson	25 Nov 1831	
Phebe	Watson	25 Nov 1831	
Manerva	Walker	25 Nov 1831	Dismissed

John	Ross	25 Nov 1831	
Malissa	Ross	25 Nov 1831	
Mary	Green	25 Nov 1831	
Rebecca	Edwards	25 Nov 1831	Dismissed
Sarah	Barbarry	25 Nov 1831	
Jas	Holtzclaw	25 Nov 1831	Dismissed
Wm.	Moore	25 Nov 1831	
Nancy	Moore	25 Nov 1831	
Lucy	Livingston	3 Dec 1831	Dismissed
Hawkins	Smith	3 Dec 1831	
Emma	Smith	3 Dec 1831	
Robt	Livingston	4 Dec 1831	Dismissed
Moses	Kemp	17 Dec 1831	
Elijah	Holtzclaw	17 Dec 1831	excommunicated
Nancy	Hammett	17 Dec 1831	Dismissed
Alex.r	Redmon	17 Dec 1831	Dismissed
Mariam	Redmon	17 Dec 1831	Dismissed
Elizabeth	Mayfield	17 Dec 1831	
Wm.	Bemmett	17 Dec 1831 17 yrs	
Cintha	Holtzclaw	4 Jan 1832	Dead 30th Jan 1840
Harrington	Hawkins	14 Jan 1832	excommunicated
Harriett	Kemp	14 Jan 1832	

Wesley	Kemp	14 Jan 1832	Dismissed
Vienna	Kemp	14 Jan 1832	Dismissed
Dan.I	Nunnelly	14 Jan 1832	Dismissed 7 July 1832
Henderson	Miller	14 Jan 1832	Dismissed
Polly	Miller	14 Jan 1832	Dismissed
Tilman	Miller	14 Jan 1832	
Wm.	Cunningham Jr.	18 Feb 1832	Dismissed
Polly	Cunningham wife	18 Feb 1832	
Mrs. Catherine	Hawkins	18 Feb 1832	
Peter	Holtzclaw	18 Feb 1832	Dismissed by Letter
Mary	Sudduth	10 Mar 1832	
Albert	Hudson	10 Mar 1832	
Nancy	Ross	11 Mar 1832	Dismissed
Sarah	Hudson	11 Mar 1832	Dismissed
Sarah	Settles	11 Mar 1832	
Albert	Cunningham	11 Mar 1832	Dismissed
David	Andres	11 Mar 1832	
Lury	Miller	11 Mar 1832	Dead Nov 1840
Anna	Runnels	11 Mar 1832	excommunicated
Miss Nancy	Ross	25 Mar 1832	Dismissed
Gilia	Ross	25 Mar 1832	
Sally	Holtzclaw	25 Mar 1832	Dismissed

Emily	Hawkins	25 Mar 1832	Dismissed
Celia	Stoner	7 Apr 1832	
Ethel	Holtzclaw	7 Apr 1832	Dismissed
Milly	Hudson	8 Apr 1832	
Elmina	Hawkins	8 Apr 1832	
Mary	Mahany	8 Apr 1832	excommunicated
Patience	James	12 May 1832	
Mourning	Burgess	12 May 1832	Dismissed
Worthy J.	Hawkins	12 May 1832 16 yrs	Dismissed 12 Jan 1833
Sally	Howel	22 may 1832	
Peter	Shockly	22 may 1832	
John	Carney	22 may 1832	Dismissed by Letter
Wiley	King	27 May 1832	Dismissed
Frances	Hammett	27 May 1832	
Andrew	Hawkins	27 May 1832	Dismissed
Jesse	Foster	27 May 1832	Dismissed
Martha	Foster	27 May 1832	
Gilia	Burgess	9 Jun 1832	Dismissed
Mrs. Gilia	Ross	16 Apr 1832	
George	Ross Jr.	16 Apr 1832	
Mrs.	Fowler	16 Apr 1832	Dismissed by Letter
Susan	Rector	16 Apr 1832	

Anna	Fisher	10 Jun 1832	
Mary	King	16 Apr 1832	Dismissed
Thomas	Shockly	27 May 1832	
Nancy	Lester	18 Jun 1832	
Elizabeth	Morgan	18 Jun 1832	Dismissed
Richd	Ross	18 Jun 1832	
Jesse	Ross	18 Jun 1832	Dismissed
Elizabeth	Morgan, Sr.	18 Jun 1832	
Jane	Cox	7 Jul 1832	Dismissed
Polly	Mason	7 Jul 1832	Dismissed
Jane	Morgan	7 Jul 1832	Dismissed
Phebe	Foster	7 Jul 1832 sisters	Dismissed
Cealy	Foster	7 Jul 1832	
Elizabeth	Tinsley	7 Jul 1832	Dismissed
Elizabeth	Cox	7 Jul 1832	
John	Fisher	7 Jul 1832	Dismissed
George	Cunningham	8 Sep 1832	Dismissed
Silva	Flinn	8 Sep 1832, 9 yrs.	Dismissed
Lewis	Ward	8 Sep 1832	Dismissed
Melvena	---	8 Sep 1832	
Melvina	Stroborn	8 Sep 1832	
Helen	Cunningham	8 Sep 1832	Dismissed

Wm.	Cunningham, Sr.	8 Sep 1832	Dismissed
Henry	Smith	8 Sep 1832	Dismissed
Wm. J.	Wood	8 Sep 1832	Dismissed
Washington	Wood	8 Sep 1832	Dismissed
Washington	Johnson	8 Sep 1832	Dismissed
Alexander	Ross	13 Oct 1832	Dismissed
Jane	James	13 Oct 1832	
Holy	Shockly	13 Oct 1832	
William	Burgess	n/d	Dismissed
Permelia Ross	Hudson	n/d	Dismissed
Nancy	Green	n/d	Dismissed
Daividson	Waldrop	15 Jun 1832	Dismissed
Elizabeth	Field	n/d	Dismissed
Daniel	Mayfield	21 Jul 1832	
Mrs.	Thompson	n/d	by letter
Hiram	Dean	19 Aug 1832	Dismissed
Johannah	Sorter	n/d	
Josephus	Richards	n/d	Dismissed by Letter
Mrs.	Poole	n/d	
Mrs. Chiny	Floyd	n/d	excommunicated
Bartholomew	Grogan	n/d	by letter
Mary	Grogan	n/d	by letter

Henry	Grogan	n/d	by letter
Alvy	Grogan	n/d	by letter
Polly	Brown	n/d	
Cealy	Fleming	n/d	
Eliza	Smith	n/d	Dismissed by letter
Sarah L.	Smith	n/d	

A List of Colored Members 1831

		When Bapt. Or Rec'd	
Name of Member		Age When Bapt.	Remarks
Phillis		17 Apr 1830	
Lucy		17 Jul	
Liger		17 Apr 1831	
Charity		14 May 1831	
Easter		16 Jul 1831	Dead
Milley		3 Sep	Dismissed
Fanny	(Miller)	15 Oct 1831	Dead
Sillan	(Green)	5 Nov 1831	
Dick		5 Nov 1831	Dismissed
James Blk girl		18 Nov 1831	
Charles		17 Dec 1831	

Willis	(James)	18 Feb 1832	Excommunicated
Bob	(Hammetts)	18 Feb 1832, 30 yrs	Dismissed
Kitty	(Cunninghams)	18 Feb 1832	
Susannah	(Holtzclaws)	18 Feb 1832	Excommunicated
Patience	(J.D. Smith)	10 Mar 1832	
Lavins	(Edwards)	25 Mar 1832	
David	(Hudson)	7 Apr 1832	
Oaff?	(Moores)	7 Apr 1832	Excommunicated 17 Jun 1837
Molly	(Baley)	8 Apr 1832	
Jack	(Hudson)	8 Apr 1832	Excommunicated
Frank	(Lester)	n/d	Excluded
Isbel	(Wm. Cunningham, Sr.)	12 May 1832	Excommunicated
Sam	belg to Waddle	n/d	Dismissed
Anderson	(Ross)	n/d	Excommunicated
Tom	belonging to	10 Jun 1832	
Dicy	Wm. Grisham	10 Jun 1832	
John	belog to Hammett	10 Jun 1832	Dismissed
Mariah	Wm. Cunningham	10 Jun 1832	
Hampton	(Doct Butler)	18 Jun 1832	
Kisiah	(Hudson)	18 Jun 1832	
Moses	belonging to Johnson	18 Jun 1832	
John	Sister Foster	n/d	restored 5 Aug 1831 Excommunicated

Bauge	Bro. Thos P. Hudson	n/d	restored 5 Aug 1831
Daniel	Archd Fowler	n/d	restored 5 Aug 1831
Isham	Jacob S. Rhoades	n/d	restored 5 Aug 1831
Nathanial	Wm. Green	n/d	Dismissed
Matilda	Wm. James	n/d	Excommunicated
Jim	Thos Lownes	n/d	
Mary	John Mahaffy	n/d	Dismissed
Daniel	(Hasting)	n/d	Excommunicated
Patty	(Longhorns)	8 Sep	Dead
Henry	Mrs. Morgan	8 Sep	
Lidia	Lesters	n/d	Dead
Mariah	Longhns	n/d	Restored
Daniel	(Hastings)	n/d	Excommunicated
Edmund	Matt. Hudson	n/d	
Phebe	Mrs. Ross's	n/d	
Kate	Isreal Miller	n/d	
John	Mis foster	n/d	restored

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