

New Bethel Baptist Church Cemetery

(AEC #16)

GPS Coordinates: N35°56.033, W84°18.312

Size: More than 100 graves



Direction camera faces: 307°NW

Location: On the north side of Bethel Valley Road, 1/2 mile east of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory enclosure. The church is still standing, with the cemetery extending up the hill behind it. On Tract A-16, from the Trustees of Bethel Baptist Church.

***2008 Update** - Restricted access on DOE land.

NOTE:

In front of the cemetery is a large monument, inscribed:

"Erected in memory of New Bethel Baptist Church, Opened 1951 - Closed 1942, Church building stood 47 feet in front of this stone"

On the reverse side is:

"In memory of our dead. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning nor crying nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away.

Rev. 21:4.

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New Bethel Baptist Church was organized and opened its doors in 1851. The doors were closed Dec., 1942, when the church property was bought by the U.S. Government in the Oak Ridge development. The church having been left in extended session from 1942, this monument was dedicated and the final church session closed at Memorial Day services May 29, 1949"

Burial Records

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Birth Date	Death Date	Family
Adams	James	W.	12-21-1880	4-23-1892	Son of J. H. & M. C. Adams
Adams	Infant		4-14-1885	1-16-1885	Son of J. H. & M. C. Adams
Adams	William	S.	2-10-1878	3-17-1878	Son of J. H. & M. C. Adams
Anderson	Phoebe	M.	8-30-1882	1-21-1900	Daughter of O. D. & M. A. Anderson
Anderson	Eliza	J.	11-12-1872	6-17-1898	Daughter of J. & M. Anderson
Anderson	Jane		9-28-1823	10-7-1897	
Anderson	Willis		8-20-1806	6-20-1897	
Anderson	Mary		2-2-1863	6-16-1933	
Anderson	O.	D.	3-2-1854	2-19-1932	
Anderson	Infant		12-20-1916	1-5-1917	
Anderson	J.	W.	4-2-1878	7-7-1911	
Anderson	Gypsie	I.	1-15-1910		
Anderson	Earl	M.	8-15-1910	9-21-1975	
Babb	Sarah	M.	6-3-1854	5-25-1908	Wife of J. A. Babb
Babb	Mollie	J.	11-9-1878	10-8-1882	Daughter of J. A. & Sarah M. Babb
Bailey	Jno.				
Bailey	Betty	A.	8-4-1917	5-22-1981	
Bailey	Levi	F.	4-26-1913		
Barnard	Mary	Smith	1910	1912	
Barnard	Joe	Smith	1873	1940	
Barnard	T.	H.		1940	
Bearden	Myrtie	A.	10-22-1887	1-20-1908	Daughter of B. F. & S. J. Bearden
Bearden	Sarah	J.	12-29-1858	12-24-1910	Wife of B. F. Bearden
Billingsley	Samuel	J.	2-3-1839	2-25-1911	
Billingsley	Perry		12-11-1911	6-29-1956	
Billingsley	Earl		5-12-1909	1-10-1924	
Billingsley	O.	E.	4-29-1876	6-23-1927	
Billingsley	Ida	Hembree	12-14-1882	3-17-1920	Wife of O. E. Billingsley
Bridle	William				Corpl.
Burns	Sarah	B.	9-24-1835	4-9-1901	Wife of Miller P. Burns
Burns	Artie	Lissa	4-28-1874	2-18-1898	Daughter of Pleasant & Sarah B. Burns
Burns	P.	M.			
Cagley	Jackie		3-4-1936	10-31-1936	
Cagley	George	W.	2-22-1906	10-29-1911	Son of M. A. J. & M. J. Cagley
Cagley	Martha		12-27-1872	11-21-1919	
Cagley	Beula	M.	6-7-1903		
Cagley	James	F.	2-19-1896	10-2-1976	
Clough	Mary		12-15-1847		Wife of George W. Clough

Clough	George	W.	2-1-1847	4-16-1916	
Comer	Jess		12-3-1919	4-25-1941	Son of Mrs. James Comer
Copeland	J.	H.	4-27-1840	9-7-1921	
Cox	Lissie	Wright	3-10-1876	1-12-1930	
Currier	Elizabeth				Wife of Benjamin Currier
Currier	Laura	L.	11-18-1881	5-1882	Daughter of B. & N. J. Currier
Currier	Benjamin		7-16-1806	3-16-1872	
Currier	Cordelia		3-19-1872	10-9-1874	Daughter of B. & N. J. Currier
Currier	Roy	B.	1-15-1901	4-18-1901	Son of L. F. & L. R. Currier
Currier	Lou	E.	2-17-1902	3-10-1902	Son of L. F. & L. R. Currier
Currier	Fate	Layafette	12-4-1877	7-17-1961	
Currier	Lydia	Lourine	10-3-1886	4-15-1941	
Currier	Ben	C.	8-14-1846	6-23-1915	
Currier	Nancy	J.	10-16-1846	3-21-1913	
Currier	Margaret	S.	2-10-1914	1-13-1962	
Davidson	Permelia		7-1-1817	8-22-1897	Wife of W. C. Davidson
Davis	Samuel	J.	9-1-1847	8-16-1919	
Davis	Elizabeth	J.	4-24-1843	7-12-1908	
Davis	W.	L.	10-31-1871	1-4-1939	
Davis	Nancy	Currier	1-23-1887	2-3-1968	
Davis	Nancy	C.	1-23-1887	2-3-1968	
Davis	J.	D.	7-20-1883	12-30-1976	
Dickinson	Nancy	G.	6-2-1870	12-28-1890	Wife of J. B. Dickinson
Diggs	Carl	E.	8-4-1910	7-6-1930	
Diggs	Mayme		12-20-1903	2-9-1926	Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Diggs
Diggs	Nancy	A.	8-23-1855	9-7-1874	
Diggs	William	F.	11-12-1876	2-28-1889	Son of W. J. & M. A. Diggs
Diggs	W.	J.	3-27-1845	6-4-1916	
Diggs	Mary		12-27-1853	4-2-1903	
Diggs	J.	K.	12-12-1920	12-16-1920	Son of W. J. & Laura Diggs
Diggs	Mary		12-17-1909	11-12-1915	Daughter of J. W. & Laura Diggs
Diggs	William		2-14-1821	6-29-1896	
Diggs	Lennie	M.	7-30-1893	8-11-1907	
Diggs	J.	C.			
Diggs	P.	K.			
Diggs	Joseph	P.	11-2-1887	3-15-1930	
Diggs	George	W.			
Diggs	G.	W.	9-4-1845	6-26-1908	
Diggs	James	W.			
Diggs	James	Dwyeth	10-9-1921	6-20-1923	Son of James F. & Emma T. Diggs
Diggs	Mary		10-16-1847	5-19-1910	Wife of James Wright
Duncan	Edith	Evans	12-2-1901	1-19-1973	
Eblen	Martha	Elizabeth	3-14-1877	10-14-1911	Daughter of B. M. & T. E. Eblen
Evans	Maggie		9-25-1848	11-16-1887	
Evans	Glenn		5-30-1909	6-15-1914	Son of Mr. & Mrs. M. C. Evans
Evans	M.	C.	11-22-1872	11-14-1931	
Evans	Maude		1-1-1912	1-20-1934	Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Evans
Evans	Minnie	D.	6-17-1883	6-30-1947	
Freels	Thursa	A.	1877	1953	
Freels	E.	M.	1868	1939	
Freels	Velma	M.	12-26-1911		
Freels	Harold	C.	6-6-1912	3-24-1964	
Fritts	Mary	Edna	3-24-1932	10-5-1938	

Fritts	J.	P.	8-1-1865	2-28-1918	
Fritts	Susan	Ann H.	10-12-1875		Wife of J. P. Fritts
Gamble	John	B.	8-17-1885	9-19-1968	
Gamble	Mae		7-8-1889		
Gamble	Brisbon		8-17-1885	9-19-1968	
Gamble	Mary	Viola	7-8-1911	11-8-1974	
Gault	J.	H.	8-30-1921	11-29-1927	Jr.
Glass	A.	N.	6-24-1881	3-21-1909	Husband of C. D. Glass
Gray	Texas	Plemons	10-4-1882	5-28-1958	
Green	Danel		5-20-1919	1-15-1934	
Grubb	Clara	Mae	8-26-1933	9-5-1933	Daughter of Joseph & Mae Grubb
Grubb	Nancy		1850	1-1-1919	
Grubb	John	F.	8-10-1839	5-7-1914	
Grubb	F.	B.			
Grubb	Lucinda	Saliham	1-20-1813	3-25-1890	Wife of Joseph H. Grubb
Grubb	Joseph				
Grubb	James	F.	1-14-1897	11-17-1898	Son of S. P. & M. F. Grubb
Grubb	J.	M.	6-27-1927	6-27-1927	
Grubb	Hasson	B.	1-5-1927	12-31-1927	Son of Mr. & Mrs. Tom Grubb
Grubb	Anna	Reed	3-6-1884	12-26-1961	Wife of S. P. Grubb
Grubb	Samuel	P.	2-4-1873	4-13-1959	
Grubb	Emma		1877	1913	Wife of S. P. Grubb
Grubb	Frank		1908	1933	
Grubb	Cecil	M.	1911	1918	
Grubb	John	F.	2-10-1868	4-28-1940	
Grubb	Rosabelle	J.	10-16-1872	6-26-1955	
Grubb	J.	E.	1875	1937	
Grubb	Eva		8-25-1877	4-8-1912	Wife of J. E. Grubb
Grubb	Clifton		1-10-1904		
Grubb	Flossie	Mae	3-21-1906	3-7-1973	
Grubb	George	W.	9-3-1900	7-7-1976	
Grubb	Sallie	J.	1-23-1909		
Hagler	Robert	C.	9-22-1931	5-31-1935	
Hagler	Benjamin	Franklin	10-18-1852	12-22-1933	
Hagler	Elizabeth	C. Burns	9-25-1853	10-3-1926	
Hagler	Nancy		1-29-1880	1-1-1918	
Hagler	Lottie		12-2-1849	12-31-1937	Wife of W. A. Ward
Hagler	Evan	E.	5-15-1858	1-11-1917	Sr.
Hagler	Dessa	N.	12-21-1894	3-5-1972	
Hagler	Oliver	F.	8-10-1897	6-27-1978	
Hellard	Nancy	Dean	1925	1940	
Hellard	Betty	Ruth	1927	1940	
Hickman	John	A.	10-10-1859	4-17-1897	Son of I. & M. Hickman
Hudson	T.	J.			Corpl.
Hudson	P.	C.	10-10-1858	10-4-1883	Daughter of N. M. & J. Melton; Wife of R. M. Hudson
Huskey	James	A.	8-20-1870	2-26-1935	
Huskey	Josephine		3-10-1874	1-14-1945	
Jacob	Francis				
Jestice	James	Ewdard	12-4-1931	8-11-1935	
Jones	Troy	Vernon	6-2-1935	2-2-1936	
Jones	Coy	Vern	6-2-1935	2-2-1936	
Jones	William	Earl	3-4-1934	1-1-1938	

Kear	Ruth	J.	11-19-1930	2-22-1931	
Kelly	Helen	Hellard	4-18-1930	12-11-1977	
Littleton	Infant				Parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Littleton
Luttrell	W.	M.	1874	1961	
Luttrell	Matilda	Grubb	1878	1934	
Luttrell	Jenatte		4-20-1912	12-26-1981	
Luttrell	Mark		10-14-1899	7-6-1983	
Magill	Winnie	May	11-17-1914	1-28-1918	Daughter of J. S. & Stella Magill
Magill	Lizzie		5-15-1853	5-13-1900	Wife of A. M. Magill
Magill	Katie		4-12-1884	5-19-1900	Daughter of A. M. & M. E. Magill
Magill	J.	Frank	7-7-1880	3-11-1925	
Magill	Addie	R.	1-7-1892	12-22-1963	
Magill	H.	B.	1922	1923	
Magill	N.	E.	1919	1923	
Magill	James	M.			
Magill	Tom		1884	1908	
Magill	Mary	Jane	1935	1910	Sister of Jim Magill
Maness	Claude		3-13-1913	7-8-1966	
May	Gwendolyn	Rose	1927	1929	Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert May
McCoy	Phoeba	L.	5-30-1856	4-9-1938	Wife of W. J. Diggs
McCoy	Martin				Cherokee War
McCoy	N.	A.			
McGill	Joe	N.	3-28-1881	11-3-1910	Son of R. M. & M. A. Magill
McNew	Florence		9-29-1871		
McNew	J.	M.	12-11-1861	1-29-1939	
McNew	Lettie	Ader	12-7-1918	1-3-1920	Daughter of J. M. & Florence McNew
Melton	J.	E.			
Melton	N.	M.	4-29-1833	9-20-1891	Wife of John Melton
Melton	John		9-6-1834	10-8-1906	
Melton	Sarah	E.	7-11-1859	5-9-1937	
Melton	Minnie	M.	10-15-1898	11-10-1925	
Melton	J.	F.	3-12-1892	9-25-1916	
Melton	J.	T. S.	4-26-1860	7-21-1894	
Melton	Nancy	Ollie	4-22-1870	2-20-1948	
Melton	Robert	Preston	1894	1970	
Melton	Carl	Sherman	8-24-1916	7-3-1977	
Melton	Juanita	Clough	4-4-1917		
Miller	Louetta		2-1-1881	7-22-1905	Daughter of W. J. & M. A. Diggs; Wife of James T. Miller, Jr.
Miller	Fannie	Mae	3-6-1905	6-11-1905	Daughter of James T. & Ettie Miller
Miller	James	T.	8-4-1882	3-31-1906	Son of Rev. J. T. & Nancey J. Miller
Miller	Addie	J.	8-19-1885	1-1-1907	Daughter of Rev. J. T. & Nancy J. Miller
Moneymaker	James		3-7-1845	4-18-1897	
Moneymaker	Sallie	M.	12-6-1860	5-2-1938	
Moneymaker	James		3-7-1845	4-18-1897	
Montgomery	Robert	M.	12-29-1845	7-14-1865	
Montgomery	Josiah		1-12-1811	4-29-1869	Rev.
Montgomery	Martha	M.	5-21-1811	11-11-1890	Wife of Rev. Josiah Montgomery
Mounger	Daisy	Belle	12-30-1924	9-15-1934	
Mounger	Phebe	Hagler	11-22-1902	2-12-1972	
Mounger	Josiah	Charles	6-22-1894	7-17-1969	
Mounger	Rue	Price	7-12-1921		
Mounger	Shelby	Hagler	6-8-1920	6-9-1983	

Pickel	Mary	E.	9-2-1830	7-29-1895	Wife of Jesse Pickel
Pickel	Maud	M.	4-7-1892	3-14-1895	
Pickel	Joseph	P.	9-8-1889	3-12-1890	Son of W. J. & M. A. Pickel
Pickle	Jessee	P.	5-20-1824	11-19-1876	Husband of Mary E. Pickel
Pickle	John	H.	6-26-1855	7-29-1876	Son of Jessee and Mary Pickel
Price	Doris	Ann	8-5-1935	8-7-1935	
Proffitt	Homer	Lee	9-4-1934	1-4-1935	
Proffitt	Eula	Lillian	10-1-1933	10-1-1933	
Propes	Jno.				
Rather	Margaret		2-29-1793	6-3-1870	
Rather	John		2-15-1791	1-7-1870	
Rayfield	Thomas		3-28-1896	12-22-1964	
Rayfield	Minnie		2-15-1901		
Rayfield	James	E.	1940	1940	
Rayfield	G.	W.	2-5-1855	12-21-1941	
Rayfield	Mrs. G.	W.	5-13-1860	4-12-1934	
Rayfield	Beatrice		10-15-1929	6-13-1930	
Reed	William	M.			
Reed	C.	C.	8-7-1912	6-29-1918	
Reed	Elizabeth	Ann G. M.	9-1871	7-1934	
Reeves	John	D.	9-11-1833	8-27-1916	
Roberts	Rachel		10-23-1823	2-15-1891	Wife of Jonathan Roberts
Rodgers	Hiley	E.	9-11-1876	6-9-1936	
Rodgers	W.	W.			Sgt.
Sarten	Laura		9-30-1908	8-16-1946	
Sartin	Alvin		7-12-1934	7-13-1934	
Scarbrough	Eva		3-20-1853	6-30-1891	Wife of J. A. Scarbrough
Seeber	Anie	B. Walker	4-13-1893	11-30-1924	
Sherwood	Mildred	L.	6-4-1926	1-7-19296	
Sherwood	David	F.	9-18-1862	1-31-1889	
Sherwood	Cora	E.	8-31-1880	4-13-1897	
Sherwood	John	M.	9-15-1893	5-25-1896	
Sherwood	David	E.	9-1-1886	6-16-1887	
Sherwood	Dewey			12-5-193?	
Sherwood	Elise	L.	8-26-1931	8-26-1931	Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sherwood
Sherwood	William	E.	7-30-1847	4-2-1924	
Sherwood	Lourena		10-10-1857	4-16-1911	Wife of W. E. Sherwood
Sherwood	R.	C.	8-7-1858	6-11-1919	
Sherwood	Eliza	A.	11-10-1857	10-21-1919	
Sherwood	John	Marshel	4-1873	7-22-1934	
Sherwood	John		12-10-1897	4-2-1922	
Sherwood	Elcy		10-8-1913	10-10-1914	
Sherwood	Lavicey		10-8-1875	7-2-1918	
Sherwood	Sephie		4-5-1895	11-30-1964	
Smith	John	T.	11-4-1862	11-25-1913	
Stalcup	Lela	Mae	1913	1919	
Stalcup	Elbert	P.	1922	1941	Son of G. W. & Mary Stalcup
Stalcup	George	W.	11-3-1887	6-19-1968	
Stalcup	Mary	K.	4-6-1895	6-23-1969	
Stringfield	Jasper		12-9-1888	1-24-1957	
Stringfield	Minnie		8-9-1894	12-29-1968	
Taylor	Sam'l				War of 1812
Taylor	Myrtle	L.	7-29-1907	10-10-1909	Daughter of O. C. & Nannie C. Taylor

Thacker	E.	B.	6-9-1855		
Thacker	S.	C.	3-12-1854	2-17-1934	
Thacker	Henry	R.	11-17-1894	10-11-1909	Son of E. B. & S. C. Thacker
Thacker	Amos				War of 1812
Thacker	Johnie		1941	1941	Son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thacker
Thacker	Phyllis		1952	1952	Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thacker
Thacker	Anna	Maude	4-1-1919	8-27-1965	
Thacker	Charles	E.	7-26-1917		
Turpin	Nancy	Elizabeth	10-21-1872	6-30-1874	Daughter of G. W. & Jane Turpin
Turpin	Jno.				
Tutterow	Henry	Gilbert	5-1-1890	4-17-1891	Son of S. H. & S. E. Tutterow
Vann	Willis	D.	10-1-1834	8-3-1920	Husband of Lura Vann
Vann	Willie		9-1-1893	8-1920	
Vann	Martin	V.	4-4-1843	8-29-1865	Husband of Jennie Z. Vann
Vann	Louisa	M.	8-24-1826	12-18-1895	
Vann	Dickson		9-14-1816	2-17-1888	Rev.
Vann	Roy	L.	7-17-1901	10-9-1915	
Walker	M.	E.		4-26-1917	
Waller	Floid	Hack	8-13-1907	6-16-1915	
Waller	Charles	E.	10-13-1873	11-9-1931	
Waller	Julia	Freels	10-5-1880	11-26-1965	
Ward	Clarence		8-19-1900	4-27-1968	
Ward	Cora		5-25-1878	6-5-1918	Daughter of W. A. & L. J. Ward
Ward	W.	A.	4-10-1849	8-15-1902	
Ward	Lillie	M.	9-9-1886	8-16-1911	Wife of J. S. Ward
Watson	Martha		3-17-1782	3-10-1862	
Watson	Louis	B.	1847	9-4-1864	
Watson	William		6-8-1891	7-22-1891	Son of A. L. & A. W. Watson
Watson	Anna	W.	1-1-1871	6-8-1891	Wife of Alfred L. Watson
Weaver	Paris	Elmer	10-8-1903	8-16-1936	Son of W. L. & Sarah Weaver
Wheeler	Edith	L.	1916	1917	Daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Marion Wheeler
Winchester	J.	D.	12-16-1870	10-4-1922	
Winchester	Cornelia	J.	11-18-1869	9-29-1912	Wife of J. D. Winchester