



## MONTGOMERY COUNTY CEMETERY INVENTORY REVISITED

### BURIAL SITE INFORMATION

Name: <b>Salem United Methodist Church Cemetery</b>	Inventory ID: <b>142</b>
Alternate name: Brookeville Cemetery	
Address: <b>19600 block of Georgia Avenue, Brookeville</b>	
Website: <a href="http://www.salemunitmethodist.org">http://www.salemunitmethodist.org</a>	
GPS coordinates: Latitude: <b>39.178366</b>	Longitude: <b>-77.057232</b>
FindaGrave: <a href="https://www.findagrave.com/cemetery/81621">https://www.findagrave.com/cemetery/81621</a>	

### BURIAL SITE TYPE

Category:  **Religious**  Community  Family  African American  Other:

### BURIAL SITE EVALUATION

Setting/location description: <input type="checkbox"/> Rural <input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Suburban</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Wooded <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		
General condition (See conditions sheet): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Excellent</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/> None		
Is there a formal entrance? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b> <input type="checkbox"/> No	Accessibility: <input type="checkbox"/> Inaccessible <input type="checkbox"/> By foot <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>By car</b>	
Is cemetery active (recent burials)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b> <input type="checkbox"/> No	Is there a cemetery sign: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b> <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Is cemetery being maintained? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Minimal <input type="checkbox"/> No (If yes, note caretaker's name below)		
Are there visible markers? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b> <input type="checkbox"/> No	Approximate number of burials/visible markers: <b>400</b>	Date ranges: <b>1825–2018</b>

Description: (markers, materials, arrangement, landscaping/vegetation, fence, paths and roads, etc.)

- **6-acre cemetery on gentle sloping hill divided symmetrically by stepped flagstone pathway. Paved driveway.**
- **Older section in the valley on the east side. Newer section at top of hill along Georgia Avenue.**
- **Marble and granite grave markers; tablets, monuments, obelisks. East-west orientation.**
- **American Legion and Masonic-marked grave markers. Unmarked Confederate area. Flagpole in newer section.**

### BURIAL SITE CONTACT

Name: <b>Salem United Methodist Church – Cemetery Board</b>		
Relationship to burial site: <b>Owner</b>	Advocacy contact: <a href="mailto:salem12cemetery@yahoo.com">salem12cemetery@yahoo.com</a>	
Address: <b>12 High Street (Georgia Avenue)</b>		Phone: <b>301-774-7772</b>
City: <b>Brookeville</b>	State: <b>MD</b>	ZIP Code: <b>20833</b>

### BURIAL SITE SURVEYOR

Name: <b>Amanda Becker</b>	Survey Date: <b>8/12/2018</b>	Time spent: <b>30 min</b>
Address:		Phone:
Email:		
Photographer: <b>Amanda Becker</b>		

### COMMENTS

Suggestions for follow-up:

- **Volunteer and professional maintenance needed.**
- **Some grave markers need restoration.**

Safety issues, invasive vegetation removal, fence removal/restoration, signage, trash, erosion, vandalism:

**N/A**

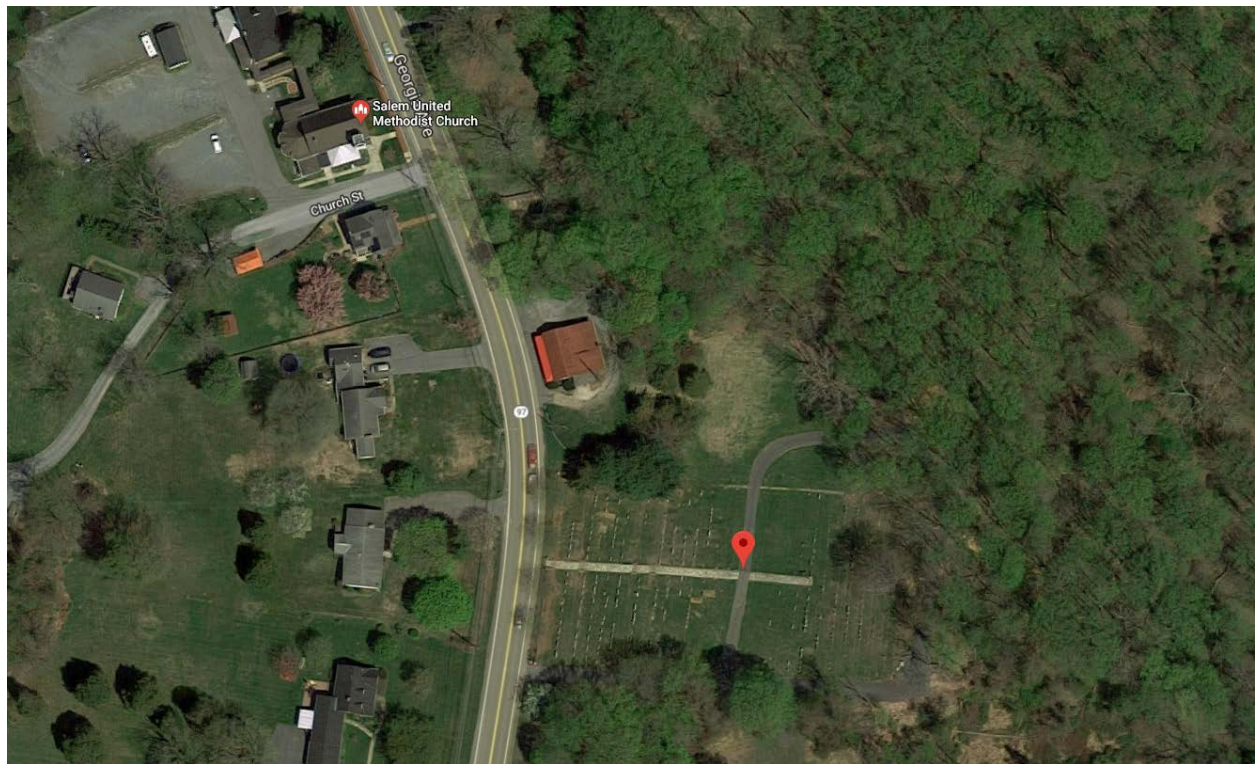
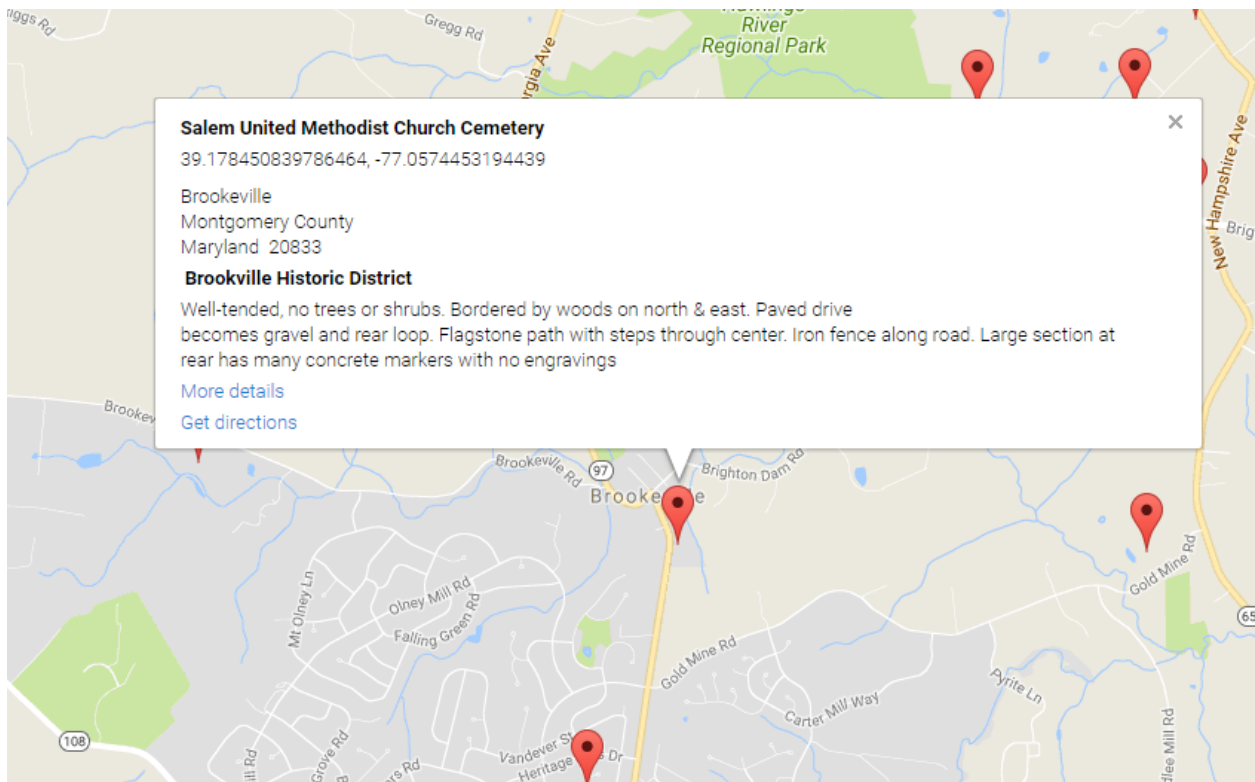
Anything of significance about this cemetery?

- **Unusual sculptures – weathervanes and elephant monuments**

### SOURCES

Cite sources used and resources available:

- <https://mht.maryland.gov/secure/medusa/PDF/Montgomery/M:%2023-65.pdf>

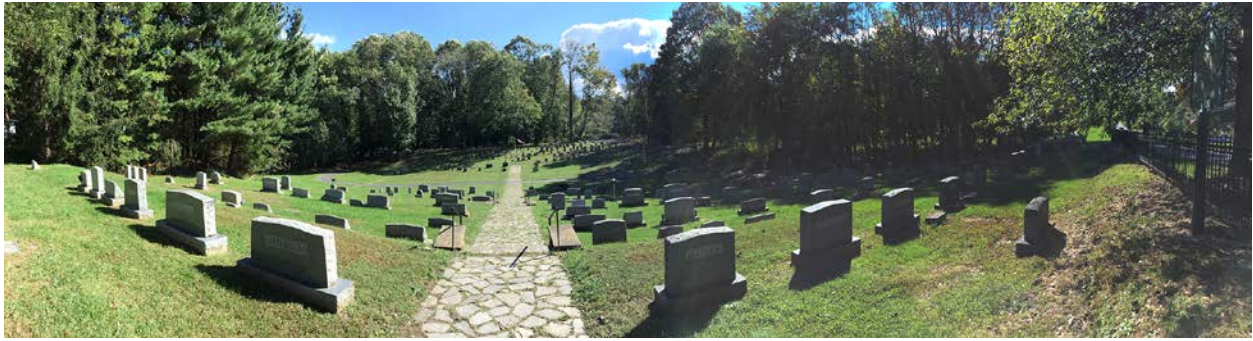


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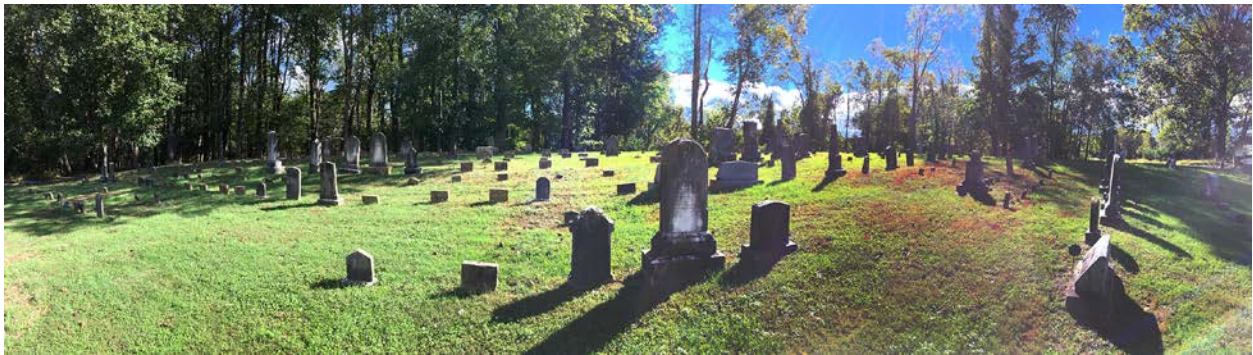
Cemetery Name: Salem United Methodist Church Cemetery		Inventory ID: 142
Photographer: Glenn Wallace		Date: 10/13/2018
Time	Photo No.	Description and direction you are facing
11:20 am	1	Cemetery sign at entrance along Georgia Avenue, facing east
	2	Panoramic from north to east to south from entrance
	3	Panoramic from west to north to east from center of cemetery
	4	Panoramic from east to south to west from center of cemetery
	5	View from bottom of the cemetery toward the entrance, facing west
11:30 am	6	Driveway entrance from Georgia Avenue, facing northeast



1. Cemetery sign at entrance along Georgia Avenue, facing east



**2. Panoramic from north to east to south from entrance**



**3. Panoramic from west to north to east from center of cemetery**



**4. Panoramic from east to south to west from center of cemetery**



**5. View from bottom of the cemetery toward the entrance, facing west**



**6. Driveway entrance from Georgia Avenue, facing northeast**