

ACHS SUMMARY FORM

M: 23-98-3  
(date entered 5-12-80)

1. Name: St. John's Episcopal Church

2. Planning Area/Site Number: 23/98/3 3. M-NCPPC Atlas Reference:

4. Address: 3427 Olney-Laytonsville Road  
Olney, MD 20832

5. Classification Summary

Category <u>building</u>	Previous Survey Recording <u>MNCPPC</u>
Ownership <u>private</u>	Title and Date: <u>Historic Sites Inventory</u>
Public Acquisition <u>N/A</u>	<u>1976</u>
Status <u>occupied</u>	
Accessible <u>yes; restricted</u>	Federal <u>    </u> State <u>x</u> County <u>x</u> Local <u>    </u>
Present use <u>religious</u>	

6. Date: 1842, 1910, 1979

7. Original Owner:

8. Apparent Condition

a. excellent b. altered c. moved 1910

9. Description: This three bay by three bay, two-and-a-half story frame, L-shape house is now being used as offices. The house has white clapboarded exterior walls and at the gabled ends, staggered butt shingles. The north-east (front) porch wraps around to the southeast elevation. It has a flat roof supported by seven columns. The northeast door is set into a projecting pavilion. There are one-over-one double-hung windows throughout the house. At the southwest and northeast gable ends there are nine light casement windows. There is a two story bay window on the southeast elevation. On the northwest elevation there is a two story projecting pavilion at the second and third levels. The house has a hipped roof with cross gables covered by pressed metal roofing.

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11. Researcher and date researched: Florence K. Wesp Oct. 1979

12. Compiler: Gail Rothrock

13. Date Compiled: 10/79

14. Designation Approval     

15. Acreage: 1.24 acres

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC St. John's Episcopal Church

AND/OR COMMON

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER 3427 Olney-Laytonsville Road

CITY, TOWN Olney VICINITY OF CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 8

STATE Maryland COUNTY Montgomery

**3 CLASSIFICATION**

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE <input type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE	<input type="checkbox"/> UNOCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL <input type="checkbox"/> PARK
<input type="checkbox"/> STRUCTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> BOTH	<input type="checkbox"/> WORK IN PROGRESS	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATIONAL <input type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE RESIDENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	<b>PUBLIC ACQUISITION</b>	<b>ACCESSIBLE</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT <input type="checkbox"/> SCIENTIFIC
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES: UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME St. John's Church Telephone #: 774-6999

STREET & NUMBER 3427 Olney-Laytonsville Road

CITY, TOWN Olney VICINITY OF STATE, zip code Maryland 20832

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. Montgomery County Courthouse

Liber #: STS 1  
 Folio #: 433

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN Rockville STATE Maryland 20850

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE M-NCPPC Inventory of Historical Sites

DATE 1976  FEDERAL  STATE  COUNTY  LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS Park Historian's Office

CITY, TOWN Rockville STATE Maryland 20855

**7 DESCRIPTION**

<b>CONDITION</b>		<b>CHECK ONE</b>		<b>CHECK ONE</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MOVED	DATE <u>1910</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED			
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED				

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This three bay by four bay, one-and-a-half story church faces south. Built on fieldstone foundations, this wooden frame church has beige stucco exterior walls. There is a three story bell tower on the south elevation. Three poured concrete steps, flanked by wrought iron hand-rails, lead to the double wooden paneled doors surmounted by a stained glass tympanum window set into the base of the tower. The east and west elevations, first level, of the tower have lancet windows (presently removed as part of the construction work underway at the time of inspection). At the second level, on east, south, and west elevations, there are round windows. At the third level of the tower, a large iron bell is enclosed on all four elevations by triple lancet openings. The tower has a low hipped roof surmounted by a golden cross.

The church has one-over-one double-hung stained glass lancet windows. The gable roof is covered by diamond-shaped black asbestos shingles. The cornice line is boxed and returned. There is an exterior stuccoed stove chimney on the east elevation.

The construction work going on at the time of inspection involved the removal of the north elevation. The church is being enlarged at the north end.

St. John's Church when built in 1842 was a frame building with four windows on each side. It is of "barn" construction of native timbers. It was moved on rollers by mule team from within the cemetery to its present location in 1910. Additions were then made at each end of the original building including a recessed chancel, sacristy and Dutch bell tower. The Church is now stuccoed, modified Gothic. The present renovation of the Church building will enlarge the building by the addition of a wing across the back of the original building so that it forms a "T" and is joined to the parish hall by a glass enclosed entryway. The building continues to incorporate the original building as the main portion of the Church and retains the bell tower added in 1910.

**8 SIGNIFICANCE**

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
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SPECIFIC DATES **1842, 1910, 1979**

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

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The Church grounds have been expanded over the years by land given or purchased so that there are approximately ten acres on which are located a parish hall, parish day school, and custodian's house in addition to the Church and cemetery.

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LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE	COUNTY
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**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

NAME / TITLE	Florence K. Wesp/ Candy Reed Parish Secretary & Historian	Florence K. Wesp/ Candy Reed Architectural Description
ORGANIZATION	Sugarloaf Regional Trails	DATE October 1979
STREET & NUMBER	Box 87	TELEPHONE 926-4510
CITY OR TOWN	Dickerson	STATE Maryland 20753

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PRELIMINARY DRAFT

AMENDMENT TO THE APPROVED AND ADOPTED  
MASTER PLAN FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION IN  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

NORTHERN AND EASTERN  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY HISTORIC RESOURCES

Including sites located in the Olney, Sandy Spring,  
Aspen Hill, Norbeck and Burtonsville Areas

March 1986

An amendment to the 1980 Olney Master Plan, 1980 Sandy Spring/  
Ashton Special Study Plan, 1970 Aspen Hill Master Plan, and the  
1981 Eastern Montgomery County Master Plan; being also an  
amendment to the General Plan for the Physical Development of the  
Maryland-Washington Regional District and to the Master Plan of  
Highways within Montgomery County, Maryland.

THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION

8787 Georgia Avenue  
Silver Spring, MD 20910-3760

14741 Governor Oden Bowie Drive  
Upper Marlboro, MD 20772-3090

## IMPLEMENTATION

Once designated on the Master Plan for Historic Preservation, any substantial changes to the exterior of a resource or its environmental setting must be reviewed by the Historic Preservation Commission and a historic area work permit issued. The Ordinance also empowers the County's Department of Environmental Protection and the Historic Preservation Commission to prevent the demolition of historic buildings through neglect.

It is the intent of the Master Plan and Ordinance to provide a rational system for evaluating, protecting and enhancing Montgomery County's heritage for the benefit of present and future residents. The accompanying challenge is to weave protection for this heritage into the County's planning program so as to maximize community support for preservation and minimize infringement on private property rights.

## THE AMENDMENT

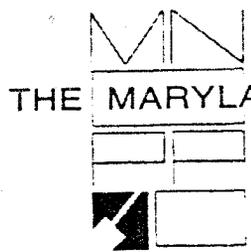
The purpose of this Preliminary Draft Amendment is to consider the Montgomery County Historic Preservation Commission's recommendations that the following sites be designated on the Master Plan for Historic Preservation and protected under the County's Historic Preservation Ordinance, Chapter 24A of the Montgomery County Code. A copy of the Ordinance is provided in Appendix B of this document.

*(NOTE: Unless otherwise specified in the Preservation Commission's nomination, the recommended environmental setting for each site is the entire parcel on which the resource is located as of the date it is designated on the Master Plan as defined in Section 24A-2 of the County's Preservation Ordinance. Where additional buildings of historical or architectural importance are associated with a site, these buildings are noted in the nomination as being part of the recommended setting.)*

<u>Atlas #</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Location</u>
15/55	Spencer/Carr House	2420 Spencerville

- Dating from 1855 with a rear section added in the 1870's, this three-story house is distinguished by three over three windows on the third floor and a one-story porch with bracketed pillars on the front facade.
- Significant as an example of the "Spencerville style", a local style characterized by a special grouping of architectural detail most notably half windows on the third story extending into the boxed cornice and roof line.

M: 23/98-3



THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION  
8787 Georgia Avenue • Silver Spring, Maryland 20910-3760

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MEMORANDUM

March 21, 1986 MAR 24 1986

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

TO: Richard Ferrara, Director  
Department of Housing and Community Development  
John L. Menke, Director  
Department of Environmental Protection  
✓ J. Rodney Little, Director  
State Historic Preservation Office  
Philip Cantelon, Chairperson  
Historic Preservation Commission

FROM: Melissa C. Banach, Coordinator  
Community Planning North *MCB*

SUBJECT: Preliminary Draft Amendment to the Master Plan for  
Historic Preservation: Northern and Eastern  
Montgomery County Resources

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I am pleased to transmit to you this Preliminary Draft  
Amendment to the Master Plan for Historic Preservation:  
Northern and Eastern Montgomery County Resources.

This document contains the recommendations of the Montgomery  
County Historic Preservation Commission on approximately 80  
historic sites located in the Olney, Sandy Spring, Aspen Hill,  
and Burtonsville areas of the County.

The Montgomery County Planning Board will hold a public  
hearing on this Preliminary Draft Amendment on Monday, April 21,  
1986, at 7:30 P.M., in the Auditorium of the Montgomery Regional  
Office at 8787 Georgia Avenue, Silver Spring, Maryland.

Should you have any questions concerning this specific  
Preliminary Draft Amendment, please do not hesitate to contact  
Marty Reinhart at 495-4565.

MCB:MR:dws  
Attachment

23/98-4<sup>3</sup>

## St. John's Episcopal Church 3427 Olney-Laytonsville Rd.

- One and one-half story wooden frame church dating from 1842 with fieldstone foundation, stucco exterior walls, stained glass lancet windows, and featuring a three-story bell tower which was added to the church in 1910.
- Oldest Episcopal Church building in continuous use in Montgomery County and one of only two structures remaining of Olney's historic crossroads.
- The recommended setting includes the cemetery associated with the church.

## 23/103 John D. Berry House 17201 Palomino Court

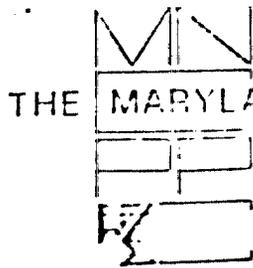
- Built between 1866 and 1876 this two and one-half story frame farmhouse consists of four distinct wings and is illustrative of the evolution of rural vernacular architecture in Montgomery County.
- The recommended setting incorporates a number of significant outbuildings including a stone carriage house, a frame bank barn and other smaller outbuildings.

## 23/106 Oakdale Emory United Methodist Church Georgia Avenue and Emory Grove Rd.

- Constructed in 1914 -- One and one-half story frame church exhibiting elements of Shingle style architecture including wooden shingles on the gable ends which feature large, stained glass windows in a quatrefoil designs and a bell tower with six sided, spire roof.
- Seat of a congregation in continuous existence since 1801, the church is an unusual example of Shingle style architecture and important as a last vestige of the historic Oakdale community.
- The two parsonage buildings on the church property are excluded from preservation as part of the setting.

## 23/107-1 Hyatt/Jones House 16644 Georgia Avenue

- Circa 1870's -- two-story frame house important as a superb and well maintained example of Gothic Revival architecture typical of that constructed in Montgomery County from the mid-nineteenth through the early twentieth centuries.
- Historically, important as a last vestige of the historic community of Oakdale.



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FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

See correspondence dated April 8, 1987

ACTION TAKEN

The following sites will be removed from the Locational Atlas.

23/1	23/28	23/96
23/2	23/32	23/98
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		23/107-2
23/10	23/52	*23/110
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## MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST WORKSHEET

## NOMINATION FORM

for the

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES, NATIONAL PARKS SERVICE

<b>1. NAME</b>					
COMMON:					
AND/OR HISTORIC: St. John's Episcopal Church					
<b>2. LOCATION</b>					
STREET AND NUMBER: 3427 Olney-Laytonsville Rd. (Rte. 108)					
CITY OR TOWN: Olney					
STATE: Maryland			COUNTY: Montgomery		
<b>3. CLASSIFICATION</b>					
CATEGORY (Check One)		OWNERSHIP		STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
<input type="checkbox"/> District	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building	<input type="checkbox"/> Public	Public Acquisition:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied	Yes:
<input type="checkbox"/> Site	<input type="checkbox"/> Structure	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private	<input type="checkbox"/> In Process	<input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restricted
<input type="checkbox"/> Object	<input type="checkbox"/> Both		<input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress	<input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)					
<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural	<input type="checkbox"/> Government	<input type="checkbox"/> Park	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	<input type="checkbox"/> Comments	
<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> Industrial	<input type="checkbox"/> Private Residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Educational	<input type="checkbox"/> Military	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Religious	_____	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> Museum	<input type="checkbox"/> Scientific	_____	_____	
<b>4. OWNER OF PROPERTY</b>					
OWNER'S NAME: Vestry of St. John's Church					
STREET AND NUMBER: 3427 Olney-Laytonsville Road					
CITY OR TOWN: Olney			STATE: Maryland		
<b>5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION</b>					
COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.: Montgomery County Courthouse					
STREET AND NUMBER:					
CITY OR TOWN: Rockville			STATE: Maryland		
Title Reference of Current Deed (Book & Pg. #):					
<b>6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS</b>					
TITLE OF SURVEY: None					
DATE OF SURVEY: <input type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> County <input type="checkbox"/> Local					
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:					
STREET AND NUMBER:					
CITY OR TOWN:			STATE:		

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7. DESCRIPTION	
CONDITION	<div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">(Check One)</div> <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated <input type="checkbox"/> Ruins <input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed
	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">(Check One)</div> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Altered    <input type="checkbox"/> Unaltered           </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">(Check One)</div> <input type="checkbox"/> Moved    <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site           </div> </div>
DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE	
<p>The building is a stuccoed frame structure with a central entrance tower flanked by gothic windows. The tower has a three story elevation with a double doorway with an arched, glazed tympanum, a round window above, and an open bell cote above the cornice. The sidewalls have five gothic windows with pilasters dividing the bays. The cornice returns into the gable end. The apse is a lower, rectangular addition on the north end.</p> <p>On the interior, the church has a central aisle. The sanctuary is separated from the choir by three gothic arched openings.</p>	

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8. SIGNIFICANCE			
PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Columbian	<input type="checkbox"/> 16th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 18th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 20th Century
<input type="checkbox"/> 15th Century	<input type="checkbox"/> 17th Century	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 19th Century	
SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)      C. 1850			
AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal	<input type="checkbox"/> Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Political	<input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning
<input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Phi-	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)
<input type="checkbox"/> Historic	<input type="checkbox"/> Industry	losophy	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> Invention	<input type="checkbox"/> Science	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Landscape	<input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Art	Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Social/Human-	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> Literature	itarian	_____
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<input type="checkbox"/> Conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	_____
STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE			

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**9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

**10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY			O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES		
CORNER	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE		LATITUDE	LONGITUDE	
	Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds		Degrees Minutes Seconds	Degrees Minutes Seconds	
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SE	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	° ' "	
SW	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	° ' "	

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:

Acreage Justification:

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**11. FORM PREPARED BY**

NAME AND TITLE:  
Christopher Owens, Park Historian

ORGANIZATION: MNCPPC      DATE: 19 Aug 74

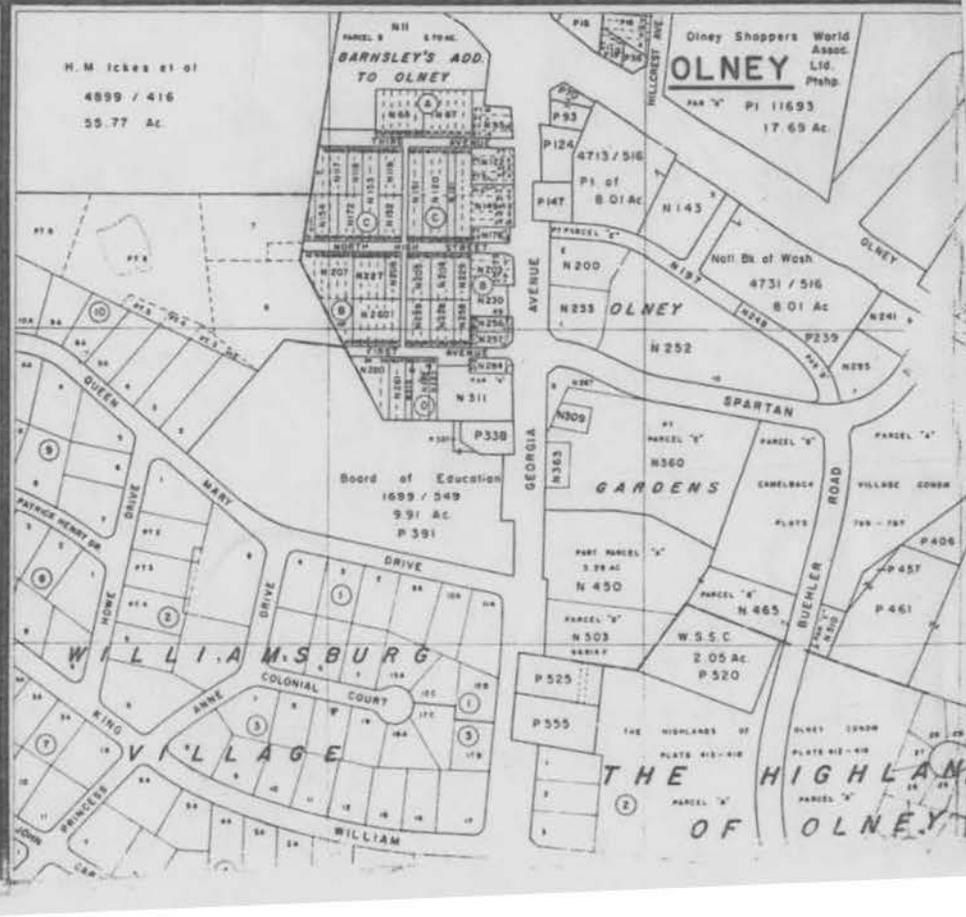
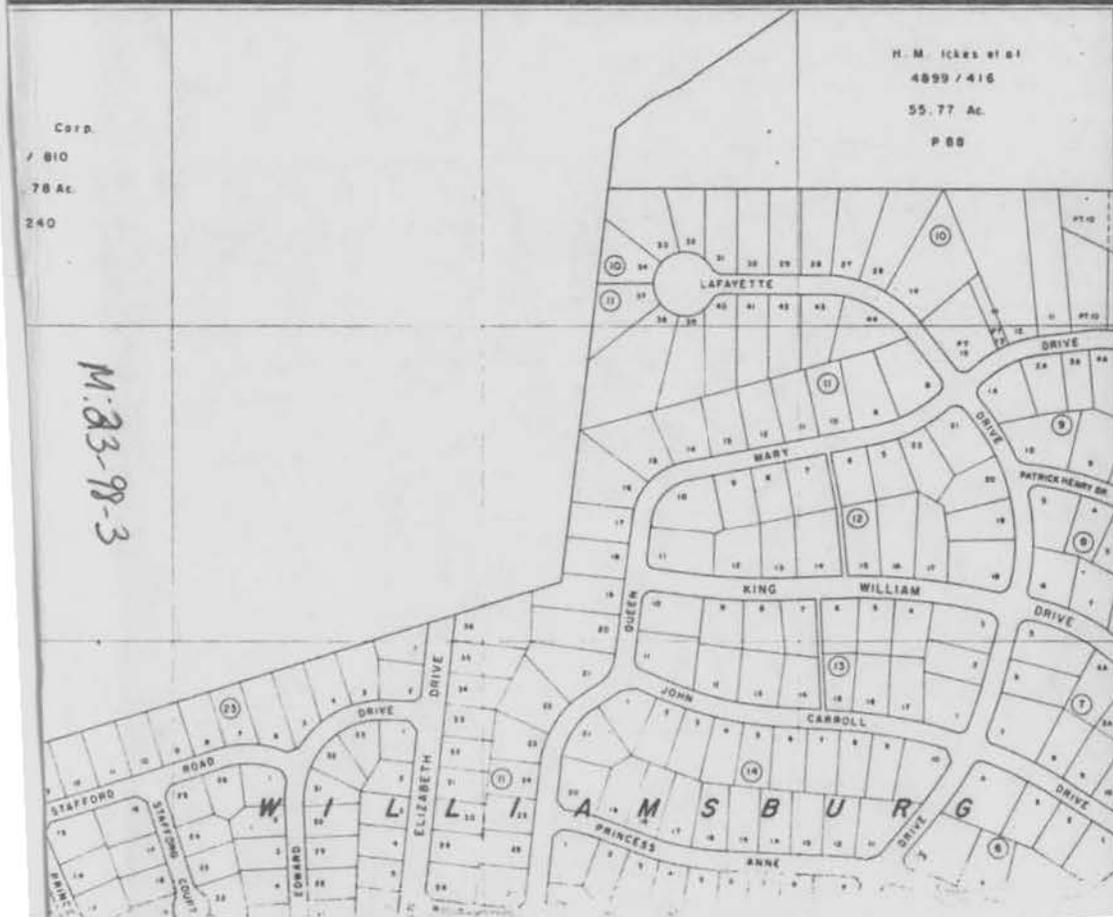
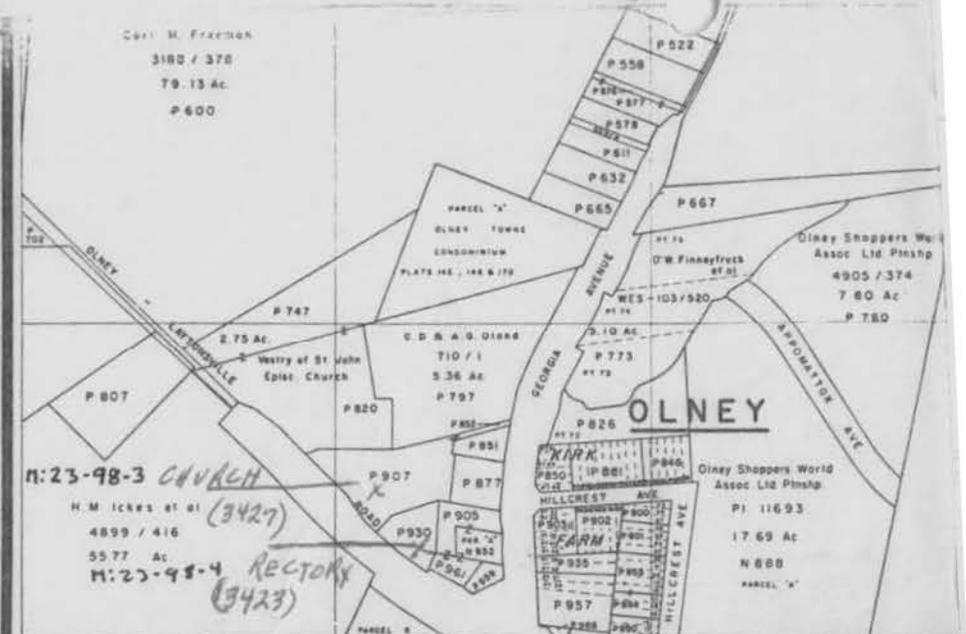
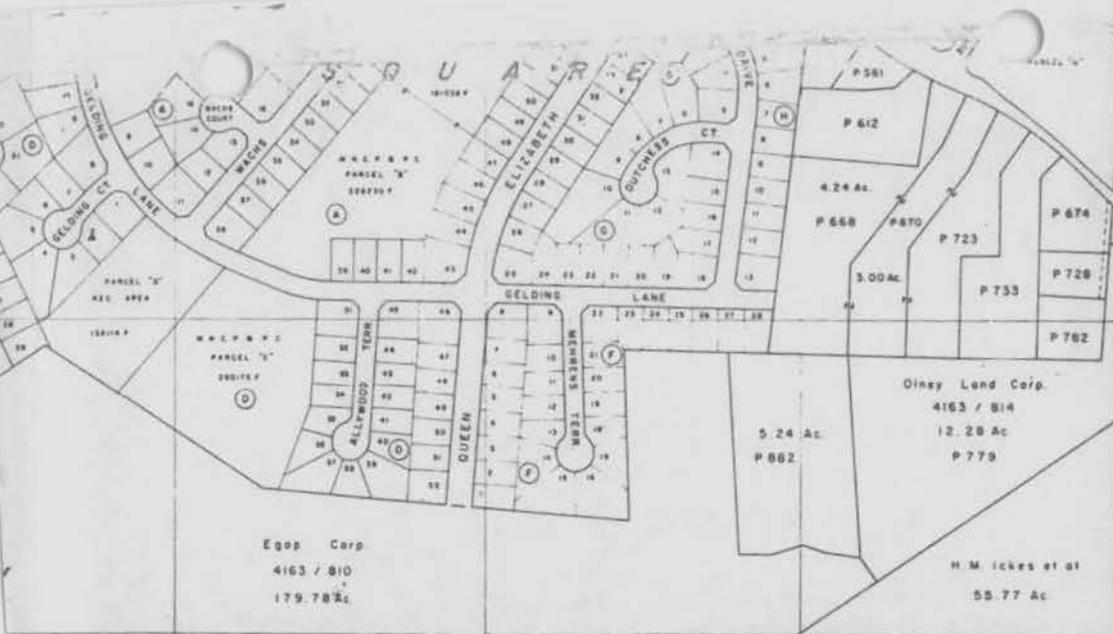
STREET AND NUMBER:  
8787 Georgia Avenue

CITY OR TOWN: Silver Spring      STATE: Maryland

**12. State Liaison Officer Review: (Office Use Only)**

Significance of this property is:  
 National     State     Local

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Signature



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(3423)

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Scale 2 Inches to the Mile

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## MECHANICSVILLE OLNEY P.O.

Scale 600 feet to the Inch

### BUSINESS NOTICES

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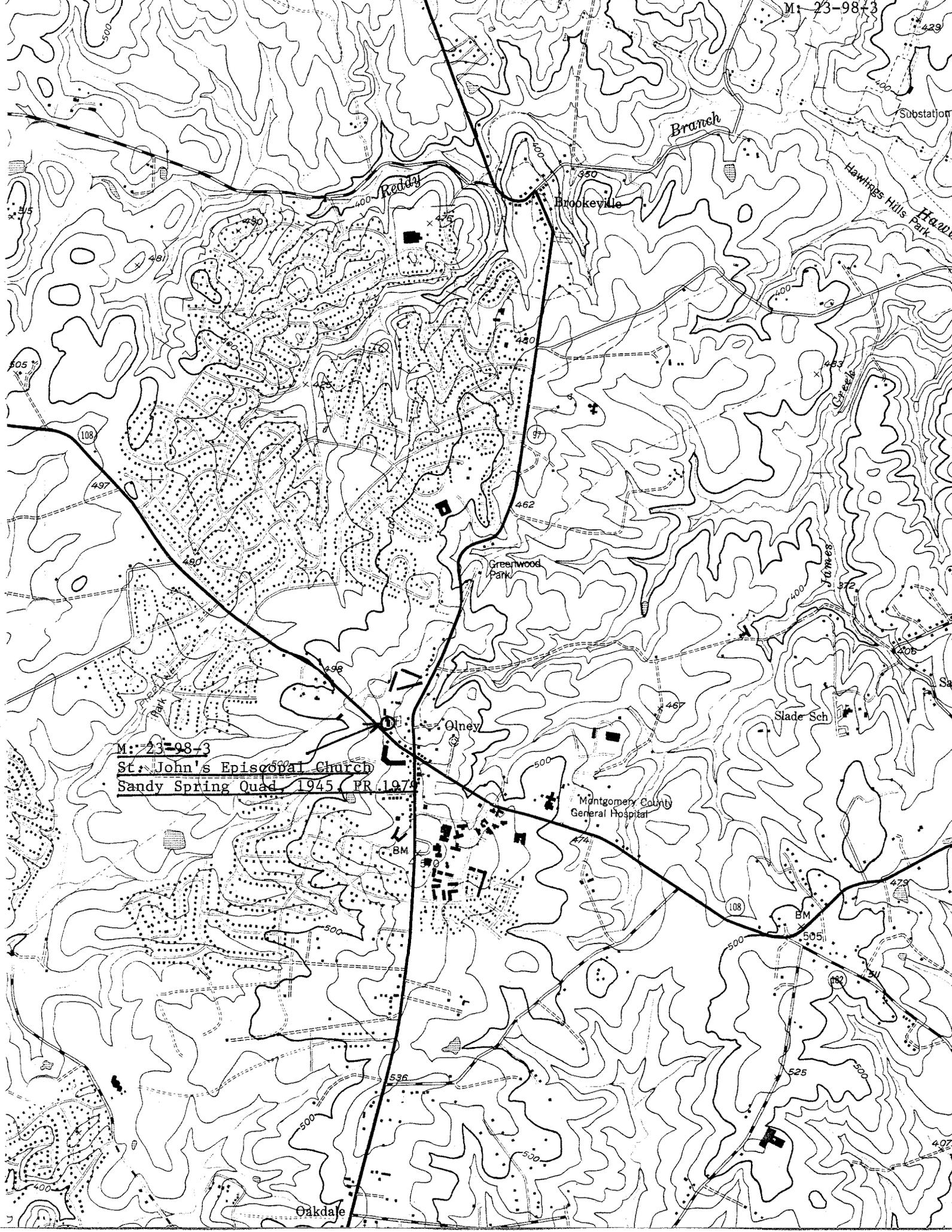
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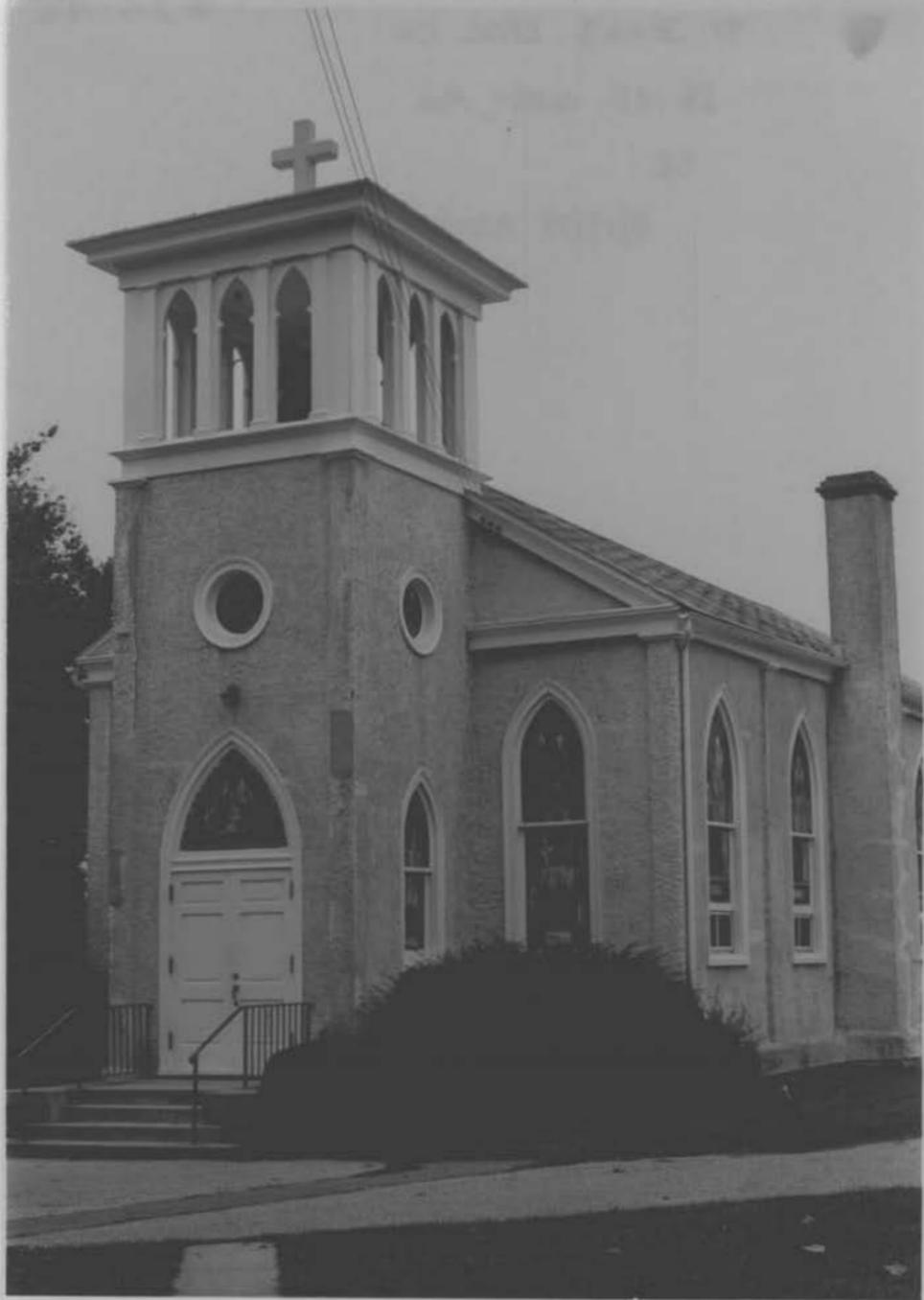
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St. John's Episcopal Church

Sandy Spring Quad, 1945, PR. 1974





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