

Inscriptions on Stained Glass Windows
St. John's Church, Winnsboro, S.C.

Garden Street at Liberty Street (southeast corner)

Altar Window - In Memoriam
Rev. Josiah Obear
Born Jan. 24, 1810 and
Died Feb. 25, 1882
16 Years Rector of this Parish
Faithful Unto Death

Right, Choir Window - In Memory of
David Gaillard
Born Feb. 12, 1799
Died March 4, 1855

Left, Choir Window - In Memory of
Louisa Caroline Gaillard
Born Oct. 5, 1809
Died April 1, 1902

Right, Nave - In Memoriam
Theodore Samuel DuBose
May 16, 1809
Feb. 13, 1862

Left, Nave - In Memoriam
Katharine Gaillard Ellisen
1849-1928

In Memoriam
Jane Sinkler DuBose
April 25, 1808
May 31, 1862

In Memoriam
Robert Emmet Ellisen, Jr.
1873-1898

White Marble Stone, east end, facing
Garden Street - St. John's Church -
St. Johns Fairfield
Rebuilt
Nov. 2, 1888

Granite stone, north end, Parish House,
facing Liberty Street -
To The Glory of God
St. John's Parish House
A.D. December 7, 1954

Silver, no hallmarks or other identification -
Communion Plate - Engraved on each piece -
St. John's Church
Winnsboro

1 chalice
2 patens
1 flagon

Book of Common Prayer (with hymns)
January 1850 edition. Number 10460
Embossed in gold on cover -
St. John's Church
Winnsboro

Inscriptions on gravestones, St. John's Episcopal Cemetery,
Northwest corner, Garden Street at Fairfield Street
Winnsboro, South Carolina

W. Long

(Theodore Sanna (Walter DuBose))
Theodore S. DuBose
May 16, 1808
Feb. 13, 1863 *(date on 1859-1862)*

Jane S. DuBose *(same as above (Parker))*
wife of T.S. DuBose *1863*
April 25, 1808
May 31, 1862

Six children of above
T.S. & J.S. DuBose
marked with five stones

Martha DuBose Aiken
1833-1855

Infant dau. of above -
Louisa Gaillard Aiken
Feb. 1 - July 24, 1855

Mrs. Martha DuBose
Died 1848

David Gaillard
1799-1855

Louisa Caroline Gaillard
1809-1902

David Gaillard, Jr.
Son of David & Louisa C.
Gaillard. 1828-1853

William DuBose Gaillard
1836-1860

Joseph Peter Gaillard
Son of David & Elizabeth Ann
Gaillard. Died Sept. 24, 1844
Aged 20 yrs., 9 mths., 19 days.

Martha Walter Gaillard
Died 1847. Aged 22 yrs.

Elizabeth Percher Gaillard Dwight
1840-1915

William Moultrie Dwight
1839-1877 (CSA Cross)
Principal Mount Zion

copy
Cowan McN. DuBose, M.D.
March 18, 1831
March 23, 1860

Anne Stevens DuBose
1834-1870

Samuel DuBose (CSA Cross)
Age 60 yrs., 2 months -
Sarah Frances DuBose (same stone)
1820-1914

Samuel DuBose
1817-1849

John Bratton
1831-1898
Fairfield County's Foremost
Confederate Soldier
Brigadier General, CSA

Henry Augustus Gaillard (CSA Cross)
1837-1921

Harriet White Gaillard
1841-1906

Alfred S. Gaillard (CSA Cross)
1839-1870

Mary Adelaide DuBose
Wife of Alfred Septimus Gaillard
1842-1919

Elise Gaillard, daughter of M.A. &
A.S. Gaillard

St. Pierre Gaillard, son of M.A. &
A.S. Gaillard

Maria Louisa Gaillard Dwight
1846-1928

Charles Stevens Dwight (CSA Cross)
1834-1921

Richard Walter Gaillard (on site of altar
1830-1905 of 1st St. John's)
& Frances Anne Boyce Gaillard
1842-1913

Dau. of William Waters Boyce
1816-1890
U.S. Congress, 1853-60
U.S. Congress, 1861-65

Inscriptions on Gravestones
St. John's Episcopal Cemetery, Winnsboro, S.C.
(Copied 18 Nov. 1960 CET)

Rev. Benjamin Allston
1833-1900

Also his wife

Rev. Josiah Obear
-1882

Also his wife

Martha Egleston Prentiss
Wife of
Rev. S. E. Prentiss
1870-1913

Eugenia Hart McCollough
Child of Rev. J. D. & H. B.
McCollough
1855-1957

On 14 April 1885, D.R. Flenniken, conveyed the first section of the present church property at Garden and Liberty Streets to Henry A. Gaillard, and Ralph B. Hanahan, Sr., M.D., Wardens, and Charles S. Dwight, Robert E. Ellison, and James Q. Davis, Vestrymen, for St. John's Parish.

On 3 April 1888, Thomas K. Elliott and Thomas H. Ketchin conveyed property adjoining at Garden and Liberty Streets to the same wardens and vestrymen.

On 3 April 1889, a third piece of property adjoining the St. John's land at Liberty and Garden was conveyed to Henry A. Gaillard, Dr. Ralph B. Hanahan, Sr., Charles S. Dwight, Robert E. Ellison, DuBose Egleston, and Henry N. Obear, Vestrymen.

The present Rectory south of St. John's Church, facing Garden Street, was built in 1921 soon after ~~Mr~~The Rev. William Preston Peyton came as Rector. He married the former Miss Brunson of Darlington soon after he became Rector of the Winnsboro and Ridgeway churches.

The Parish House facing Liberty Street was built in 1954 while the Rev. Richard LeRoy Sturgis was Rector. It is interesting in this respect to note that Mr. Sturgis entered the ministry from the Church of Our Saviour, Rock Hill, where Mr. Peyton was Rector from 1926 to 1944, after leaving Fairfield County.

was followed by the Rev. George Laville Sweeney, D.D., fresh from Ireland, some thought "for political reasons". He was a graduate of the University of Edinburgh in Scotland. Dr. Sweeney was rector of the Church of Our Saviour, Rock Hill, during this time, and also served Christ Church, Lancaster, part of the time, along with the two Fairfield churches.

Bishop Capers' First Confirmation

In 1892 and 1893, St. Stephen's was supplied by the Rev. A.R. Mitchell of the Good Shepherd, Columbia, again. Bishop Ellison Capers held his first confirmation after his consecration as Bishop coadjutor of South Carolina in St. John's, Winnsboro, on August 6, 1893. He became Bishop the following year on the death of Bishop Howe.

*1893-1894
Lumpkin*

The Woman's Guild was organized at St. Stephen's at this time under the inspiration of Mrs. Wm. Wallace Lumpkin, whose son was the Rev. Henry Hope Lumpkin, Ph.D., missionary to Alaska, and father of the present Rev. William W. Lumpkin, Rector of the Church of Our Saviour, Rock Hill.

Then followed a succession of short rectorships; the Rev. Stephen E. Prentiss, 1893-94; Rev. Edward Benedict, 1895; followed by the Rev. Benjamin Allston in 1896, first rector of St. John's not to serve St. Stephen's, as well.

Colonel Allston was a veteran of the Confederate War, and served St. John's until 1900. *Mr. C.W. Boyd* assisted during Col. Allston's illness for a time. In 1898, the Rev. W. Norwood Tillinghast came to St. Stephen's, but did not serve St. John's. He also served the Church of the Heavenly Rest near Shirley in Hampton County, a long train trip from Ridgeway. He remained in Ridgeway until late 1901, and developed the first trained choir. "The handsome organ" given by the ladies in 1879 to replace the melodeon, was still in use, at St. Stephen's.

When Col. Allston left Winnsboro in 1900, ~~Mr. C.W. Boyd~~ The Rev. Harold Thomas had charge for a short period. In 1903, the much beloved, Rev. Harvey Orrin Judd came as Rector of the two Fairfield Churches. He had served as Rector of Trinity in Columbia ~~between the great Dr.~~ after the death of Dr. Peter Johnston Shand in 1886, and ^{until} the coming