literature. Carpenter made benches bordered the two sides of the Church, with a row down the middle, forming two aisles. About two-thirds the way from the front towards the door, in the center, was the heating plant-a large heating stove, faced by two benches. To the right and left of the Altar and facing it, from both sides, were two benches. On the left was the "Amen Corner" occupied by the Church Officers; and on the right the benches were used by the choir during service, and by the "Infant Class" in the Sunday School. The pulpit and ailses were carpeted. Coal oil lamps with glass reflectors on the sides of the church, and later supported by chandeliers in the center, furnished the illumination. When entertainments were held the benches were piled up and some were moved to the outside. An old shallow well was located just in front of the Church. This is the picture of the old church as remembered by a Committeeman.

During the ministry of Reverend Charles Holmes, 1880 or 1881, the first parsonage was build back of the Church on Fourth Street. It was a modest, story and a half cottage. Prior to that time the Pastors living rented houses. Rev. Holley resided in the old brick at 408 East University Avenue, where Mrs. L. A. Riley formerly resided. Rev. Holmes and Rev W. J. Davis and Rev. Derrick lived in a house which would now be 307 or 309 East Park Avenue.