

86B-005 Nottingham-Myers Methodist Church 15601 Brooks Church Road

Croom

Built in 1939, Nottingham-Myers United Methodist Church is a two-part building: a front-gabled, meetinghouse-style building with a corner bell tower and an attached south wing. The main section of the present church was built by members of the local black Methodist community during the pastorship of Frederick Myers. In 1983 a south wing, designed to complement the original building (at left in the photograph) was built. Nottingham-Myers Church has remained a focal point for the African-American population of the Croom-Nottingham region. It has strong historical connections to the Mansfield plantation and to the work of the Freedmen's Bureau.