



Hallsville United Methodist Church - Hallsville, Ohio  
Dedicated 1845

**MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES  
MONDAY, MAY 31, 1993**

**HALLSVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
HALLSVILLE, OHIO**

## THE HALLSVILLE SCHOOL

TWO ROOMS, THREE "R'S", EIGHT GRADES, NINETY-SIX STUDENTS: THIS WAS THE HALLSVILLE SCHOOL OF THE EARLY '30'S.

THE BUILDING ITSELF WAS FIRST A ONE-ROOM STRUCTURE BUILT IN 1875. AN EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLAR GIFT OF ONE EPHRIAM DREBACH STIPULATED THAT THE BUILDING BE MADE SUFFICIENTLY STRONG FOR THE POSSIBLE ADDITION OF A SECOND STORY. INSTEAD, A SECOND ROOM BUILT, INCIDENTALLY, FROM BRICK MADE IN THE LOCAL BRICK PLANT WEST OF TOWN, MET THE NEED FOR LATER EXPANSION.

UPON COMPLETION OF GRADE SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS, ONE COULD TAKE A TEST, THE BOXWELL EXAMINATION. A PASSING GRADE ENTITLED ONE, IN EARLY DAYS, TO TEACH; OR, IF DESIRED, TO CONTINUE HIS EDUCATION IN A SCHOOL WHICH OFFERED A FOUR YEAR HIGH SCHOOL COURSE OF STUDY.

THE HALLSVILLE SCHOOL CLOSED IN 1934 AND WAS PURCHASED LATER (IN 1937) BY OFFICIALS OF THE ADJOINING CHURCH.



PROGRAM

9:30 A. M. OUTDOOR CONCERT THE ADELPHI BAND  
10:00 A. M. PRELUDE MRS. LOUIS CRYDER  
WELCOME WAYNE CRYDER, CHAIRMAN  
MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE  
PLEDGES TO THE AMERICAN AND CHRISTIAN FLAGS, LED BY  
DAVID ZEIGLER

(PLEDGE TO THE CHRISTIAN FLAG: I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE  
TO THE CHRISTIAN FLAG AND TO THE SAVIOR FOR WHSE  
KINGDOM IT STANDS, ONE BROTHERHOOD, UNITING ALL MAN-  
KIND IN SERVICE AND IN LOVE.)

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN, AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL, PAGE 450  
LED BY MR. HERMAN HINTON  
SCRIPTURE AND PRAYER BY THE REV. MR. THOMAS JIVIDEN,  
PASTOR, COLERAIN UNITED METHOD-  
IST CHURCH

READING SUZANNE KARSHNER BOWSHER  
SPECIAL PRESENTATION, MR. DON WALISER

VOCAL MUSIC MRS. DENNIS ZEIGLER

MEMORIAL ADDRESS MRS. E. V. GRAVES

CLOSING HYMN, BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC, PAGE 453

BENEDICTION THE REV. MR. JIVIDEN

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THE TRADITIONAL MARCH TO THE SOLDIERS' CIRCLE IN THE  
HALLSVILLE CEMETERY WILL BE LED BY THE ADELPHI BAND.  
MR. LOWELL SWEPSTON WILL PLACE A WREATH AT THE SOLD-  
IERS' MONUMENT.  
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