

**Former Pastors of Our Church**  
**Mr. Charter Wells**  
**(Served from 1949 to 1950, Acting)**

When Rev Riggan left to accept a call to a church in West Virginia, Mr. Charter Wells, an Elder of East Ocean View Presbyterian Church stepped in to temporarily lead Robbins Corner Chapel in February, 1949. He had the assistance of several other ministers and laymen at worship.

Mr. Wells presided as the church's interior was completed on a shoestring budget through the selling of pictures and hosting benefit movies. It was recalled that as soon as \$50 was raised, it was used for the most urgent need. They purchased used pews and installed them with volunteer labor. Church attendance at this time varied between 18 to 38. During this time, the church held its first funeral, first Communion service, and first baptism. Hymnals were supplied during this time.

Mrs. Wells met with the woman at their first women's circle on March 22, 1949, and volunteered to give the Bible Study Lessons of later meetings.

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