

# Chart of Historic St. James's Church and Graveyard

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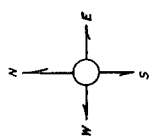
The chart of Saint James's Protestant Episcopal Church and adjoining graveyard with the accompanying key listing persons buried therein, with the relative positions of all tombstones was prepared originally by William Frederic Worner, Librarian of the Lancaster County Historical Society from 1923 to 1935, and Editor of the **Papers Read Before the Lancaster County Historical Society** during the same period. The original chart was published in volume 37, pages between 148 and 149, of the **Papers**. Full inscriptions were included with the chart. Three years ago extensive alterations were made at St. Jame's Church, which required the relocation of several stones. A chapel was erected on the site of the old choir room; an L-shaped cloister was constructed from the entrance to the chapel to Duke Street, and along the Duke Street side of the churchyard to the entrance of the church nave immediately to the rear of the tower; and numerous changes and restorations were made within the nave and apse areas. All new construction faithfully carried out the Romanesque architecture of the church, and in no way has the attractiveness of the historic and handsome complex been diminished by the changes. In the church interior the ancient box pews were cleared of many layers of paint and varnish, leaving a beautiful natural finish. The ceiling and walls were refinished, the choir area was rebuilt, the organ console and pulpit were relocated, and the magnificent old windows cleaned.

Robert D. Tunney corrected the original chart, and drew the new

# KEY

NAMES, WITH DATES OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS, WHEN LEGIBLE,  
ON THE TOMBSTONES IN THE GRAVEYARD. IT IS TO  
BE NOTED IN SEVERAL INSTANCES THAT MORE  
THAN ONE PERSON IS BURIED IN THE SAME GRAVE

	Born	Died
1. James Bolger	.....	1860
2. Catherine Smith	.....	1863
3. Samuel Laughery	.....	1846
4. Elizabeth Rhoads Franklin	1824	1865
5. Hon. Walter Franklin, President Judge of the Second Judicial District of Pennsylvania, 1811-36	1773	1836
6. Anne Emlen Franklin	.....	1852
7. Emily Franklin Darlington	1819	1850
William Darlington	1850	1850
8. Walter S. Franklin	1799	1838
9. Catherine Bradburn	1794	1801
10. Elizabeth Rowe	1818	1852
Esther Anna Rowe	1818	1851
Rachel Bradburn	1800	1802
11. Jane Baker	.....	1753
Edward Baker	.....	.....
John Baker	.....	.....
12. W. H. (Name unknown)	.....	.....
13. E. M. J. R. (Name unknown)	.....	.....
14. M. W. C. (Name unknown)	.....	.....
15. John Hoff Atlee	.....	1835
George McClellan Atlee	.....	1835
16. Catharine Light	1764	1846
17. Major John Light, Soldier in the Revolutionary War.	1755	1834
18. Sarah Adams	1782	1850
19. William P. Atlee	1773	1815
20. Esther Atlee	1748	1790
William Augustus Atlee	1735	1793
Chief Burgess of the Borough of Lancaster 1770-73. Chairman of the Committee of Safety of Lancaster during the Revolution- ary War. Judge of the Second Judicial District of Pennsylvania, 1791-93.		
21. Edwin Franklin Atlee	1840	1843
William Atlee 1st	1825	1826
William Atlee 2nd	1827	1830
Catharine Letitia Atlee	1836	1838
Samuel Emlen Atlee	1833	1841
22. Sarah Howell Atlee	1803	1880
23. John Light Atlee	1799	1885
24. Emily Catharine Judd	.....	1849
25. Mary Plummer Judd	.....	1849
26. William Henry Judd	.....	1849
27. Samuel Lewis	.....	1822
28. C. B. (Name unknown)	.....	.....
29. Charlotte Henry	1775	1859
30. Charles Brown	.....	1858
31. Robert Frances	.....	1858
32. Mary Jane Savery	.....	1851
33. Elizabeth E. Ellmaker	1823	1864
34. Catharine C. Ellmaker	1821	1862
35. Mary R. Ellmaker	1799	1886



Rectory Garage

Rectory Garden

Rectory

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Cloister

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St. James's  
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Churchyard  
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	Born	Died
Hon. Amos Ellmaker.	1787	1851
Aide-de-camp to General John Forster in the war of 1812. President Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District of Pennsylvania, 1815-16. Candidate for the Vice-Presidency of the United States, 1832.		
36. Sophia M. Ford	1843	1851
37. Anne Franklin Atlee	1834	1899
38. Salome Jane Burrowes	1821	1886
Thomas Henry Burrowes	1806	1871
Father of the Pennsylvania Free School System. Organized the Common School System of Pennsylvania when Secretary of the Commonwealth, 1835-38, under Governor Joseph Ritner. Founded the Pennsylvania School Journal, 1852. Wrote the Normal School Law, 1857. Mayor of the City of Lancaster, 1858. President of Pennsylvania State College, 1869-71.		
39. Dr. Francis Smith Burrowes	1792	1854
40. Matthias Slough Scott	.....	1791
Esther Scott	.....	1792
Alexander Scott	.....	1810
41. Henry G. Slough	.....	1800
42. Stuart Alexander Hamilton	1853	1853
43. Mathias Slough	1762	1766
44. Isaac Diller Wilfong	.....	1846
45. M. G. B. (Name unknown)	.....	.....
C. A. B. (Name unknown)	.....	.....
46. Mary E. Chase	.....	1862
47. Asa H. Chase	.....	1857
48. Sarah C. Chase	.....	1855
49. Margaretta H. Smith	.....	1868
50. George Rutter	.....	1846
51. Charlotte Rutter	.....	1848
52. Annie M. Haines	.....	1855
53. Henry M. Smith	.....	1858
54. Christianne Hays	.....	1838
55. Thomas Jancey	1844	1851
56. Margaret E. Dougherty	.....	1860
57. Mary Dougherty	.....	1847
58. Jane Morton	.....	1860
59. Edward Morton	.....	1875
60. William A. Morton	1828	1892
Mayor of Lancaster, Pa., 1886-88.		
61. Jos. B. Palmer	.....	1835
Aug. H. Palmer	.....	1835
62. John Cross	.....	1776
63. Julianna Jacobi Clarke	1780	1862
64. Edward Clarke	1781	1833
65. Susannah Hart. (Oldest tomb in the churchyard)	.....	1752
66. Louisa Voorhis Warriner	1835	1874
Mary Jane Voorhis	1828	1905
67. William Voorhis	1833	1855
68. Charlotte Elizabeth Voorhis	.....	1843 (?)
69. Peter V. S. Voorhis	.....	1838
70. Ann Elizabeth Voorhis	.....	1842
71. Ellis Lewis	1830	1848
72. Mary Jane Tomlinson	.....	.....
George Tomlinson	.....	.....
Sarah Ann Tomlinson	.....	.....

	Born	Died
73. Elizabeth J. Kinnersley	.....	1852
74. Benjamin Magor Eyre	1824	1849
75. Jane A. Roatch	.....	1847
76. Henry G. Swarts	.....	1844
77. John Tremayne	1762	1844
78. Catharine Shufflebottom	1817 (?)	1844 (?)
79. Elizabeth Shofstall	1795	1875
80. Mary Shofstall	1814	1850
81. Hiram Miller Shofstall	1828	1847
82. Francis H. Shofstall	1833	1840
83. Eliza Shofstall	.....	1890
84. Sophia Shoffstall	1823	1899
85. Frances Steele Slaymaker	1861	1861
86. Henry E. Slaymaker	1828	1905
Mary Slaymaker. (The last person buried in the churchyard).	1828	1908
87. Stephen C. Slaymaker	.....	1835
Susan Reigart Slaymaker	1804	1886
88. Margaret Sanderson	.....	1761
89. Patrick Carigan.	.....	1756 (?)
Elected Vestryman of Saint James' Parish at Easter, 1745—six months after the organization of the church in 1744.		
90. Louisa Wells	.....	1867
91. Right Rev. Samuel Bowman.	1800	1861
Associate Rector of Saint James' Parish, 1827-30. Rector, 1830-61. Founder of the Saint James' Orphan Asylum, Saint John's Free Church, and the Bishop Bowman Home for the Aged and Infirm. Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Pennsylvania, 1858-61. During this time he continued as Rector of Saint James' Parish.		
92. Susan Bowman	1802	1831
Susan Bowman	1830	1835
93. Samuel Sitgreaves Bowman	1826	1846
94. Harriet R. Bowman	1797	1852
95. Mary Regan	.....	1844
96. Col. Levi Rogers	.....	1832
97. Ann Marie Rogers	.....	1831
98. Ann Mary Rogers	.....	1840
99. Timothy Rogers	.....	1848
100. John Pratt	1799 (?)	1838 (?)
101. Sabina Pratt	.....	1847 (?)
John Pratt	.....	1801 (?)
102. Ann Jackson	.....	1828 (?)
103. Sarah Jackson	.....	1843 (?)
104. Katherine Emerson	.....	1882
105. Margaret Markee	1830	1875
106. Margaret Daly	.....	1888
107. Hannah K. Benjamin.	1806	1902
A converted Jewess. Cousin of Judah P. Benjamin, Secretary of State in the cabinet of Jefferson Davis, Principal of Saint James' Parochial School. Matron of Saint James' Orphanage.		
108. Anne Caroline Hall	1800	1841
109. Albert Moore	.....	1831
110. Susan Parkhurst Wright	.....	1826
111. Dr. Samuel Fahnestock	1764	1836
112. Barbara Fahnestock	1770	1862

	Born	Died
113. Martha Gray	1711	1794
114. Mary Gray	.....	1768
115. Mary Shippen	1705-6	1778
Edward Shippen.	1703	1781
Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, 1744. Moved to Lancaster in 1752, where he was appointed Prothonotary of the Courts. Served as Recorder of Deeds and Register of Wills. He "laid out" the town of Shippenburg, and was one of the founders of the College of New Jersey, now Princeton University. Grandfather of Peggy Shippen, wife of Benedict Arnold.		
116. Joseph Shippen	1732	1810
Officer in the French and Indian War. Associate Judge of the Courts of Chester County. Secretary of the Province of Pennsylvania under the Penn Government.		
117. Ann C. Grubb	.....	1806
118. Henry Bates Grubb	1774	1823
119. Harriet Amelia Grubb.	1788	1858
Founder of Hope Protestant Episcopal Church, Mount Hope, Pa.		
120. Charles Buckley Grubb	1813	1833
121. Rev. Thomas Barton.	1730	1780
(Not buried here). Cenotaph to his memory. Buried in Trinity Cemetery. 158th Street, New York City, Rector of Saint James' Protestant Episcopal Church, Lancaster, Pa., 1759-76. Chaplain in the French and Indian War.		
122. Juliana W. Barton	1805	1867
Esther R. Barton	.....	1871
123. Thomas B. Barton	.....	1864
124. Richard C. Barton	.....	1859
125. Margaret Piersol McCaskey	1810	1898
Mary Wilson Ringwalt	1796	1829
126. ....(Name illegible)	.....	.....
127. Hannah McLaughlin	.....	1847
128. George H. Whitaker	1786	1849
129. Sarah H. Bethel	1775	1850
130. Sarah Bethel Brien Rogers	1810	1886
131. Edward Brien Rogers	1841	1856
132. Mary Hand Rogers	1834	1849
133. Sarah Hand Rogers	1830	1845
134. Edmund Barton	1809	1855
135. Esther Rittenhouse Barton	1800	1869
136. .... Barton. (daughter of David R. and Catharine Barton. Christian name illegible on stone.)	1797	1798
137. Mary Graeff Barton	.....	1804
Catharine Emma Barton	.....	1816
138. Catharine Graeff Barton	1777	1826
139. David Rittenhouse Barton	1768	1818
140. Mary Graeff	1755	1837
141. Samuel Grubb	.....	1805 (?)
142. Juliana Grubb	.....	1803
143. Martha Grubb	.....	1802
144. Ann Grubb	.....	1795
145. C. Y. S. (Name unknown)	.....	.....

	Born	Died
146. Margaret Yeates	.....	1855
John Yeates	1772	1844
Catherine Yeates	1783	1866
Founded and liberally endowed Yeates' School.		
147. Margaret Yeates Conyngham	1822	1823
148. Mary W. Conyngham	.....	1816
149. Catherine Yeates Smith	1810	1817
150. Jasper Yeates Smith	1792	1823
151. Hon. Jasper Yeates	1745	1817
Delegate to the Convention in 1787 which ratified the Federal Constitution on the part of Pennsylvania. Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, 1791-1817.		
152. Sarah Yeates	1748-9	1829
153. Stephen Chambers	.....	1789
Officer in the Revolutionary War. Delegate to the Convention of 1787 which ratified the Federal Constitution on the part of Pennsylvania. Warrant Master of Lodge 43 F and A.M. Wounded in a duel with Dr. Jacob Rieger, May 11, 1789. Died five days later.		
154. H. C. B. (Name unknown)	.....	.....
155. M. N. C. (Name unknown)	.....	.....
156. Amelia Landis Jefferies	1806	1897
157. Thomas Jefferies	1786	1850
158. C. Mary Jefferies	1787	1827
159. Ann Amelia Jefferies	1872	1878
160. Robert McClure Jefferies	1842	1864
Officer in the Civil War.		
161. Ann Maria Duchman	.....	1833
162. Edward Hughes Duchman	1838	1840 (?)
163. Maria Lightner	1800	1845
164. Grace Clarkson	1765 (?)	1824 (?)
165. Rev. Joseph Clarkson	.....	1830
Rector Saint James' Protestant Episcopal Church, Lancaster, Pa., 1799-1830.		
166. Gerardus Clarkson	1792	1857
167. Susan Clarkson	1803	1861
168. Lieut. Edmund Hayes	1824 (?)	1853 (?)
168A. Caroline O. Hayes	.....	1828 (?)
Alexander Hayes	.....	1831 (?)
Isabella Hayes	.....	1836 (?)
169. Isabella Hayes	1800	1861
170. Alexander Laws Hayes	1793	1875
President Judge of the District Court of the City and County of Lancaster.		
171. Rebecca Jordan	1781	1862
172. Julianna Jordan	1779	1861
173. Thomas McMans	.....	1805 (?)
174. Lieut. Charles E. Hayes	.....	1871
175. Louisa Read Cummins	1833	1868
176. Robert Dawson	.....	1802 (?)
177. Mary Passmore	1790	1856
178. John Passmore	.....	1827
First Mayor of the City of Lancaster, 1818-20.		
Grace Cooke Passmore	.....	1856
179. John G. Passmore	.....	1813 (?)
George Passmore	.....	1812 (?)
180. Elizabeth Passmore	.....	1814
181. Catharine Hand Brien	.....	

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182. Harriet Coleman Brien	.....	1813
183. Edward Brien	.....	1816
184. Dorothy Brien	1777	1862
185. Edward Hand Brien	.....	1837
186. John Hand	1782	1807
187. Katharine Hand	.....	1805
General Edward Hand.	1744	1802
Officer in the Revolutionary War. Friend and companion of General George Washington.		
188. Katharine Hand	.....	1791
Margaret Hand	.....	1800
189. Robert Coleman.	1748	1825
Delegate to the Convention of 1787 which ratified the Federal Constitution on the part of Pennsylvania. Prominent citizen of Lancaster and successful iron master. Associate Judge of Lancaster County.		
190. Ann Coleman	1756	1844
191. Ann Caroline Coleman.	.....	1819
Sweetheart of James Buchanan, fifteenth President of the United States.		
192. Harriet Coleman	.....	1810
193. Robert Coleman, Jr.	.....	1811
194. Sarah Hand Coleman.	.....	1825
Sweetheart of the Rev. William Augustus Muhlenberg, Associate Rector of Saint James' Parish, Lancaster, Pa., 1820-26. Author of the widely known hymn, "I would not live away."		
195. James Coleman	1784	1831
196. Thomas Bird Coleman	1794	1836
197. William Coleman	1776	1837
198. Elizabeth Hall Norris	.....	1837
199. Anne C. Norris Graham	.....	1883
200. Eweretta Catharine Moore	1771 (?)	1830
201. Ann Eliza Aldridge	.....	1815
202. Robert Kent	1812	1831 (?)
203. Hannah L. Nancrede	1820	1833
204. William Downey	1790	1834
205. Harriet D. McCurdy	.....	1884
206. Ambrose W. Fordney	1846	1864
207. Hannah W. Franciscus	1805	1855
208. Elizabeth B. Flick	.....	.....
209. Susan E. Flick	1846	1849
210. Rebecca McCurdy	.....	1841
211. Robert Ferman	1831	1832
Samuel Ferman	1838	1838
212. Archibald Musser	.....	1774
213. Hariet Guinber	.....	1780
(Name almost illegible. It might be Cuthber, Culnber, or Guinber).		
214. Eliza M. Rogers	.....	1822
215. Nicolaus Messerschmit	1719	1762
(Buried in Trinity Lutheran graveyard, where the remains still are. The tombstone was moved to Saint James' graveyard at a subsequent date).		
216. Washington Hopkins	.....	1833
Mary Franklin Hopkins	.....	1893
217. George Ross Hopkins	1792	1821 (?)



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218. Anna Reigart Hopkins	1795	1826
219. Adam R. Hopkins	1816	1854
Horace Hopkins	1820	1857
220. James Young	.....	1820
221. Lydia Palmer	1827	1851
222. Joseph Stewart	1776	.....
Hugh Stewart, Jr.	1771	1776
Hugh Stewart.	.....	1776
Soldier in the British Army.		
223. Mary Brintnall	1802	1843
224. Charlotte Boyl	.....	.....
225. Isaac Diller	1863	1866
226. George Steinman Diller	1856	1858
227. Sarah A. Fisher	.....	1878
228. Elisabeth Slough	.....	1761
229. George Diller, Sr.	1785	1858
230. Lydia Diller	1785	1845
231. Ella Bianca Diller	.....	1849
232. Ellen May Diller	.....	1847
233. Joseph Hoover Diller	.....	1850
234. Mary Elizabeth Diller	1844	1844
235. Mary Lydia Diller	1849	1850
236. Robert Dory. (The name might be Dorset, Dorsay, Dorey. Illegible on stone.)	.....	1807 (?)
237. Eleanor Morton	.....	1845
238. John Morton	.....	1851
239. John S. Morton	.....	1854
240. Ann Morton	.....	1857
241. Stephen Johnson	.....	1827
242. Anthony T. Burns	.....	1833
243. Mary Ann Burns	1798	1848
244. Philip Miller	.....	1883
Jane Morton Miller	.....	1881
245. Mary Wilson	1869	1870
246. Margaret Sonnet	1750	1832
247. Elizabeth Freeman	.....	1849
248. Thomas Henry Burrowes	1805	1871
Monument erected by the citizens of Penn- sylvania in appreciation of his great work for the advancement of education in Penn- sylvania.		
249. Mary Shaw	.....	1758
250. Mary Gay	.....	1776
Frances Gay	.....	1776
251. Mary Cross	.....	1756
252. Thomas Rayner	.....	1809
253. Esther Barton.	.....	1774
First wife of the Rev. Thomas Barton, Rector of Saint James' Parish, Lancaster, Pa., 1759-76. Sister of David Rittenhouse, the celebrated astronomer.		
254. George Bartram	.....	1777
255. James Hopkins	.....	1834
Nestor of the Lancaster bar.		
256. Ann Hopkins	.....	1816
257. Samuel D. Orrick	.....	1850
258. Caroline R. Orrick	.....	1848
259. Elizabeth Old	.....	1832
260. Abraham Carpenter	.....	1840

	<b>Born</b>	<b>Died</b>
261. Thomas Cookson First Chief Burgess of Lancaster, 1742-43. Large land owner and influential citizen. One of the first wardens and a liberal benefactor of Saint James' Protestant Epis- copal Church, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.	.....	1753
262. Col. William Hamilton. One of the founders and editors of the Lancaster Journal. State Senator. Officer in the War of 1812.	.....	1820
263. Mary Ross Carpenter	.....	1829
264. Eliza M. J. Rogers	.....	1823
265. Lydia Hendricks	1755	1774
266. John Graeff	.....	1803
267. Thomas Cookson	.....	1753
267A. L. R. C.		

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