

HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS

March 2013

Bishop Richard S. Watson (1951–1971)

- 1962 – the Episcopal Women of Davis County meet in a Fruit Heights home with the Rt. Rev. Richard Watson and the Rev. James T. Brown (St. Mark's Cathedral) to discuss the objectives of the Episcopal Church in the South Davis area
- October 17, 1962 – the Episcopal Women of Bountiful meet in a local home for a service of Holy Communion, celebrated by the Very Rev. Wesley Frensdorff, dean of St. Mark's Cathedral
- March 2, 1963 – the Rt. Rev. Richard S. Watson gives permission to St. Mark's Cathedral Church to establish a mission in the South Davis area ("South Davis Mission Committee" of St. Mark's – the Very Rev. Wesley Frensdorff, Dean)
- March 24, 1963 – the Rev. James T. Brown celebrated the first Holy Eucharist of the South Davis Mission at 55 East 100 North, Bountiful
- April 1, 1963 – the name was selected at a parish meeting "The Church of the Resurrection"
- May 1963 – church services in Bountiful Jeep Posse building (200 West)
- September 7, 1963 – first newsletter (the Rev. John J. Miller, Priest-In-Charge)
- September 8, 1963 – first Baptism at the Church of Resurrection: Brandon Todd Hayward
- July 1964 – land purchased by St. Mark's at 1250 South Orchard Drive, Bountiful, for \$21,000
- October 1964 – outdoor Eucharist celebrated on the new Orchard Drive property by the Rev. Quentin F. Kolb, Vicar
- June 6, 1965 – first Confirmation Class presented to The Rt. Rev. Richard Watson – Christopher Murdock, Leslie Myers, Marilyn Vise and Phillip Vise
- November 30, 1965 – evaluation of South Davis Mission by parishioners with The Rev. Charles Wilson
- February 1966 – informal discussions begin between Rev. Don Mills (minister at Bountiful Community Church) and the Very Rev. Wesley Fernsdorff (dean of St. Mark's Cathedral) regarding the shared ministry & facilities of BCC and ECOR (these discussions were with the approval of Bishop Watson)
- March 25, 1966 – Third Anniversary of the Church of the Resurrection, meeting at the Bountiful Jeep Posse building, The Rev. Quentin F. Kolb, Vicar

- September 1, 1966 – start of one-year experimental ecumenical union between ECOR and Bountiful Community Church (until August 31, 1967) - the Rev. Quentin Kolb serves one-half his time as ECOR vicar & BCC associate minister for youth and one-half his time as Curate at St. Mark's Cathedral
- May 1967 – the Rev. Quentin Kolb leaves
- September 1967 – the Rev. John Langfeldt arrives as ECOR vicar and BCC associate minister.
- December 6, 1967 – Mission Committee of ECOR decides to proceed with turning over the Orchard Drive property (\$24,500 assessed value) to the Bountiful Community Church for its building fund (Fr. John Langfeldt)
- June 1968 – joint meeting of ECOR and BCC congregations and approval of a building fund program for a new BCC sanctuary
- March 23, 1969 – ground breaking ceremonies at BCC for the new sanctuary building officiated by Bishop Watson and Dr. Bradley Skinner (conference minister for United Church of Christ)

Bishop E. Otis Charles (1971-1986)

- August 1971 – the Rev. John Langfeldt leaves
- September 1971 – the Rev. David W. Schmidt arrives as ECOR vicar and BCC associate minister.
- October 3, 1971 – Service of Dedication for new BCC sanctuary building officiated by Bishop-elect Otis Charles and Dr. Bradley Skinner (UCC conference minister)
- 1973 – begin joint Communion services of ECOR and BCC congregations on the first Sunday of each month
- March 12, 1973- ECOR becomes a Diocesan Mission
- May 1977 – start joint ECOR/BCC Marriage Encounter program
- 1978 – opening of the church gift shop in BCC, the Ark & Olive Branch
- 1978 - the Rev. David W. Schmidt leaves
- 1979 - the Rev. Richard C. (Cass) Nevius arrives as ECOR vicar and BCC associate minister

Bishop E. Otis Charles (1971-1986)

Bishop George E. Bates (1986-1997)

- 1981 – BCC centennial celebration
- 1982 - the Rev. Cass Nevius leaves
- 1982 – the Rev. Peter Chase arrives as ECOR vicar and BCC associate minister
- 1987 – Ordination of the Rev. Dovie Hutchinson

Bishop George E. Bates (1986-1997)

Bishop Carolyn Tanner Irish (1997-2010)

- October 26, 1991 – ECOR celebrates 25 years of ecumenical union with BCC
- August 1992 – the Rev. Peter Chase leaves
- October 16, 1992 – formal ECOR & BCC dialogue meetings begin to discuss Episcopal and UCC needs
- January 1993 – the Rev. Elaine Breckenridge arrives as ECOR vicar and BCC associate minister
- June 1993 – announcement to BCC that ECOR congregations was leaving the ecumenical union
- August 4, 1993 – transitional meeting with BCC for ECOR departure
- October 3, 1993 – consecration of bank building with the Venerable Pete Winder, Archdeacon, and the Rev. Richard Frank officiating
- 1995 - the Rev. Elaine Breckenridge leaves
- 1995 – the Rev. Lee Lowery arrives
- 1995 – the Rev. Dovie Hutchinson retires

Bishop Carolyn Tanner Irish (1997-2010)

- April 7, 2001 – ground breaking ceremony for new ECOR building at 1131 North Main Street, Centerville - officiated by Bishop Irish
- June 14, 2001 – city of Centerville issues building permit for new church building (\$2,836,978.00)
- April 28, 2002 – last worship service in bank building
- April 2002 – the Rev. Lee Lowery leaves
- May 18, 2002 – dedication of the new ECOR building officiated by Bishop Irish
- May 22, 2002 – bank building deconsecrated
- June 9, 2002 - the Rev. Leonard Evans, interim priest, arrives
- 2002 – the Rev. Dovie Hutchinson dies
- 2004 – the Rev. Steven Andersen ordained
- February 22, 2004 – the Rev. Leonard Evans leaves
- April 2004 – the Rev. Michael Milligan arrives
- 2007 – started the Daughters of the King (Dovie Chapter)
- June 2008 – the Rev. Michael Milligan leaves
- 2008 – the Rev. Jessica Hatch, supply priest
- 2008 – the Rev. Ruth Eller, interim priest, arrives
- May 2009 – started Community Garden
- August 2009 – the Rev. Ruth Eller leaves
- September 2009 – the Rev. Lyn Zill Briggs arrives

Bishop Carolyn Tanner Irish (1997-2010)

Bishop Scott B. Hayashi (2010)

- 2010 – started Community Dinner
- 2010 – dedicated the Max Egly Library
- 2011 – created the Columbarium
- 2012 – created A Mary Garden

Principal Clergy - First Fifty Years of the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection

- Rt. Rev. Richard S. Watson, Bishop of the Diocese of Utah (1951–1971)
- The Very Rev. Wesley Frensdorff, Dean of St. Mark's Cathedral (? -1971)
- The Rev. James T. Brown (1962-1963)
- The Rev. John J. Miller (1963-1964)
- The Rev. Quentin F. Kolb (1964-1967)
- The Rev. John Langfeldt (1967-1971)
- The Rev. David W. Schmidt (1971-1978)
- The Rev. Richard C. (Cass) Nevius (1979-1982)
- The Rev. Peter Chase (1982-1992)
- The Rev. Dovie Hutchinson (1987-1995)
- The Rev. Elaine Breckenridge (1993-1995)
- The Rev. Lee Lowery (1995-2002)
- The Rev. Leonard Evans (interim 2002-2004)
- The Rev. Steven Andersen (2004-present)
- The Rev. Peter Van Hook (supply 2004)
- The Rev. Michael Milligan (2004-2008)
- The Rev. Jessica Hatch (supply 2008)
- The Rev. Ruth Eller (interim 2008-2009)
- The Rev. Lyn Zill Briggs (2009-present)