Article 2, taken from The Newark Courier, Thursday, January 24, 1924 Methodists Will Celebrate Dedication of New Church During Week of Jan. 27th to Feb. 3rd

Former Pastors and Prominent Churchmen will be Present at Dedicatory Services, Next Week

Bishop Burt will be here for formal dedication on Sunday, February 3. Outline of Week's Program here given. Well-known musician will preside at Organ Dedication. Community Service will conclude week's events.

The dedicatory services of the new Methodist Episcopal church of Newark will be celebrated with an elaborate program during the week of from Sunday, January 27th, until Sunday February 3rd, with the final formal dedication taking place on that day.

On Sunday morning, January 27th, there will be an opening service, presided over by Rev. John Krantz, D.D., of Paterson, New Jersey, who is probably the most noted church dedicator in the Methodist Episcopal church. Rev Krantz will preach at both the morning and the evening services.

On Tuesday night following the formal opening, the dedication of the wonderful new Moller organ will take place, with Professor Vibbard of Syracuse University, also organist of the First Baptist church of that city, presiding. A fine musical program will be rendered at the dedication, and all Newark People are cordially invited by Rev. Frank A. Boyd to attend.

Wednesday will be the "Sunday School Day", with a reception in the afternoon from four until six o'clock for the parents and friends of the Sunday school, followed by a dinner from six until seven o'clock for the Sunday school members. Following dinner, a pipe organ prelude from seven until seven-thirty o'clock will precede the evening program, which will begin with addresses by the heads of the various Sunday school departments, followed by selected music. The speaker of the evening will be Rev. Clinton Wunder of the Baptist Tabernacle of Rochester.

Thursday night will be known as "Everybody's Night", and will consist of a general reception, to which the members of all Newark churches are invited. Several former pastors of the local Methodist Episcopal church will be present, including Rev. Eli Pittman, Rev. Arthur Copeland, Rev. C. M. Eddy, and Rev. A. J. Saxe. Among the others who have received invitations to be present, but may not be able to do so, are: Rev. Ward Mosher, who is now in Florida; Rev. L. F. Congdon of Batavia, who was pastor here over forty hears ago; and Rev. J. E. Allen, who now lives in California. The returning pastors will give short addresses, after which a brief musical program will be rendered.

On Friday evening a banquet will be held for the church members.

The final formal and official dedication of the new Methodist church will take place on Sunday afternoon, February 3rd, at three o'clock, and the services will be conducted by Bishop Burt, assisted by Dr. L.S. Boyd, district superintendent. All are invited to attend. Bishop Burt will also preach at the morning service.

The program of the week will conclude with a community service on Sunday Evening, in which the other pastors of the village have been invited to participate, with the various organists of Newark presiding in turn at the organ. District Superintendent Boyd will preach the sermon.