



MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



SESQUICENTENNIAL  
1870-2020

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The Sesquicentennial Committee has had to make a difficult decision to postpone the sesquicentennial celebration due to the COVID-19 virus.

- A. We want people to be able to gather together to celebrate.
- B. We want people from a long distance to be able to join us in celebration.
- C. We want our special guest and special musicians to be able to attend and help us celebrate.

The Presbyterian Church of Cherokee was organized on June 5, 1870 in a brick school house in “Old Cherokee” with nine members present. Therefore, we were going to have our celebration this month. The church filed its Certificate of Incorporation at the Cherokee County Courthouse on June 27, 1871, a year after that first meeting.

**It seems appropriate to celebrate our church on the date of the 150th year of Incorporation, which will be Sunday, June 27, 2021.**

We hope that you will mark June 27, 2021, on your calendar now so that you can be a part of celebrating our church’s 150 years of worshipping together.

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**Good News!! The sesquicentennial cookbooks are here!**

With the help of the congregation, the sesquicentennial committee has been working on these cookbooks for the past 5 months and we are delighted with the results.

The cookbooks are available for \$10 beginning today after church in the front hallway. You may also stop by during the week and purchase one from Joni in the office.

If you are presently homebound and want a cookbook, the committee will be happy to deliver it to your home if you live In Cherokee or the surrounding area.

If you live farther away and want one mailed to you, please contact Joni in the church office for assistance.

Sincerely,

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