

Name	From	To
1. Ronald Kimbrell	4-08-1990	Present
2. Ernest Tatham	12-27-1986	12-25-1988
3. Gerald Purvis	1982	1986
4. James Rigdon	1981	
5. Jack Plew	11-00-1978	11-00-1981
6. Leroy Sherrill	1976	1978
7. Gene Janda	7-19-1975	10-08-1975
8. Sim P. Howell	9-00-1974	5-00-1975
9. Edward K. Albritton	7-00-1970	4-00-1972
10. James O'Neil		5-16-1970
11. Cody E. Bennett	1966	1968
12. James W. Mangum	1962	1965
13. Robert A. Dunaway	2-06-1961	5-09-1962
14. Clyde B. Case, Jr.	6-00-1958	8-14-1960
15. L. C. Toole	9-06-1953	2-23-1958
16. Otis T. Jones	1951	1952
17. Walter Salters	11-16-1947	7-27-1951
18. Jesse Watkins - <i>Stetson stu</i>	11-01-1946	
19. Thurmond Reginald Spells	1944	1945
20. A. Walters	1940	1943
21. J. M. deVette	1939	
22. G. E. Jones	1921, 1922, 1930, 1932, 1933, 1937 and	1946
23. H. D. Minyard	1935	1936
24. R. R. Kennon	1926	
25. C. A. Knight	1920	
26. J. S. Geiger	1911	1915
27. Dan Sikes	1903-1906	1908-1910
28. W. J. Wooten	1907	
29. J. A. Thompson	1897, 1898	1902
30. W. B. Bennett	1900	
31. Theodore "Thee" Davis	1891	1894
32. Rev. Simmons - "Uncle Music"		early 1880s
33. S. T. Standland	1856	
34. Gideon A. Mallette		
35. Rev. Kinsey Chambers		

Ephesus, Hilliard

Rev. Kinsey Chambers, was born about six miles from Milledgeville, G. 1814. He became the subject of religious impressions when young, and is baptized into the fellowship of Mount Olive church by Elder T. D. Oxford. He in 1839 by J. P. Leverett, J. J. Salmon, and Wiley M. Pope. From that time till he was pastor of four churches, and one year served the Washington missionary and distributor of religious materials.

He settled in Columbia County, Florida. Here, as in Georgia, his demand, and the first year he lived in the State he preached to three churches the first pastor of Ephesus Baptist Church. Records no longer exist to detail of his pastorate, but we know that he was well loved for one family chose to in his honor; that being Kinsey Chambers Haddock.

At his suggestion, and through his influence in part, the Santa Fe River was organized, and he served it two years as missionary, and in one year churches. He was several times elected moderator of the Association, and present twice over the State Convention, and he was State evangelist for two or three than 500 persons were baptized by him in Florida. It is questionable whether has been more largely instrumental in building up the denomination in its present condition, than Kinsey Chambers.

"He was strong in the gospel, and a thorough Baptist. He makes no compromise in charity, but it is the charity that rejoices in the truth." Though controversial in his ministry, and a man of decided convictions, he is generally commands the respect of those who differ from him. He held a contra-Pedobaptist minister in 1860, and afterwards had the pleasure of immersing been immersed by him. He is a conservative, however, in reference to dispensation in religion. He is a good and useful man, "whose foot has never slipped," and by his example. Not a spot can be found upon his character. He has proved to the cause of Christ by his labors and sacrifices. Blessed with a good conscience worked hard as a preacher of the gospel he loved so much."

