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Stones, William (1846-1919) was born in England. He served as pastor of Lake Como Baptist Church and Peniel Lighthouse, Palatka, 1904-1906, Oak Hill, La Grange, Titusville and Indianola in 1906, First Baptist Church, Eau Gallie, 1910-1911, First Baptist Church, Geneva, Florida, 1913 and First Baptist Church, Oviedo, 1913-1918. Stones and his wife Mary Stones had two children.

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ture.
Rev. William Stones a former popular pastor of the Palatka Baptist church, was in the city this week. **Rev. Mr. Stones**, now pastor at Titusville, is with his family, spending some time with old friends at Lake Como.

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Miss Sarah Marshall was wedded to Mr. Robert W. Lawton at the First Baptist church in Oviedo at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, **Rev. William Stones**, pastor of the church, officiating.
The bride is the daughter of Mrs.

FBC, Oviedo

1907-09	J. B. Rogers
1910-12	E. Lee Smith
1913-18	Wm. Stones
1919-25	J. N. Thompson
1926-28	J. Max Cook
1929-30	C. J. Broome (resigned in June)
1930-35	R. W. Dickert
1936-41	J. S. Day
1941-49	H. H. Link
1949-53	F. C. Morgan
1953-57	L. L. Day
1957-65	J. T. Bryant
1965	Flournoy Jernigan

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Geneva, Florida

Date	Pastor
Aug. 15, 1875	
George C. Powell	
Sept. 20, 1880	R.W. Lawton
Sept. 15, 1883	S.F. Guire
Sept. 4, 1886	T.J. Bell
Feb. 18, 1888	R.W. Lawton
Jan. - June 1896	Rev. Carpenter
June 1896 - 1898	Rev. Sheffield
1896 - 1908	Inactive
1909	Reorganized -
	Rev. George H. Sieg
1909	E. Lee Smith
1913	William Stones
1919	J.N. Thompson
1925 - 1926	J. Max Cook
July 1927 - Dec. 1928	J.M. DeVette
Mar. 1929	Clive McGuire
July 1930 - 1949	W.B. Kyzer
Oct. 1948 - 1949	Assoc. Pastor Julian
	Stenstrom
1950 - Aug. 1951	Leo D. Barnes
Oct. 1951 - Jan. 1952	D.A. Thomas
Feb. 1952 - Dec. 1952	Lyman Hall
June 1953 - Nov. 1954	Sam Stewart
Mar. 1955	W.A. Ellenwood
Dec. 1956 - Feb. 1963	Jack L. Stewart
Aug. 1963 - June 1964	Bennie Baker
Oct. 1964 - Apr. 1965	W.M. Grogan
July 1965 - Jan. 1968	R.G. Key
Feb. 1968 - Apr. 1971	Leo D. Barnes
June 1971 - Aug. 1971	Robert J. Boynton
	(Interim)
Dec. 1971 - Aug. 1972	W.M. Grogan
Sept. 1972 - Oct. 1978	Marvin Deese
Aug. 1979 - Sep 1988	Larry Sherwood
DEC 1988 - Jun 1991	JACK DARROW
NOV 1991 -	DARYL PERMENTER, SR.

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STATISTICAL TABLE.

CHURCHES.	PASTORS AND POSTOFFICES.	Membership Last Year.	GAIN.			LOSS.			Present Membership.	Value of Church Property.	
			By Baptism.	By Letter.	By Restoration.	By Letter.	By Exclusion.	By Death.			
Blake Memorial.....	E. Wells, Lake Helen.....	Ellis G. Blake, Lake Helen....	27	2		1			29	\$4500.00	
Oak Hill.....	Wm. Stones, Titusville.....	A. S. Fowler, Oak Hill.....	7	3	8				18		
Bethlehem.....		Geo. M. Carpenter, Osteen....	14	3	2	5			24	1000.00	
La Grange.....	Wm. Stones, Titusville.....	Geo. B. Gardner, Titusville....	23						23		
Titusville.....	Wm. Stones, Titusville.....	J. L. Carruthers, Titusville....	42	6	10		6	1	2	1500.00	
Indianola.....	Wm. Stones, Titusville.....	F. G. Humphreys, Indianola....	31								
Eau Gallie.....	J. S. Geiger, Eau Gallie.....	A. O. Frink, Eau Gallie.....	1	30	24				55		
Fort Pierce.....	E. E. Woodson, Buena Vista....	A. Lamont, White City.....	50	1	6		7	1	49	1800.00	
Jensen.....	E. E. Woodson, Buena Vista....	F. C. Munch, Jensen.....	16						15		
Pioneer.....	E. E. Woodson, Buena Vista....	J. H. Glison, Ojus.....	8		2				10	500.00	
West Palm Beach....	S. S. Gibson, West Palm Beach..	J. L. Grier, West Palm Beach..	65		7		9		63	2500.00	
Lemon City.....	C. H. Edwards, Lemon City.....	J. J. Soar, Little River.....	46	1	1		2		51	1400.00	
Miami.....	W. E. Stanton, Miami.....	John Sewell, Miami.....	187	1	14		8		194	10275.00	
Silver Palm.....	C. H. Edwards, Lemon City....	H. A. Proctor, Maranja.....	8	1	3		1		11		
Cocoa Plum.....	C. H. Edwards, Lemon City....	Irine Johns, Miami.....	23						23		
Key West.....	M. A. Clonts, Key West.....	M. R. Campbell, Key West....	40	4	2		1		45		
Total.....			490	50	84	5	35	1	4	560	\$43475.00

FBC, Eau Gallie (Brevard)

	PASTOR	CLERK	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT/ DIRECTOR	BYPU/ TRAINING UNION/ CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTOR	WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION	BROTHERHOOD
1889-90	H. M. Prince S. F. Gove		Rev. H. M. Prince		Mrs. H. M. Prince (Eliza)	
1890-91	S. F. Gove		Rev. H. M. Prince			
1891-92	S. F. Gove					
1892-93	S. F. Gove	Bethel J. Stewart				
1893-94	S. F. Gove	Bethel J. Stewart			Eliza Prince	
1894-95	S. F. Gove	Bethel J. Stewart				
1895-96	S. F. Gove	Bethel J. Stewart				
1896-97	S. F. Gove					
1897-98	None Listed					
1898-99	None Listed					
1899-1900	None Listed					
1900-01	J. G. Black	May Valentine	May Valentine			
1901-02	None Listed		William R. Roesch			
1902-03	No Information Available					
1903-04	No Report to Association from Eau Gallie					
1904-05	No Report to Association from Eau Gallie					
1905-06	J. Roy Geiger J. S. Geiger	A. O. Frink				
1906-07	J. S. Geiger	A. O. Frink	A. O. Frink			
1907-08	J. S. Geiger W. A. Hoffman	A. O. Frink	A. O. Frink			
1908-09	A. A. Keith R. W. Thiat	A. O. Frink	A. O. Frink			
1909-10	R. W. Thiat	A. O. Frink	A. O. Frink			
1910-11	William Stones	A. O. Frink	A. O. Frink			
1911-12	None Listed		A. O. Frink		Mrs. W. A. Hoffman (Emma)	
1912-13	No Information Available					
1913-14	William H. Adams	A. O. Frink	A. O. Frink		Emma Hoffman	
1914-15	William H. Adams	J. R. Birdsell	J. R. Birdsell	L. R. Pennington	Mrs. A. H. Steward	
1915-16	W. I. Sanders	Mrs. Ellen Chambers	W. A. Hoffman	J. R. Birdsell		
1916-17	J. C. Kazee	W. Wilkins	W. A. Hoffman	Fred Tatso	Mrs. D. C. Johnson	
1917-18	J. C. Kazee	L. Mathers	W. A. Hoffman	Fred Tatso	Mrs. D. C. Johnson	
1918-19	No Report to Association from Eau Gallie					
1919-20	A. L. Blizzard	C. T. Mathers	L. Mathers	Walter Mathis		
1920-21	B. A. Geiger	W. L. Buchanan	W. L. Buchanan			
1921-22		Not Available				
1922-23	C. E. Glover	W. L. Buchanan	W. L. Buchanan	H. Y Poole		
1923-24	None Listed	Dr. Edwin Macy	W. L. Buchanan			
1924-25		Not Available				
1925-26	Harry A. Day	Dr. R. L. Reaves	A. L. Mathers	A. L. Mathers	Mrs. C. J. Elder	
1926-27	Harry A. Day	Dr. R. L. Reaves	A. L. Mathers		Mrs. C. J. Elder	
1927-28	C. T. McKee	C. H. Keelmer	A. L. Mathers	William Garner, Sr.		
1928-29	None Listed	Wm. Hart	A. L. Mathers	E. J. Berry	Mrs. E. A. M. Stewart (Jessie)	

PASTORS

1852-1856	 Silas Weeks	1914-1916	 L. W. Kicklighter
1856-1859	 J. W. Thomas	1916-1916	 H. G. Kenny
1859-1863	 B. W. Becks	1916-1921	 L. E. McRae
1863-1867	 J. W. Thomas	1921-1922	 Wiley Martin
1867-1869	 B. W. Becks	1922-1923	 B. F. Berry
1869-1873	 C. B. Jones	1923-1924	 F. M. Quell
1873-1879	 W. E. Stanton	1925-1928	 C. H. Yearby
1879-1882	 Paul Willis	1928-1932	 A. M. Yarborough
1882-1883	 B. W. Becks	1932-1937	 Gordon Bennett
1883-1885	 A. H. Robinson	1937-1948	 C. E. Underwood
1885-1890	 W. E. Stanton	1948-1949	 Roland Jarrard
1891-1891	 Robert McElvene	1949-1952	 Hugh High
1891-1896	 E. A. Holt	1952-1953	 Earl Willis
1896-1900	 H. C. Martin	1954-1959	 Matthew Greer
1900-1902	 E. M. Dunklin	1959-1961	 Hugh High
1902-1904	 William Malphurs	1961-1962	 James W. Howell
1904-1906	 William Stones	1963-1967	 Jose Cardoso
1906-1908	 H. C. Martin	1967-1968	 Warren Whitmore
1908-1908	 J. C. Collum	1968-1969	 Z. Tom Morgan
1908-1910	 J. W. Hilton	1970-1974	 Henry Jones
1910-1911	 J. R. Harelson	1974-1977	 David Edenfield
1911-1912	 J. H. Griffin	1977-1979	 Thomas Kelsey
1912-1914	 C. D. Parkerson	1979-	 Jose Cardoso

the Times-Union will show you.

LAKE COMO.

Lake Como, July 29.—Rev. William Stones, formerly pastor of Como Baptist church and Palatka, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hart, left Thursday for his home in Titusville, stopping over at Palatka, where he will meet Miss Mary Stones, his daughter. Rev. Mr. Stones has just returned from a two weeks' trip to Birmingham and Worthing-

BAPTIST MINISTER DIES AT HOME OF SON HERE

Rev. William Stones, father of Frederick Stones of 313 Bellevue avenue, the secretary of the Malby-Conrad Lumber company, died early Friday morning at his son's home. Rev. Mr. Stones is a Baptist minister and had been the guest of his son here with Mrs. Stones recently. His death was unexpected, following an illness of a fortnight. The burial was held at 4 o'clock from the church, Rev. A. L. Abercrombie of New Smyrna officiating, and interment was made in Pine-wood cemetery. Rev. Stones was born in England March 24, 1846. He had been actively identified with the interests of his church in the state, and has a wide acquaintance with the ministers and laity alike of the denomination.

Baggett & Wetherby were the funeral directors in charge.

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to the town's general appearance.
Mrs. Mary **Stones**, wife of **Rev. William Stones** of Titusville, came Saturday and is a guest of her sister, Mrs. T. A. Hart.

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for a month's vacation in Kentucky.
Miss **Lottie Stones**, daughter of **Rev. William Stones**, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hart at Abercrombie cottage.

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as a part of the festivities up to mid-night.
Miss **Elizabeth Stones**, daughter of **Rev. William Stones**, pastor of the Titusville Baptist church, arrived Monday for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hart of Abercrombie Lodge.