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CALVERT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH & CEMETERY ADDED TO ALABAMA REGISTER OF LANDMARKS & HERITAGE

The Alabama Historical Commission (AHC) recently added Calvert United Methodist Church and Cemetery in Calvert to the Alabama Register of Landmarks & Heritage.

The Alabama Register is a prestigious listing of historic, architectural, and archaeological landmarks. The AHC considers the notable historic properties in this register to be particularly worthy of preservation and appreciation, and therefore deserving of this special recognition.

Calvert United Methodist Church is an excellent example of a late-nineteenth century religious building. Although the sanctuary has been altered since its original construction in 1889, the original steeple and bell tower still stand today as evidences of the church's early history. The church sits prominently on Highway 43 and features a historic cemetery behind the church.

The Alabama Historical Commission administers the Alabama Register program, which gives the public a simple way to bring recognition to historic properties.

The Alabama Register officially recognizes and honors buildings, sites, structures, objects, and historic districts that are at least 40 years old.

The Alabama Register designation is honorary and carries no restrictions on property and offers no financial incentives.

*To protect, preserve, and interpret Alabama's historic places is the mission of the **Alabama Historical Commission, the State Historic Preservation Office.***

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