

Historical Marker - L2082 - Second Baptist Church (Marker ID#:L2082)



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Second Baptist Church

Calling themselves the Second Baptist Society, a small group of Battle Creek African Americans worshipped in their homes prior to 1849. That year, led by the Reverends Parmelee and Harris of the white First Baptist Church, they officially organized as a church and purchased a building from the Methodists. The Reverend J. W. Lackley was the first pastor. In 1930 the congregation incorporated as the Second Missionary Baptist Church.

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Significant Date:

Statehood Era (1815-1860)

Registry Year: 2000 **Erected Date:** 2000

Marker Location

Address: 485 N. Washington Avenue

City: Battle Creek

State: MI **ZipCode:**

County: Calhoun

Township: Bedford

Lat: 42.33976800 / **Long:** -85.19059200

Web URL: