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At a meeting of the Congregation held after the morning service April 1, 1928, the church extended a call to Mr. Karl Schoenborn, a senior at Princeton Seminary and he was ordained April 29, 1928.

 His pastoral relationship was dissolved October 1, 1930.

 After eleven months the congregation extended a unanimous call to Rev. Richard McAliley who accepted and began as pastor September 1, 1931 and was installed September 17, 1931.  His pastoral relationship was dissolved September, 1935.

 For 19 months the pulpit was now supplied largely by Princeton Seminary students.

 On May 2, 1937 the church extended a call as stated supply to Mr. A. Gordon Karnell for one year.  He was ordained June 23, 1937 and on April 6, 1938 the church extended unanimous call to Rev. Karnell to become their pastor.  He was installed April 23, 1939.  During his ministry many improvements were made to the buildings and grounds.  He organized the young people and helped them establish a recreation hall in the church basement for their use.

 His Pastoral duties were dissolved on February 10, 1941.  After a year’s service in Westfield, he enlisted as a Chaplain in the U. S. Army.  He has served in many parts of the world, and is now retired and making his  home in Hallendale, Florida.  He has kept very busy thru the years traveling around the world many times and also is very often called as a supply minister to preach in some of his favorite churches still in 1986.

 For almost a year the church was served by student ministers from Princeton Seminary.

 In October, 1941 Mr. Charles Robshaw came as a student supply and served until he was ordained on June 20, 1942 and installed as pastor.  During his ministry with the youth he helped them to organize a project club called “Church Door Canteen” which provided a wholesome recreational area during the war when traveling was curtailed by rationing.  Many remember Mr. Robshaw making pastoral calls on his bicycle.

 A monthly newspaper “The Dayton Herald,” which covered church and community affairs, was started by the young people of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Robshaw helped the Church School set up a Youth Budget with a great deal of success. Each year the Church School would “Stake a Claim” in a mission field where their benevolences would go.

 Rev. Charles Robshaw accepted a call from the Glading Memorial Church of Philadelphia, and his pastorate in  Dayton church was terminated July 29, 1945.