

First Presbyterian Church

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12 C Street

Built 1903-1905

The First Presbyterian Church would look familiar to a person who lived in Carlisle, England, about a 1000 years ago in the Middle Ages. Architect Walter Ware had just returned from a trip to England when he designed this church. He based his plan on the beautiful cathedral he had seen in Carlisle (*shown at right*). Both churches are made of red sandstone and have large square towers with tops like the battlements on a castle. They also have graceful, pointed arch windows and tall, knobby pinnacles. **How else are these buildings similar?**

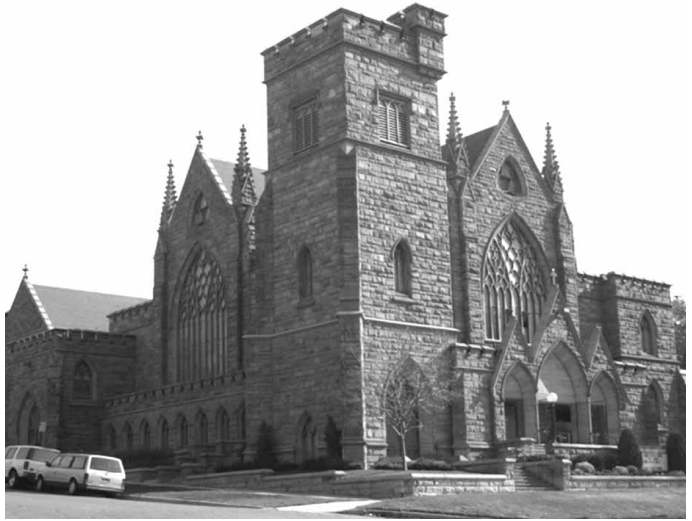


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Young people are an important part of the history of First Presbyterian Church. Members of the church's Junior Christian Endeavor Society made the first donation for the construction of this building. After this gift of \$10, they raised another \$100 by saving the nickels and dimes they usually spent on candy. **How many dimes are in \$100?**



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The church building was planned with children in mind. It had 30 Sunday school rooms for children's activities. The historic photo shows one of the church's many children's events, a pretend wedding held in 1905. The Sunday school children got to dress up like a real wedding party. The Sunday school rooms

