

BIRMINGHAM has many special attributes which make it a pleasant place to live. St. James has helped get some of them started. The Community House has been the "Heart of Birmingham" for nearly half a century. It was founded by St. James in 1920. Many residents will fondly remember the Pet Parade. We started it in 1926 and sponsored this annual community event for over 30 years. The Town Hall series makes a big contribution to the cultural life of the Birmingham area. We inaugurated this program in 1954. The St. James Concert series have given area residents an oppor-

tunity to hear some of the nation's finest organists. These began in 1961.

St. James was the first church to hold regular services in Birmingham, had the first vested choir, initiated the Tre Ore service on Good Friday, and has ministered to the spiritual life of Birmingham residents for seventy-one years.

Proud? Sure we are. We're proud of Birmingham's first hundred years, and we're proud of the part we've played in it. And we expect to have the same sentiments a hundred years from now.

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