

Volksmarch Information

Volksport (people's sport) are organized non-competitive events in which each person travels at their own pace. Volkssporting began in Europe in 1968. The rules were established by International Federation of Popular Sports which is headquartered in Germany.

Formed in the USA's bicentennial year, 1976, the American Volkssport Association (AVA) is an organized group of non-profit clubs across America that promotes, organizes and conducts physical activity events to promote a healthy lifestyle. These events are non-competitive and open to everyone of all ages. Participants complete the event at their own pace. All participants must register for the Event.



For Chapel use, Contact Leanne West in the Mayor's Office at (256)775-7102 or send an email to lwest@cullmancity.org.

You do not have to keep a record book or be a member of AVA to participate in this walking tour.

At the starting point, participants are given a set of directions and/ or map to follow.

Awards Program: Some participants purchase record books for recording each event they complete and the distance of each one. Upon completing an event, they present their book to be stamped with the official Event Number. This is known as receiving "IVV CREDIT" When a record book is filled, it may be submitted to AVA to receive a pin, certificate and patch.

Special thanks to each church who eagerly participated to insure the success of this tour:

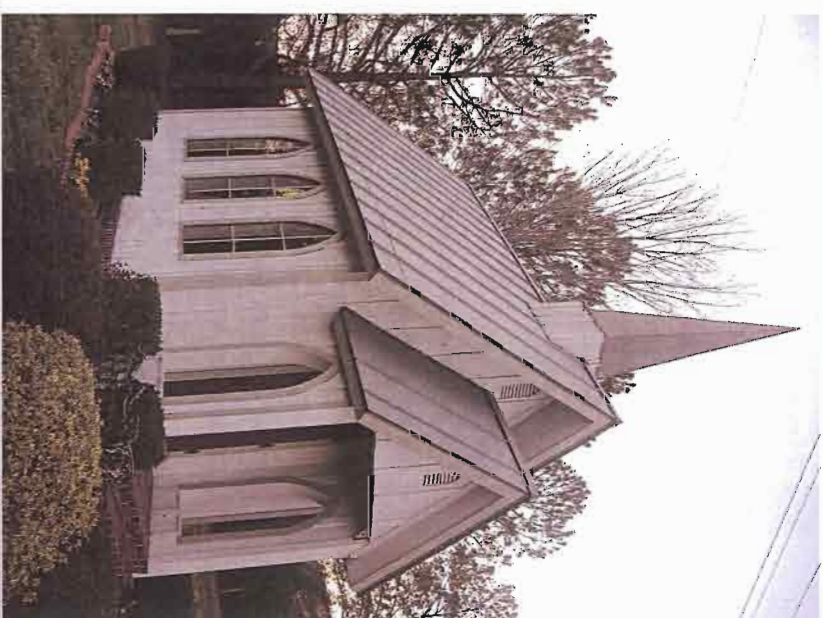
Grace Episcopal Church, Calvary Apostolic First United Pentecostal Church, First Christian Church, East Side Baptist Church, St Paul's Lutheran Church, First Presbyterian Church, St Johns Evangelical Protestant Church, Christ Lutheran Church, First United Methodist Church, Sacred Heart Church, Northside Baptist Church, Foundation of Jesus Church, 4th St Church of Christ, St Andrews Methodist Church, Seventh Street Baptist, and First Baptist Church.

Cullman Tour of Churches is brought to you by North Alabama Walking Club, Cullman County Museum, Cullman Chamber of Commerce.

North Alabama Walking Club: Established January 2009. A non-profit club.
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Disclaimer: Every effort will be expended to make this event safe, enjoyable and memorable. The sponsors are not liable for accidents, thefts or material damage.

Cullman's Tour of Churches



History is our business.

Presented by:
Cullman County
Museum
2009



Walk with us through the City of Churches

Cullman is known as the City of Churches, rich in history, and architectural design. Our Year Round Tour includes walks through the historical district and residential areas of interest.

Tours are self guided and self paced.

Maps and tour programs available at the **Cullman County Museum**, and are available during regular business hours.

Our mission is to provide family friendly, fun, educational, tours for the public.

Everyone is welcome to participate. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

Pets must be on a leash at all times. Litter should be discarded in proper receptacles.

No alcoholic beverages are allowed !



Richter Chapel constructed in the early 1990's

Trail Description:
Concrete and asphalt thru downtown and historic residential areas.

Trail Rating:

First Leg 2 -(small Hills) Suitable for wheel-chairs & strollers if able to negotiate curbs, obstructed sidewalks and the hills. A fairly easy route.

Second leg: 3- one or more substantial hills and /or steps. A moderate route.

All efforts were to design the tour where sidewalks are available.

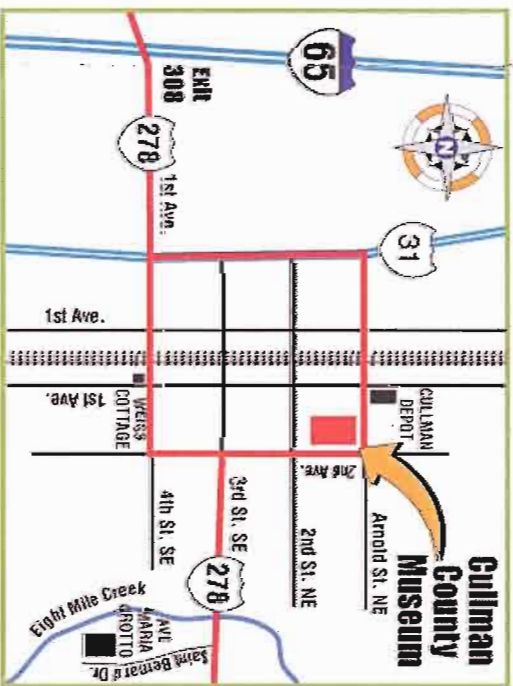
Route Description & Starting Point:

The tour begins and ends at the Cullman County Museum. The first leg of the tour includes churches located on the east side of highway 31 and is approximately 3 miles or 6km.

The second leg of the tour continues over highway 31 and includes churches located on the west side of the city. Total tour route is approximately 6.5 miles or 11km.

Checkpoints are included in the program to assure that the correct direction is taken.

The Cullman County Museum is located in downtown Cullman, Alabama. We are mid-way between Huntsville, AL and Birmingham, AL via Interstate 65. If traveling on I-65, take Exit 308 (Hwy. 278 exit) and turn east. Continue east approx. one mile crossing the railroad tracks bridge and turn north (left) on 2nd Ave SE. We are three blocks up on the left. If traveling on U. S. Highway 31, turn east at Arnold St. NE, go two blocks across the railroad tracks, and you will see the Museum on the corner of Arnold St. N.E. and 2nd Ave. N.E.



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