



# MORRIS COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION

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## Parsippany Presbyterian Church

2007	\$37,292	Preservation Plan
2009	\$142,691	Front Restoration
2010	\$19,832	Contract Documents

**Grant Recipient:** Parsippany Presbyterian Church

**Location:** Parsippany-Troy Hills Twp.

This gothic revival Flemish-bond brick building, along with the cemetery, and other historic buildings have been an important aspect of the cultural, political, and religious center of Parsippany since Revolutionary War times and continue to be today. Although the congregation have been in existence since 1718, the current sanctuary was built on land bought for \$100 in 1828. The cemetery, dating from the 1730's, contains markers from nearly every major war with U.S. involvement. The sanctuary has been witness to many political events in the history of Parsippany.

The 2007 grant helped complete a Preservation Plan for the main church and other buildings on site.

The 2009 grant is providing for the restoration of the north elevation (street face) of the church, including masonry restoration below the cornice; repair of wood cornice and repointing of the interior steeple.

The scope of the 2010 grant includes the preparation of Phase II - Construction Documents for the exterior restoration of the building.