

JONES, WILLIAM (1851 - 1931), Calvinistic Methodist minister

Name: William Jones Date of birth: 1851 Date of death: 1931 Parent: Elizabeth Jones Parent: William Jones Gender: Male

Occupation: Calvinistic Methodist minister

Area of activity: Religion Author: Tom Beynon

Born 27 July 1851, second son of William and Elizabeth Jones of Pantydeuddwr, Pen-twyn, Carmarthenshire. He was educated at the Board School, Llannon, Parcyfelfed school, Carmarthen, and Trevecka College. He began to preach in 1874, was ordained in 1879, and became successively minister of Moriah (Treboeth, 1879-80; Bethania, Morriston, 1880-1904; retiring to Cross Hands for a year; Seion (Forest), Aberdulais, 1905-27; after which he resigned and went to live at Nesta, Bon-y-maen, Llansamlet. He died suddenly at Llanelly on Sunday morning, 26 July 1931, and was buried at Pen-twyn. He was moderator of the South Wales Association, 1915, and of the General Assembly, 1923. He was an extremely popular preacher, usually known as 'William Jones of Morriston.'

Author

Reverend Tom Beynon, (1886 - 1961)

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