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Town	County	Name	Organization	Dissolution	Property
Albany	Albany	First Universalist Society of Albany; later All Souls Universalist Church; now First UU Society of Albany		In 1912 the congregation merged with the Unitarian Society. (NYSCU Parish Roll). This is an active congregation.	A new church on Herkimer St. was dedicated on 11 Oct 1829. (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 17 Oct and 7 Nov 1829 and 20 Feb 1830). A church on Green St. was advertised for sale by 12 Oct 1853 (<i>Albany Evening Journal</i> , quoted in the <i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 22 Oct 1853), but the building was still in use in Nov 1854 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 9 Dec 1854). By 10 Nov 1879 it had become the location of the Albay Law School, per the <i>Utica Morning Herald</i> of that date. The church was acquired by NYSCU on 26 Jun 1886. (<i>The Convention at Work</i> , Oct 1911, p. 334). By 1912 it had been sold. (NYSCU Parish Roll). The Christian Brothers had purchased it by 21 Jan 1913, per NYSCU board minutes for that date. Current address is 405 Washington Ave. in Albany.
Albion	Orleans	Pullman Memorial Universalist Church	incorp. on 18 Aug 1891 (Orleans Co. Incorporations pp. 106-7).	This is an active congregation.	The congregation has a stone church at 10 East Park St. in Albion, originally funded by railroad magnate George Pullman in memory of his parents, and dedicated in 1895.

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Alden	Erie	First Universalist Society in the Town of Alden	incorp. on 31 Aug 1834 (Erie Co. original court record, box 5798; also in Misc. Records, 1: 300)		
Alexander	Genesee	First Universalist Society in the Town of Alexander	incorp. 20 Aug 1832 (Genesee Co. Misc. Court Records, 2: 492); reorganized 9 Jun 1840 (Minutes of the Universalist Society of Alexander, at the Genesee Co. History Dept., 3 West Main., Batavia NY; and NYSCU Parish Roll)	1911, per records of the Genesee County History Dept., 3 West Main, Batavia NY	A frame church was built in June 1833 and dedicated 22 Oct that year. (<i>Evangelical Magazinne & gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Nov 1833). It was sold on 2 Feb 1923 to the Grange Hall and sale proceeds were given to Batavia congregation. The building was torn down in the early 1970's and in 2002 the land was the site of the village park. (per records of the Genesee County History Dept., 3 West Main St., Batavia NY)
Alexandria (Plessis)	Jefferson		org. prob. by 1834, when a union church was dedicated (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Feb 1834)	A report on the State of the Church, 26 May 1851, to NYSCU stated that there was no Society organization at that time. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Aug 1851)	A union church co-owned by Universalists, Presbyterians, and open-communion Baptists was dedicated 22d ult., prob. 22 Jan 1834 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Feb 1834)

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Alexandria (Redwood)	Jefferson		org. by 23 Apr 1859, when Rev. H. H. Baker of Hammond was providing regular part-time preaching (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 6 May 1859)	after 1913, when the Society was still contributing to NYSCU, per their records	
Allegany	Cattaraugus	First Universalist Society of Allegany	incorp. on 10 Feb 1872 (Cattaraugus Co. Misc. Records 6: 278)		apparently inactive by 1879 (L.H. Everts, <i>History of Cattaraugus Co. NY</i> , 1879)
Almond	Allegany			inactive by 28 May 1851 per a report on the State of the Church to NYSCU. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Aug 1851)	
Alfred & Amity (In 1856, part of Amity was taken to form the Town of Ward.)	Allegany	Universalist Society of Alfred & Amity	incorp on 25 Sep 1848 (Allegany Co. Misc. Records B: 530)		
Amsterdam	Montgomery	First Universalist Society in the Town of Amsterdam	org. on 7 May 1831 (, Utica NY, 2 Jul 1831); incorp. 5 Jan 1833 per Record of Church Corporations, p.128.		A church was under construction in Oct 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Oct 1833)

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Annsville (Taberg)	Oneida		org. "last month," prob. abt. Apr 1840 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 May 1840); no incorp. record was found		A church was dedicated on 30 Dec 1832. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Jan 1833)
Arcadia (Newark)	Wayne	First Universalist Society of Arcadia	incorp. on 7 Aug 1837 (Wayne Co. Misc. Court Records 1: 15, also <i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Sep 1837 and 5 Nov 1847)		A brick church was dedicated on 10 Oct 1838 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 2 Nov 1838 and 1 Feb 1839). By early 1871 it had been sold to a railroad company for use as a depot. (Utica NY <i>Morning Herald</i> , 8 Feb 1871). It was sold abt. 25 Aug 1925 (NYSCU records) and was torn down about 1960, per the town historian (Karen Dau, 2004).
Ashford	Cattaraugus		org. "on the 10th inst." prob. 10 Mar 1835 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 28 Mar 1835); no incorp. record was found		
Attica	Wyoming	The Universalist Society of Attica	incorp. on 21 Mar 1877 (Wyoming Co. Misc. Records 6:487)		

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Auburn	Cayuga	The First Universalist Society of Auburn	incorp. on 4 Apr 1833 (Cayuga Co. Religious Corporations A:128)	This is an active congregation.	In 1963 their 19th century center-city church was so damaged by an explosion at a gas station across the street that it had to be torn down. The congregation currently owns a church at 607 North Seward Ave. in Auburn.
Aurelius (Auburn)	Cayuga	First Universalist Society in the Village of Auburn	incorp. on 12 Apr 1821 (Cayuga Co. Religious Corporations record)		
Aurora (East Aurora)	Erie	First Universalist Society of the Town of Aurora	incorp. on 18 May 1842 (Erie Co. Misc. Records I: 453-4)	The society was declared extinct on 26 Jun 1936. (Erie Co. court record, Box 5905 and NYSCU records.)	A church was dedicated 20 Jun 1843 during the annual session of the Genesee As'n. of Universalists. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 14 Jun 1843). A church on the NW corner of Main St. and Maple Rd. in village of East Aurora was conveyed to NYSCU on 15 May 1936. (Erie Co. court record, Box 5905) Sold on 31 Aug 1949 to Wesleyan Methodist Church (NYSCU records)
Au Sable (Keeseville)	Clinton		org. by "the 8th inst.," prob. 8 Apr 1845, when its formation was announced (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 2 May 1845)		

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Bainbridge (Kirby's Settlement)	Chenango	First Universal Society of the Town of Bainbridge	incorp. on 14 Sep 1818 (J. H. Smith, <i>History of Chenango and Madison Counties</i> , Syracuse, 1880 and Chenango Co. Incorp. of Religious Societies A: 67). Reorganized on 5 May 1855. (J. H. Smith, <i>History of Chenango and Madison Counties</i> , Syracuse, 1880)		The earliest church was built in 1818. (H. Smith, <i>History of Chenango and Madison Counties</i> , Syracuse, 1880). A union church co-owned by Baptists, Universalists, Methodists, Presbyterians, and Christians was dedicated on 10 Mar 1836. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Apr 1834); the Universalists apparently owned a ½ interest. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 2 Jun 1837)
Bangor	Franklin		org. prob. by 1836, when a union church was dedicated		A union church co-owned by Baptists, Universalists, Methodists, Presbyterians, and Christians was dedicated on 10 Mar 1836. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> Utica NY, 16 Apr 1836)
Barre	Orleans (Formerly in Genesee Co.)	First Universal Society in the Town of Barre	incorp. on 15 Oct 1821 (Genesee Co. Misc. Court Records 1: 545); Orleans Co. was then a part of Genesee Co.)	sometime after Apr 1859, when Rev. Alanson Kelsey was preaching there (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 23 Apr 1859)	

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Batavia	Genesee	First Universalist Society of Batavia	org. in 1893 (History of Genesee Co. NY 1890-1982, Interlaken, NY: 1985, p. 93); incorp. on 6 Apr 1909 (Genesee Co. Incorp. Records 2: 31)	by Oct 1917, when Rev. Hugo Perdelwitz moved from the area and the congregation disbanded. (<i>History of Genesee Co. NY, 1890-1982, Interlaken, NY: 1985, p. 93 and NYSCU files</i>)	The church was originally built in 1884 at 23 Bank St. (west side of street) between Main St. and Washington Ave. by First Free Will Baptist Society. It was purchased 30 Apr 1909 by the First Universalist Society of Batavia, sold to NYSCU on 28 Nov 1919, and sold by NYSCU to Raymond M. Walker; the sale closing on 16 Apr 1920. (NYSCU files, and records of the Genesee County History Dept., 3 West Main, Batavia NY)
Bath	Steuben	First Universalist Society in the Town of Bath	incorp. on 23 Feb 1833 (Steuben Co. incorp. records p. 12, and <i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Mar 1833)		
Belfast & Caneadea	Allegany	First Universalist Society of Belfast and Caneadea	incorp. on 8 Sep 1832 (Allegany Co. Misc. Records A: 470)	On 26 Jun 1839 a statistics report to the Allegany As'n. of Universalists noted that the society was inactive. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 19 Jul 1839)	
Belfast	Allegany	First Universalist Society of Belfast	incorp. on 19 Feb 1853 (Allegany Co. Misc. Records C: 324)		

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Bennington (Cowlesville)	Wyoming	First Universalist Society of the Village of Cowlesville	incorp. on 13 Aug 1843 (Wyoming Co. Misc. Records 1:163)	A report to the Buffalo As'n. of Universalists on 11 Jun 1856 noted "no meetings." (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 28 Jun 1856)	Their church was to have been dedicated on 14 May 1845. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 18 Apr 1845). The church property was conveyed to NYSCU on 26 Jul 1915. (NYSCU files). It was sold in Oct 1915. (NYSCU Parish Roll). In 1938 the building belonged to the I.O.O.F. (<i>Attica News</i> , 27 Jan 1938)
Berkshire	Tioga		in existence by Jan 1831, when the society called Rev. Jacob Chase as pastor (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 19 Feb 1831)		
Bethany (Linden)	Genesee		in existence by 6 Jul 1831, when its formation was reported by Rev. Charles Hammond (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 30 Jul 1831)	had a society in 16 Jun 1847 when it was noted in the minutes of the Genesee As'n. of Universalists annual meeting that the society had not sent a representative (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Jul 1847)	

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Binghamton	Broome	Name change voted in 1992 to UU Congregation of Binghamton	Universalism first org. in 1835; church 1st inc. as First Univ. Society on 17 Apr 1843, per church website. Second inc. was on 31 Mar 1891 (Broome County: Incorporated Societies 2:58-59).	This is an active congregation.	Has a building at 183 Riverside Dr. in Binghamton, 13905.
Bolton	Warren		org. by 3 Oct 1838, when it was admitted to the Hudson River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 2 Nov 1838). No incorp. record found.		
Bombay	Franklin		org. in Jan. 1859 per a report of the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 16 Jul 1859)		
Boonville (Alder Creek)	Oneida	First Universalist Society in Boonville	incorp. on 14 Aug 1830 (Oneida Co., Religious Associations p. 88)	In 1829 the Society had a small portion of ownership of a union church shared with Presbyterians and Unitarians which they nearly lost due to neglect. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 2 Jan 1830)	

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Boston	Erie	First Universalist Society of the Town of Boston	incorp. on 11 Jun 1836 Erie Co. Original incorp. record in Box 5797, also in Misc. Records 1:289)	apparently by 1924, when the property had become a community church "in the hands of Methodists and others "(NYSCU Parish Roll)	A church was dedicated 5 Jun 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 22 Jun 1833). In 1962, the Boston Town Board voted to purchase the building, which was then a historic community church owned by the UCC, for use as a town hall, subject to a referendum. (<i>Hamburg Sun</i> , 14 Jun 1962)
Brandon	Franklin		in existence by 25 Jun 1851, when it sent a delegate to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 Jul 1851)		
Brant	Erie		org. by 20 Oct 1866, when its formation was reported (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 20 Oct 1866)		
Bridgewater	Oneida	First Universalist Society of the Town of Bridgewater	incorp. on 31 Jul 1833 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations p. 109)		A new meeting house was dedicated on "the 14th inst.," prob. 14 Jan 1835. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 24 Jan 1835). The building was torn down sometime after Oct 1953. (NYSCU Parish Roll)

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Bristol	Ontario	First Universalist Society in Bristol; later the Bristol Community Church	org. by Oct 1831, when it was admitted to the Genesee As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 Oct 1831); incorp. on 10 Apr 1837 (Ontario Co. Misc. Court Records D: 145-6); change of name to Bristol Community Church (Ontario Co. Misc. Court Records Book 7, p. 81)	The congregation was dismissed from NYSCU on 10 Apr 1961. On 6 Sep 1961 it was re-incorporated as the Bristol Community Church.	A cobblestone meeting house was dedicated in Dec 1836 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 24 Feb 1837). A new church on Bristol Hill was dedicated on 26 Dec 1861 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 11 Jan 1862).
Brookfield (North Brookfield)	Madison	First Universalist Society of North Brookfield	incorp. on 7 Aug 1852 (Madison Co. Religious and Other Incorp. Records II:43)	declared extinct by NYSCU circular letter vote on 8 Jul 1901	

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Brooklyn	Kings	First Universalist Society of Brooklyn, N.Y., a.k.a. Brooklyn Tabernacle; a.k.a. Church of Our Father	incorp. on 10 Oct 1842 (Kings Co. Religious Incorporations I:76-77)	final service was to be held on 1 June 1940 (NYSCU board minutes of 3 Apr 1940)	A church was built on the corner of Fulton and Pineapple Streets in late 1842 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Dec 1842). It burned down on 9 Sep 1848. (<i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , New York NY, 4 Dec 1905). A new brownstone church was dedicated on 2 Jun 1850 (<i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , New York NY, 12 Jun 1850). This building, at Monroe Place and Clark St., was sold in 1868 to a Swedenborgian congregation. (<i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , NY NY, 7 Nov 1868.) On 1 Nov 1869 the society reunited with its missionary congregation and moved to their church on Greene St, near Adelphi. This church was later sold to a Polish Catholic congregation. (<i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , New York NY, 4 Dec 1905). A church was constructed on Clermont St. in 1870 and sold by 1881 (<i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , NY, NY 27 Oct 1890). On 17 Jun 1883 the Society dedicated a newly-built church at Grand Ave. & Lefferts Place. (<i>NY Times</i> , 18 Jun 1883). It was sold to the Nazarine Negro Congregational Church in 1927. (<i>NY Times</i> , 2

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					Jan 1927). By Apr 1928 the Society had purchased a mansion at 415 Clinton Ave. and remodeled it as a church. This building was sold by NYSCU some time in 1940. (NYSCU Correspondence, Parish Roll and Board minutes.)
Brooklyn	Kings	Church of the Restoration	This was a missionary offshoot of the First Universalist Society of Brooklyn, established on 5 Sep 1858. (<i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , New York NY, 4 Dec 1905)	They were reunited with First Church on 1 Jan. 1868. (<i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , NY NY, 4 Dec 1905)	Their building on Green St. near Adelphi, was dedicated on 19 Jun 1864. (<i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , NY NY, 4 Dec 1905)
Brooklyn	Kings	First Universalist Church of Williamsburgh; a.k.a. All Souls	Incorp. on 6 Jun 1845 (Kings Co. Religious Incorporations 1:88-89)	merged around 1905 with the Church of Divine Love (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , V.34 #6, Apr 1928)	The first building was constructed in 1845 (per NYSCU Parish Roll). The second building, on Bedford Ave., (per NYSCU Parish Roll), was dedicated 15 Mar 1848 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Apr 1848). A subsequent church, on S. Ninth near Bedford Ave., was built in 1874. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , v.34 #6, Apr 1928 and NYSCU files). In 1909 it was sold to Sts. Peter & Paul Church, a Catholic congregation. (<i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , NY NY, 3 Dec 1904).

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Brooklyn	Kings	Second Universalist Society	A group was to meet on 12 Mar 1860 to establish this society. (<i>NY Times</i> , 10 Mar 1860); no court incorp. record found		
Brooklyn Greenpoint / Green Point	Kings	Third Universalist Society of Brooklyn; a.k.a. Church of the Reconciliation; a.k.a. Divine Blessing	incorp. on 31 Jul 1857 (Kings Co. Religious Incorporations I:218-19)	around 1906?; merged with Church of Good Tidings (Fourth Universalist)	A new church on Noble St. was dedicated "last Sabbath afternoon" prob. around 7 Sep 1862 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 13 Sep 1862 and 17 Jun 1865). The congregation owned buildings on Stuyvesant Ave. & Madison St., and North Henry St., near Nassau St. A building of theirs on Noble St. was sold in 1887 to Congregation Beth El (<i>Newtown NY Register</i> , 18 Aug 1887). NYSCU acquired a church of theirs on 28 Feb 1901. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct. 1913). When the congregation united with the Fourth Universalist Society, the property was sold and the proceeds given to Fourth Universalist. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1913). NYSCU had sold the building by 14 Sep 1920 to Second Church of Christ, Disciples. (NYSCU Parish Roll and files)

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Brooklyn	Kings	Fourth Universalist Society of Brooklyn, N.Y.; a.k.a. Church of the Redeemer; a.k.a. Good Tidings	incorp. on 31 Aug 1860 (Kings Co. Religious Incorporations I:240-41); re-incorp. on 15 Apr 1885 (Kings Co. Religious Incorporations II:97-98)	by 19 May 1945, when the church was sold (NYSCU files)	A church at 274 Cumberland St. was newly opened on 1 Apr 1860 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 May and 24 Nov 1860). A new brick church built in 1863, possibly on Vanderbilt Ave., was dedicated on “the afternoon of last Sunday,” prob. around 19 Jun 1864 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York, 25 Jun 1864). The cornerstone of a new church on the corner of Madison St. and Stuyvesant Ave. was laid on 19 Aug 1905 (<i>NY Tribune</i> , 20 Aug 1905) and to have been dedicated on 31 Oct 1917 (<i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , New York NY, 28 Oct 1917). The building was acquired by NYSCU on 20 Jul 1925. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1927, NYSCU files). It was sold on 20 Feb 1945 to the Peoples Institutional Methodist Church. (NYSCU Parish Roll, Board minutes, file papers)

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Brooklyn	Kings	Fifth Universalist Society; a.k.a. Prospect Heights	org. abt. 29 Jan 1889, per article in <i>Brooklyn Eagle</i> on the following day stating the congregation had celebrated “the first anniversary of its incorporation last night.” No incorporation record was found.	declared extinct on 12 Apr 1904 per NYSCU board minutes for that date	
Brooklyn	Kings	The Universalist Church of Divine Love; a.k.a. Sixth Universalist	founded in 1902 by a group of graduates from St. Lawrence University (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , V.34 #6, Apr 1928); incorp. on 18 May 1903 (Kings Co. Religious Incorporations 18:319-20)	merged with the First Universalist Church of Williamsburgh around 1905 (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , V.34 #6, Apr 1928); dissolved by 7 Apr 1994 and merged with Bethlehem UCC of Brooklyn on 10 Oct 1997 to form All Souls Bethlehem Church of Brooklyn (NYSCU files and board minutes). This is an active interdenominational congregation	The merged congregation built a church on Ocean Ave at Ditmas. Its cornerstone was laid on 22 Jul 1905. (NY Sun, 23 Jul 1905). It was sold in 1996 to the Pilgrim Wesleyan Church. (NYSCU files). Their current address is 566 East 7th Street.
Broome	Schoharie		in existence by Mar 1831, when they had a church building		had a church building by Mar 1831 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 19 Mar 1831)

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Brownville	Jefferson	First Universalist Society in the Town of Brownville	org. on 10 May 1834 per , <i>Ut Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 28 Jun 1834; no court incorp. record found		The church and property were sold to the local Catholic congregation in 1902. (Ogdensburg NY <i>News</i> , 24 Aug 1902)
Brownville (Dexter)	Jefferson	First Universalist Society of Dexter	incorp. 5 Sep 1841 (Jefferson Co. Liber of Certs. 1:172-3)	after 1990, when a fact sheet was provided to NYSCU	A new church was dedicated on 22 Dec 1841. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 14 Jan 1842). It was still standing in Aug 2002 but was not in use.
Brownville (Perch River)	Jefferson	First Universalist Society in Brownville	org. in 1847 (per <i>Thousand Island Sun</i> , date unknown but prob. 1980's); incorp. on 16 Dec 1851 (Jefferson Co. Liber of Certs. 1:292-3)	declared extinct on 13 Jan 1900 per NYSCU board minutes for that date	A union church comprised of Universalists, Methodists, and Lutherans was dedicated on "Thu. the 19th inst." (prob. 19 Feb) in 1852. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 6 Mar 1852). A newly constructed church was dedicated on the 16th ult., prob. 16 Jan 1856. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Feb 1856). The church was sold by 18 Sep 1899 when the sale proceeds were listed in the NYSCU Treasurer's report.
Buffalo	Erie	First Universalist Society of the Town of Buffalo	incorp. on 12 Feb 1823 (original Erie Co. court document, Box 5768; also recorded in Misc. Records 1:149)	1828 (C. P. Jamieson, <i>Heritage of Heresy</i> , Buffalo, 1982)	

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Buffalo	Erie	First Church and Society of Universal Restorationists in Buffalo	incorp. on 6 Dec 1831 (original Erie Co. court document, Box 5790; also recorded in Misc. Records 1:222)		The Society had a building on Washington St. between South Division and Swan Sts. It was dedicated on 5 Jun 1833. (Archives of the UU Church of Buffalo)
Buffalo	Erie	First Universalist Society of the City of Buffalo; a.k.a. Church of the Messiah	incorp. on 4 Jan 1847 (Erie Co. Misc. Records 2: 40-41)	First Universalist and Second Universalist (Grace Church) merged on 16 Oct 1926. In turn, this congregation united with the Unitarian Church of Buffalo on 24 Dec 1953 as the Unitarian Universalist Church of Greater Buffalo, N.Y. (NYSCU Parish Roll). First Universalist had held its final service on 4 Oct 1953, per <i>Buffalo Evening News</i> , 3 Oct 1953	A church built in 1866 on Main St., north of Huron St., burned down in 1870 and was quickly rebuilt. (C. P. Jamieson, <i>Heritage of Heresy</i> , Buffalo, 1982). The Society received legal permission in 1891 to sell the building. (Supreme Court, In the Matter of the Application of the First Universalist Society of Buffalo to Sell Real Estate, dated Feb. 9, 1891). A new church on North St. at Mariner was dedicated in 1892. (C. P. Jamieson, <i>Heritage of Heresy</i> , previously cited).

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Buffalo	Erie	Grant-street Mission; later the Second Universalist Church of Buffalo, N.Y.; a.k.a. Grace Church	org. in 1889 (C. P. Jamieson, <i>Heritage of Heresy</i> , Buffalo, 1982). The Grant-street Mission, instituted “about a year ago,” was to assume the name of the Second Universalist Church of Buffalo on 1 May 1890 (<i>Buffalo Express</i> , Buffalo NY, 13 Nov and 16 Nov 1889)	Second Universalist had merged with First Universalist by 6 Oct 1926 per NYSCU board minutes of that date.	The congregation, while still known as the Grant-street Mission, purchased the Pilgrim Church at Chenango and Ferry Sts. in 1889 (Buffalo NY <i>Express</i> , 16 Nov 1889). Construction of a church on Lafayette St. at Hoyt St. was begun in 1908. That building was acquired by NYSCU in 1927. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1927). It was sold in 1938 to the Studio Theatre School of Buffalo; 60% of proceeds going to NYSCU and 40% to First Universalist (NYSCU Parish Roll and Board minutes of 7 Oct 1936).
Burke	Franklin		in existence by 25 Jun 1851, when it sent a delegate to the St. Lawrence As’n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 Jul 1851)		
Burlington (Burlington Flats)	Otsego	First Universalist Society of Burlington	incorp. on 9 May 1829 (Otsego Co. Incorporations, B: 77)		

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Busti	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society in the Town of Busti and Vicinity	incorp. on 14 Jan 1846 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records pp. 38-39)		The congregation owned a meeting house by 2 Jun 1858, per a report of the Chautauque [sic; old spelling] As'n. of Universalists. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 Jun 1858)
Busti	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society in Busti	incorp. on 8 Mar 1865 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records p. 99)		
Butler	Wayne	First Universalist Society in the Town of Butler	org. by 4 Jul 1831, when its formation was announced. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 23 Jul 1831); no incorp. record found		
Butternuts (Gilbertsville)	Otsego	First Universalist Society of the Town of Butternuts and Vicinity. Later, the United Societies of Unitarians & Universalists of the Town of Butternuts	org. on the "28th ult.," prob. 28 Feb 1835 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Apr 1835)		Their land was deeded to NYSCU on 14 Jul 1949 per Otsego Co. court record Liber 441, p. 23. It was sold on 27 Apr 1955 to Arthur L. Austin and wife, per NYSCU records.

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Cambria	Niagara	First Universalist Society of the Town of Cambria	org. on 16 Apr 1831 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 14 May 1831); incorp. on 3 Jan 1859 (Niagara Co. misc. records 5: 74); reorganized 1867 and re-incorp. in 1868 per NYSCU Parish Roll; no new incorp. record found		A church was built in 1868 and was to be dedicated on Wed 12 Feb 1869. (Buffalo NY <i>Courier & Republic</i> , Sat 8 Feb 1869). By 1953 it had been claimed by the local cemetery association. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Canadice	Ontario		in existence by 12 Jun 1861, when it was represented at the Ontario As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 29 Jun 1861)		
Canandaigua	Ontario	First Universalist Society of Canandaigua	incorp. on 31 May 1860 (Ontario County Incorp. Records, 1: 38)		
Canandaigua	Ontario	All Souls Universalist Church of Canandaigua	incorp. on 20 May 1907 (Ontario County Incorp. Records, 2: 193-4)	dissolved 8 Feb 1954 and declared extinct on 5 Jun 1955, per NYSCU board minutes	
Canisteo (Bennettville)	Steuben	First Universalist Society on the Swale	incorp. on 15 May 1852 (Steuben Co. incorp. records p. 194)		

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Canisteo	Steuben	Swale Union Church	a Methodist and Universalist union church was incorp. on 5 Sep 1874 (Steuben Co. Incorp. Records p. 286)	after 1913; it was still a member of NYSCU that year	
Canton	St. Lawrence	Officially, First Universalist Society in the Town of Canton; after the 1961 merger it was unofficially named The Unitarian Universalist Church of Canton	incorp. 10 Mar 1836 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Incorp. 1:96)	This is an active congregation.	Their current church at 3½ Main St. was dedicated in 1897, per church website.
Carlisle (Argusville)	Schoharie	The Universalist Church of Argusville	There was no organized society in place in 1852 when church building was dedicated. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 16 Oct 1852). A society was incorp. on 18 Jun 1888 (Schoharie Co. Religious Incorporations A:195)		A newly constructed church was dedicated on 6 Oct 1852. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 16 Oct 1852)

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Caroline (Speedsville)	Tompkins	The First Universalist Society in the Township of Caroline	incorp. on 28 Mar 1828 (Tompkins Co. Misc. Records I: 115-117)		The Society had ½ ownership in a church by Jun 1864 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 11 Jun 1864). NYSCU authorized the sale of the church property on 18 Oct 1965. (NYSCU Board minutes)
Carroll (Frewsburg)	Chautauqua		in existence prob. by 1866, when they owned a meeting house		owned a meeting house in 1866 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 21 Jul 1866)
Carroll (Kiantone)	Chautauqua	First Christian Society of Universalists in Carroll	org. 30 Dec 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Feb 1834); no incorp. record found		A meeting house was constructed in 1845 (A. W. Young, <i>History of Chautauqua Co.</i> , Buffalo: 1875, p. 452)
Catharines [now Montour] (Havana)	Schuyler	First Society of Universalists	in existence by 6 Oct 1830, when it was admitted to the Cayuga As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 30 Oct 1830)	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report on that date to the Cayuga As'n.	
Cayuta (West Cayuta)	Schuyler		in existence prob. by 1859, when a union church was dedicated		A newly constructed Free Church owned in part by Universalists was dedicated on the 19th inst. (prob. 19 Oct 1859). (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 29 Oct 1859)

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Cazenovia	Madison	First Universalist Society of Cazenovia	incorp. on 22 Mar 1853 (Madison Co. Religious & Other Incorp. II: 56-7)	1883 (per <i>Tree Talks</i> , Syracuse NY: Mar 2006, p. 4)	A newly constructed church was dedicated on 7 Nov 1854. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 18 Nov 1854). The church was sold by NYSCU on 7 Jul 1896 (NYSCU files); sale proceeds were listed in Sep. NYSCU Treasurer's report.
Champion (South Champion)	Jefferson	First Universalist Society in Champion	org. on 7 Jun 1840 by Rev. Henry L. Hayward (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 17 Jul 1840); no court incorp. record found		A union church was dedicated on 10 Dec 1834, for which he largest share of expense was paid by Universalists. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 10 Jan 1835)
Charlotte (Charlotte Center)	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society of Charlotte	incorp. on 26 Aug 1850 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records, pp. 56-57)		A meeting house was built in 1851. (A. W. Young, <i>History of Chautauqua Co., NY</i> , Buffalo: 1875, p. 262)
Charlotte (Sinclairville)	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society of Sinclairville	incorp. on 13 Feb 1858 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records pp. 97-98)	by Jul 1866, when Rev. I. G. [Isaac George] reported that the society was defunct. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 21 Jul 1866)	A newly built church was dedicated on the 13th inst. [prob. 13 Oct 1858]. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 30 Oct 1858). In 1866 the building was "in the hands of a friend as security for money advanced" toward the cost of its construction. It was sold in 1871 to St. Paul's Church of the Cross. (A. W. Young, <i>History of Chautauqua Co. NY</i> , p. 262)

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Chenango	Broome	The Society of Universalists in the Town of Chenango	incorp. on 17 Apr 1843 (Broome Co. Incorporated Societies 1:56-57)		
Chili	Monroe		org. on 3 Jun 1840, when it was admitted to the Niagara As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 19 Jun 1840); no court incorp. record found		A church was built in 1839. (W. H. McIntosh, <i>History of Monroe County</i> , New York, 1877, p. 188)

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Cicero	Onondaga	First Universalist Society of Cicero, N.Y.	incorp. on 6 Feb 1860 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records J:38); reorganized on Easter Sunday 1956 (NYSCU Parish Roll)	by Nov. 1960, when the church was sold (Syracuse NY <i>Post-Standard</i> , 5 Nov 1960)	A union church was built in 1849 by Baptists, Methodists, Presbyterians, and Universalists. In 1869 it was given up to the Methodists. (T. C. White, <i>Our County and Its People</i> , 1898, p. 341). By Sep 1864 the society had purchased a church originally built in 1832 by Baptists. It was transferred to them by legislative act in 1867. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 1 Oct 1864 and D. H. Bruce, Ed., <i>Onondaga's Centennial</i> [1896]). Renovated church was dedicated on 8 Feb. 1871 (from the journals of Rev. John Mather Austin); acquired by NYSCU in 1927 (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1927); and sold in Dec 1960 to be used as a post office. (Syracuse NY <i>Post-Standard</i> , 5 Nov 1960). Was subsequently demolished when a new post office was built.
Clarendon & South Murray	Orleans	First Universalist Society of the Towns of Clarendon and South Murray	incorp. on 1 Feb 1834 (Orleans Co. Religious Societies, p. 16)		The church was built in 1837 on land donated by Eldridge Farwell, per a former on-site historic marker (per Karen Dau).

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Clarendon	Orleans	First Universalist Church of Clarendon	incorp. on 21 Jan 1898 (Orleans Co. Certif. of Incorp. 1: 147-8)	declared extinct 15 Jun 1961 per NYSCU Board minutes	The church was sold on 17 Mar 1967 to the Clarendon Universalist Church Preservation Society, per NYSCU Board minutes. In 2007 it was demolished, per <i>Pullman Architectural News</i> , Summer 2014.
Clayton (Depauville)	Jefferson	in existence prob. by Jul 1834, when a union church was under construction			A union church was under construction in Jul 1834, funded principally by a Mr. Depau of NYC and subscriptions from the Universalist community. It was dedicated 24 Sep that year. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Aug and 11 Oct 1834)
Clayton	Jefferson	Second Universalist Society	in existence by 15 Jun 1842, when it was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Jul 1842)		

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Clyde	Wayne	First Universalist Society of Clyde	org. by 14 Jun 1843, when it was admitted to the Ontario As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Jul 1843); incorp. on 7 Jul 1861 (Wayne Co. Misc. Court Records, 2: 207-8)		
Cohocton (Liberty Corners)	Steuben	First Universalist Society of the Town of Cohocton; name change in 1893 approved by Steuben Co. Court to First Universalist Church of Cohocton (Hornellsville <i>NY Weekly Tribune</i> , 28 Jul 1893	org. by 8 Feb 1831, when its formation was reported (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Feb 1831); incorp. 28 Jan 1833 (Steuben Co. incorp. records, p.5)	By 1922, when a report that its former minister Rev. Clara Morgan had accepted a pastorate in Hornell noted that Cohocton was "now extinct" (Cornell <i>NY Evening Leader</i> , 12 Dec 1922)	A church was under construction during the summer of 1860. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 Jan 1861). It was dedicated on 5 Nov 1863 (Bath <i>NY Courier</i> , 28 Oct 1863). The church was sold to Mrs. Larrowe by 23 Nov 1916, per NYSCU board minutes of that date. It was destroyed by fire on 22 Nov 1943. (Dansville <i>NY Breeze</i> , 23 Nov 1943)
Colden	Erie		in existence by 2 Sep 1854, when Rev. J. B. Saxe had returned to the area and was preaching at Colden 1/3 time (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Sep 1854)		

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Colesville	Broome	First Universalist Society in the Town of Colesville			A meeting house was to be dedicated on 14 May 1845, per the <i>Western Luminary</i> , Rochester NY, 2 Apr 1845.
Collins Collins Center)	Erie		org. on the “16th inst.,” prob. 16 Jun 1866 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 30 Jun 1866)		
Colton	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society in the Town of Colton	incorp. on 15 Dec 1851 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2: 134)		A new church was built in 1853. In 1864 it was sold to St. Patrick’s Catholic Church. (Potsdam NY <i>Courier & Freeman</i> , 13 Mar 1958). In Aug 2004 the building, on Riverside Drive, housed the Northwood Gallery, which, by 2022, apparently was no longer there.
Columbus	Chenango	The Universalist Society of Columbus	first org. in 1819 per a statistics report to the Chenango As’n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Oct 1839). Incorp. on 14 Mar 1836 (Chenango Co. Incorp. of Religious Societies A:145)	declared extinct on 1 Apr 1919 per NYSCU board minutes for that date	A church was dedicated on 16 Oct 1844 during the meeting of the Chenango As’n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 25 Oct 1844). It was eventually sold: details unknown.

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Concord (Springville)	Erie	First Universalist Society of Springville, Erie County	incorp. on 22 Feb 1847 (Erie Co. original court document, Box 5821; also recorded in Misc. Records 2:45)		A church was dedicated on the 8th ult., prob. 8 Feb 1848. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 10 Mar 1848). In Oct 1879 the church was sold, remodeled, and renamed Child's Opera House. It burned down on 23 Jan 1902, per Erasmus Briggs, <i>History of the Original Town of Concord</i> (Maine: Picton Press, 1992)
Concord (Springville)	Erie	First Universalist Parish of Springville	incorp. on 15 Jul 1896 (original Erie Co. court record, Box 5918; also recorded in Certificates of Incorporation 9:246)	1928, per Erasmus Briggs, <i>History of the Original Town of Concord</i> (Maine: Picton Press, 1992, p. 218)	A new Universalist church was dedicated on 16 Dec 1897. On 16 Jun 1923 the Society received court permission to donate this building to the village as a public library. (Erie Co. court record, Box 5918, 9:246). Around 1997 the facility was converted into a pleasant research and information center. (Karen Dau)

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Conesus	Livingston	First Universalist Society of Conesus	incorp. on 19 Dec 1835 (Livingston Co. Misc. Records 1: 3)	The society became part of a community church organization on 7 Jan 1921 (Livonia NY <i>Gazette</i> , 26 Oct 1934.) The Universalist Society was declared dormant on 30 Mar 1938 per NYSCU board minutes for that date.	The earliest building was constructed at Crockett's Corners in 1836. Land was obtained by a quitclaim deed on 4 Apr 1837. (Livingston County Liber 18 of Deeds, p. 422). A new church was built in the spring of 1873 and dedicated in March 1874. This building was leased to Community Church in 1924, per Mr. S. E. Hitchcock, "History of the Building of the Original Universalist Church in the Village of Conesus," 1924. It burned on 28 Feb. 1933, and a new building was constructed which was dedicated on 21 Oct 1934. (Livonia NY <i>Gazette</i> , 26 Oct 1934). On 28 Sep 1964 a quitclaim deed was issued relinquishing the property to the Conesus Community Church for \$100.00. (NYSCU Parish Roll)

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Constantia	Oswego		org. by 29 Dec 1837, when its formation was reported (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 Dec 1837). It was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists on 20 Jun 1838. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY 6 Jul 1838)		
Corfu & Darien	Genesee	Universalist Society of Corfu and Darien; later All Souls Church	Darien was org. by 22 Oct 1833 when it was noted that "Br." [Rev. John S.] Flagler ministered there ½ time (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Nov 1833). Incorp. on 4 Oct 1881 (Genesee County Misc. Records 14: 370)	Apparently by 1915, when their property was conveyed to NYSCU	Frank W. Crane and wife deeded property to the Society; recorded 7 Dec 1881 in Liber 154, p. 293, Genesee Co. Same property deeded to NYSCU on 28 May 1903 in Liber 196, p. 187. All property conveyed to NYSCU on 16 Jan 1915 (NYSCU records).
Corning	Steuben		org. by 19 Jun 1848 per a letter from J. R. Johnson to the <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 14 Jul 1848; no incorp. record was found		

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Cortlandt	Peekskill		in existence by 28 Oct 1835, when it sent a delegate to the New York As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 28 Nov 1835)		
Cortlandville (Cortland)	Cortland	First Universalist Society of the Town of Cortlandville	incorp. on 7 May 1839 (Cortland Co. Old Church Records pp. 57-8)		
Cortlandville (Cortland)	Cortland	First Universalist Society of Cortland; later First Universalist Parish of Cortland; later The UU Church of Cortland	incorp. on 1 Sep 1884 (Cortland Co. Certificates of Corporation 1:22-3). Name changed on 30 Sep 1984 to First Universalist Parish of Cortland (court record). Name changed on 31 Dec 1985 to Unitarian Universalist Church of Cortland (court record)	This is an active congregation.	Their lovely cobblestone church was dedicated on July 10, 1839 per <i>Grip's Historical Souvenir of Cortland</i> (1899).
Covert (Farmerville)	Seneca	First Universalist Society of Farmerville	org. on 10 Nov 1845 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 28 Nov 1845). Incorp. on 10 Feb 1850 (Seneca Co. incorp. records, C: 407)		A newly constructed church was dedicated on Wed 16th ult. [16 Feb] 1853. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 26 Feb 1853). In 1896 it was bought by Geo. Torbert, and moved and converted into a storage building. (Farmerville NY <i>Farmer Review</i> , 5 Dec 1896)

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Covington (Pavilion)	Genesee	First Universalist Society of the Town of Covington	incorp. on 10 Oct 1831 (Genesee Co. Misc. Records, 2: 457-8)		Construction of a meeting house was completed by Jul 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Jul 1833). It was dedicated on 5 Oct 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> ; Utica NY, 26 Oct 1833)
Crown Point	Essex		in existence by 10 Jun 1830, per a letter from Rev. Kittredge Haven dated 10 Jun 1830. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Jul 1830); no court incorp. record was found		A union church, "the Universalists owning a respectable share of the same," was dedicated on 20 Jan 1829. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Jul 1830)
Cuba	Allegany	First Universalist Society of the Village of Cuba	incorp. on 3 Feb 1867 (Allegany Co. Misc. Records D: 567)	before Oct 1918, when they sold their church to the Methodists	A church was dedicated in 1870. It was acquired by NYSCU on 3 Aug 1887 (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1913) and sold by 18 Oct 1918 to the Methodist Church Society. (NYSCU files)

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Dansville (Rogersville)	Steuben	First Universalist Society of the town of Dansville	org. around 1822; “32 years ago” per <i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 7 Jan 1854); incorp. 30 May 1852 (Steuben Co incorp. records p.202)	disbanded by 1866 per W. W. Clayton, <i>History of Steuben Co. NY</i> (Philadelphia: 1879, p. 284)	A church was dedicated on Wed 28 Dec 1853 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 7 Jan 1854). It became the Dansville Town Hall in 1907, per (www.westny.com/steuben/s-dansville.htm). In Feb 2001 the former church was under consideration for (its eventual) purchase by the South Dansville United Methodist church (Hornell NY <i>Evening Tribune</i> , 12 Feb 2001)
Danube (Castle Creek)	Herkimer		org. by 27 Jun 1838, when it was admitted to the Otsego As’n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Jul 1838); no incorp. record was found		The 1769 landmark “Indian Castle Church” was re-dedicated in 1856 as a union church of Universalists, Presbyterians, and Methodists, the Universalists having provided “the largest share of the expense” of the renovations. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 23 Feb 1856)

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Danube (Newville)	Herkimer		org. prob. by 1836, when the society dedicated a union meeting house (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 6 Feb 1836). Reorganized in Jul 1879 per minutes of the Mohawk River As'n. of 9 Jun 1880		A union meeting house owned by Lutherans, Universalists and Methodists was dedicated on "the 21st ult.," possibly 21 Jan 1836 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 6 Feb 1836). On 25 May 1864 the NYSCU Board determined that Universalists had no further rights in the Newville property. NYSCU (Board minutes)
Deerfield	Oneida		org. "about three weeks since;" probably in Sep 1829 (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 17 Oct 1829); no court incorp. record was found		
DeKalb	St. Lawrence		org. by 25 Jun 1851, when it sent a delegate to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 Jul 1851)		

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Denmark (Copenhagen)	Lewis		org. "the second Sunday in September" 1837 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 Dec 1837); admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists on 20 Jun 1838 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 6 Jul 1838); admitted again by 21 Jun 1848 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 14 Jul 1848)	By early 1890 the congregation had "disappeared." per the <i>Watertown NY Herald</i> , 22 Feb 1890	A new church, "paid for," was dedicated on the 22d ult., probably 22 Oct 1835. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Nov 1835)
DePeyster	St. Lawrence		org. by 25 Nov 1829, when its formation was reported (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 5 Dec 1829)		The congregation had a church completed by Mar 1831. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 19 Mar 1831)
DeRuyter (Shed's Corners)	Madison	First Universalist Society of DeRuyter	org. by 3 Mar 1832, when its formation was reported (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Mar 1832); incorp. on 11 Jan 1860 (Madison Co. Religious & Other Incorp. II:122)		The congregation had part ownership in a union church. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Mar 1832) A newly built union church was dedicated on the 21st ult. [21 Feb 1856]. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 15 Mar 1856)

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Dix (Beaver Dams)	Schuyler	First Universalist Society of Dix	org. 26 Feb 1848; admitted to the Steuben As'n. of Universalists on 21 Jun that year. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 28 Jul 1848). No court incorp. record found	NYSCU Supt's report of 2 Apr 1895 to the Ontario As'n. noted that the society was dormant.	A new church was dedicated on 21 Jun 1854 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 15 Jul 1854. It was still standing in 1895, per NYSCU Supt's report.
Duanesburgh	Schenectady	First Universalist Society of the town of Duanesburgh and Vicinity	org. by 18 May 1831; also there apparently had been a society in existence 15-20 years previously. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 2 Jul 1831); incorp. 9 May 1876 (Schenectady Co. Records B:104)	declared extinct on 7 Oct 1936, by 2/3 vote of Trustees per NYSCU records and also board minutes of that date	A church was constructed in 1836 (NYSCU files). The Society owned a meeting house in Jul 1851. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Aug 1851). It was sold on 6 Oct 1943 to Leroy Milton Smith (NYSCU files); and sold in 1982 to Don Carpentier of East Nassau. He moved it to his farm "Eastfield Village" and restored it there. (New York Times, Thu 6 Aug 1987)
Dundee (Harpending Corners)	Yates		org. "last Sunday," prob. around 20 Jul 1834, per a letter by Rev. M. L. Wisner dated 23 Jul 1834. (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 2 Aug 1834)		
Dunkirk	Chautauqua	Adams Memorial Church	org. on the "17th inst." (prob. 17 May 1852) (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 29 May 1852)	closed by 8 Sep 1978 (NYSCU board minutes)	The Universalists had a church in Dunkirk by 1875. (A. W. Young, <i>History of Chautauqua Co.</i> , Buffalo: 1875, p. 313)

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East Bloomfield	Ontario	First Universalist Society of East Bloomfield	org. by Oct 1831, when it was admitted to the Genesee As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 Oct 1831). Incorp. on 15 Nov 1831 (Ontario Co. Misc. Records D: 60-61)		A church was dedicated 13 Oct 1833; construction had been completed about a year earlier. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Oct 1833). It was sold to the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1859 and a 2nd story added in 1867. (George Conover, Ed., <i>History of East Bloomfield, N.Y.</i> , Syracuse: 1893)
Eastchester (Mount Vernon)	Westchester	First Universalist Society of Mount Vernon	org. before 4 May 1856, when the New York As'n. of Universalists noted it had failed to send a delegate (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 14 Jun 1856). On 23 Feb 1857 it was admitted to the Association. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 7 Mar 1857)	by 1948, when it turned its assets over to NYSCU (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1954)	A church was dedicated 23 Sep 1856. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 4 Oct 1856). A new building at 21 S. 2nd Ave. was dedicated in 1909 and was acquired in Apr 1915 by NYSCU (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1921). It was sold to the Hellenic Orthodox Community of Westchester Co. by 21 Jun 1948, per NYSCU board minutes of that date.

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East Pharsalia	Chenango		org. by Nov 1831 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 14 Jan 1832)	A statistics report to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists in 1839 noted that the "society has not been represented in council since 1836, no preaching, no house, and has probably lost its legal existence" (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Oct 1839)	
East Smithville	Chenango	First Universalist Society of East Smithville	org. on 18 May 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Jun 1833)		had a church by 1867 (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 6 Jul 1867)

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Eaton (Eatonville)	Madison	First Universalist Society of the Town of Eaton	As early as 1810; a union society had been established in 1818 but the Universalists of the time had never formed a separate, regular society of their own. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 18 Sep 1830). The society in Eaton was incorp. on 29 Dec 1849 (Madison Co. Religious & Other-Incorporations II:27-8)		A Baptist / Universalist union church was built in 1804/5 as a "free church." (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 18 Sep 1830). A Methodist / Universalist union church was built during the summer of 1844 and dedicated on 17 Oct that year, the Universalists having 75% ownership. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 25 Oct 1844)
Edmeston	Otsego	First Universalist Society of Edmeston	org. by 24 Jun 1846, when it was admitted to the Otsego As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 10 Jul 1846); incorp. on 5 Dec 1885 (Otsego Co. Incorporations C:370)		A church was to be dedicated on 17 Jun 1846 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 May 1846)
Edmeston (South Edmeston)	Otsego		Per the <i>New Berlin NY Gazette</i> , 23 Sep 1922, the society was incorp. in 1874, but no court record was found.		A new church was completed in 1875. (<i>New Berlin NY Gazette</i> , 23 Sep 1922)

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Edwards	St. Lawrence	Edwards Union Church	incorp. on 25 Mar 1873 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2:323, 348)	By the end of 1961 no services had been held for over 5 years. (NYSCU files)	Originally the congregation had property co-owned with four other denominations. In 4 Mar 1907 the Methodists conveyed a quitclaim deed for their share. (St. Lawrence Co. grantee deeds 152C: 1750.) On 29 Dec 1948 the back portion of the lot was conveyed to the Edwards Fire Department. (St. Lawrence Co. 469: 293). By 21 Feb 1964 the remainder of the property had been deeded to the Volunteer Firemen, Inc. (NYSCU files). The building was eventually demolished.
Elbridge (Jordan)	Onondaga	First Universalist Society of the Town of Elbridge	incorp. on 7 Jun 1831 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records F: 185)		
Elbridge (Jordan)	Onondaga	First Universalist Society of Jordan, Onondaga County	incorp. on 16 Jun 1860 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records H: 60-61)	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report on that date to the Cayuga As'n. of Universalists	

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Ellery (Bemus Point)	Chautauqua	First Universalian Society of Ellery	org. on 3 Oct 1817 by Rev. Lewis C. Todd as the First Universalian Society in the County of Chautauqua; renamed First Universalian Society of Ellery on 13 Jun 1832; (per Doris W. Carlson, deceased, former town historian); had a society in Sep 1846 per the minutes of the Chautauque [sic] As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 25 Sep 1846); reorganized 1872 (NYSCU records)		The Society acquired land on 25 Dec 1828, which was sold 26 Jun 1858 (Chautauqua County records). They built a church in Bemus Point which was dedicated on 10 Sep 1858. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 30 Oct 1858)
Ellery (Bemus Point)	Chautauqua	"First Universalist Church of Bemus Point, continuing the First Universalian Society of Ellery"	renamed on 20 Nov 1914, per Chautauqua Co. NY GenWeb, published online by Rootsweb.com; no court records found	mentioned as the "former Universalist church" in an obituary dated 19 Aug 1960; declared extinct on 15 Jun 1961 (NYSCU Parish Roll)	The 1858 church was still owned in 1975 by the Society, but the Church of God had been using it for their house of worship since 1962 (Chautauqua County GenWeb, published online by Rootsweb.com). Around 1980 the building was given to the Lakeside Bible Chapel, which was there in Jun 2003. (Doris W. Carlson, deceased, late town historian, and Karen Dau)

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Ellicott (Kennedyville, now Falconer)	Chautauqua		in existence prob. by Aug 1834, when a union church was dedicated		A church co-owned by Universalists and Methodists was dedicated "last Sabbath," prob. abt. 10 Aug 1834, per a letter from Rev. Elijah Smith dated 14 Aug. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 30 Aug 1834)
Ellicottville	Cattaraugus		org. by the second weekend of July 1836, when its formation was reported (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva NY, 12 Aug 1836)		A church was under construction in Aug 1836. (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 26 Aug 1836). It was destroyed by fire on 7 Dec 1836. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 13 Jan 1837; and the <i>Ellicottville NY Cattaraugus Republican</i> , 8 Dec 1836)
Ellisburg	Jefferson	First Universalist Church and Parish of Ellisburg	org. in 1821 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 30 Jan 1836); incorp. 31 Aug 1833 (Jefferson Co. Liber of Certs. 1:102-3); reorganized 20 May 1848 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Jun 1848); no court records found		A church was dedicated 24 [Aug?] 1843; destroyed by fire in Oct 1911; rebuilt 1912 and acquired by NYSCU on 19 Nov that year. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , 1913; Jefferson Co. Deeds 9:498; Hadcock's <i>History of Ellisburg</i> .)

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Ellisburg	Jefferson	First Universalist Society of the town of Ellisburgh, Jefferson County	re-incorp. 1 Nov 1917 (Jefferson Co. Liber of Certs. 5:428); reorganized 16 Dec 1870 (NYSCU Parish Roll)	closed by 26 Nov 1945; declared extinct on 22 Nov 1948 and 3 Jun 1956 per NYSCU board minutes for respective dates	Deed from Society to NYSCU on 19 Nov 1912, recorded 15 Feb 1913 in Liber 9, p. 498, Jefferson Co. Church was sold in 1955 to a Seventh Day Adventist congregation. (Haddock's <i>History of Ellisburg</i>). Ironically, on 28 Jan 1966 it too burned to the ground. (Watertown NY <i>Times</i> , 28 Jan 1966)
Elmira	Chemung		in existence by Feb 1831 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Feb 1831); apparently reorganized on 2 Jun 1841 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 24 Sep 1841); admitted to Steuben Assn. on 21 Jun 1854 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 15 Jul 1854)		
Ephrata (Lassellsville)	Fulton	Lassellsville Union Church and Religious Society	Founded prob. by 1840, when a union church was built; no incorporation record found.		A union church owned by Dutch Reformed, Lutherans, Baptists and Universalists was dedicated "on the 7th inst.," prob. 7 Jan 1841. Universalists had ¼ ownership. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Jan 1841)

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Exeter (Schuyler Lake)	Otsego	First Universalist Church of Schuyler Lake	founded in 1874 as a union congregation, ½ Methodist and ¼ each Baptist and Universalist. Incorp. in 1877 (NYSCU Parish Roll) and on 19 Nov 1953 (Otsego Co. Docket of Incorporations Box 1365, p. 347)	Disaffiliated with the Unitarian Universalist Association in Apr 1997, per UUA records. Declared extinct by NYSCU vote on 21 Oct 2023.	A stone meeting house under joint Universalist, Methodist and Freewill Baptist ownership was dedicated 18 Mar 1840. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 10 Apr 1840). On 20 Sep 1974, the church and property were sold to Marion S. Ames and Reubena E. Holland, per Otsego Co. indenture in liber 639 on pp. 947-48.
Fabius	Onondaga	First Universalist Society in the Town of Fabius	incorp. on 24 Feb 1855 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records G: 531)	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report to the Cayuga As'n. on that date	A newly constructed church was dedicated on the 17th inst. [17 Oct 1855]. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 27 Oct 1855). It was sold by 3 Oct 1894 per NYSCU treasurer's report of that date listing proceeds of sale.
Fairfield (Middleville)	Herkimer	First Universalist Society of Middleville	incorp. on 10 Feb 1835 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations 1832-1896, B:19 and <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Apr 1835)		The Society owned about ⅓ of a church shared with Episcopalians and Baptists that was built "last summer," probably 1828 (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 25 Apr 1829). They owned 1/4 of a church building in 1848 per the Minutes of the Mohawk River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Jul 1848).

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Fairfield (Middleville)	Herkimer	Universalist Society of Middleville	incorp. on 31 Aug 1880 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations 1832-1896, D:168)	declared extinct on 19 Nov 1951 per NYSCU board minutes of that date	Their church was acquired by NYSCU on 25 May 1908 (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1913) and was sold in Nov 1953. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Fallsburgh	Sullivan		by the time of its admission in 1848 to the New York As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Nov 1848); no court incorp. record found		Their church was sold by 11 Sep 1960, per NYSCU Board Minutes).
Fishkill (Wappingers Falls)	Dutchess		org. by Jun 1854, when it was admitted to the New York As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 10 Jun 1854)		
Fleming	Cayuga	First Universalist Society in the Town of Fleming	incorp. on 22 Dec 1823 (Cayuga Co. religious corporations records, A: 85)		
Fort Ann (West Fort Ann)	Washington	First Society of Restorationists	org. by 20 Sep 1827, when it was admitted to the General Convention of Universalists of the New- England States and Others (<i>Evangelical Repository</i> , Troy NY, 13 Oct 1827)		

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Fort Ann (West Fort Ann)	Washington		A Union Church consisting of Methodist, Baptist and Universalists stockholders was incorporated on 5 Jan. 1891 (Washington Co. cert. of incorporation 1:14-15).		The Union Church owned a building at the time of its incorporation (see Washington Co. cert. of incorporation 1:14-15).
Fort Ann (West Fort Ann)	Washington	All Souls Universalist Church of West Fort Ann	All Souls was incorp. on 22 Jan 1898 (Washington County Certificate of Incorporation 1:181)	Prob by 1926, when their church was sold by NYSCU.	A new church was completed by Aug 1897. (Glens Falls NY <i>Morning Star</i> , 31 Jul 1897). This church was acquired by NYSCU on 28 Mar 1903 (Washington Co. deeds 133: 487) and sold in Oct 1926 (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Fort Covington	Franklin	First Universalist Society of Fort Covington	org. on 1st Monday of Feb 1830 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 10 Apr 1830)		
Fowler (Hailesborough)	St. Lawrence	Universalist Union Society of Hailesborough	incorp. on 3 Jan 1861 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Incorporations 2: 218-9		

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Fowler (Little York)	St. Lawrence	Little York Universalist Society	in existence by 27 Jun 1838, when it was admitted to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Aug 1838). Incorp. on 22 Mar 1841 (St. Lawrence Religious Corporations, 2: 4)		
Franklinville	Cattaraugus		in existence by 28 Jun 1854, when it was admitted to the Allegany As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 15 Jul 1854)		
Frankfort	Herkimer	Church of the Redeemer; later, First Universalist Church of Frankfort, N.Y.	name change from Church of the Redeemer to First Universalist Church of Frankfort was effective on 25 Sep 1886 (Herkimer Co. Incorp. Records B: 170-2)		A church in Frankfort "erected the present season" was dedicated on 18 Sep 1844. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Sep 1844). Their building was sold by 14 Apr 1915, per NYSCU board minutes of that date, possibly to the Methodist congregation, which had purchased it, per the Ilion NY <i>Citizen</i> of 10 Feb 1916.

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Freedom (Sandusky)	Cattaraugus	First Universalist society in the Town of Freedom	in existence by 13 Oct 1830, when it was admitted to the Genesee As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 6 Nov 1830). In corp. on 24 May 1845 (Cattaraugus Co. Misc. Records 2: 161)	declared extinct on 14 Sep 1908 per NYSCU board minutes for the date	The congregation had a church in Jun 1846 per the minutes of the Allegany As'n. of Universalists. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 24 Jul 1846). By 14 Sep 1908 the property had been sold to T. R. James Sandusky, per NYSCU board minutes for that date.
Friendship	Allegany	First Universalist Church of Friendship	in existence by 28 Jun 1854, when it was admitted to the Allegany As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 15 Jul 1854)	had closed in early 1930, per the Friendship NY <i>Register</i> of 9 Dec 1948; declared extinct on 28 May 1946, per NYSCU board minutes of that date	A newly constructed church was dedicated on 12 Dec 1855. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 22 Dec 1855). It was sold in 1948 to a Church of God congregation. (NYSCU Parish Roll). In May 2022 it was opened as "Wolf's Museum of Gods & Monsters," a private venture. (per Karen Dau)

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Fulton	Oswego	First Universalist Church of Fulton	in existence by 21 Jun 1832, when it was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 14 Jul 1832); incorp. on 27 Sep 1841 (Oswego Co. Misc. Records B: 283-285)		A new meeting house was dedicated on 19 Jan 1837. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 24 Mar 1837). Another new church on First St. was dedicated on 28 Mar 1866. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 7 Apr 1866). By 1888 it was the office and shop of Geo. Fassell, dealer in monuments & gravestones, per <i>Fulton NY Times</i> , 4 Jul 1883. By Apr. of 1912 it had been razed and a "new, modern theatre" had been constructed on its former site. (<i>Fulton Times</i> , 17 Apr 1912)
Gaines & Barre	Orleans	Central Society of Universalists of Gaines and Barre	incorp. on 7 Apr 1828 (Orleans Co. original incorp. record, File 1). It was later reorganized and admitted to the Niagara As'n. of Universalists on 2 Jun 1852		A cobblestone church was built in 1834 and dedicated 24 May 1835. (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 6 Jun 1835)
Gaines (Childs)	Orleans	First Universalist Society of Gaines; a.k.a. Fair Haven	re-incorp. 1861 per NYSCU records but no incorp. record found	declared extinct 15 Jun 1961 per NYSCU records	In 1963 the building was sold to the Cobblestone Society and restored by the Society and the John Brush family of Rochester NY in 1968. In May 2021 it was serving as a museum and gift shop and was in use for special events. (Cobblestone Society records)

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Gainesville (Gainesville Center)	Genesee (now in Wyoming County)	First Universalist Society of the Town of Gainesville	incorp. on 27 Nov 1837 (Genesee Co. Misc. Records, 3:452 (Wyoming Co. was then a part of Genesee Co.))		
Gainesville	Wyoming	First Universalist Society in the Town of Gainesville	incorp. on 8 Dec 1845 (Wyoming Co. Misc. Records, 1:385)		The society had a meeting house by 20 Jun 1855, per a report to the Genesee As'n. of Universalists. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 14 Jul 1855)
Gates, Parma, Ogden & Murray (Gates, Parma & Ogden are now in Monroe Co. and Murray is now in Orleans Co.)	Genesee		incorp. on 3 Apr 1820 (Genesee Co. Misc. Court Records1: 337)		The congregation had a building in Parma in 1826 (T. F. Gordon, <i>Gazetter of New York</i> , 1836), p. 527; quoted in Albert Hazen Wright, "Old Northampton in Western New York," <i>Rochester Historical Society Publication Fund Series, Vol. VII</i> (Rochester: RHS, 1928), p. 313). In 1836 the attendance on Christmas Eve was believed to have been more than 1000. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Jan 1837)
Geddes	Onondaga		org. in 1829 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 20 Feb 1830); no incorp. record found	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report to the Cayuga As'n. on that date	

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Genesee Falls (Portageville)	Allegany (now in Wyoming Co.)	First Universalist Society of Portageville	org. on the “25th ult.,” probably 25 Jan 1836 (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 5 Feb 1836); no incorp. record found	declared extinct on 11 Apr 1917 and again on 6 Sep 1945, per NYSCU Board minutes	The church was built in 1841 and dedicated on 3 Mar 1842. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 25 Mar 1842). It was deeded to NYSCU in 1946 and sold in 1950 to NY Conf. of Seventh Day Adventists. (NYSCU Parish Roll). By Sep 2008 it had been renovated and converted into The Portageville Chapel, a delightful organ retreat center, which was continuing in June 2023.
Geneva	Ontario	First Universalist Society of Geneva	incorp. on 8 Nov 1834 (Ontario Co. Incorporation Records 4: 105-6)	declared extinct on 5 Oct 1915 (NYSCU board minutes)	A church was dedicated 6 May 1834 “under the superintendence of I[mley] Prescott.” (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 9 May 1835). This building was sold abt. 26 Nov 1920 to the Geneva Free Library.

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Genoa	Cayuga	First Universalist Society of Genoa	incorp. on 2 Aug 1829 (Cayuga Co. Records A:116 and (Elliot Starke, <i>History of Cayuga Co.</i> 1789-1879, P. 499)	declared extinct by NYSCU circular letter vote 11 Mar 1899 and by the state court in 1910 (The Cape Vincent <i>Eagle</i> , 1 Dec 1910)	A church was dedicated on 29 Jul 1830 and was believed to be “the first and only Meeting House built by Universalists alone” in Cayuga County. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Aug 1830). The Church of St. Hillary, a Catholic congregation, bought the building and dedicated it on 22 Jul 1911. (Syracuse NY <i>Post Standard</i> , 24 Jul 1911). They vacated the building in 1984, per the late Mable Crosby of Auburn.
German	Chenango	Universal Restoration Society in the Town of German	incorp. on 5 Dec 1822 (Chenango Co. Incorp. of Religious Societies A: 83-4)		
German Flatts	Herkimer	Universalist Society of German Flatts	incorp. on 3 Oct 1829 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations 1832-1896, A:106-7, and <i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 17 Oct 1829		A Union church (Universalist and Methodist) was dedicated on 21 Apr 1842 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 28 Apr 1842).

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German Flatts (Ilion)	Herkimer		In the process of organization at the 1856 meeting of the Mohawk River As'n. of Universalists [on 11 Jun]; it had been holding meetings for about 6 months. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 28 Jun 1856)		
German Flatts (Mohawk)	Herkimer	Mohawk Valley Universalist Society	incorp. on 21 Jun 1852 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations B:74); apparently re-organized in 1882, per Col. John Vrooman, "Address on the Churches of Herkimer:" 1907, from the files of the Herkimer Co. Historical Society		A recently constructed church was dedicated on "Wed. the 25th inst." [25 Feb 1852]. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 6 Mar 1852). Located on Main St., it was still in use in 1917. (Utica NY <i>Herald-Dispatch</i> , 30 Aug 1917). It was sold abt. 21 Oct 1931 to Louise Reama, per NYSCU records.
Glens Falls	Warren	First Universalist Church of Glens Falls	prob. by early 1846, when a church was dedicated; no court incorporation record found	declared extinct by circular letter vote dated 14 Feb 1898	A church was dedicated on 18 Feb 1846. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 20 Mar 1846). It burned in a devastating village fire on 31 May 1864 (<i>NY Times</i> , 2 Jun 1864.) On 24 Sep 1896 the NYSCU board voted to authorize a trustee to recover church property; when this property was acquired is unknown.

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Glenville, Charlton and Ballston Spa	Saratoga	First Universalist Society of the towns of Glenville, Charlton and Ballston	incorp. on 4 Nov 1832 (per original document in office of county historian)		A newly constructed church was scheduled to be dedicated on "Sunday next," (14 Jul) per the Cabinet of Schenectady NY, 10 Jul 1833.
Gloversville	Fulton	Gloversville Universalist Society	org. in 1898; granted fellowship in NYSCU on 8 Oct 1902 per board minutes of that date; incorp. 1904 (NYSCU Parish Roll)	sometime after 1928, when the society was still conducting evening services in the Congregationalist church (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , v. 34 #3, Jan 1928)	A church was purchased in 1910. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1927). It was sold to the local YMCA in 1927. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Jan 1928 and NYSCU board minutes of 17 Apr 1928)
Goshen	Orange		in existence by Feb 1831 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Feb 1831); no incorp. record found		
Gouverneur & Fowler	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society of Gouverneur & Fowler	org. on 26 Jan 1832, per L. H. Everts, <i>History of St. Lawrence Co. NY</i> 1749- 1878 (reprint Interlaken NY: 1982); no incorporation record found		

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Gouverneur & Hailesborough	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society of Gouverneur & Hailesborough	incorp. on 27 Jan 1849 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2: 88)	Had disbanded by 1878, per L. H. Everts, <i>History of St. Lawrence Co. NY 1749-1878</i> (reprint Interlaken NY: 1982)	
Gouverneur	St. Lawrence		incorp. on 3 Jan 1861 (St. Lawrence Religious Incorporations 2:218)		A newly constructed union church dedicated on 9 Jan 1861 in which Universalists had about 75% ownership. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 26 Jan 1861). A church was sold in 1931 by NYSCU. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Granger	Allegany		in existence by 27 Jun 1860, when it was admitted to the Allegany As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 21 Jul 1860)		
Greenfield (Porters Corners)	Saratoga	First Universalist Church and Society of Greenfield	org. in 1819 (N. B. Sylvester, <i>History of Saratoga County, N. Y.</i> , 1878)	by 1947, when it turned over its assets to NYSCU (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1954)	The congregation built a church in 1816. (B. Sylvester, <i>History of Saratoga County, N. Y.</i> , 1878), but per NYSCU records neither they nor NYSCU ever owned it. Apparently only the property was sold on 24 Jun 1947 to Helen F. Travers (NYSCU records)

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Greene (East Greene)	Chenango	First Christian Society of Universalists of East Greene	org. 15 Apr 1839; admitted to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists on 3 Sep that year (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Aug and 11 Oct 1839); no court incorp. record found		
Greenwood	Steuben	First Universalist Society in the Town of Greenwood	org. in 1851 (W.W. Clayton, <i>History of Steuben Co. (1879)</i> ; incorp. 23 Nov 1857 (Steuben Co. incorp. records p.193)	society closed after 1896 when it was without a pastor (Harlow Hakes, <i>Landmarks of Steuben Co.</i> , Syracuse NY, 1896, p. 357)	Their church was to be dedicated in Sep. 1853. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 3 Sep 1853). A church was sold by NYSCU at an unknown date. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Groton (McLean)	Tompkins	First Universalist Society of Groton	in existence by 5 Sep 1832, when it was admitted to the Cayuga Association of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 5 Sep 1832)	It had become a community church by 7 Oct 1931. It was declared extinct on 24 Nov 1952. (NYSCU board minutes for the respective dates)	A church was dedicated 19 Oct 1842 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Nov 1842). It was conveyed to NYSCU on 13 Mar 1953 and was sold on 26 Sep 1955 to Robert and Louise Jackson of McGraw. (NYSCU records)
Half Moon & Stillwater (Mechanicsville)	Saratoga	Universalist Society of the Towns of Half Moon and Stillwater	incorp. on 22 May 1833 (per original document in office of Saratoga Co. Historian)		A new church was dedicated on Tuesday the 3d inst. (prob. 3 Jun 1856). (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 14 Jun 1856)

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Hamburg (Abbott's Corners)	Erie		in existence by 27 Apr 1838, when it was mentioned in an article "[The] Cause of Universalism." (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Apr 1838)		A church co-owned by Universalists, Methodists, and Presbyterians was dedicated on 19 Dec 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Jan 1834)
Hamilton (Hubbardsville)	Madison	The Universal Friendly Society of Hamilton and Its Vicinity	first founded in the summer of 1805 as "The Universalist Society in Hamilton and Its Vicinity" and reorganized in 1808 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Feb 1830)		
Hamilton (Hubbardsville)	Madison	First Universalist Society in Hamilton	incorp. on 20 Feb 1827 (Madison Co. Religious & Library Incorp., I:66)		Construction of a church began on 7 Jun 1832. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Jul 1832). The building was dedicated 27 Jun 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Jul 1833)
Hamilton (Hubbardsville)	Madison	First Universalist Church & Society in the Town of Hamilton	incorp. on 27 Oct 1866 (Madison Co. Religious & Other Incorp., II:148-50)	1922 (<i>Tree Talks</i> , Syracuse NY: Mar 2006, p. 7). In 1946 it turned its assets over to NYSCU (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1954)	The church was acquired in 1926 by NYSCU. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1927). It was sold to Hubbardsville Fish & Game Club, per NYSCU board minutes of 17 Oct 1945.

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Hamilton (Poolville)	Madison	First Universalist Society of Poolville	in existence by 1816, when they built a church; incorp. on 21 Apr 1884 (Madison Co. Religious & Other Incorp., II:199-200)	after 1913; it was still a member of NYSCU that year (NYSCU Parish Roll)	A church was built in 1816, per John E. Smith, Ed., <i>Our County and Its People: A Descriptive and Biographical Record of Madison County, New York</i> (Boston, MA: Boston History Company, 1899). A church was built in the town of Hamilton in 1842 “between the homes of Harold and Theron Dunham.” In about 1911 it was given to Poolville and it became known as the Community House.” (Hamilton NY <i>Mid-York Weekly</i> , 3 Jul 1947)
Hammond & Rossie	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society of Hammond & Rossie	org. on 6 Dec 1834 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 25 Apr 1835); incorp. on 20 Mar 1856 (St. Lawrence Religious Corporations 2: 220)		

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Hammond (Black Lake)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society in the Town of Hammond	incorp. on 5 Apr 1870 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2: 303)	inactive by 1911, when church and parsonage were acquired by quitclaim deed from Festus and Catharine Franklin; declared extinct in 1932 (NYSCU files)	A new church was dedicated on 27 Oct 1870, per Daily Times, Watertown, 2 Nov 1870. NYSCU acquired their church on 5 Jan 1911. (<i>The Convention at Work</i> : Oct. 1911, p. 334 and <i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1913). It was sold in 1918 to Rev. Selleck. (NYSCU Parish Roll). Later it became known as Knox Hall. Local school then used it for a gymnasium. Sold for \$50 on 9/19/1932 to Willis Van Schaik, per NYSCU records. After new school built in the 1960's, property was bought by Ed and Joan Hadlock, President and Secretary, respectively, of the local historical society. In Aug 2004 they were using the bldg. as a storehouse. (Karen Dau, courtesy of Stuart Casanova)

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Hannibal	Oswego	First Universalist Society of Hannibal	in existence by Apr 1853, when the Society hired Rev. C. W. Tomlinson as pastor (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 7 May 1853). It was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists on 21 Jun 1854. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 8 Jul 1854)		
Hanover & Sheridan	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society of Hanover & Sheridan	incorp. on 13 Jan 1835 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records p. 4)	before 30 Apr 1860, when the First Universalist Society of the Town of Sheridan was incorporated (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records p. 42)	
Hanover (Silver Creek)	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society in Silver Creek, N.Y.	incorp. on 29 Dec 1877 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records p. 237)		

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Harmony (Panama)	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society of Harmony	org. in Nov 1836 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 24 Feb 1837); admitted to the Chautauque [sic] As'n. of Universalists on 23 Aug 1837 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Sep 1837)		
Harpersfield	Delaware		in existence by Oct 1837, when Rev. Everit E. Guild was under arrangement to preach ¼ time until the following May. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 20 Oct 1837)		

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Harford (South Harford)	Cortland	First Universalist Society of Harford	in existence by 10 Sep 1834, when it was admitted to the Hudson River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 25 Oct 1834); incorporated on 16 Apr 1838 (Washington Co. Misc. Records 2:89-90)	declared extinct on 30 Mar 1938 and again on 1 Jan 1946, per NYSCU board minutes	The cornerstone for their church was laid in Jul 1838, per the (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 31 Aug 1838. This church burned to the ground on Thursday 27 Apr 1871, per the <i>Utica Weekly Herald</i> of 2 May 1871. A subsequent church was acquired by NYSCU on 10 Jan 1902 (<i>The Convention at Work</i> , Oct 1911) and sold to Howard Hanna of South Harford on 27 Jun 1950, per Washington Co. Court Liber 130, p. 252.
Hartwick & Otsego	Otsego	First United Universal Society in Hartwick, Otsego and the Vicinity Thereof	organized in 1805 (D. Hamilton Hurd, <i>The History of Otsego County, New York 1740-1878</i>); incorp. on 19 Sep 1807 (Otsego Co. Corporations A:50)	incorp. on 10 Nov 1907; amended 11 May 1980 (Oswego Co. Misc. Records B:331-2)	

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Hartwick (Fly Creek)	Otsego	First United Universal Society in Hartwick and the Vicinity, later Christ Church	incorp. on 20 Mar 1809 (Otsego Co. Corporations A: 58)	united with the Cooperstown congregation in 1938 (NYSCU Parish Roll)	A church was built in Fly Creek which was dedicated in 1821 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> New York, 31 Jan 1863). A second church was constructed in 1861 (<i>Otsego Farmer</i> , Otsego NY, 17 Sep 1964). In May 1937 it was sold at auction “for its bricks and beams” and torn down to make room for a parking lot. (Plattsburgh NY <i>Daily Press</i> , 14 May 1937).
Hastings	Oswego	First Universalist Society of the Town of Hastings	incorp. on 28 Feb 1833 (Oswego Cop. Misc. Records B: 331-32)		
Hastings (Central Square)	Oswego	First Universalist Society of Central Square	Inc. on 10 Nov 1907 (Liber 1 of Certs. Of Incorp. p. 442)	This is an active congregation.	The congregation owns a building constructed in 1908, per their website.
Hempstead (Floral Park)	Nassau	The Universalist Church of Floral Park	org. on 15 Oct 1930 as a mission enterprise; incorporated on 31 Mar 1931 (Nassau Co. Cert. of Inc. 41:196, #787)	had merged with the Unitarian Fellowship of Garden City by Nov. 1961 and had become the UU Congregation of Central Nassau	The congregation had property at 350 Plainfield Ave., corner of Magnolia Ave, that was sold at the time of the merger in 1961. (NYSCU files)
Henderson (Salisbury Mills)	Jefferson	Henderson Universal Charitable Society	1819 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 1 Mar 1839)		

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Henderson (Salisburys Mills)	Jefferson	First Universalist Society of Henderson	incorp. 13 Feb 1823 (Jefferson Co. Liber of Certs. A: 33);		A new meeting house was dedicated 25 Dec 1839 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 17 Jan 1840).
Henderson (Salisburys Mills)	Jefferson	First Universalist Society in Henderson	re-incorp. on 27 May 1838 (Jefferson Co. Liber of Certifications 1: 139); rededicated 30 Jun 1910 (NYSCU Parish Roll	1990's (Karen Dau)	In Dec 2022 the former church was continuing to serve as the home of the Henderson Historical Society. (Karen Dau)
Henrietta	Monroe		org. by 1819 (Stephen R. Smith, <i>Historical Sketches and Incidents Illustrative of the Establishment and Progress of Universalism in the State of New York</i> [Buffalo: 1848, p. 69]		
Henrietta (West Henrietta)	Monroe	First Universalist Society of West Henrietta; a.k.a. Church of the Good Shepherd	incorp. on 5 Aug 1876 (Monroe County Religious Corporation 1:244-5; original record is in Docket 1, Box 10, P. 150)		Land on Erie Station Road in West Henrietta was conveyed to the Society on 3 Oct 1877 by Chauncey Chapman and his unnamed wife. (Eleanor C. Hasbeck, <i>Henrietta Heritage</i> [1977, p.111]). A church was dedicated there on 14 Mar 1878. (<i>Christian Leader</i> , Utica NY, 2 Mar and 6 Apr 1878). The church was sold by 10 Sep 1901 when the sale proceeds were listed in the NYSCU Treasurer's report.

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Herkimer	Herkimer	The Universalist Society of Herkimer	incorp. on 28 Nov 1881 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations B:152)		On 22 Mar 1882 the Society purchased a lot on Park Ave. and began construction of a church, which was dedicated on 1 Feb 1883. (Herkimer, NY Sesquicentennial Celebration 1807-1952, P. 21), and ("History of the Universalist Church," author and date unknown, from the files of the Herkimer Co. Historical Society.)
Herkimer	Herkimer	Congregational Universalist Society of Herkimer, NY	incorp. on 7 Nov 1965 (Herkimer Co. Misc. Records 9:488, # 33784)		The building was demolished on 25 Sep 1999 (Herkimer NY <i>Evening Telegram</i> , 27 Sep 1999)
Hermon	St. Lawrence		incorp. on 8 Mar 1858 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2: 173)		In 1879 "Senator Lynde" presented the society with a lot on which it planned to build a church. (Lowville NY <i>Times</i> , 11 Sep 1879.
Homer	Cortland	The First Charitable, Universal, Religious Society of the Town of Homer	incorp. on 16 Nov 1813 (Cortland Co. Deeds A:546)		

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Homer	Cortland	First Universalist [sic] Society of the town of Homer	incorp. on 19 Jan 1829 (Cortland Co. Old Church Records p. 11) just a few months before the village of Cortland, which was then set off into its present township of Cortlandville.	by 1884, when the present congregation in Cortland was incorp.	
Homer	Cortland	First Universalist Society in the town of Homer	incorp. on 14 Jan 1840 (Cortland Co. Old Church Records p. 64)	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report on that date to the Cayuga As'n.	A meeting house on Main St. was remodeled and dedicated on 24 Dec 1839 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 17 Jan 1840 and 17 May 1841)
Hoosick (Buskirk)	Rensselaer		in existence by 1870—mentioned in <i>Hamilton Child's Gazetteer and Business Directory of Rensselaer Co.</i> for 1870-71		
Hoosick (Mapleton)	Rensselaer	The Liberal Religious Society of Mapleton	incorp. on 23 Jan 1836 as a union congregation. In Sep 1879 an effort was underway to establish regular Universalist preaching. (N. B. Sylvester, <i>History of Rensselaer Co. NY</i> , Philadelphia: 1880, p. 316)		The society rebuilt and occupied the former Mapleton Baptist Meeting House. (N. B. Sylvester, <i>History of Rensselaer Co. NY</i> , Philadelphia: 1880, p. 381)

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Hornby	Steuben	First Universalist Society	in existence by 7 Sep 1837, when it was admitted to the Steuben As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 Sep 1837)		
Hornell	Steuben	First Universalist Church of Hornellsville	incorp. on 23 May 1868 (Steuben Co. incorp. records, p. 261)		
Hornell	Steuben	First Universalist Church of Hornell, a.k.a. Woodbury	re-incorp. on 21 Jun 1897 (Steuben Co. court record, File 1, #180)	by the autumn of 1975 (NYSCU Parish Roll)	A building had been purchased by Oct 1902 per a letter by Rev. L. H. Squires, the society's founding pastor, to the NYSCU Missionary Board. It was sold in 1975. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Horseheads	Chemung		in existence by 17 Jun 1868, when it was admitted to the Steuben As'n. of Universalists as a newly organized society (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 8 Aug 1868)		
Howard (Towlesville)	Steuben		in existence by 20 Jun 1860, when it was admitted to the Steuben As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 7 Jul 1860)		

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Hudson	Columbia	First Universal Society and Church in the City of Hudson	incorp. on 23 Mar 1817 (Columbia Co., Liber E1 of Deeds p. 262)	The society reportedly "had ended its existence" by 31 Mar 1939, per NYSCU board minutes of that date.	Their first church was constructed in the summer of 1817. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 4 Jun 1859). It was sold in 1868 to St. Mary's church for use as a school. (<i>Hudson Register</i> , 16 Nov 1868). A new church was dedicated on 4 Feb 1869 (<i>Hudson Register</i> , 5 Feb 1869). The church was sold on 24 Apr 1925 to the Methodist Episcopal Church per NYSCU board minutes of 14 Apr 1925.
Hume (Cold Creek Falls)	Allegany	First Universalist Society in the Town of Hume	incorp. on 7 Mar 1839 (Allegany Co. Misc. Records B:157); reorganized in the spring of 1861 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 23 Mar 1861)	before the demolition of the church building in 1932	A church, under construction since 1842, was completed and dedicated on 21 Feb 1861. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 23 and 30 Mar 1861). It was torn down in 1932. (<i>Friendship Register</i> , 18 Feb 1932)
Huntington	Suffolk	First Universalist Society in Huntington	Organized and elected first Trustees on 3 Jan 1836. (Suffolk Co. Records A: 73)	Prob. by 1914, when the Society turned its bank account over to NYSCU.	Had a building which it sold to NYSCU on 12 Mar 1914. (Suffolk Co. Liber 871 p. 324)
Independence (Whitesville)	Allegany		Incorporated on 10 Feb 1872, per Cattaraugus Co. Misc. Records 6:278		The "present church" (in June 1923) had been built on a lot belonging to the Wilson family. Later the church was moved to lower Main St. in Whitesville. From an obit for Willis W. Wilson in Whitesville NY <i>News</i> , Thu. 21 Jun 1923.

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Jerusalem (Branchport)	Yates	First Universalist Church of Branchport, N.Y.	in existence by 10 Aug 1853, when it sent a delegate to the Steuben As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 3 Sep 1853)	after 14 Apr 1903, when the NYSCU board rescinded a previous vote on 26 Dec 1899 to declare it extinct	The Society had a building completed in June 1852. (Syracuse NY <i>Herald</i> , 11 Nov 1906. It was sold by 27 May 1920. NYSCU files). The building was sold by 27 May 1920 (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1920) to Oliver Lynn and Seymour Poyneer. (Penn Yan NY <i>Democrat</i> , Fri. 4 Jun 1920)
Kendall	Orleans	First Universalist Society of Kendall, Orleans Co. N.Y.	Incorp. on 30 Oct 1854. (Orleans Co. Religious Corporations, 76-77)	declared extinct on 14 Sep 1908, per NYSCU Board minutes for that date	A church was dedicated on 24 Oct 1855. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 10 Nov 1855). Around 1887, the building was rented to the Concordia Lutheran Church until Nov. 1891. (Hilton NY <i>Record</i> , 13 May 1937). It was sold by 6 Oct 1909 when the sale proceeds were listed in the NYSCU Treasurer's report. In 1937 it was in use as the Kendall Town Hall. In 1978 it was moved to the Cobblestone Museum in Childs and was converted in a farmer's hall. (Medina NY <i>Journal-Register</i> , 8 Aug 1979)

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Kingston (Rondout)	Ulster		The Committee on the State of the Church reported to NYSCU on 28 May 1851 that a small society had been organized at Rondout. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Aug 1851)		
Kirkland (Clinton)	Oneida	First Universalist Society in the Town of Kirkland	incorp. on 6 Jun 1831 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations pp. 93-94)	declared extinct by circular letter dated 19 Apr 1898	The "Free Church" was built in 1822 by the Universalist Society in Whitestown, which at that time was comprised of two societies, one in Whitestown and one in Clinton. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> ; Utica NY, 9 Jan 1830). On 12 Oct 1870 the Society dedicated a new church on Williams St. in Clinton. (Clinton NY <i>Advertiser</i> , 6 Mar 1909).
Lansingburgh	Rensselaer		org. on 15 Dec 1832 (George B. Anderson, <i>Landmarks of Rensselaer County, New York</i> , Syracuse, NY 1897)	The society dissolved at the time it sold its building to St. John's R. C. Church. (N. B. Sylvester, <i>History of Rensselaer Co. NY</i> , Philadelphia: 1880, p. 316). [Perhaps this was around 1842, when St. John's was incorporated. Karen Dau]	A church was built on the corner of North and John Streets by 13 May 1834. It was sold later to St. John's R. C. Church. (N. B. Sylvester, <i>History of Rensselaer Co. NY</i> (Philadelphia: 1880, p. 316)

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Laona	Chautauqua		org. by Feb. 1878, per <i>Fredonia Censor</i> , 13 Feb 1918		
Lawrence (Lawrenceville)	St. Lawrence		in existence by 25 Jun 1851, when it sent a delegate to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 Jul 1851)		
Lawrence (North Lawrence)	St. Lawrence		in existence by 12 Jun 1872, when it was admitted to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (minutes of St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists)		
Lawrence (Nicholville)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society of Hopkinton and Lawrence	in existence by "26th ult., probably 26 Feb" 1830. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Mar 1830). Officially org. in 1840 (Potsdam NY <i>Courier & Freeman</i> , 31 Jul 1958). No court incorp. record found.	After 1913, when it was still a member of NYSCU.	A church was built in 1853 (Potsdam NY <i>Courier & Freeman</i> , 13 Mar 1958).

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Lebanon	Madison	First Universalist Society of the Town of Lebanon	incorp. on 12 Feb 1831 (Madison Co. Religious & Library Incorp. I:84 and <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 19 Mar 1831)	It was failing by Jun 1866. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 7 Jul 1866)	A church was dedicated on the “26th ult.” 1834, probably on 26 Feb. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Mar 1834)
Lenox (Clockville)	Madison	First Society of Universalist [sic] in Lenox, Madison Co.	incorp. on 24 Jan 1842 (Madison Co. Religious & Library Incorp. I:132)	after 1939, when records still existed; in 2006 they were housed in the county historical society	
Le Roy	Genesee	First Universalist Society of Le Roy	in existence by 23 Sep 1829 when it was admitted to the Genesee As’n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 19 Dec 1829); incorp. on 21 Sep 1831 (Genesee Co. Misc. Records, 2: 440); re-incorp. 22 Jun 1839 (Genesee Co. Misc. Records, 8: 433)	Probably by 1908, when NYSCU sold their building	The church was dedicated 25 Mar 1860 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 5 May 1860). It was sold by 7 Oct 1908 when the sale proceeds were listed in the NYSCU Treasurer’s report. Later it was a Masonic Lodge and demolition began in Aug 2008. (Per “Demolition in LeRoy: Tearing Down the Temple,” an online post by Philip Anselmo on 6 Aug 2008)

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Lewiston	Niagara	First Universalist Society of the town of Lewiston	incorp. on 17 Jun 1839 (Niagara Co. misc. records 2: 177)		<p>“Our friends in Lewiston have completed their neat and commodious meeting house—it is an ornament to the village, and a credit to themselves. <i>(Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate, Utica NY, 23 Jun 1837.)</i> Later: “The meeting house in Lewiston, erected by our friends several years ago, has lately been finished and dedicated.” <i>(Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate, Utica NY, 3 Nov 1843)</i></p>
Leyden (Talcottville)	Lewis	First Universalist Society in Leyden, Lewis County	incorp. on 14 Jun 1831 (Lewis Co. Misc. Records 1:60)	On 14 Jun 1854 the Mohawk River As’n. of Universalists reported: “Leyden—Have a church, no pastor, no church organization, nor Sabbath School, no worship, and no prosperity for the cause.” <i>(Christian Ambassador, Auburn NY, 18 Mar 1854)</i>	<p>A church “on the State road, about equidistant between Leyden Hill and Boonville village,” was dedicated on the “16th ult.,” probably 16 Jan 1832. <i>(Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate, Utica NY, 25 Feb 1832)</i> In 1883, money was being sought to convert the church into a town hall. (The Lowville NY Democrat, 12 Sep 1883).</p>

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Lima (North Bloomfield)	Livingston	First Universalist Society in Lima	incorp. on 12 Mar 1825 (Livingston Co. Misc. Records 1: 132)		A "Brick Meeting-house, recently erected by the Universalist Society in North Bloomfield," was dedicated 17 Jun 1829. (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 4 Jul 1829). S. R. Smith notes that it was situated "a few rods west of Honeoye Creek, at what is called Smith's Mills, and is about three miles to the north of the village of West Bloomfield." (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 29 Aug 1829). Also a notice in the <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , (Utica NY) of 7 May 1831 stated that Rev. S[avillion] W. Fuller would be preaching "at Lima, in the Universalist meeting-house, near North Bloomfield." On 20 Sep 1848 a meeting house in North Bloomfield was dedicated that had a school on the first floor and the Universalist church upstairs. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Nov 1848). Another church was built in 1872 and dedicated on 13 Apr that year by Rev. Asa Saxe of Rochester. In Nov. 1920 this building was sold to David

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					Quinlan of Lima (Livonia NY Gazette, 26 Nov 1920).
Lisle (Upper Lisle; Sharp's Mills)	Broome	First Religious Society of Unaversalists [sic], later First Religious Society of Universalists in Lisle	in existence in 1815 per a statistics report to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Oct 1835); incorp. on 4 May 1816 (Broome Co.: Incorporated Societies 1:8); reorganized around 1828 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 28 Apr 1866)	declared extinct on 6 Sep 1945 per NYSCU board minutes of that date	A newly constructed meeting house was dedicated on "Wed. the 6th inst." (6 Jul 1831). (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Jul 1831). On 4 Sep 1908 the building was being held by NYSCU. (<i>The Convention at Work</i> : Oct. 1911, p. 334). The building, land and pasture were sold to G. C. Clough on 6 Sep 1945 per NYSCU board minutes of 10 Oct that year.
Litchfield (Cedarville)	Herkimer	The Universalist Society of Cedarville, Herkimer Co.	incorp. on 27 Oct 1829 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations, A:113-14 and <i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 21 Nov 1829)	The congregation was referred to as "the former Universalist Church, Cedarville" in an obit for Della C. Goodman. (<i>Utica Daily Press</i> , 10 Jan 1968).	The first church was built in 1826 (NYSCU files) and apparently was the one dedicated 26 May 1831 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 4 Jun 1831).
Litchfield, Paris & Frankfort	Herkimer, except for Paris which is in Oneida Co.	First Universalist Society of the Towns of Litchfield, Paris and Frankfort	incorp. on 19 Mar 1838 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations B:33)		A newly built meeting house was dedicated on "Wed. the 22d" in Jan 1840. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 31 Jan 1840)

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Livonia (Lakeville)	Livingston	First Universalist Society in the town of Livonia	incorp. on 1 Nov 1831 (Livingston Co. Misc. Records 1: 284, and <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 5 Nov 1847)		The Society owned a church in Nov 1842, where a conference of the Ontario As'n. of Universalists was held on the 8th of that month. An Association statistics report dated 20 Oct 1847 noted that the society had a meeting house in Lakeville. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 5 Nov 1847). It was abandoned when the new church was finished in Conesus in 1874. (<i>Livonia Gazette</i> , 27 Mar 1936)
Locke (Milan)	Cayuga	First Universalist Society in the Town of Locke	incorp. on 30 May 1823 (Cayuga Co. religious corporations records, A: 81)		
Lockport	Niagara	First Universalist Church and Society of Lockport, N. Y.	incorp. on 12 Sep 1836 (Niagara Co. Misc. Records 2: 3)		

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Lockport	Niagara	Church of the Redeemer	incorp. on 11 Apr 1842. (Niagara Co. Misc. Records 2: 397)	declared extinct on 30 Mar 1938, per NYSCU board minutes of that date	A stone church at Ontario and Church Sts. was dedicated on 22 Dec 1843 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Feb 1844). On 4 Jun 1941, the NYSCU board sold it to the Presbyterian Church Society, which operated it as Hamilton House. Since 2005 it has housed the Erie Canal Discovery Center. (Karen Dau)
Lodi	Seneca		in existence by 12 Aug 1833, when its location was noted (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Sep 1833)		
Louisville	St. Lawrence		in existence by 27 Jun 1855, when it was admitted to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 14 Jul 1855)		
Lowville	Lewis	First Universalist Society of the Town of Lowville and its Vicinity	org. on the "10th inst.," probably 10 Mar 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 30 Mar 1833)		

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Lyme (Chaumont)	Jefferson	First Universalist Society of Chaumont	in existence by 18 Jun 1845, when it was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Jul 1845); incorp. 8 Sep 1850 (Jefferson Co. Liber of Certs. 1:281-2); reorg. as a new society on 14 Sep 1867 and readmitted to the As'n. on 17 Jun 1868 (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 4 Jul 1868)		
Lyons	Wayne	First Universalist Society of Lyons	in existence by 26 Oct 1833, when its formation was reported (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Oct 1833); incorp. on 5 Aug 1851 (Wayne Co. Misc. Court Records, 2: 59)		
Lysander (Baldwinsville)	Onondaga		in existence by Oct 1834, when the ordination sermon of its pastor Rev. W. Queal was released for sale (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 10 Oct 1834); no incorp. record found		

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Macedon	Wayne	Universalist Society of Macedon, a.k.a. Church of the Good Shepherd	incorp. on 11 Mar 1871 (Wayne Co. Miscellaneous Docket 3:77)	1959 (per letters from Margaret A. Breese to Donald Beebe of NYSCU, 11 and 23 Jul 1960)	A church built on land donated by Lyman Bickford was dedicated in May 1873. On 7 Oct 1959 the church was sold to the Town of Macedon and it was established as the town hall on 19 Aug 1961. (Palmyra NY <i>Courier-Journal</i> , 15 Jan 1975; Margaret A. Breese, "History of the 'Church of the Good Shepherd, Universalist'", Macedon, NY, June 19, 1964, pp. 15-17). In Jul 2002 it was in use as a private residence. (Karen Dau)
Madison	Madison	First Universalist Society of the Town of Madison	org. in 1820 (NYSCU Parish Roll); incorporated 10 Dec 1866 (Madison Co. Religious & Other Incorp., II:155-57); re-incorporated 26 Apr 1898 (Madison Co. Religious & Other Incorp. II:225-6)	by 1948, when it turned its assets over to NYSCU. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1954)	A church built "in the neighborhood of 30 years ago" was re-dedicated on 28 Jun 1854 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 5 Aug 1854). It was sold to the American Legion Post per NYSCU board minutes of 18 Nov 1947. By the year 2000 it had been demolished. (Karen Dau)
Madrid (Columbia)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society of Madrid	An early society was established in 1814. (B. Hough, A History of St. Lawrence and Franklin Counties, Albany: 1853, p. 346). A society was incorporated on 30 Mar 1841 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations		A church was dedicated 14 Sep 1843. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 20 Oct 1843). It was reported sold in the NYSCU board minutes of 2 Jul 1896. In 1901 it was in use by E.A. Horton of the Watertown Carriage Co. as a repository for wagons & sleighs. (Watertown NY <i>Times</i> , 23 Nov. 1901

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			2:3). Apparently a re-organization occurred on 7 Mar 1852. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 8 May 1852)		
Malone	Franklin		“A Universalist society was formed not long after the war [of the Revolution] but had for many years been lost, when Dec. 27, 1845, it was formed. (F. B. Hough, <i>A History of St. Lawrence and Franklin Counties</i> , Albany NY: 1853, p. 513; no court incorporation record found)	By 4 Jul 1892, when the St. Lawrence University trustees had thanked the church congregation for the proceeds of the sale of the building.	A newly built church was dedicated on 8 Jul 1847. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 30 Jul 1847). By 4 Jul 1892 it had been sold and proceeds given to St. Lawrence University, per the Canton NY <i>St. Lawrence Plaindealer</i> on that date.
Mamaroneck	Westchester		in existence by 19 Oct 1842, when it was admitted to the New York As’n of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Nov 1842)		
Manchester (Clifton Springs)	Ontario	First Universalist Society of Manchester	in existence by 13 Sep 1837, when it was admitted to the Ontario As’n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 6 Oct		A newly constructed church was dedicated “on Wednesday morning of last week.” (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 12 Mar 1853).

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			1837)		
Manchester (Clifton Springs)	Ontario	First Universalist Society of Clifton Springs	incorp. on 1 Apr 1852 (Ontario Co. Misc. Court Records E: 123-125)	by 7 Oct 1922, when it was noted as "dead." Its financial assets were turned over to NYSCU the following year. (NYSCU files)	Their church was sold on 4 Oct 1922. (NYSCU board minutes of 10 Apr 1923) By Dec 1922 it was owned by Father John O'Donoghue of St. Felix R.C. Parish. (Clifton Springs NY <i>Press</i> , 28 Dec 1922)
Manchester (Shortsville)	Ontario		org. before 1913, when it was a member of NYSCU. No incorp. record found.		
Manheim	Herkimer	Universalist Society of Manheim and Oppenheim United	in existence by 30 May 1835, when its formation was reported (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 30 May 1835)		
Manheim (Dolgeville)	Herkimer	Universalist Church Society of Dolgeville	incorp. on 22 Nov 1892 (Herkimer Co. Misc. Records 2:122-3)	dissolved by Oct 1984 (NYSCU board minutes); closed in 1987 (Dolgeville church records)	Church construction was completed in 1895 and the dedication took place in May that year. The building was sold on 23 Nov 1984 to the Believers Bible Church. (NYSCU files).
Manlius & Pompey	Onondaga	First Universal Society of Manlius and Pompey	incorp. on 18 Feb 1820 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records D: 176)		

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Manlius (Kirkville)	Onondaga	First Universalist Society of Kirkville	incorp. on 23 Feb 1874 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records J: 25)	declared extinct on 29 Jan 1908 and again on 30 Mar 1938, per respective NYSCU board minutes	A union church was built in 1850. By 1878 the Universalists were its only occupants. (W. W. Clayton, <i>History of Onondaga Co.</i> , Syracuse: 1878, p. 374). In 1908 the property was transferred to NYSCU (<i>Syracuse Herald</i> , 25 Apr 1908). The church was sold in 1926 to the Kirkville Brotherhood. (NYSCU Board minutes of 17 Apr 1928). After that organization folded, an effort was being made in July 1939 by NYSCU to sell the building to the Firemen's Organization — outcome unknown. (Letter of Frederick Leining, 15 Jul 1939). The land remained in the possession of NYSCU until it was sold on 25 Aug 1964. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Mansfield	Cattaraugus	First Universal Society in the Town of Mansfield	incorp. on 19 Apr 1834 (Cattaraugus Co. Misc. Records 1: 256)		
Mansfield and Otto	Cattaraugus		org. in 1850, apparently not incorporated		A new church was under construction by May 1851. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 7 Jun 1851). It was dedicated on 3 Aug 1853. (The Ellicottville NY <i>Cattaraugus Republican</i> , 21 Jul 1853)

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Mansfield (Eddyville)	Cattaraugus	Unaversalist [sic] Church of Eddyville	incorp. on 20 May 1873 (Cattaraugus Co. Misc. Records 6: 391)	declared extinct by circular letter vote 5 May 1899	
Marcellus	Onondaga	First Unaversalists [sic] Society in the town of Marcellus	incorp. on 10 Apr 1820 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records D: 158)	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report on that date to the Cayuga As'n.	
Marcy (Stittsville)	Oneida		An active society was in place by Apr 1856, when Rev. Jacob Whitney noted that Rev. D. Skinner, who had been preaching $\frac{1}{4}$ time, had had to withdraw because of poor health. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 12 Apr 1856)		
Marshall (Deansville)	Oneida	First Universalist Society of the town of Marshall	incorp. on 25 Apr 1829 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations p. 82)	A report to the Central As'n. of Universalists on 6 Jun 1866 noted that the society was inactive and its future was uncertain. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 7 Jul 1866)	A newly constructed meeting house was dedicated on 6 Oct 1836. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 22 Oct 1836)
Massena	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society of Massena	in existence by 25 Nov 1829, when its formation was reported (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 5		

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			Dec 1829); incorp. on 21 Sep 1835 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Incorporations 1: 97)		
Massena	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Church of Massena	incorp. on 12 Nov 1900 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Incorporations 2: 110)		A new church was to be dedicated on 3 May 1903 per Ogdensburg NY <i>News</i> , 1 May 1903. A church on W. Orvis and Andrews Sts. was sold in 1924 to the Maccabees organization (Potsdam NY <i>Courier & Freeman</i> , 12 Nov 1924), and by 14 Apr 1925 to the Odd Fellows, per NYSCU board minutes of that date. Sometime before 1940 an Arco service station was built on the location. (Massena NY <i>Observer</i> , Thu. 13 Jun 1974)
McDonough (Baldwin Settlement)	Chenango		in existence by 29 Aug 1827, when it was admitted to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists; per original As'n. minutes; no incorp. record found		A new union meeting house was dedicated on 24 Oct 1839 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 22 Nov 1839)
Medina	Orleans	First Universalist Church of Medina	organized 25 Apr 1917 (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Utica, June 1915)		
Mexico	Oswego	First Universalist Society of the Town of	incorp. on 12 Apr 1832 (Oswego Co. Misc. Records B:26)		

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		Mexico; a.k.a. Christ Church Universalist			
Mexico	Oswego	Second Universalist Society of Mexico	3 Apr 1853 (Oswego Co. Misc. Records D: 357)		A new church was dedicated on 16 Nov 1871, per Utica NY <i>Daily Observer</i> , 17 Nov 1871. Their building was sold to VFW in 1945 per Mexico NY <i>Independent Centennial Issue</i> 1861-1961.
Middlebury	Wyoming (formerly in Genesee Co.)	First Uneversalist [sic] Society in the Towns of Middlebury and Covington	incorp. on 13 Jan 1821 (Genesee Co. Misc. Court Records 1: 424)		
Middlebury (Wyoming)	Wyoming (formerly in Genesee Co.)	First Universalist Society in the Town of Middlebury	incorp. on 26 Mar 1832 (Genesee Co. Misc. Court Records 2: 501)		
Middletown	Orange	Christ Church of Middletown, New York; later Unitarian-Universalist Church in Middletown, New York	incorp. on 25 Mar 1897 (Orange Co. Religious Incorporations 2:53) name change 24 Sep 1968 (Orange County Religious Incorporations 3:271)	This is an active congregation.	has a church at 6 Orchard St., Middletown NY
Colliersville (town of Milford)	Otsego	First Universalist Society of Colliersville and	incorp. on 22 Feb 1872 (Otsego Co. Incorporations C:219)	after 15 Dec 1903, when a NYSCU board rescinded a previous vote on 14 Feb 1898 to	A church was built in the summer of 1876. (D. H. Hurd, <i>The History of Otsego County, N. Y.</i>) It was acquired by NYSCU on 9 Mar

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		Maryland (Church of Our Savior)		declare it extinct	1907 (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1913) and sold in 1931. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Mina	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society of Mina	incorp. on 9 Dec 1834 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records p. 2)		
Minden (Fort Plain)	Montgomery	First Universalist Society in Minden, a.k.a. Church of the Messiah	org. in 1825 (NYSCU Parish Roll); incorp. on 6 Apr 1833 (Montgomery Co. Record of Church Corporations, p.92)	The congregation held its final service on 23 Jun 1996. (NYSCU files). It was formally dissolved on 10 Feb 1997, per county court records.	Their first church was newly under construction in Mar 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Mar 1833); an accident occurred on 27 Jun that killed the "principal workman." (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 20 Jul 1833). It was built in the Romanesque revival style commonly used for churches of this time. (from Unity Hall/Mohawk Valley Collective webpage.) It was dedicated on 25 Dec 1833. (Amsterdam NY <i>Recorder</i> , Bicentennial Edition 1972). The cornerstone for a new church was laid on 2 May 1896. The building was sold in 1990 to a branch of the Southern Episcopal Church. In 2022 the building was being renovated for use as an arts-oriented community center. (NYSCU files and Karen Dau)
Minden (Fords Bush)	Montgomery		Org. on 19 Jun 1838 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Jul 1838) and (F.W. Beers, <i>The History of</i>		A church was dedicated on 22 Dec 1874, Rev. Charles F. Lee officiating. (<i>The Utica NY Observer</i> , 22 Dec 1874)

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			<i>Montgomery & Fulton Counties NY, 1878); reorg. 1875 (Utica NY Daily Observer, 8 Jul 1875</i>		
Minden (Mindenville)	Montgomery	Mindenville Universalist Society	incorp. on 30 May 1847 (Montgomery Co. Record of Church Corporations, p.123)		
Minden	Montgomery	Second Universalist Parish of the Town of Minden	incorp. on 17 May 1879 (Montgomery Co. Record of Church Corporations, p.158).	by 1952, when it turned over its assets to NYSCU. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1954)	The Society owned a church in Jul 1851. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Aug 1851). A church was sold sometime after 14 Jun 1942. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Minisink	Orange	United Society of Christian Friends Professing Universal Salvation	incorp. on 20 Sep 1813 (Orange Co. religious corporations records 1: 69)		
Monticello	Sullivan		by the time of its admission in 1848 to the New York As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Nov 1848); no incorp. record found		
Moriah	Essex		in existence in Nov 1829, per a letter from Rev. Kittredge Haven dated 10 Jun 1830 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Jul		

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			1830)		
Morris (Louisville, now Morris village)	Otsego	First Universalist Society in Louisville	org. by 22 Jun 1842, when it was admitted to the Otsego As'n. of Universalists. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Jul 1842)	Its closing was scheduled for 1 Nov 1945 per NYSCU board minutes for 10 Oct of that year.	"The new church recently erected in Louisville, Otsego county was dedicated on Wednesday, December 15" [1841]. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Jan 1842). By 1946 the building was in use by the Church of the Holy Cross (Binghamton NY <i>Press</i> , 5 Aug 1946). On 12 May 1955 the church was sold to Arthur Lyle and Elizabeth Rose Austin.
Morristown (Brier Hill)	St. Lawrence		An early society was in existence by 28 Jun 1843, when it was admitted to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 14 Jul 1843).		
Morristown (Brier Hill)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society of Morristown and Macomb	Incorporated on 26 Mar 1856 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2:152)		
Morristown (Brier Hill)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society of Brier Hill	Incorporated on 14 Feb 1859 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2:176)	declared extinct on 18 Sep 1900 per NYSCU board minutes	A newly constructed church was dedicated on 6 Jun 1860. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 30 Jun 1860). A newly completed church was to

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					be dedicated on 27 Sep 1883 per the Canton NY <i>St. Lawrence Plaindealer</i> on 27 Sep 1883. The church was sold by 10 Sep 1903 when the sale proceeds were listed in the NYSCU Treasurer's report.
Mount Pleasant (Sing Sing)	Westchester		Org. during the final six months of 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Mar 1834); admitted to the Hudson River As'n. of Universalists on 10 Sep 1834 (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 25 Oct 1834)		
Mount Vernon	Westchester		org. on 22 May 1852 (Mount Vernon NY <i>Daily Argus</i> , 6 Oct 1934.)		Newly constructed church at S. Third Ave. and E. Fourth St. dedicated on 23 Sep 1856. Sold in 1907 and later became the site of the Chatsworth Apartments. (Mount Vernon NY <i>Daily Argus</i> , 13 Mar 1941.)
Mount Vernon	Westchester	First Universalist Church of Mount Vernon, N.Y.	incorp. on 20 Jan 1908 (Westchester Co. Incorp. Records Series 45, pp. <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> 562-3)	by Feb. 1952, when it was mentioned in an obit as the "former Mount Vernon Universalist-Unitarian Church"	Construction of the new church at 38 S. Second Ave. was started in June of 1908. (Mount Vernon NY <i>Daily Argus</i> , 15 Jun 1908). In 1948 the bldg. was sold to the Hellenic (Greek) Orthodox community (Mount Vernon NY <i>Daily Argus</i> , 29 Sep 1951).

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Murray (North Murray)	Genesee		in existence by 4 Jan 1833, when its formation was reported; it also included Clarkson in Monroe Co. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Jan 1833)		
Nassau	Rensselaer	Sacondaga Universalist Society	in existence by 3 Oct 1838, when it was admitted to the Hudson River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 2 Nov 1838)		A union church co-owned by Universalists, Methodists, and Presbyterians was dedicated on 19 Dec 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Jan 1834)
Nelson (Erieville)	Madison	First Universalist Society in Nelson	incorp. on 16 Feb 1839 (Madison Co. Religious & Library Incorporations I: 128)	by 1891 (<i>Tree Talks</i> , Syracuse NY: Mar 2006, p. 8)	A church was dedicated on "the 16th ult.," probably 16 Nov 1842. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Dec 1842). By 1936 it was the Grange Hall. (Morrisville NY <i>Madison County Leader & Observer</i> , 10 Dec 1936)
Nelson (Nelson Flats)	Madison		in existence by 5 Jun 1833, when it was admitted to the Central As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 13 Jul 1833)		In 1833 the Universalists had a 7/8 interest in a union meeting house which they shared with four other "Partialist" congregations believed to be two Presbyterians, one Baptist and one Methodist. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Mar 1833)

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New Berlin (South New Berlin)	Chenango	First Universalist Society	in existence by 9 Aug 1828, when Rev. J. B. Shannon had accepted a pastorate there (<i>Utica Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 9 Aug 1828)		A church co-owned by Universalists, Methodists, and Presbyterians was dedicated on 19 Dec 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Jan 1834)
New Berlin (Holmesville)	Chenango	Second Universalist Society	in existence by 22 Sep 1837, when it is mentioned in a statistics report <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> (, Utica NY, 22 Sep 1837); incorporated on 6 Aug 1838 (Chenango Co. Incorporation of Religious Societies A: 162); apparently reorganized by 12 Jun 1867, when it was re-admitted to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists. (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 6 Jul 1867)		The Society owned a half-interest in two meeting houses, one at Great Brook and one at White Store (Norwich), according to a statistics report to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 22 Sep 1837). By 1839 a report to the Association stated that the society had "no house." (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Oct 1839)
New Hartford (Whitestown)	Oneida	Universalist Society of Whitestown	org. prob. by 1815, when a church was built		A church was built in the summer of 1815 in an area of Whitestown that became part of New Hartford in 1827. In 1822 the society constructed another church in Clinton, and by 1825 it had divided into two societies. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> ; Utica NY, 9 Jan 1830). In 1831 the New Hartford church was believed to be the oldest Universalist meeting house

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					standing in New York State (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , 27 Sep 1831).
New Hartford	Oneida	Universalist Society of New Hartford	in existence by Sep 1869, when it was referred to in a deed as “the Universalist Society of New Hartford, formerly known as the Universalist Society of Whitestown” (Oneida Co. deeds 297:46)		
New Haven	Oswego	First Universalist Society of the Town of New Haven	org. on 8 Apr 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 Jun and 6 Jul 1833)		
New Lebanon	Columbia		org. on “7th ult.”, prob. 7 Jan 1840 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Feb 1840)		
New Lots, East New York (now Ward 26 of Brooklyn)	Kings	Evangelical Protestant Universalist Church	incorp. on 21 Oct 1866 (Kings Co. Religious Incorporations V.1)		
New York City	New York	Society of United Christian Friends (Duane St. Society)	Incorp. on 4 Nov 1800 (NYC Religious Incorporations 1:26). Re-incorp. on 14 Dec 1801 (NYC Religious Incorporations 1:29). It was never in fellowship with the	“That society continued during Mr. [Rev. Edward] Mitchell’s life-time [he died 8 Aug 1834], and struggled on for a year or two afterward—but finally passed away.”	The society built a church on what was then Magazine St., between Broadway and Chatham St., and later was Pearl St. Later they built a church on Duane St. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 7 Apr 1866)

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			Universalist denomination. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 7 Apr 1866 and website of the Community Church of New York, UU)	(<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York, 15 Feb 1850). After Mitchell's death the Society called Rev. [David] Pickering, but it declined and finally foundered. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> New York NY, 7 Apr 1866)	
New York City	New York	Second Society of United Christian Friends (Prince St. Society)	incorp. on 12 Feb 1823 (NYC Religious Incorporations 1:114).	The society disbanded after the pastorate of Rev. Abner Kneeland, who was dismissed by Feb 1829 (<i>Utica Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 21 Feb 1829). On 5 Apr 1829 several of its ex-members formed the Grand St. Society. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 7 Apr 1866)	The society built a church on Prince St., on the corner of Orange St., apparently around the time of its founding. But they sold it after only a few years. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , New York NY, 7 Apr 1866)
New York City (Brevoort)	New York	First Universalist Mission Society in the City of New York	in existence by 1858; incorporated on 17 May 1869 (NY Co. Division of Old Records, DH #2, P. 166)	merged with the Fourth Universalist Society on 16 Mar 1921 (NY Co. Div. of Old Records)	The Society had a building at 154-156 East 54th St. in 1905. It was sold by NSYCU at an unspecified date. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
New York City	New York	First Universalist Society	Incorp. on 8 May 1826 (NYC Religious Incorporations 1:140)	The First Universalist Society did not send a representative to the Hudson River As'n. of Universalists meeting on	

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				10 Sep 1828 and had probably disappeared by then. (<i>Utica Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 18 Oct 1828)	
New York City	New York	Second Universalist Society in the City of New York; Orchard St. Society	Incorp. on 9 Jul 1827 (NYC Religious Incorporations 1:155). "It should have taken the title of first society; but did not, out of courtesy to the old "Society of United Christian Friends," under the care of Rev. Edward Mitchell, which, though never in fellowship with the denomination, and in many respects quite antagonistic to it, still sturdily maintained the doctrine of universal salvation; and it was hoped that under more favorable auspices, it might someday assume a better position, and take the place of First Universalist Society of New York. But this hope was never realized." (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Feb 1850)		A church on Grand Street was purchased on 8 Apr 1829 from the All Saints Episcopal congregation (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 20 Feb 1830 and 15 Feb 1850) The congregation moved to a church on Orchard St., in the Lower East Side, "on the third Sunday of Apr 1832" that had been built about 4 years earlier by a Reformed Dutch congregation which lost it in a foreclosure. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Feb 1850)
New York City (Harlem)	New York	Second Unaversalist (sic) Society in	Incorp. on 3 Oct 1866 (NYC Religious Incorporations 2:267-8)	declared extinct on 19 Jan 1904 per NYSCU board minutes for that date	On 22 Oct 1879 the cornerstone was laid for a new church at 127th and Lexington Sts. in

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		the City of New York; a.k.a. Harlem Universalist Society, a.k.a. Sawyer Memorial Church			Harlem. The congregation was moving there from a previous location on Oliver St. (<i>New York Times</i> , 23 Oct 1879)
New York City	New York	Third Universalist Church in the City of New York; aka Bleecker St. Universalist Society and Church of Eternal Hope	Incorp. on 10 Dec 1829 (Certificates of Religious Incorporations 1:169. Re-incorp. 3 Jun 1834 (NYC Religious Incorporations 1:208-9). Re-incorp. on 20 Sep 1852 (NYC Religious Incorporations 2:177)	Apparently it was disbanded by Feb 1936, when Convention finance records note the existence of an Eternal Hope Fund which was the source of money for the Washington Heights congregation.	A church at 214 Bleecker St., corner of Downing St. was purchased in 1835. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 25 Apr 1835). It was dedicated on “the 19th ult.,” 19 Jun 1836 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Jul 1836). Sold in 1883 to the Mission of St. Benedict the Moor. (D.W. Dunlap, “From Abyssinian to Zion: A Guide to Manhattan’s Houses of Worship,” 2004.) In 1892 a church was built for them at 142 W. 81st St. It was sold around 1912 to a Disciples of Christ congregation (<i>New York Times</i> , 13 Feb 1914). A small section of it that remains from demolition in 1936 was rebuilt as a movie house, which in June 2005 was reopened as the IFC Center. (<i>New York Times</i> , Sun 13 Aug 2006)

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New York City	New York	Church of the Divine Paternity; later, Fourth Universalist Society	incorp. on 11 Nov 1838 (NYC Religious Incorporations 2:24-5). Consolidated with First Universalist Mission Society on 11 Mar 1921 (NY Co. Div. of Old Records)	This is an active congregation.	The cornerstone for their cathedral, located at 160 Central Park West, was laid on 14 Nov 1897 and the building was dedicated on 2 Nov 1898. It has come to be known as "The Landmark on the Park." (per church records)
		Fourth Universalist Society	*re-incorp. on 13 Apr 1969 (NY Co. Div. of Old Records) *re-incorp. on 3 Jun 1985 (NY Co. Div. of Old Records)		
New York City	New York	Fifth Universalist Society; a.k.a. the "Fourth Street Society"	Incorp. on 19 Apr 1841 (NYC Religious Incorporations 2:45-6). Re-incorp. on 19 Jul 1870 (NYC Religious Incorporations 2:303)	by 18 Mar 1866, when it was reported as "now deceased" (, New York NY, 7 Apr 1866)	They had a church on Fourth Street, between Avenues B and C, in the "Dry Dock" neighborhood per , New York NY, 7 Apr 1866. It had been sold by Oct 1851 to the Union Congregational Church. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY 4 Oct 1851)
New York City	New York	Sixth Universalist Society, a.k.a. Our Savior	org. 28 Jul 1851 (New York Sun, 15 May 1882)	noted as defunct per NYSCU board minutes of 26 Jan 1892	The Society purchased a small church on Twenty-Fourth St. in Oct 1852 and occupied it in Jan 1853. In early 1859 a building and lot were purchased lot on Twentieth St. near Seventh Ave. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 5 Mar 1859). Later the Society had a church at 309 W. 57th St., which was sold to the Central Cong. Church in 1887, per the NYC Organ Project:

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					Manhattan, at www.nycago.org .
New York City [Eastside]	New York	German Universalist Church	Incorp. on 1 Jan 1838 (NYC Religious Incorporations 2: 15-16)		In 1867 the Society purchased a former Methodist church on Wycoff and Fulton Avenues and dedicated it on "Sunday afternoon last" (23 Mar 1867). (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 23 Feb 1867 and the East New York Sentinel of 30 Mar 1867, quoted in <i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 6 Apr 1867)
New York City (Washington Heights)	New York	Washington Heights Universalist Society	admitted to NYSCU by 23 Nov 1916, per board minutes of that date; incorp. 24 Oct 1917 (NY Co. Div. of Old Records)	It disbanded in 1938 on the retirement of its founding pastor, Rev. Clarence J. Harris (<i>New York Times</i> , 29 Nov 1941)	A church on W. 187th St. and Audubon Ave. was sold in Feb. 1921. Property for a new church on 178th St. and Wadsworth Ave., was purchased by 22 Sep of the same year. (<i>NY Times</i> , 22 Sep 1921)
Newburgh	Orange	First Universalist Congregational Church of Newburgh	incorporated on 23 Feb 1859 (Orange Co. religious corporations 1: 215)	by Jun 1862, when the Church of the Messiah in Newburgh was incorporated (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 18 Jul 1862)	The Society purchased land on 25 Jul 1859 on Liberty St. for a new church. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Jun 1860). The building was dedicated on "Wednesday of last week," probably 8 Aug 1860. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 11 Aug 1860). By Jul 1862 the church had been sold. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 18 Jul 1862)

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Newburgh	Orange	Church of the Messiah	incorporated on 2 Jun 1862 (Orange Co. religious corporations, 1: 229)		
Newfane (Olcott)	Niagara	First Universalist Society of Olcott	in existence by 2 Oct 1833, when it was first admitted to the Niagara As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Oct 1833). Re-org. on 20 Apr 1858 (E. T. Williams, <i>Niagara County</i> , NY, Chicago: abt. 1921, p. 332). Admitted again to the As'n. on 3 Jun 1858. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 20 Jun 1858). Incorp. on 20 Nov 1915 (Niagara Co. Incorp. 11:107).	Services were discontinued in 1929 (<i>Niagara Falls Gazette</i> , 25 Feb 1937). The society was declared extinct on 7 Oct 1936, per NYSCU board minutes of that date	A newly constructed church was dedicated in Nov 1858, "probably the first time a woman [Rev. Lydia A. Jenkins] was ever known to take part in the dedication of a church." (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 4 Dec 1858). The building was sold to the Olcott Fire Department on 13 Nov 1936 (NYSCU files)
Newport	Herkimer	First Universalist Society of Newport; later Church of the Reconciliation	incorp. on 1 May 1824 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations A: 78)		A church was dedicated 25 Feb 1843 toward which Unitarians contributed about a quarter of the expense. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 10 Mar 1843)
Newport	Herkimer	Newport Union Association	reorganized in Mar 1842 as the Newport Union Association (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 9 Jun 1858)		The property was acquired by NYSCU in 1899. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1927).
Newport	Herkimer	Church of the Reconciliation of the Town of	renamed and reorganized by Jun 1858 (, Auburn NY, 9 Jun 1858); reorganized in	It was defunct by 17 Nov 1941, when it turned over its assets to NYSCU	The church burned down in April 1940 and there was no insurance. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , May

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		Newport	Nov 1866 (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York, 28 Mar 1868)	(<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , 1954)	1941). The land was apparently sold in Nov 1941. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Niagara (Niagara Falls)	Niagara	First Universalist Society of the Village of Niagara Falls	incorp. on 13 May 1844 (Niagara Co. Misc. Records 3:35)	after May 1907, when the congregation was meeting in the local Odd Fellows' Hall with Rev. T. J. Farmer, minister	
Niles (Kelloggsville)	Cayuga	First Universalist Society in the Town of Niles	incorp. on 14 Mar 1842 (Cayuga Co. religious corporations, A: 183)	had been dormant for nearly 18 years per report of the NYSCU Superintendent to the Ontario As'n. dated 2 Apr 1895	A newly constructed church was dedicated on 10 Jul 1843. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 5 Aug 1843). It was occupied only about 16 years by Universalists. By 1899 it had been purchased by an Odd Fellows Lodge. (<i>Moravia NY Valley Register</i> , 23 Jun 1899)
Norfolk	St Lawrence		in existence by Jun 1831, when it was admitted to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Sep 1831)		
North Salem	Westchester	First Universalist Society	incorp. on 17 Jan 1832 (Westchester Co. Religious Societies Incorporations, Series 78, pp. 8-9)	The society was dissolved on 17 Feb 1948, per records of Westchester County.	A church was dedicated the "19th inst.," probably 19 Sep 1832. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 13 Oct 1832). The Society had a church in 1948 that was sold on 7 Oct 1950 to Warren Lucas (NYSCU records).

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Norwich	Chenango	First Universalist Society in the town of Norwich	incorp. on 28 May 1831 (Chenango Co. Incorporation of Religious Societies A: 111)		
Norwich (North Norwich)	Chenango	Second Universalist Society of the town of Norwich	incorporated on 27 Feb 1838 (Chenango Co. Incorporation of Religious Societies A: 164-5)	before Oct 1876, when it was mentioned as disbanded in the obituary of Albert Case who died in North Norwich on 27 Oct that year. (<i>Christian Leader</i> , Utica NY, 25 Nov 1876)	Their meeting house was dedicated on 7 Feb 1838. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Mar 1838). In Chapter 28 of his 1880 <i>History of Chenango and Madison Counties</i> , James H. Smith states that the Universalist church had “not been used for many years.”
Nunda	Allegany	Universalist Church & Society in the town of Nunda	incorp. on 23 Jan 1841 (Allegany Co. Misc. Records B:214)		New frame church dedicated on 19 Jan 1842. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 4 Feb 1842). Sold in 1871 and a new brick church built on East St. in May 1872. Old church purchased by Veterans of Foreign Wars in 1947 (per NYSCU board minutes of 18 Nov 1947). They sold it abt. 1951 to Norman Tunningley, who converted it into an auto body shop, which was destroyed by fire on 6 Apr 1961. (Nunda NY News, 6 Apr 1961). Bldg. later became the Nunda Theatre and was razed in the 1950's. (Marjorie C. Frost, <i>Early Years: The Town of Nunda 1808-1983</i> [1983], p. 51. Newer brick church was remodeled and reused several times before being razed on

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					24 May 2021 (Nunda Historical Society).
Nunda	Livingston (formerly in Allegany Co.)	Universalist Church & Society of Nunda, N.Y.	re-statement of incorporation on 8 Mar 1890 (Livingston Co. court records 6: 319)	declared extinct on 31 Mar 1939 and again on 17 Oct 1947, per NYSCU board minutes	See above
Oneida	Oneida	First Universalist Society of Oneida and Vicinity	org. on 13 Dec 1869 (from the journals of Rev. John Mather Austin)		
Oneonta	Otsego	First Universalist Society of Oneonta	incorp. on 12 Dec 1877 (Otsego Co. Incorporations (1848-1890) C: 278	This is an active congregation.	Their first church at 12 Ford St. was built in 1879 and named after Rev. E. [Edwin] H. Chapin of NYC. A second church, their present one, was dedicated in Apr 1894 and like its predecessor is named Chapin Memorial Church. It is located at 12 Ford Ave.
Onondaga (South Onondaga)	Onondaga	First Universalist Society in the town of Onondaga	incorp. on 1 Sep 1833 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records F: 299-300)	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report on that date to the Cayuga As'n.	
Onondaga (Howlett Hill)	Onondaga	Second Universalist Society in Onondaga	org. on 17 Mar 1834 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Apr 1834); no incorp. record found	merged with the United Presbyterian Church in 1945 (NYSCU Parish Roll); turned its assets over to NYSCU in 1952 (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1954)	Their church was built in 1821 by a Baptist congregation which vacated the building in 1848. The Universalists bought and renovated the church and dedicated it on the 23d ult. [23 Feb 1853. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 5 Mar

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					1853). The land later reverted to its original owner Leonard Caton, who deeded it to the Universalists, subject to his recall if no services were held. In 1872 Caton deeded the church to Elisha Sabin, who then deeded it free and clear to the Society trustees. NYSCU acquired the building and sold it in (Jul?) 1952, [probably to the United Presbyterian Church.] (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1954)
Oppenheim	Fulton		in existence by 7 Jul 1848, when it was admitted to the Mohawk River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Jul 1848)	merged with United Presbyterian Church in 1945	A union church was dedicated 25 May 1854 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 5 Aug 1854)
Orangetown (Orangeville Mills, formerly named Blauveltville)	Rockland	Universalist Society of Orange Town	incorp. on 4 Sep 1852 (Rockland Co. Cert. of Incorp. 1:16-17)		A newly constructed church was dedicated on 15 Oct 1856. (, Auburn NY, 25 Oct 1856). It had been built on the south bank of Naurausaun Creek (Nyack NY <i>Journal-News</i> , 9 Mar 1975)
Orangetown (Nyack)	Rockland	The Universalist Society of Nyack	incorp. on 15 Nov 1870 (Rockland Co. Cert. of Incorp. 1:97-98)	around 1902 (<i>The Sun</i> , New York NY, 20 Feb 1909)	In 1902 the church was rented to a Blauvelt congregation (Nyack NY <i>Journal-News</i> , 9 Mar 1975). It was sold by 16 Sep 1907, per NYSCU board minutes.

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Orleans	Jefferson	Orleans Union Society	in existence by 15 Jun 1842, when it was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Jul 1842)		
Oswegatchie (Black Lake)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society of Black Lake	in existence by 1885; revived in 1916 after a period of dormancy (NYSCU Parish Roll and files)	declared extinct on 5 Oct 1932 (NYSCU Board minutes)	The society had a church by Sep 1885, when the St. Lawrence As'n. met there, per As'n. minutes. The church was sold in 1932 to Willis Von Schaik, owner of the land it was built on. (NYSCU Board minutes, 5 Apr and 5 Oct 1932)
Oswegatchie (Heuvelton)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society in the Town of Oswegatchie	incorp. on 23 Feb 1840 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2:33)		The Society had a church by 29 Jan 1844, when they met there for incorporation. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 7 Oct 1854)
Oswegatchie (Heuvelton)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society in the Town of Oswegatchie	re-incorp. on 29 Jan 1844 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2:43)	prob. by 1881, when their building was sold to St. Raphael's Catholic Church	In 1852 the society purchased a wooden church 54x36 feet, originally built by the Episcopal congregation. It was located on the NE corner of Clinton & State Sts. On 7 Jul 1881 this building was sold to St. Raphael's Catholic Church for \$1,000. (Heuvelton NY <i>Advance-News</i> , 8 May 1955)
Oswegatchie (Ogdensburg)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society in the Village of	incorp. on 11 Apr 1842 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2:18)		

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		Ogdensburg			
Oswegatchie (Ogdensburg)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Church of Ogdensburg	incorp. on 7 Dec 1895 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 3:10)		
Oswegatchie (Ogdensburg)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Church of Ogdensburg	incorp. on 26 Oct 1907 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 3:55)	In a NYSCU conveyance deed dated 7 May 1924, the congregation was referenced as extinct. (St. Lawrence Co. grantor deeds Book 220 P.307).	The congregation had a church in 1905 (NYSCU Parish Roll). It was sold by 8 Apr 1924 per NYSCU board minutes of that date.
Oswego (West Oswego)	Oswego	First Universalist Society of Oswego	incorp. on 14 Mar 1831 (Oswego Co. Misc. Records B: 204 and <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Apr 1831).		A Universalist church burned in a village firestorm on 1 Jun 1843, per the new York <i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , 5 Jun 1843.
Oswego	Oswego	First Universalist Society of Oswego	incorp. on 8 May 1850 (Oswego Co. Misc. Records D:235)		Plans for construction of a new church were announced in the <i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 14 Mar 1857.
Oswego	Oswego	First Universalist Parish of Oswego	incorp. on 26 Dec 1882 (Oswego Co. Certificates of Incorporation 1:11)	Dissolved by the time the building was sold—1916 or earlier	A building on West 2nd Street, constructed in 1884, was acquired by NYSCU on 15 Mar 1888 from Eugene H. and Maggie E. Cronkhite. (<i>History of Oswego Co. 1789-1877</i> , Everett & Ferris, 1878, and <i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1913). It was sold by 12 Oct 1916 to an Italian Catholic congregation, per

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					NYSCU board minutes of that date.
Oswegatchie (Ogdensburg)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society in the Village of Ogdensburg	incorp. on 11 Apr 1842 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2:18)		
Oswegatchie (Ogdensburg)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Church of Ogdensburg	incorp. on 7 Dec 1895 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 3:10)		
Oswegatchie (Ogdensburg)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Church of Ogdensburg	incorp. on 26 Oct 1907 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 3:55)	In a NYSCU conveyance deed dated 7 May 1924, the congregation was referenced as extinct. (St. Lawrence Co. grantor deeds Book 220 P.307).	The congregation had a church in 1905 (NYSCU Parish Roll). It was sold by 8 Apr 1924 per NYSCU board minutes of that date.
Oswego (West Oswego)	Oswego	First Universalist Society of Oswego	incorp. on 14 Mar 1831 (Oswego Co. Misc. Records B: 204 and <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Apr 1831).		A Universalist church burned in a village firestorm on 1 Jun 1843, per the New York <i>Brooklyn Daily Eagle</i> , 5 Jun 1843.
Oswego	Oswego	First Universalist Society of Oswego	incorp. on 8 May 1850 (Oswego Co. Misc. Records D:235)		Plans for construction of a new church were announced in the <i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 14 Mar 1857.
Oswego	Oswego	First Universalist Parish of Oswego	incorp. on 26 Dec 1882 (Oswego Co. Certificates of Incorporation 1:11)	by the time the building was sold—1916 or earlier	A building on West 2nd Street, constructed in 1884, was acquired by NYSCU on 15 Mar 1888 from Eugene H. and Maggie E. Cronkhite. (<i>History of Oswego</i>

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					<i>Co. 1789-1877</i> , Everett & Ferris, 1878, and <i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1913). It was sold by 12 Oct 1916 to an Italian Catholic congregation, per NYSCU board minutes of that date.
Otsego (Cooperstown Junction / Cooperstown)	Otsego	Second Universalist Society of the Town of Otsego; also a.k.a. Church of the Messiah	Org. on 26 Apr 1831 (<i>Centenary of the Church of the Messiah</i> , Cooperstown NY 1833-1933)	Most likely by 1955/56, when the church was sold to Harry Apman.	Their church was built in 1933 at 63 Pioneer St. and sold on 24 Jan 1956 to Harry Apman. In Sept. 2021 it was the site of L.M. Townsend Catering
Oxford	Chenango	First Universalist Society in the Town of Oxford	Org. on 8 Jul 1833 (Edgar Luderne Welch, <i>Oxford Historical Souvenir</i> , Albany NY, Nov. 1897, p. 23); Inc. abt. 28 Oct 1853 (Chenango Co. Court, Liber # and page # unknown)		A church was built in 1836 (Edgar Luderne Welch, <i>Oxford Historical Souvenir</i> , Albany NY, Nov. 1897, p. 23). The Society successfully applied to court to sell it on 30 Jul 1917. On 18 Feb 1918 the church was sold to Mr. Griffin and the lot to George P. Mead (NYSCU records)
Palermo	Oswego	First Universalist Society	org. on 27 May 1834 (<i>Evangelical Magazine and Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Sep 1835)		The Society had a church in Jul 1842 when a Universalist Conference was held there on the 9th and 10th. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 Jul 1842)
Pamelia	Jefferson	First Universalist Society of Pamelia	in existence by 8 Oct 1853, when its formation was reported (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 8		

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			Oct 1853) It was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists on 21 Jun 1854. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 8 Jul 1854)		
Paris (Sauquoit)	Oneida	First Universalist Society in the Town of Paris	org. by 4 Jun 1828, when it was admitted to the Central As'n. of Universalists (<i>Utica Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 28 Jun 1828); incorp. on 21 Feb 1831 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations p. 89)		
Parishville	St. Lawrence		in existence by 25 Jun 1851, when it sent a delegate to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 Jul 1851)		
Pavilion	Genesee	All Souls Union Church, Universalist	org. in Jul 1881 as All Souls Union Church, Universalist (<i>Town of Pembroke Bicentennial History 1776-1976</i>)	declared extinct by circular letter dated 19 Apr 1898	The church was sold by 18 Sep 1899 when the sale proceeds were listed in the NYSCU Treasurer's report.
Pembroke	Genesee	First Universalist Society of Pembroke	in existence by 13 Oct 1830, when it was admitted to the Genesee As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 6 Nov 1830). The society was revived sometime later as it		

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			was re-admitted on 21 Jun 1843 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 21 Jul 1843)		
Pembroke (Indian Falls)	Genesee	First Universalist Parish of Pembroke	incorp. on 12 Dec 1881 (Genesee Co. Misc. Court Records 14: 375)	declared extinct on 12 Apr 1904 per NYSCU board minutes for that date	still had a church at the time it was declared extinct
Perinton (Bushnell's Basin)	Monroe	Central Universalian Society of Perinton, Mendon, Pittsford and Victor	incorp. on 15 Feb 1826 (Monroe Co. Misc. Records 1: 180-1)	possibly by 1834, when Victor Universalists incorporated a society of their own	
Perinton (Fairport)	Monroe	Fairport Universalian Society	incorp. on 10 Apr 1826 (Monroe Co. Religious Incorporations 1: 176-7; original record is in Docket 1, Box 10, p. 137)		
Perinton (Fairport)	Monroe	Fairport Universalist Society	incorp. on 6 Apr 1833 (Monroe Co. Religious Incorporations 1:22; original record is in Docket 1, Box 10, p. 137)	dissolved by 1874 (Fairport NY <i>Herald-Mail</i> , 24 Jul 1941); declared extinct by the NY State Supreme Court on 26 Jun 1893	A church was dedicated 14 Oct 1834. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 1 Nov 1834). When the St. Luke's Episcopal congregation was organized, they purchased the property and remodeled the church. (Fairport NY <i>Herald-Mail</i> , 26 Apr 1951 and 24 Apr 1974)
Perry	Genesee (now in Wyoming Co.)	First United Uneverserlist [sic] Society in Perry	incorporated 19 Sep 1821 (Genesee Co. Misc. Records 1:423);		

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Perry	Genesee (now in Wyoming Co.)	First Universalist Society in the Town of Perry	incorporated 8 Oct 1831 (Genesee County Misc. Records, 2: 447; Wyoming Co. was then part of Genesee Co.)		A former Methodist church on Short St. was purchased and remodeled by Aug 1833 and dedicated 7 Oct (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Sep and 26 Oct 1833).
Perry	Wyoming	First Universalist Church of Perry	18 Jun 1843 (<i>Empire State Universalist</i>); no court record found	The Society voted to disband on 1 May 1968. (NYSCU Parish Roll)	In 1851 their old building was sold and construction begun on a new building on Main St. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 20 Sep 1851). It was dedicated "the 9th inst. [9 Feb] 1853. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 26 Feb 1853). It was deeded to Convention on 1 May 1968; sold on 4 May 1970; (NYSCU Parish Roll); and in Dec 2001 was occupied by Perry Athletic Club.
Persia (Gowanda)	Cattaraugus		in existence by 14 Jun 1848, when it was admitted to the Buffalo As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 4 Aug 1848); apparently reorganized on 25 Mar 1867 per <i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 6 Apr 1867		
Peru	Clinton	First Universalist Society	org. by 16 Mar 1932 (Plattsburgh NY <i>Press-Republican</i> , 4 May 1991)		

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Pharsalia	Chenango		in existence by 29 Aug 1832, when it was admitted to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists; per original minutes of the As'n.		
Phelps	Ontario		in p23 Aug. 1835, per minutes of the First Universalist Society of the Ontario County of that date		
Philadelphia (Sterlingville)	Jefferson		org. prob. by Dec. 1856, when a union church was dedicated		A newly constructed union church owned jointly by Methodists, Presbyterians, and Universalists was dedicated the 4th inst. [4 Dec 1856]. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 4 Dec 1856)
Pierrerpont	St. Lawrence		in existence by 25 Jun 1851, when it sent a delegate to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 Jul 1851)		
Pinckney	Lewis		in existence by 19 Apr 1858, when Rev. Aaron A. Thayer suggested that they support ¼ time preaching (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 1 May 1858)		
Pike	Allegany (now in Wyoming Co.)	First Universalist Society in the Tow of Pike	incorp. on 17 Jan 1833 (Allegany Co. Misc. Records B:43 and <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 6 Jul 1833)	A statistics report to the Allegany As'n. of Universalists noted that the society had "neglected to keep up society organization"	

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				(<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 19 Jul 1839)	
Pitcher	Chenango		in existence by 1826, per a statistics report to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica, NY 11 Oct 1839). On 27 Aug 1835 the society was admitted to the Association. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 5 Sep 1835). It was admitted again on 7 Sep 1843 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 22 Sep 1843). No incorp. record was found.		
Pittsford	Ontario (now Monroe)	First Universalist Society in the County of Ontario	founded in 1813 by a small community of English Unitarians who were in sympathy with Universalism (Stephen R. Smith, <i>Historical Sketches and Incidents Illustrative of the Establishment and Progress of Universalism in the State of New York</i> , Buffalo: 1848, p. 87-88); Rev. Wm. Billingshurst of their community was preaching as		

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			early as Jun 1803 (Pittsford NY village records of the Billingshurst family).		
Pittsford	Monroe	First Union Society of Universalists	org. on 19 Jun 1831 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 30 Jul 1831); no court record found		
Pittstown	Rensselaer	First Universalist Society in Pittstown	incorp. 23 Sep 1839 (Rensselaer Co. Church Records 1:142)		
Plattsburgh	Clinton	First Universalist Society of Plattsburg	org. on 4 Nov 1844 (Plattsburgh NY <i>Press-Republican</i> , 4 May 1991); no incorporation record found	by 4 Apr 1866, when they sold their church for \$1600 and divided the proceeds (Plattsburgh NY <i>Press-Republican</i> , 13 May 1977)	The congregation purchased a lot on Oak St. on 5 Jul 1845 and by 1846 had dedicated their church. (Plattsburgh NY <i>Press-Republican</i> , 4 May 1991). They sold their church to the Beth Israel congregation on 4 Apr. 1866. It was in use as their synagogue until 1970, when it was torn down for a new library. (Plattsburgh NY <i>Press-Republican</i> , 13 May 1977)
Poland (Kennedy)	Chautauqua		incorp. on 5 Mar 1859 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records pp. 79-80)		
Pomfret (Fredonia)	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society of Pomfret	incorp. on 29 Apr 1834 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records p. 1)		
Pomfret (Fredonia)	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society in	incorp. on 8 Oct 1853 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records pp. 66-67)		

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		Fredonia			
Pomfret (Fredonia)	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society of Fredonia	incorp. on 26 Sep 1877 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records pp. 235-36)		
Pompey	Onondaga	First Universal Society in the town of Pompey	incorp. on 19 May 1818 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records D: 50)		
Pompey (Oran)	Onondaga	First Universalist Society of Pompey and Manlius	incorp. on 27 Jan 1842 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records G: 81)		In 1833 Rev. Dolphus Skinner claimed that the Presbyterian church in the village was "principally owned by Universalists and those that are friendly to Universalism." <i>(Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 2 Feb 1833). A newly built union church, "The Pleasant Valley Free Church," was dedicated on "Wed. the 28th ult.," [28 Jan 1852]. <i>(Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 7 Feb 1852)
Pompey (Watervale)	Onondaga	First Universalist Society in Pompey	incorp. on 21 Feb 1844 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records G: 108-9)		
Porter (Youngstown)	Niagara		org on 12 Dec 1836 per <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 13 Jan 1836; no incorp. record found		

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Portland (Salem Crossroads)	Chautauqua		in existence by 9 Mar 1838, when its formation was reported (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Mar 1838)		
Portland	Chautauqua		admitted to the Chautauque [old spelling] Assn. as a newly organized society on 6 Jun 1860 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 30 Jun 1860)		
Portland	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society of Portland	incorp. on 12 Sep 1881 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records p. 254)		
Potsdam	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Church of Potsdam	first org. on 6 Jan 1825 (F. B. Hough, <i>A History of St. Lawrence and Franklin Counties</i> , Albany: 1853, p. 445); incorp. on 2 Oct 1825 St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 1: 30). Reorganized 17 Jan 1852. (F. B. Hough, p. 445). Reincorporated on 3 Jun 1884 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2:395)	declared extinct on 21 Jun 1941 per NYSCU board minutes of that date	Construction of a meeting house began in Mar 1831 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 16 Apr 1831); dedication on 19 Sep 1839 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 22 Nov 1839). This church burned on 18 May 1857 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 30 May 1857). A new church was completed and dedicated in 1877, per Utica NY <i>Morning Herald</i> , 5 Jul 1877. In 1934 this building was deeded to the village for a library. (NYSCU Parish Roll). In Dec 2022 this Potsdam sandstone building was continuing in use as the town's

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					museum. (Karen Dau)
Potter (Rushville)	Yates		A society was being organized here in Jan 1851 by Rev. Seth W. Remington. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 8 Feb 1851)		A brick church was under construction in Jan 1851 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 1 Feb 1851)
Poughkeepsie	Dutchess	First Universalist Society of Poughkeepsie	incorp. on 11 Dec 1836 (Dutchess Co. Records: Old Book #1, p. 125)		A church was purchased from the local Baptist congregation, remodeled, and dedicated at the "late extra session of the New York Association [of Universalists] held in that place last week" [Apr 1843]. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 5 May 1843).
Poughkeepsie	Dutchess	First Universalist Society of Poughkeepsie	incorp. on 24 May 1846 (Dutchess County Records: Old Book #1, p. 168)	reported by the NY As'n. of Universalists on 10 May 1866 as "inoperative". (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 2 Jun 1866)	Bldg. mentioned above was sold by Feb 1850 and by 28 May 1851 the society had purchased a meeting house from a Presbyterian congregation. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> ; New York NY, 1 Mar 1850 and 28 May 1851). A church was purchased from the Central Baptist Church in about 1876. In Feb 1890 it was sold to the Germania Singing Society. (Poughkeepsie NY <i>Daily Eagle</i> , 19 Feb 1890.
Prattsville	Greene		"A new society" there was noted in the <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 18 Mar 1842.		

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Preston	Chenango		org. by 1823; in existence in Sep 1837 per a statistics report (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> Utica NY, 22 Sep 1837); reorganized in Dec 1843 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Sep 1846); received into the Chenango As'n. of Universalists on 4 Sep 1844 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 20 Sep 1844)		Construction begun 20 Jul 1846, (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> Utica NY, 11 Sep 1846); the church was dedicated at the third conference of the Chenango As'n. of Universalists on 30 Jun 1847. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 25 Jun 1847)
Pulteney	Steuben		in existence by 22 Aug 1835, when its formation was reported (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 22 Aug 1835); admitted to the Steuben As'n. of Universalists on 2 Sep 1835 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Sep 1835)		A church co-owned by Universalists, Methodists, and Presbyterians was dedicated on 19 Dec 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Jan 1834)
Reading	Schuyler	First Universalist Society of Reading	org. in Mar 1834 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 19 Apr 1834)		A church co-owned by Universalists, Methodists, and Presbyterians was dedicated on 19 Dec 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Jan 1834)
Richfield (Monticello)	Otsego	Second Universalist Society of	incorp. on 25 Jun 1824 (original record is in Otsego Co. Docket of Incorp. Box		A church was acquired by NYSCU on 4 Oct 1887 from E. M. [Melvina] Churchill. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1913). It had

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		Richfield	43, p. 11)		been built in 1879 on land owned by Miss Churchill and given by her to the Universalist society. (Cooperstown NY <i>Otsego Farmer</i> , 1 Apr 1921. Around 1920 it was taken down and rebuilt in Herkimer, per "The First Hundred Years in Richfield" by Dorothy and Clyde Robinson (1961), quoted in Richfield Springs NY <i>Mercury</i> , Thu. 20 Apr 1972.
Richfield (Richfield Springs)	Otsego	First Universalist Church of Richfield Springs, a.k.a. Church of the Redeemer)	incorp. on 23 May 1833 (D. H. Hurd, <i>The History of Otsego County, N. Y.</i> ; no court record found	1917 Herkimer NY <i>Evening Telegram</i> , 13 Jan 1973	A church was dedicated the "28th ult.," 28 Jan 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Feb 1834). Rev. Lewis C. Browne noted that he had been present at the dedication in the winter of 1833-34 "when a man nearly a hundred years old, a surviving member of the famous Boston Tea Party, came forward and presented them a pulpit Bible." (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 21 Jul 1855). A new chapel was under construction in summer of 1900, per Richfield Springs NY <i>Mercury</i> , 5 Jul 1900. Congregation Adas Israel purchased the building in 1929, per <i>Herkimer Evening Telegram</i> , 13 Jan 1973. The Richfield Springs Bible Church bought the building in Aug. 1972 (<i>Herkimer NY Evening Telegram</i> , 6 Jan 1973). In June 1921 it was

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					dedicated as the Catlin Memorial Library. In July 2000 it was vacant and for sale.)
Richland	Oswego		in existence by 17 Jun 1840, when it was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Jun 1840)		
Ridgeway (Jeddo)	Orleans	First Universalist Society of the Towns of Ridgeway and Yates	incorp. on 11 Dec 1833 (Orleans Co. Religious Corporations, pp. 18-19)	declared extinct on 15 Jun 1961 (NYSCU Parish Roll)	A church was built in Jan 1835 and dedicated 19 Jun that year (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 11 Jun 1835). It was sold on 28 Aug 1973 to the Faith Bible Baptist Church. On 11 Oct 1993 the entire building was destroyed by fire. (Town of Ridgeway records)
Riga (Churchville)	Monroe (formerly in Genesee Co.)	First United Universal Society in Riga	incorp. on 7 Jan 1813 (Genesee Co. Misc. Records, 1: 134)		
Riga (Churchville)	Monroe	First Universalist Society in the town of Riga	incorp. on 14 Apr 1840 (Monroe Co. Religious Corporations I: 64-5)		The society had a building per Monroe County deeds 56:478 (1842) and 115:411 (1853). This church was in use in Jun 1848. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 14 Jul 1848). The church itself burned on 7 Feb 1892 (Rochester NY <i>Democrat & Chronicle</i> , 8 Feb 1892). In 1896 the congregation applied for permission to sell its real estate, per the Rochester NY <i>Democrat & Chronicle</i> , 29 Oct 1896.

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Ripley (Lombard P.O.)	Chautauqua		org. on "Monday last," under date of a letter written 6 Feb 1834 by Rev. John E. Holmes (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 22 Feb 1834)		A church built in 1842 was torn down about 1897. (<i>Jamestown NY Evening Journal</i> , 19 Jan 1898)
Rochester	Monroe	Court Street Church Association	incorp. on 30 Dec 1841 (Monroe Co. Misc. Records 1:66-67)	the congregation disbanded in May of 1844 (Karen Dau)	The congregation dedicated a church on Court and Stone Sts. in Sep 1837. They had purchased it from a Presbyterian congregation. But they were forced to sell it in May of 1844. (church records)
Rochester	Monroe	First Universalist Society in the City of Rochester	incorp. on 13 Apr 1846 (Monroe Co. Liber 1 of Rel. Corp., pp. 90-91); re- incorporated under UUA on 18 Apr 1973 (Monroe Co. Liber 63 of Incorporations, p. 147)	This is an active congregation.	A church on South Clinton Ave. just south of Main St. was dedicated on 15 Dec 1847 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Jan 1848). This building was razed in 1907 and the current church at 150 S. Clinton was dedicated on 4 Oct 1908. (congregation records)
Rockton	Herkimer	First Universalist Society of Rockton	incorp. on 3 May 1851 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations B:72-73)		
Rockton	Herkimer	St. Paul's Universalist Church of Little Falls	name changed from First Universalist Society of Rockton in 1908 (<i>Herald- Dispatch</i> , Utica NY, 16 Nov 1908)	This is an active congregation.	The congregation has a church at 565 Albany St. in Little Falls.

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Rome	Oneida	First Universalist Society in Rome	org. on 13 Mar 1834 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 Mar 1834)		
Rome	Oneida	Trustees of the First Universalist Church of Rome, N.Y.	incorp. on 11 May 1851 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations pp. 196-97)		By 28 Jun 1851 the Society had bought the former Episcopal church on the corner of Liberty and Washington Streets, and an undated edition of the local paper the <i>Roman Citizen</i> reported the purchase. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 28 Jun 1851)
Rome	Oneida	Trustees of the First Universalist Society of Rome, N. Y.	name changed to "Trustees of the First Universalist Society of Rome, N.Y" (Roman NY <i>Citizen</i> , 15 Feb 1886)	Before June 1938, when it is noted in the obit of Lyle A. Howell that he "attended the Universalist Church when it existed in Rome." (Rome NY <i>Daily Sentinel</i> , Tue. 7 Jun 1938).	NYSCU acquired the church on 6 Feb 1912 from the Society Trustees. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , (Oct 1913) and had sold it by 10 Oct 1917, per Board minutes.
Rossie (Somerville)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Society in Somerville	incorp. on 20 Aug 1842 (St. Lawrence Co. Religious Corporations 2:23 and F. B. Hough, <i>A History of St. Lawrence and Franklin Counties</i> , Albany: 1853, p. 467)	declared extinct by NYSCU circular letter vote 27 Jul 1899	A newly built church was dedicated on "the 13th inst.," probably 13 Jan 1847. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 Jan 1847)
Royalton (Middleport)	Niagara	First Universalist Association of Middleport	incorp. on 29 Apr 1841 (Medina NY <i>Journal-Register</i> , 17 Jun 1981)	It voted against merger with the UUA in 1961; in 2000 it was an independent congregation still using its historic name. At the NYSCU	The congregation had a cobblestone church built in 1841. It was sold in 2015 (Lockport NY <i>Journal</i> , 12 Jun 2015).

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				annual meeting on 24 Oct 2015 it was dropped from membership in that organization. The church disbanded that same year (per Karen Dau)	
Rushford	Allegany		org. by 27 Feb 1836 (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 11 Mar 1836). On 22 Jun 1836 it was admitted to the Allegany As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 24 Jul 1846)	1	A church was dedicated on 5 Feb 1848. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 18 Feb 1848). It was sold to a free Methodist congregation in 1873. (Ellen G. Nye, <i>Rushford and Rushford People</i> , 1910)
Russia (Cold Brook)	Herkimer	First Universalist Society in Cold Brook;	incorp. on 3 Nov 1889 (Herkimer Co. Misc. Court Records 1:373-4)		
Russia (Cold Brook)	Herkimer	First Universalist Parish of Cold Brook	incorp. on 22 Sep 1898 (Herkimer Co. Misc. Court Records 2: 429)		
Russia (Gravesville)	Herkimer	First Universalist Society of Russia	in existence by 9 Feb 1829 (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 25 Apr 1829); incorp. on 22 Feb 1845 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations, B:62)		The society owned "a considerable part of the town meeting house at the time of its formation. (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> , Utica, 25 Apr 1829). A newly built meeting house was dedicated on "the 23d ult.," 23 Jun 1847. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Jul 1847).

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Russia (Gravesville)	Herkimer	First Unaversalist [sic] Society of Gravesville	incorp. on 23 Oct 1884 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations B: 162-3)	declared extinct on 19 Sep 1898, per NYSCU board minutes for that date	The church was sold by 12 Sep 1897 when the sale proceeds were listed in the NYSCU Treasurer's report. In May 2005 the building was in use by the VFW. Per Karen Dau, the building was dilapidated in 2023 and appeared unused.
Rutland (Felts Mills)	Jefferson	Second Society of Universalists in the town of Rutland	in existence by the autumn of 1832 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 12 Jan 1833)	A report on the State of the Church, 26 May 1851, to NYSCU stated that there was no Society organization then, although Rev. E. A. Holbrook was preaching there 1/4 time. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Aug 1851)	A report on the State of the Church, 26 May 1851, to NYSCU stated that there was a meeting house there owned in part by Universalists. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Aug 1851). Apparently the cemetery association bought the land about 22 Jun 1937—no record.
Rutland (Tylerville/ South Rutland)	Jefferson	East Smithfield Universalist Society	org. by "the 3d Monday in Jun [30 Jun] 1851, when it was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 5 Jul 1851)	by 1950, when it turned over its assets to NYSCU. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , 1954)	A new union church was dedicated 10 Jan 1839 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 May 1839). In 1935 a flood washed away the building and left only the land remaining. The land was conveyed to the local cemetery association in 1939. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
St. Johnsville	Montgomery		listed on the NYSCU parish roll of 1873	declared dormant on 9 Jun 1886, per original minutes of the Mohawk River As'n. of that date	
Salina (Liverpool)	Onondaga	First Society of Universalists in the Village of	org. by 19 Jan 1828, when its formation was reported (<i>Evangelical Repository</i> ,		

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		Liverpool	Troy NY, 19 Jan 1828); incorp. on 21 Apr 1833 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records F: 281)		
Salina	Onondaga	First Universalist Society in Salina	incorp. on 13 Dec 1837 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records F: 432)	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report on that date to the Cayuga As'n.	
Salisbury	Herkimer	First Universalist Society in Salisbury	organized in Dec. 1822 (<i>Schoharie Republican</i> , 2 Mar 1932); incorp. on 25 Dec 1830 (Herkimer Co. Incorporations A: 124)	This is an active congregation.	The congregation has a church at 128 State Rt. 29A, at the junction of Mechanic Street and Rt. 29A, built prob. around the time of its incorporation. (Karen Dau)
Sandy Creek	Oswego		in existence by the "24th ult.," 24 Aug 1834 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 20 Sep 1834)		A building of theirs burned in the fall of 1882. (Adams NY <i>Jefferson Co. Journal</i> , 3 Apr 1888)
Saratoga Springs	Saratoga		org. in Dec 1824 by Rev. Dolphus Skinner (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York, 17 Aug 1867)		A meeting house was built in 1825. By 1867 it was several years since it had been sold. (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York, 17 Aug 1867). In May 2003 it was in use as a cafe.
Schenectady	Schenectady		org. within the last 6 months of 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Mar 1834)		The Society owned a meeting house by Jul 1851. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Aug 1851)
Schroeppel (Gilberts Mills?)	Oswego		in existence by 15 Jun 1842, when it was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel</i>		

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			<i>Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Jul 1842)		
Schroeppel (Pennellville)	Oswego	The Universalist Society of Schroeppel	by 19 Jun 1861, when it was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 6 Jul 1861); incorp. on 28 Feb 1870 (Oswego Co. Misc. Records F:392)		The society had a church built on West Second St. near the post office, dedicated in Jun 1871 by Rev. Seth Rice. (Everett and Furis, <i>History of Oswego Co.</i> , 1878). It was sold at a foreclosure sale in Apr 1901 (<i>Oswego NY Times</i> , 30 Apr 1901
Scipio (Beardsleys Corners)	Cayuga	First Universalist Society in the Town of Scipio	incorp. on 22 May 1836 (Cayuga Co. Religious Incorporation Records A: 146)	On 5 Nov 1939, when the church had been sold and the remaining members were united with the First Univ. Church of Auburn (Auburn NY <i>Citizen Advertiser</i> , 6 Nov 1939)	A new brick meeting house was dedicated on 12 Jun 1839 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 1 Nov 1839). The building was acquired by NYSCU on 7 Jan 1915 (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1921) and sold by Nov 1939 to the Cayuga Lodge #221, F. & A.M. Masons. (NYSCU files). (Edgar Luderne Welch, <i>Oxford Historical Souvenir</i> , Albany NY, Nov. 1897, p. 23). The lodge was still active in 2007.
Sharon (Sharon Center)	Schoharie	First Universalist Society in Sharon	in existence by 27 Jun 1838, when it was admitted to the Otsego As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Jul 1838); incorporated on 9 May 1847 (Schoharie Co.		A meeting house was dedicated 11 Jul 1838. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 10 Aug 1838)

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			Religious Incorporations A: 51-52)		
Shelby	Orleans	First Universalist Society in Shelby	org. on the "22d ult.," probably 22 Dec 1834 (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 17 Jan 1835 and <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 10 Jan and 7 Mar 1835)		
Sherburne	Chenango	Berean Society of Universalists	org. on 25 Aug 1849 (J. H. Smith, <i>History of Chenango and Madison Counties</i> , 1880)		Their property was sold on about 26 Dec 1924 to the Sherburne Grange (NYSCU files).
Sherburne	Chenango	The First Universalist Church of Sherburne	renamed on 24 Aug 1879 (J. H. Smith, <i>History of Chenango and Madison Counties</i> , 1880); no incorporation record found		In Apr 1856 the Society sold the former school house they had been using and purchased the former Free Church of Sherburne. (J. H. Smith, <i>History of Chenango and Madison Counties</i> , 1880). The building was sold to the local Grange per NYSCU board minutes of 14 Apr 1925.
Sheridan	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society of the Town of Sheridan	in existence by 27 Mar 1852, when its formation was reported (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 27 Mar 1852; incorporated on 30 Apr 1860 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records p. 42)		By 26 May 1860 the congregation had purchased a former Presbyterian church. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 26 May 1860)

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Sherman	Chautauqua	First Universalist Church and Society of Sherman; on 19 Feb 1870, the First Universalist Society of Sherman	incorp. on 27 Apr 1844 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records p. 45) reorganized by 23 Nov 1867. (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 23 Nov 1867); incorp. on 19 Feb 1870 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records pp. 115-16)	In 1920 it merged with the local community church. (Sherman NY <i>Chautauqua News</i> , 18 Nov 1965)	The Society had a building by 2 Jun 1858, per a report to the Chautauque Association of Universalists. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 Jun 1858). In 1920 it was sold to the Sherman Grange. (Sherman NY <i>Chautauqua News</i> , 18 Nov 1965). It was razed by July of 1960. (Sherman NY <i>Chautauqua News</i> , 14 Jul 1960)
Skaneateles (Mottville)	Onondaga	First Society of Universalists in Skaneateles, later The Universalist Church of the Town of Skaneateles	in existence by 6 Oct 1831, when it was admitted to the Cayuga As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 5 Nov 1831); no incorp. record found	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report on that date to the Cayuga As'n.	A church was dedicated 7 Mar 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 23 Mar 1833). It was sold by 17 Apr 1928, per NYSCU board minutes of that date.
Smithville (Tyner) and Greene	Chenango	First United Unaversalist [sic] Society of the Towns of Smithville and Greene	org. abt. 1820 by Rev. Samuel A. Skeeles; a later society was established on 4 Feb 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Mar 1833); incorp. on 3 Feb 1834 with the name given (Chenango Co. Incorp. of Religious Societies A:135-6)		By 26 Oct 1964 NYSCU was investigating the value of existing Universalist property there. (NYSCU Board minutes)
Smithville (East Smithfield/ Smithville Flats)	Chenango	First Universalist Society of Smithville	org. on 6 Mar 1842 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Apr 1842); NYSCU		The church was built in 1842 and dedicated 25 Jan 1843 at the conference of the Chenango As'n. of Universalists. (<i>Evangelical</i>

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			Parish Roll says 27 Feb 1843		<i>Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 10 Feb 1843). It was sold abt. 14 Jan 1921 to Smithville Valley Grange, per NYSCU records. In Dec. 2001 the church was in use as a community center. (Karen Dau)
Solon	Cortland		in existence by 20 Aug 1826, when it was represented at the annual meeting of the Chenango As'n. of Universalists that year; per original minutes of the As'n.		
South Hartford	Washington	First Society of Universalists			Property deeded to NYSCU on 10 Jan 1902; recorded on 13 Feb 1902 in Liber 130, p. 252, Washington Co. Deeded on 27 Jul 1950 to Howard Hanna, per NYSCU records.
Southold	Suffolk	First Universalist Church of Southold	org. on 1 Oct 1835, per church records; re-incorp. 2 Dec 1879 (Suffolk County Records B: 237)	This is an active congregation.	The congregation had a church at 51900 Main Rd. in the village of Southold, built in 1860 per church records. On Saturday night, March 14, 2015, the church burned to the ground in a tragic raging inferno, per the Southold NY <i>Local</i> of the next day. The congregation is rebuilding.
Spafford	Onondaga		prob. by late 1840, when a Union church was dedicated; no incorp. record found	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report on that date to the Cayuga As'n.	A union house owned 1/3 each by Baptists, Methodists and Universalists was dedicated on 12 Nov 1840. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15

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					Jan 1841)
Springfield (Springfield Center)	Otsego	First Universalist Society of Springfield	in existence by 22 Jun 1859, when it was admitted to the Otsego As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 16 Jul 1859)	By 1867, after the Shipman family, the society's principal supporters, had moved to Fort Plain, the society was not expected to survive. (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 15 Feb 1868)	A church was dedicated in 1860. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 16 Feb 1861). Fire destroyed the building in Sep. 1899 (<i>Courier</i> , Brookfield NY, 4 Oct 1899). The Catlin Memorial church was built on the site from Mr. Catlin's funds and dedicated in Jul 1901 (Richfield Springs NY <i>Mercury</i> , 1 Aug 1901)
Springwater	Livingston		Plans were in place by 28 Mar 1831 to organize a society on the 2nd Saturday of April. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 30 Apr 1831.) The society was admitted to the Genesee As'n. of Universalists the following October. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 29 Oct 1831)		A church co-owned by Universalists and Methodists was dedicated by the Universalists on 12 Oct 1834; the Methodists having observed their own dedication the previous spring. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 1 Nov 1834)
Stafford	Genesee	United Society of Universalists of the Towns of LeRoy and Stafford	incorp. on 4 Oct 1823 (Genesee Co. Misc. Court Records, 2: 47)		

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Stafford (Morganville)	Genesee	First Universalist Society in the Town of Stafford	incorp. on 15 Feb 1834 (Genesee Co. Misc. Court Records 3: 86). On 19 Jun 1844 it was represented at the Genesee As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 2 Aug 1844)	On 30 Jun 1857 Rev. Alanson Kelsey reported that the society was defunct. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 18 Jul 1857)	A union church was dedicated on 2 Jun 1836. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Jul 1836). The society still had a meeting house by 19 Jun 1848 per a letter by J. R. Johnson (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 14 Jul 1848). The Universalists shared ½ ownership with a Christian congregation. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 18 Jul 1857)
Stamford	Delaware		in existence by 22 Sep 1837, when it was mentioned in a statistics report (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 22 Sep 1837)		
Stark (Starkville)	Herkimer	First Universalist Society of Stark, later Church of the Redeemer	incorp. on 2 Jul 1876 (Herkimer Co. Church Corporations B:130)	declared extinct on 18 Nov 1963 (NYSCU Parish Roll)	
Stark (Van Hornesville)	Herkimer	Van Hornesville Universalist Church	An un-named Society formed for the purpose of constructing a church building co-owned by the Evangelical Lutheran, Methodist Episcopal and Universalist denominations was incorporated on 20 Dec 1841. (Herkimer Co.		A union church owned by Universalists, Methodists, Baptists, and Lutherans was dedicated on "Tuesday the 25th ult.; possibly 25 Jan 1848 or earlier (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 4 Feb 1848). The Methodists sold out in 1895. After the Baptists deeded it to the Universalist Society, the Lutherans

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			Religious Incorporations B: 45-46). The obit of Abram Tilyou, who died in 1931 in Van Hornesville, states that Tilyou “was instrumental in the formation of the Van Hornesville Universalist Church June 5, 1876.” (Cooperstown NY <i>Otsego Farmer</i> , 6 Mar 1931)		questioned the Universalists’ right to the title. After the Universalist cause declined, the Lutherans offered to repair the church in exchange for the title, which was conveyed to them on 15 Apr 1904. On 30 Apr 1965 NYSCU sold the property to the Van Hornesville Community Corporation. (NYSCU Board minutes and records) It is in use as the Mill Pond Community Center. (Karen Dau)
Starkey	Yates		org. sometime during the final six months of 1833 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Mar 1834)		
Stockbridge (Knoxville)	Madison		in existence by 3 Jun 1840, when it was admitted to the Central As’n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 12 Jun 1840)	A letter to the <i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 23 May 1857 reported that religious services were no longer being held there. It was defunct by 1899 (<i>Tree Talks</i> , Syracuse NY: Mar 2006, p. 9)	A church was dedicated “on Friday the 24th ult.,” prob. 24 Dec 1847. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Jan 1848). After the society disbanded, the building was moved to Munnsville. (J. E. Smith, <i>Our County and Its People</i> , Boston: 1899)
Stockholm (Winthrop)	St. Lawrence	First Universalist Parish of Stockholm	in existence by 25 Jun 1851, when it sent a delegate to the St. Lawrence As’n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 19 Jul 1851)	closed in 1943 (Potsdam NY <i>Courier & Freeman</i> , 14 Jun 1977)	A new church was dedicated on 6 Sep 1888 (Norwood NY <i>News</i> , 11 Sep 1888). It was sold to the American Legion in 1946. (NYSCU Parish Roll). In Aug 2004 it was still in their ownership.

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Stockport	Columbia		in existence by 6 Sep 1848, when it was admitted as “a recently formed society” to the Hudson River As’n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 22 Sep 1848)		A newly constructed meeting house was in use by Aug 1851. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Aug 1851)
Stockton (Delanti)	Chautauqua	First Universalist Society in the Town of Stockton	incorp. on 6 Feb 1858 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society’s Records p. 77)	declared extinct by NYSCU circular letter dated 19 Apr 1898	A church was dedicated on “Wednesday morning,” prob. 16 Nov 1859, per a letter to the <i>Christian Ambassador</i> written on 20 Nov that year. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 3 Dec 1859). The church was sold by 12 Sep 1897 when the sale proceeds were listed in the NYSCU Treasurer’s report. It was being razed in Nov 1925 (Fredonia NY <i>Censor</i> , 18 Nov 1925).
Stratford	Herkimer		org. in July 1846 by Rev. J. Douglass; admitted to the Mohawk River As’n. of Universalists on 14 Jun 1848 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 Jul 1848)		
Sullivan (Sullivan village)	Madison	First Universalist Society of the town of Sullivan	incorp. on 5 Jul 1826 (Madison Co. Religious & Library Incorporations, I:65)	In a report to the Central As’n. of Universalists on 7 Jun 1866, Rev. D. Skinner noted that he was unable to determine if the society was still legally	A church was dedicated “on Thursday last,” probably in Oct 1829; it had been under construction for 3 or 4 years (<i>Evangelical Magazine</i> ; Utica NY, 17 Oct 1829. It was sold by

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				organized. (<i>The Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 7 Jun 1866)	6 Oct 1909 when the sale proceeds were listed in the NYSCU Treasurer's report.)
Sweden & Clarkson (Brockport)	Monroe	First Universalist Society in the towns of Sweden and Clarkson	incorp. on 7 Mar 1829 (Monroe County Misc. Records 1:265); original record is in Docket 1, Box 10, P. 136)	apparently before 1833, when a society from North Murray (now Kendall) and Clarkson was admitted to the Niagara As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 26 Oct 1833)	
Syracuse	Onondaga	First Universalist Society of Syracuse, N.Y.	incorp. on 14 Mar 1860 (Onondaga Co. Misc. Records H:52-3); re-incorp. on 17 Nov 1991 (Religious Corporations File 910006-1)		A church at W. Genesee and Wallace Sts. was dedicated in 1863. In 1867 the city wanted the property for a high school, and after some dissension the church was sold. A new church was constructed at W. Genesee and Franklin Sts. and was dedicated in 1870.). A new church at Adams and Warren Sts. was dedicated on 6 Jan 1907. (Syracuse NY <i>Journal</i> , 15 Aug 1936)
Syracuse	Onondaga	First Unitarian Universalist Society of Syracuse	cert. of re-incorporation amended 26 Oct 1995 (Onondaga Co. Religious Incorporations RE910006, 272621)	This is an active congregation.	The congregation now owns a building at 109 Waring Road in Syracuse, completed in 1961.
Syracuse	Onondaga	Second Universalist Society of	in existence by 15 Mar 1873, when it met in the Court House and preaching was by		

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		Syracuse	Rev. S. R. Ward (Syracuse NY <i>Daily Standard</i> , 15 Mar 1873)		
Theresa	Jefferson		in existence by 23 Apr 1859, when Rev. H. H. Baker of Hammond was providing regular part-time preaching (, Auburn NY, 6 May 1859; admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists on 20 Jun 1860 (, Auburn NY, 14 Jul 1860)		
Ticonderoga (Weedville)	Essex		org. on 22 May 1830 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Jul 1830); no court incorporation record found		A church was constructed probably sometime during this era. In 1933 a cedar post from this building was discovered at West Exchange St. during an excavation, "and thus far no old resident has been found who has any idea of what ever became of the old church." (<i>Ticonderoga Sentinel</i> , Ticonderoga NY, 25 May 1933)
Trenton (Holland Patent)	Oneida	First Universalist Society of Trenton	incorp. on 18 Oct 1851 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations p. 186)	A letter to the <i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 23 May 1857 reported that religious services were no longer being held there.	The Society had a church by 14 Jun 1854, when the Mohawk River As'n. of Universalists met there. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 1 Jul 1854). On 2 Jul 1896 the NYSCU board voted to sell NYSCU's interest in the property.
Trenton (Trenton Falls)	Oneida	Trenton Falls Universalist Society	in existence by the "9th inst.," probably 9 Mar 1829 (<i>Utica Evangelical</i>	declared extinct by NYSCU on 26 May 1961 and by Oneida County	The property was approved for sale on 15 Aug 1961 to Michael and Julia B. Yust of Utica NY for

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			<i>Magazine</i> , Utica NY, 21 Mar 1829) incorp. on 3 Aug 1868 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations pp. 256-57)	Court on 29 Jun 1961 (NYSCU Parish Roll)	\$500.
Troy	Rensselaer	First Restorationist Society of the City of Troy	incorp. on 2 Jul 1822 (N. B. Sylvester, <i>History of Rensselaer Co. NY</i> , Philadelphia: 1880, p. 381) and Rensselaer Co. Church Records 1:73-76.	The congregation dissolved around 1937, per obit for Eugene R. Boyce in <i>The Times Record</i> of Troy NY on 9 Jan 1952.	The society had a meeting house in Jan 1830 which they had recently enlarged. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> ; Utica NY, 2 Jan 1830). A newly constructed church was dedicated on 11 Sep 1835 (N. B. Sylvester, <i>History of Rensselaer Co. NY</i> , Philadelphia: 1880, p. 381 and , <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> Utica NY, 17 Oct 1835).
Troy	Rensselaer	First Universalist Society of the City of Troy	By an act of the State Legislature on 23 May 1836, the name was changed from Restorationist to Universalist.	By 1948, it had turned over its assets to NYSCU. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1954)	The church was sold by 17 Apr 1928 to the Bethlehem Star, O.E.S., per NYSCU Board minutes of that date, and "Thirty Years in Retrospect," in the Albany NY <i>Times-Union</i> of 18 Aug 1957.
Truxton	Cortland		In May 1841 the society had "not now a name to live" (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 7 May 1841). It was reorganized by 7 Jun 1848, when it was admitted to the Cayuga As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel</i>	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report on that date to the Cayuga As'n.	

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			<i>Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 30 Jun 1848)		
Turin	Lewis	First Universalist Society of Turin	org. by 8 Jan 1859, when its formation was reported. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 8 Jan 1859). Incorpor. on 24 Jul 1859 (Lewis Co. Misc. Records 2:28)		
Utica	Oneida	First Unaversalist [sic] Society of Utica N.Y.	incorp. on 21 Nov 1825 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations p. 64)		
Utica	Oneida	First Universalist Society of Utica N.Y.	incorp. on 10 Jul 1837 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations p. 122)		In 1829 the congregation was worshipping in the Court House until the completion of their first church at 4 Devereux St. (Utica NY <i>Morning Herald</i> , 12 Aug 1859)
Utica	Oneida	Central Universalist Society	incorp. on 26 Apr 1849 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations p. 174)		In 1850 a church was built at Columbia and Seneca St. (Utica NY <i>Observer-Dispatch</i> , 21 Sep 1977). It later became the Citizens' Trust Company. (Utica NY <i>Morning Telegram</i> , 30 Nov 1920)
Utica	Oneida	Church of the Reconciliation (Universalist)	certificate of change to this name filed 26 May 1919, per Oneida Co. Religious Associations p. 174		A church was built at Genesee and Tracy Sts. at Oneida Square in 1907. (Utica NY <i>Observer</i> , Fri. 7 Jan 1977). It is now owned by the House of God Pentecostal Assemblies.

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Utica	Oneida	Unitarian Universalist Society of Utica	name changed on 1 Mar 1981	This is an active congregation.	In 1978 the congregation moved into its current location at 10 Higby Road.
Utica	Oneida	Second Universalist Church of the City of Utica, a.k.a. Church of Our Father	incorp. on 26 Aug 1889 from its former existence as the Universalist Mission of East Utica (Utica NY <i>Daily Observer</i> , 27 Ag 1889		The building was to be sold in Oct 1896 to East Utica Baptist Society (Utica NY <i>Morning Herald</i> , 28 Oct 1896)
Venice	Cayuga	First Universalist Society of the Towns of Venice and Scipio	incorp. on 10 Mar 1825 (Cayuga Co. court records A: 91)		
Vernon	Oneida		org. in Sep 1839 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Nov 1839); this was a union society of Unitarians and Universalists		
Vernon (now Benton)	Ontario (now in Yates Co.)	First Universalian Society	incorp. 15 Jun 1808 (Ontario Co. Misc. Court Records A: 106-7)		
Verona (Hands Village)	Oneida	First Universalist Society of Universalists in the Towns of Verona and Vernon	in existence by Aug 1831 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Sep 1831)		
Utica	Oneida	Church of the Reconciliation (Universalist)	certificate of change to this name filed 26 May 1919, per Oneida Co. Religious Associations p. 174		A church was built at Genesee and Tracy Sts. at Oneida Square in 1907. (Utica NY <i>Observer</i> , Fri. 7 Jan 1977). It is now owned

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Utica	Oneida	Unitarian Universalist Society of Utica	name change 1 Mar 1981 per court record	This is an active congregation.	In 1978 the congregation moved into its current location at 10 Higby Road.
Utica	Oneida	Second Universalist Church of the City of Utica, a.k.a. Church of Our Father	incorp. on 26 Aug 1889 from its former existence as the Universalist Mission of East Utica (Utica NY <i>Daily Observer</i> , 27 Ag 1889		The building was to be sold in Oct 1896 to East Utica Baptist Society (Utica NY <i>Morning Herald</i> , 28 Oct 1896)
Venice	Cayuga	First Universalist Society of the Towns of Venice and Scipio	incorp. on 10 Mar 1825 (Cayuga Co. court records A: 91)		
Vernon	Oneida		org. in Sep 1839 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 8 Nov 1839); this was a union society of Unitarians and Universalists		
Vernon (now Benton)	Ontario (now in Yates Co.)	First Universalian Society	incorp. 15 Jun 1808 (Ontario Co. Misc. Court Records A: 106-7)		
Verona (Hands Village)	Oneida	First Universalist Society of Universalists in the Towns of Verona and Vernon	in existence by Aug 1831 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 3 Sep 1831)		

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Virgil (Virgil Corners)	Cortland	Second Universalist Society in the town of Virgil	incorp. on 2 Jun 1832 (Cortland Co. Old Church Records, p. 25)	declared dormant on 11 Jun 1896 per a report to the Cayuga As'n. on that date	A union meeting house in which the local society had part ownership was dedicated sometime during the last 6 months of 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 15 Mar 1834)
Walton	Delaware		org. in 1822, per a statistics report to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Oct 1839). A delegate was sent to the 1825 meeting of the Chenango As'n., per minutes of 31 Aug 1825. No incorp. record was found.	a report in 1839 to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists described the society as "rather cold and languishing" (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Oct 1839)	A church co-owned by Universalists, Methodists, and Presbyterians was dedicated on 19 Dec 1833. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Jan 1834). In 1839 a report to the Chenango As'n. of Universalists stated that the society had "no house" (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> Utica NY, 11 Oct 1839)
Ward (Phillips Creek)	Allegany		in existence by 25 Jun 1851, when it sent delegates to the Allegany As'n. of Universalists (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 12 Jul 1851)		A new meeting house was dedicated 26 Dec 1849. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , New York NY, 18 Jan 1850)
Watertown	Jefferson	First Universalian Society of Watertown	incorp. on 3 Jan 1825 (Jefferson Co. Libers of Certs. A:57 and 1:44)		In 1824 a church was dedicated on the SE corner of present-day Public Square. It burned in 1850.
Watertown	Jefferson	First Universalist Parish of Watertown	certificate of change of name filed with the Dept. of State, Div of Corporations on 11 Oct 1905		A larger brick building was constructed on the same site. It was sold in 1905.

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Watertown	Jefferson	All Souls Universalist Church	certificate of change of name 31 Mar 1945 (Jefferson Co. Liber of Certs. 7:491-2)		In 1907 a new building on Washington St. was dedicated. On 13 Dec 1984 it was destroyed by fire.
Watertown	Jefferson	All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church of Watertown	Jefferson Co. Liber of Certs. 8:75-6)	This is an active congregation.	Their current church at 1330 Gotham St. was dedicated in Sep. 1987. (from the church website)
Wayland (Loon Lake)	Steuben		org. by 1944; applied for fellowship in NYSCU on 9 Oct 1945 per board minutes of that date	declared extinct 15 Sep 1959 (NYSCU Board minutes)	none
Webster	Monroe	First Universalist Society of Webster	incorp. on 2 Sep 1843 (Monroe Co. Misc. records 2:320)	after 1913; it was still a member of NYSCU that year	A cobblestone church was dedicated 13 Nov 1844. The deed was sold to NYSCU in 1920 (Rochester NY <i>Daily Record</i> , 5 Jan 1921). Per NYSCU board minutes the church was sold by 10 Apr 1923. In May 2021 the building was newly opened as the restaurant Cobblestone on Main. (Karen Dau)
Wellsville	Allegany		in existence by 11 Mar 1859, when Rev. Ichabod B. Sharp reported that they had hired Rev. Edmund R. Ottoway as their pastor (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 26 Mar 1859)		The society had a church in 1912 per the obit of Katie E. Sherwood, whose funeral was conducted there in May of that year. (Olean NY <i>Evening Times</i> , 10 May 1912.)
West Mendon	Monroe		In existence by 20 Oct 1827, when it is noted as the		

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			pastorate of Rev. Wm. I. Reese in a record of his marriage, in the <i>Gospel Advocate and Impartial Investigator</i> of Auburn NY, on that date		
Western & Lee (Lee Center)	Oneida	First United Universal Society in Western & Lee	incorp. on 21 Jun 1817 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations pp. 33-34)	A report to the Central As'n. of Universalists on 6 Jun 1866 noted that the society was inactive and its future was uncertain. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , New York NY, 7 Jul 1866) It had dissolved by 1923, when it was referred to as "the former Universalist church of Lee Center" in the obituary of Alma Holmes Castle in the Rome NY <i>Daily Sentinel</i> , Sat. 22 Sep 1923.	A Union church under construction and unfinished for several years was completed and dedicated "last Sunday" 7 Jul 1834. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 12 Jul 1834 and <i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 19 Jul 1834). When it was demolished, a new Union church was built on the same site and was dedicated on 12 Oct 1859. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 29 Oct 1859). It was sold in 1910 to an LDS congregation. (NYSCU Parish Roll)
Westfield	Allegany		in existence by Dec 1833, when Rev. Nathaniel Stacy noted its formation (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 11 Jan 1834)		
Westfield (Hights Corners)	Chautauqua	First Universalist Church of Westfield	admitted to the Chautauque [sic] As'n. of Universalists, "lately organized," on 21 Aug 1842. (<i>Evangelical</i>		The Society built a church at Haight's Corners in 1842, per A. W. Young, <i>History of Chautauqua Co. NY</i> (Buffalo:

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			<i>Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> Utica NY, 16 Sep 1842)		1875, p. 618).
Westfield (Hights Corners)	Chautauqua	Universalist Society of Haight's Corners	incorp. on 9 Oct 1880 (Chautauqua Co. Religious Society's Records pp. 248- 49)	defunct by 1932 (Dunkirk NY <i>Evening Observer</i> , 3 Mar 1933)	
Westfield (Lombard)	Chautauqua		Unknown		There was a church built here about 1853 that was razed in 1898 (Sherman NY <i>Chautauqua News</i> , 26 Jan 1898)
Westville	Franklin	First Universalist Society of Westville	in existence by 26 Jun 1844, when it was admitted to the St. Lawrence As'n. of Universalists. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> Utica NY, 12 Jul 1844). Readmitted to the As'n. on 22 Jun 1859. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 16 Jul 1859)		
Wethersfield	Wyoming	First Universalist Society	by 3 Oct 1832, when it was admitted to the newly- formed Niagara As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Oct 1832). Apparently reorganized on the "12th inst." possibly 12 May 1862 (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 31 May 1862)		

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Whitestown	Oneida	Universalist Society in Whitestown By Sep 1869 it had changed its name to the Universalist Society of New Hartford (Oneida County Deeds 297:46)	incorp. on 3 Dec 1805 (Oneida Co. Religious Associations pp. 17-18 and <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 2 Jan 1830)		A church was built in the summer of 1815 in an area that became part of New Hartford in 1827. In 1822 the society constructed another church in Clinton, and by 1825 it had divided into two societies. (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 9 Jan 1830).
Williamstown	Oswego		org. on 31 Aug 1834 (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 20 Sep 1834)		
Williamsville	Erie		organized abt. Aug 1816 (C. P. Jamieson, <i>Heritage of Heresy</i> , Buffalo, 1982)	before 1823 (C. P. Jamieson, <i>Heritage of Heresy</i> , Buffalo, 1982)	none
Willsboro	Essex		org. by 1832 (<i>Press-Republican</i> , Plattsburgh NY, 4 May 1991)		
Wilna (Carthage)	Jefferson	The Universalists of Carthage	incorp. on 29 Mar 1851 (Jefferson Co. Liber of Certs. AB:282-3)	merged with the Congregational Church on 25 Jan 1923 to become United Christian Church of West Carthage. (Watertown NY <i>Daily Times</i> , 11 Jan 1968)	
Wilna (Carthage)	Jefferson	First Universalist Society of	incorp. on 15 Aug 1904 (Jefferson Co. Liber of Certs. 3:455-6)	declared extinct on 25 Oct 1975 (NYSCU board minutes)	Land was acquired through a quitclaim deed on 2 Jul 1910. (Jefferson County Book of Deeds

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		Carthage, N.Y.			#336, p. 584, recorded 14 May 1912)
Wilna (Natural Bridge)	Jefferson	First Universalist Church of Wilna	in existence by Jun 1833, when it was admitted to the Black River As'n. of Universalists (<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 20 Jul 1833); reorganized 1870 per NYSCU Parish Roll	The Society was declared extinct on 6 Oct 1937, per NYSCU board minutes of that date.	A church was built in 1872. It was sold on 8 Sep 1939 to Truman O. Moore and was demolished by 4 Oct 1939, per NYSCU board minutes of that date. In 1941 NYSCU still owned the land. (NYSCU files)
Wolcott	Wayne	First Society of Universalists of the Town of Wolcott	incorp. on 14 May 1834 (Wayne Co. Misc. Records, 1: 194-5)	by 26 Oct 1896, when Henry Wadsworth signed over a mortgage as sole trustee of the church. (Wayne Co. Mortgages 119: 223)	A newly constructed cobblestone church was dedicated on 14 Sep 1835. (<i>Herald of Truth</i> , Geneva, 24 Oct 1835 and <i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> Utica NY, 31 Oct 1835). On 26 Oct 1896 the sole surviving trustee of the society sold the mortgage to Frederick W. Betts of Syracuse (Book 119 of Deeds, p. 223). By 1907 "the last vestage" had "disappeared many years ago." (Wolcott NY <i>Shore News</i> , 11 Apr 1907)
Yonkers	Westchester		org. "some year or two since," but it folded soon afterward. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 4 Aug 1855)		
York	Livingston	First Universalist Society of York	incorp. on 22 Sep 1827 (Livingston Co. Misc. Records 1: 203)		Universalists had a building by 3 Oct 1832, when the Niagara As'n. of Universalists met there.

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					(<i>Evangelical Magazine & Gospel Advocate</i> , Utica NY, 27 Oct 1832)
Yorkshire (Yorkshire Center, Delevan)	Cattaraugus	Universalist Society in the Town of Yorkshire	incorporated on 22 Jan 1842 (Cattaraugus Co. Misc. Records 2: 87); re-organized on 3 Jan 1856. (L. H. Everts, <i>History of Cattaraugus Co. NY</i> , 1879); but no court record found for this date	prob. soon after 1913, when NYSCU acquired their church	The Society owned a meeting house in 28 May 1851, per a report on the State of the Church to NYSCU. (<i>Christian Ambassador</i> , Auburn NY, 2 Aug 1851). Their church was acquired by NYSCU on 16 Aug 1913. (<i>Empire State Universalist</i> , Oct 1913)