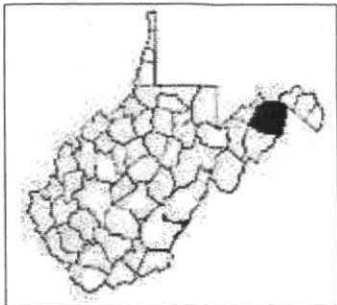




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WEST VIRGINIA HISTORIC PROPERTY INVENTORY FORM

Street Address E side Brights Hollow Rd., NW of Levels	Common/Historic Property Name/ Both Oak Grove Church of the Brethren	Field Survey # Central Hampshire County Survey No. 280	Site # (SHPO Only) <i>HM-1084</i>
Town or Community vic. Levels	County Hampshire	Image No. 3793	NR Listed Date n/a
Architect/Builder Unidentified	Date of Construction c. 1960 (neighbor)	Style church	
Exterior Siding/Materials Concrete Block	Roofing Material Standing-Seam Metal	Foundation Concrete Block	
Property Use or Function Other/Religious Use	UTM # 17/4374635/712285		
Survey Organization and Date Taylor and Taylor Associates, for the Hampshire County Historic Landmarks Commission, 2008-2009	Quadrangle Name <i>Levels, WV</i>		
	Part of What Survey/FR# Central Hampshire County Historic Resource Survey		

Sketch Map of Property
or Attach Copy of USGS Map See Survey Report

Property Owners	Owner's Mailing Address
Phone #	
Describe Setting	
This modest church is located in rural central Hampshire County north of the county seat of Romney and less than one mile north of the unincorporated village of Levels.	
Acres none Archaeological Artifacts Present	
Description of Buildings or Site (Original and Present)	
_____ 1 Stories _____ 1 Front Bays	
1-story vernacular religious building of concrete block construction, with a 3-bay façade and gable roof with gable-end orientation. A gable-end oriented entry bay extends forward from the center of the façade, penetrated by double doors. Fenestration is flat-topped, without notable ornament, and the side elevations incorporate buttresses between the bays.	
(Use Continuation Sheets)	
Alterations ☒ Yes ☐ No	If yes, describe A non-historic handicap ramp has been built along one side elevation.
Additions ☐ Yes ☒ No	If yes, describe
Describe all Outbuildings	
None	
(Use Continuation Sheets)	
Statement of Significance:	
This is a rural church, the home of the Oak Grove Church of the Brethren, and according to a neighbor dates from ca. 1960. The original church was moved to the east and is recorded as Survey Site 282. Adjacent to the church is a cemetery, recorded as Survey Site 281. This building is architecturally undistinguished and does not appear to meet National Register Criteria for Evaluation.	
(Use Continuation Sheets)	
Bibliographical References	
(Use Continuation Sheets)	
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