



Harleston Village Trail

1. Charleston Library Society 164 King Street

From its inception over 260 years ago, this society was the cornerstone of intellectual and cultural life in Charleston. Founded in 1748, it's the 3rd oldest subscription library in the United States.

3. St. John Lutheran Church 8 Archdale Street

Possible, the oldest Lutheran Church in South Carolina. Rev. John Bachman, the congregations most notable minister, encouraged African involvement in Charleston's religious communities.

2. Unitarian Church 4 Archdale Street

The oldest church of its denomination in the South. Founded by a group of dissenters in 1772, this marks where both the Patriot Army and the British Army forged shelter during the American Revolution.

4. Old City Jail 21 Magazine Street

Used from 1802-1939, this jail is known for housing the most notorious criminals, John & Lavina Fisher. Lavina Fisher is said to be America's first female serial killer.