

LDS Church – Keokuk

Location: Brookeshire Drive
Keokuk, Iowa

Completed: Spring 2004

Size: 6,200 s.f.

Construction: Masonry veneer &
wood framing

Developer: Ed Howell



This new 6,200 s.f. house of worship in Keokuk also incorporated a social hall/gymnasium with a half court basketball court, kitchen serving area, numerous class room and office spaces, as well as the main worship space equipped with high tech satellite communications equipment.

The city of Nauvoo, Illinois is a city of great historical significance to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints. 18 miles downriver from Nauvoo sits the town of Keokuk, Iowa. Due to its proximity to the temple in Nauvoo, the church in Keokuk routinely sees a high number of parishioners. The congregation has grown rapidly since the facility opened, and has already expanded its parking capacity and plans to expand the building in the near future.

This particular design was a standard plan called a "Fayette." We, at Brost Architects and Planners, have worked with the Church to construct 11 similar buildings throughout Iowa, Minnesota, and Missouri.