

CHURCH BUYS A SITE

Universalist Society of the Divine Love Will Erect a Building at Once

A plot of ground, 58 by 100, at Foster avenue and Twenty-third street, has been purchased by the Universalist Church of the Divine Love, Flatbush, of which the Rev. Dr. Luther F. McKinney is pastor. Architects will be called upon at once to submit plans and building will begin as soon as possible. The church has grown so rapidly since its organization last year that a permanent place of worship has become a necessity.

The Church of the Divine Love is the outgrowth of services begun in Flatbush by the Rev. L. Ward Brigham, pastor of All Souls Universalist Church, South Ninth street, near Bedford avenue, with the sanction of his board of trustees. A number of the members of Mr. Brigham's church resided in Flatbush, and it was at much inconvenience that they attended services in All Souls. In order to meet this difficulty and to afford those non-resident members a place of worship, these services were held, and out of this movement the Church of the Divine Love has grown.

A church that will be an ornament to the neighborhood will be erected and in a short time there will be a prosperous Universalist society in the section.

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