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## Historic Decatur home destroyed in Fire


February 17, 2020 by Collins Parker (<https://www.wdef.com/author/wparker/>)

DECATUR, Tenn. (WDEF) – One of the oldest homes in Decatur, Tennessee was destroyed by a fire over the weekend.

The cause of the fire is under investigation. However, officials believe it might be electrical and that it started in the attic.



from Decatur Fire Dept.



It was currently owned by the Decatur United Methodist Church. They used it as a youth house.

"We have been using it for youth activity space, so our youth group is comprised of children from around the community from all around the county. All of our churches get together for youth group and they meet here every Sunday evening and they often do other events throughout the year here," Pastor Will Connor said.

The pastor says he is thankful the fire happened on a Saturday. He is glad inside.

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Figure 2: Online Article about the Buchanan House's destruction by fire