

Abstract

This master's thesis deals with the Czechoslovak Hussite church in Nesvačily in the Benešov region. At first it focuses on the history of the Czechoslovak Hussite church as a whole. The main part of the thesis describes the formation and development of the Nesvačily parish from 1922 (when the first service was held) to the present day. The Nesvačily Czechoslovak Hussite Church Memorial Book and interviews with three members and the representative of the Nesvačily Church were used as sources for this thesis. Thanks to the narrators' individual testimonials we can not only verify and reconstruct the order of historical events, but also discover new facts and learn more about the life of the parish during the communist times. The aim of this thesis is to look into the origin and development of this parish.

Keywords

Czechoslovak Hussite Church, Nesvačily, church formation, communist regime, the present day, oral history