

**LIST OF COUNTY & CIRCUIT COURT CLERKS FOR ST. MARY'S COUNTY,
MARYLAND**

COUNTY COURT CLERKS

Appointed by Secretary in Maryland:

1658-1661 Roger Isham
1661-1674 Walter Hall (resigned)
1674-1677 Edward Clarke (died c. Feb. 1677)
1677-1680 John Manley
1680-1684 Thomas Grunwin (resigned)
1684-1686 Thomas Impey
1686-1689 John Bloomfield (forced out by Protestant Associators)

Appointed by act of Convention:

1689-1692 William Taylard

Appointed by Secretary in Maryland:

1692 - John Skipwith (died Oct. 1692)
1692-1695 Henry Denton (resigned)
1695-1698 William Bladen (resigned)
1698-1705 William Aisquith (resigned)
1705-1709 George Muschamp (died Nov. 1709)
1709-1717 Henry Lowe, Sr. (died Nov. 1717)
1717-1728 Michael Jenifer (died Aug. 1728)
1728-1740 Thomas Brooke III (resigned)
1740-1744 Philip Key (resigned)
1744-1765 Richard Ward Key (died April 10, 1765)
1765-1770 Benjamin Young, Jr.
1770-1777 Daniel Wolstenholme

Appointed by County Court Justices (Constitution of 1776, sec. 47):

1780-1793 Timothy Bowes
1794-1843 Joseph Harris

Appointed by Governor to 7-year term (Chapter 224, Acts of 1836, confirmed by Chapter 160, Acts of 1837):

1843-1851 William T. Maddox

CIRCUIT COURT CLERKS

Elected by Voters to 6-year terms (Constitution of 1851, Art. IV, sec. 14):

1851-1863 James T. Blackiston

1863-1865 John A. Camalier

Elected by Voters to 6-year terms (Constitution of 1864, Art. IV, sec. 29):

1865-1867 John A. Camalier

Elected by Voters to 6-year terms (Constitution of 1867, Art. IV, sec. 25):

1867-1873 John A. Camalier

1873-1891 J. Frank Ford (D)

1891-1897 James J. Greenwell (D)

1897-1921 Enoch B. Abell

1921-1926 Joseph M. Mattingly

Elected by Voters to 4-year terms (Constitution of 1867, Art. XVII, added by Chapter 227, Acts of 1922, ratified Nov. 7, 1922):

1926-1938 Joseph M. Mattingly

1938-1958 C. Benedict Greenwell (D)

Elected by Voters to 4-year terms (Constitution of 1867, Art. IV, sec. 25, amended by Chapter 99, Acts of 1956, ratified Nov. 6, 1956):

1958-1966 C. Benedict Greenwell (D) (died May 2, 1966)

1966-1969 Mary R. Fowler

1969-1977 Dorothy Bailey Kucher (D)

1977-1990 Mary R. Bell Miles (D)

1990-2006 Evelyn W. Arnold (D)

2006-2017 Joan W. Williams (D)

2017-2018 Tracy L. Cantrell, *Acting Clerk*

2018 - Debra J. Mills Burch (R)