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Barrington Pastoral Charge (Nova Scotia)

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Reference Number: PC/900

Title: Barrington Pastoral Charge fonds

Dates: 1810-1814, 1816, 1822-2019

Extent: 2.4 meters of textual records and 1 microfilm

Administrative History: A pastoral charge consists of one or more communities of faith under the spiritual leadership of a minister. The pastoral charge title usually reflects the breadth of the geographic area encompassing the charge.

Barrington Pastoral Charge consists of the appointments of Baccaro (Wesley) and Barrington Passage (St. James). Both of these appointments are located in Shelburne County, Nova Scotia.

At a joint meeting of the Presbyterian Presbytery of Lunenburg and Yarmouth and the Methodist Yarmouth District on January 28, 1923, it was recommended that the Presbyterians of Barrington Passage join with the Methodists and that they use the Presbyterian Church building for worship. Carleton Village and McNutt's Island were added to the North East Harbour Methodist Circuit.

In 1925, all Methodist and Congregational Churches and a majority of Presbyterian Churches in Canada were formed into the United Church of Canada.

After church union in 1925, Barrington Pastoral Charge contained the appointments of Barrington, Barrington Passage, Bear Point and Shag Harbour.

In 1925, Clyde River Pastoral Charge, contained the appointments of Clyde River, Port Clyde, and Port Saxon.

The North East Harbour Pastoral Charge of the Yarmouth Presbytery contained the appointments of Black Point (Ingomar), Cape Negro Island, Carleton Village, North East Harbour and Roseway.

The Port Latour Pastoral Charge contained the appointments of Baccaro, Blanche, Cape Negro, and Upper Port Latour (Green Hill).

Baccaro continued as an appointment of the Port Latour Pastoral Charge until 1937 when it was placed with the Barrington Pastoral Charge. West Baccaro was added as a preaching point to Barrington Pastoral Charge in 1943 but was dropped in 1948.

In 1945, services were discontinued at Shag Harbour. The vacant church building was given to the Municipality of Barrington and demolished. Bear Point was closed in 1945 as well.

The Upper Port Latour (Green Hill United Church) church became part of Barrington Pastoral Charge in 1964. It was closed on December 31, 2004.

In November 2011, South Shore Presbytery recommended in principle the amalgamation of

Wesley United Church in Barrington and St. James United Church in Barrington Passage. The 2012 United Church of Canada yearbook no longer listed Wesley United Church in Barrington as a preaching point. South Shore Presbytery approved the sale of Wesley United Church to the Wesley Heritage Community Seniors Association in June 2013.

Effective January 1, 2019, The United Church of Canada underwent some structural changes including the elimination of all Presbyteries. At this time, Barrington Pastoral Charge became part of the Regional Council 15.

(Sources: Histories: "The Old Meeting House, Barrington, Nova Scotia, 1765-1930" by Frank A. Doane, 1931 and revised 1932; "A Church and a Proud People" by Lillian Scott Perry and Robert Malay, 2001; pictorial history by Lillian Scott Perry, 2005.)

Custodial History: Information about the custody of these records prior to acquisition is incomplete.

Scope and Content: Fonds consists of baptism/marriage/burial records, membership rolls, financial records, newspaper clippings, published and unpublished histories, reports, newsletters, and a sermon from Barrington Pastoral Charge and its Methodist antecedents. The fonds is composed of the following sous-fonds:

- Barrington Pastoral Charge records
- Barrington Methodist Circuit and Port LaTour Methodist Circuit records
- Wesley United Church (Barrington) records
- Wesley United Church (Baccaro) Records
- St. James United Church (Barrington Passage) records
- Upper Port LaTour United Church records

Notes:

Source of Supplied Title Proper: Title based on contents of fonds.

Accruals: Further accruals are expected.

Immediate Source of Acquisition: It is unknown when the majority of the records were received but the records of women's organizations were received from the pastoral charge in 1966 and December 1988. Records were also received in 2014 (accession 14-039). Microfilm was received from the Nova Scotia Provincial Archives in May 1993.

Related Records: See Clyde-Carleton Pastoral Charge fonds and Shelburne Pastoral Charge fonds. See also W. Burton Crowe fonds for a photograph of the Old Meeting House in Barrington.

Microform Physical Description: Microfilm is 35 mm.

Reference Number: PC/900/1

Title: Barrington Pastoral Charge records

Dates: 1925-2019

Extent: 77.5 cm of textual records and 1 microfilm

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds consists of baptism/marriage/burial records, membership rolls and lists, minutes, financial statements, reports, newsletters, orders of service, published and unpublished histories, and newspaper clippings. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

Baptism/Marriage/Burial Records

Membership Records

Records of Congregation

Records of Official Board

Records of Session

Records of Treasurer

Annual Reports

Newsletters

Shelburne County Ministerial Association

Church Histories

Orders of Service

Note:

Source of supplied title proper: Title based on contents of sous-fonds.

File List:

Baptism/Marriage/Burial Records

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
MF-409	Register Baptisms (1925-1939) Marriages (1925-1952) Burials (1925-1950) Also includes baptism/marriage/burial records from Barrington Methodist Circuit (1822-1925)	1925-1950
MF-409	Baptism Register Also includes baptism records from Barrington Methodist Circuit (1836, 1839-1925)	1925-1954
PC/974/7	Baptism register	December 15, 1963-July 9, 2011
PC/974/8	Burial register	September 10, 1969-July 19, 2006

Membership Records

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/900/8	Historic Roll Also contains historic roll from Barrington Methodist Circuit (1884- 1925)	1925-1950
PC/974/9	Historic roll	1960-1981
PC/974/10	Historic roll	1974-2000
PC/975/11	Pictorial membership directory	2003
PC/975/13	Congregational lists	[1990s]

Records of Congregation

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/975/5	Congregational meeting minutes	April 4, 2004-March 6, 2011

Records of Official Board

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/900/4	Minutes Also contains minutes from Barrington Methodist Circuit Quarterly Official Board (September 9, 1919-1925)	1925-July 6, 1937
PC/900/5	Minutes	July 12, 1937-September 16, 1958
PC/900/6	Draft copies of minutes (2 books)	1937-1943
PC/900/7	Draft copies of minutes	1944-1945
PC/974/11	Minutes	January 20, 1969- November 16, 1994
PC/975/1	Minutes and correspondence	June 8, 2000-May 24, 2004
PC/975/2	Minutes and correspondence	June 21, 2004-January 17, 2007
PC/975/3	Minutes and correspondence	March 14, 2007-January 17, 2008

Records of Session

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/900/1	Minutes	January 13, 1967-April 10, 1970
PC/975/8	Minutes	October 24, 1989-August 16, 2004
PC/975/9	Minutes	September 22, 2004-January 19, 2011

Records of Treasurer

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/900/13	Financial statements	1925-1941
PC/900/14	Financial statements	1984
PC/973/1	Treasurer's book Also includes records from Barrington Methodist Circuit (1921-1925)	1925-1932
PC/976/2	General Ledger	1972-1992
PC/976/1	Treasurer's book-Missionary & Service Fund	1971-1978

Annual Reports

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
AR/903	Annual reports	1961; 1963-1965; 1967-1968; 1980-1981; 1989-1997, 2000-2002, 2008-2019

Newsletters

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/1534/9	Newsletter	Lent 1982

Shelburne County Ministerial Association

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/975/12	Minutes	June 3, 1992-May 31, 1995

Church Histories

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
CH/900	-“The Old Meeting House (Originally Congregationalist) at the Head of Barrington Harbour, Nova Scotia: An Historical Sketch, 1765-1930” by Frank A. Doane, 81 pp.	1931

- Includes 2 photographs on inside front cover
- “The Old Meeting House (Originally Congregationalist) at the Head of Barrington Harbour, Nova Scotia: An Historical Sketch, 1765-1930, revised 1932” by Frank A. Doane, 117 pp. 1933
Includes 2 photographs on inside front cover
- Newspaper clipping: “Barrington Circuit Wesleyan Mission House Aid Society,” The Wesleyan February 23, 1850
- “Wesley United Church, Barrington, Nova Scotia.” Copy of scrapbook compiled by Lillian Scott Perry. n.d.
- Newspaper clipping: “Pewter communion set returned after 50 years” by Brian Medel. The Chronicle-Herald August 23, 1996
- Newspaper clipping: “Converted slave-owner started Methodist church” by M. Allen Gibson. Halifax Mail Star June 19 ,1976
- Newspaper clipping: “Churches by the Sea: A drawing together of traditions” by M. Allen Gibson” August 30, 1979
- “Methodism in Barrington, Part 1” by Frank A. Doane, 36 pp. 1926
- “Methodism in Barrington, Part 2” by Frank A. Doane, 73 pp. 1927
- “Methodism in Barrington, Part 3” by Franke A. Doane, 56 pp. 1928
- “A History of Baccaro United Church, 1858-1958” by Hazel H. Smith, 12 pp. 1944
- “Old Times in Barrington” by Frank A. Doane, 59 pp.
- Newspaper clipping: “The Old Meeting House” by Frank A. Doane, The Truro Daily News. October 27, 1941
- “Barrington’s Old Meeting House” by Evelyn M. Richardson. Reprinted from Advertiser Blossom Edition May 1968
- “A Cradle of Nova Scotia Methodism” n.d.
- Typed excerpt from “McKinnon’s Book” on Barrington n.d.
- Handwritten transcription of a journal entry from George A. Crowell

	-“68 th Anniversary of Wesley United Church, Barrington, NS” by Frank A. Doane	1934
PC/901/1	-“Church Anniversary,” 4 pp. typewritten	
	-Draft notes of Official Board meetings	1937; 1945
	-Subscription list (Methodist) for upkeep of parsonage and requirements of operating fund	November 20, 1901
	-Draft minutes of congregational meetings (Methodist)	1921-1923
	-Thank you cards (4)	n.d.
	-Evening Circle draft minutes	September 14, [19-?]
	-St. James United Church UCW minutes	May 28, 1968
	-Letter from Rev. Erle E. Fytche to Miss Smith re. increasing support for pastoral charge	January 11, 1954
	-Letter from Fred McPherson (?) to Mr. W.D. Watt sending regrets for meeting	April 23, 1945
	-Subscription list for minister’s salary (Methodist)	n.d.
	-Trustee minutes (Methodist)	February 26, 1866
	-Letter to the Building Committee of the Baccaro Methodist Church from John A. Christie and William Dowling re. agreement of terms of contract for building of church	n.d.
	-Letter from John W. Hughes to Board of Stewards re. his resignation	January 15, 1945
	-Resolution from Baccaro United Church re. re-arrangement of pastoral charge boundaries	n.d.
	-Minister’s report to Baccaro	1964
	-Receipt for items bought for Baccaro Methodist Church	1872
	-West Baccaro receipts, n.d.	n.d.
	-Wesley United Church (Baccaro) financial statement	1944

Orders of Service

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/905/11	Orders of Service	1960-1971
PC/905/12	Order of Service – 200 th Anniversary of the Old Meeting House	September 12, 1965

Reference Number: PC/900/2

Title: Barrington Methodist Circuit and Port LaTour Methodist Circuit records

Dates: 1810-1814, 1816, 1822-1925

Extent: 106 cm of textual records and 1 microfilm

Administrative History: The first settlers in the area after the expulsion of the Acadians were from New England and were Congregationalists. Construction on a Congregationalist church building started in 1765 and was finished by 1767. These ranks were soon depleted by the formation of a Baptist congregation and a Methodist society in Barrington. Over the years there were four Methodist Circuits connected with Barrington Pastoral Charge: Barrington Circuit, North East Harbour Circuit, Port LaTour Circuit and Shelburne Circuit. The Shelburne-Barrington Circuit was formed in 1786.

Methodism in the Barrington area has its roots in Freeborn Garrettson, a former slave owner in Maryland who converted to Methodism and came to the Maritimes as a preacher. He came to Shelburne and Barrington in 1786 and formed the first Methodist class in the area. Garrettson returned to the United States in 1787 and his work was continued by James Mann and Rev. James Oliver Cromwell. A Methodist chapel was constructed in Barrington in 1816. The Methodist Sunday School began around 1827.

Shelburne and Barrington were linked together until 1833 when Barrington was made a separate circuit with Cape Negro and Port LaTour. Port LaTour became a separate circuit in 1870 and soon expanded to include Baccaro, Upper Port LaTour, Cape Negro, Port Clyde, and Blanche. A Methodist chapel was built at Lower Port LaTour in 1850. It is unknown when the first Methodist church was built in Upper Port LaTour.

As the membership of the Barrington Methodist Circuit began to increase in the 1850s, plans were made to construct a larger church building. A new building was constructed in 1866.

In 1870, the Barrington Circuit included the appointments of Barrington (also known as Barrington Head) and West (Barrington) Passage. Bear Point was added to the Barrington Circuit in 1872 and Shag Harbour was added in 1873. A site for a Methodist church at Shag Harbour was purchased in 1882 and a church building erected in 1885.

The North East Harbour Circuit was organized in 1863. The Circuit included the appointments of Black Point (later called Ingomar), Cape Negro, Carleton Village, McNutt's Island, North East Harbour, and Roseway. The church building at North East Harbour was destroyed by fire in 1907. A new church was erected in 1908.

A Methodist church was built in Barrington Passage in 1844 but was destroyed by fire in 1855. It was rebuilt in 1856.

The first meeting house in the Baccaro area was a Union house. A Methodist chapel was built in 1857 and was ready for worship in 1858.

In 1910, the Methodists at Carleton Village and McNutt's Island united with the Presbyterians and were served by the Clyde River Presbyterian minister as part of the Clyde and Barrington Pastoral Charge. Port Latour became head of a separate Methodist circuit in 1870 and included the appointments of Baccaro, Blanche, Cape Negro, Port Clyde, and Upper Port Latour (listed in 1872 as Green Hill). (Port Latour was never a preaching place.)

At a joint meeting of the Presbyterian Presbytery of Lunenburg and Yarmouth and the Methodist Yarmouth District on 28 January 1923, it was recommended that the Presbyterians of Barrington Passage join with the Methodists and that they use the Presbyterian church building for worship and that Carleton Village and McNutt's Island be added to the North East Harbour Circuit. In 1924, the preaching points of the Barrington Circuit were Barrington Head, Barrington Passage, Bear Point (formerly Bare Point, a Union Church), and Shag Harbour. Seal Island was also visited annually.

In 1925 all Methodist and Congregational Churches and a majority of Presbyterian Churches in Canada were formed into the United Church of Canada.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds contains baptism/marriage/burial records, membership roll, minutes, financial records, and reports from Barrington Methodist Circuit and LaTour Methodist Circuit. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

- Baptism/Marriage/Burial Records
- Membership Records
- Records of Official Board
- Records of Board of Trustees
- Records of Treasurer
- Records of Board of Stewards
- Records of Sunday School
- Records of Women's Organizations
- Records of Youth Groups
- Bible Society Records

Note:

Source of supplied title proper: Title based on contents of sous-fonds.

File List:

Baptism/Marriage/Burial Records

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
MF-409	Barrington Methodist Circuit Register Baptisms (1822-1925) Marriages (1824-1925) Burials (1920-1925) Also includes baptism/marriage/burial records from Barrington Pastoral Charge	1822-1925

(1925-1952)

MF-409 Barrington Methodist Circuit Baptism Register
1836, 1839-1925
Also includes baptism records from Barrington Pastoral Charge (1925-1954)

Membership Records

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/902/10	Barrington Methodist Circuit Class Roll	1810-1811, 1813-1814, 1816
PC/900/8	Barrington Methodist Circuit Historic Roll Also includes historic roll from Barrington Pastoral Charge (1925-1950)	1884-1925
PC/904/1	Port LaTour Methodist Circuit membership roll Also includes membership roll from Port LaTour United Church (1925-1939, 1946) and financial statements from Port LaTour Methodist Circuit	1904-1925

Records of Official Board

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/905/4	Shelburne-Barrington Methodist Circuit Quarterly Official Board minutes and accounts	1822-1839
PC/900/2	Barrington Methodist Circuit Quarterly Official Board Minutes Also includes list of ministers and class lists	May 21, 1842-May 17, 1857
PC/900/3	Barrington Methodist Circuit Quarterly Official Board Minutes	August 26, 1858-May 29, 1919
PC/900/4	Barrington Methodist Circuit Quarterly Official Board Minutes Also includes Official Board minutes from Barrington Pastoral Charge (1925-July 6, 1937)	September 9, 1919-July 6, 1937
MF-409	Port LaTour Methodist Circuit Quarterly Official Board minutes Also includes minutes from Port LaTour	1870-1925

United Church (1925-1937)

Records of Board of Trustees

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/903/11	Barrington Head Methodist Church Trustee minutes	1860-1904

Records of Treasurer

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/900/9	Barrington Methodist Circuit Accounts	1839-1842
PC/900/10	Barrington Methodist Circuit Treasurer's book	1857-1895
PC/900/12	Barrington Methodist Circuit weekly offerings book	1917-1921
PC/974/1	Barrington Methodist Circuit treasurer's book Also includes records from Barrington Pastoral Charge (1925-1932)	1921-1925
PC/904/1	Port LaTour Methodist Circuit financial statements Also includes Port LaTour Methodist Circuit/United Church membership roll (1904-1939, 1946)	1883, 1901, 1902

Records of Board of Stewards

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/902/9	Barrington Methodist Circuit Board of Stewards Accounts	1796-1818
PC/902/11	Barrington Methodist Circuit Board of Stewards Accounts Also includes class roll	1823-1842

Records of Sunday School

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/901/15	Baccaro Methodist Church Sunday School Record book	1902-1904
PC/901/16	Baccaro Methodist Church Sunday School Record book	1903-1904

PC/902/1	Baccaro Methodist Church Sunday School Record book	1912-1913
PC/902/2	Baccaro Methodist Church Sunday School Record book	1914-1916
PC/902/3	Baccaro Methodist Church Sunday School Record book	1916-1917
PC/902/4	Baccaro Methodist Church Sunday School Record book	1917-1918
PC/902/5	Baccaro Methodist Church Sunday School Record book	1919-1920

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/902/12	Barrington Head Methodist Church Woman's Missionary Society (WMS) minutes and roll Also includes WMS records from Barrington Head United Church (1925- March 4, 1931)	January 14, 1913-1925
PC/902/14	Barrington Passage Methodist Church Ladies Aid minutes Also includes minutes from St. James United Church Ladies Aid (1925-August 8, 1933)	September 12, 1923-1925
PC/902/28	Port LaTour Methodist WMS minutes and roll	November 23, 1911- October 9, 1920
PC/902/29	Port LaTour Methodist WMS minutes and roll Also includes minutes from Port LaTour United Church (1925-May 4, 1931)	November 9, 1920-1925
PC/902/27	Port LaTour Methodist WMS treasurer's book Also includes records from Port LaTour United Church (1925-1942)	1911-1925

Records of Youth Groups

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/903/13	Barrington Head Methodist Church Epworth League Minutes	December 14, 1894- December 5, 1898
PC/902/14	Barrington Methodist Circuit Epworth League Minutes	December 12, 1899-August 26, 1901

Bible Society Records

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/903/7	Bible Society (interdenominational) minutes	January 8, 1846-1872

Reference Number: PC/900/3

Title: Wesley United Church (Barrington) records

Dates: 1929-1975

Extent: 22.5 cm of textual records

Administrative History: In 1925, the Methodist church in Barrington became Wesley United Church. In November 2011, South Shore Presbytery recommended in principle the amalgamation of Wesley United Church in Barrington and St. James United Church in Barrington Passage. In the 2012 United Church of Canada yearbook no longer listed Wesley United Church in Barrington as a preaching point.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds contains minutes, correspondence, cash books, and a text of a sermon. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

- Records of Congregation
- Records of Board of Management
- Records of Session
- Records of Board of Trustees
- Records of Treasurer
- Records of Board of Stewards
- Records of Committees
- Records of Women's Organizations
- Records of Youth Groups
- Sermons

Note:

Source of supplied title proper: Title based on contents of sous-fonds.

File Listing:

Records of Congregation

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/902/6	Congregational meeting minutes	December 31, 1942- January 27, 1949
PC/902/7	Congregational meeting minutes	January 17, 1957-January 22, 1959
PC/902/8	Congregational meeting minutes	January 13, 1960-January 26, 1964
PC/975/7	Congregational meeting minutes Also includes session minutes and correspondence (1987-1998)	February 6, 2001-July 15, 2001

Records of Board of Management

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/975/6	Minutes	January 18, 1994- November 15, 2010

Records of Session

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/975/7	Minutes and correspondence Also includes congregational meeting minutes (2001)	1987-February 26, 1998

Records of Board of Trustees

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/902/13	Minutes Also includes information on the cemetery behind Wesley United Church (n.d.)	September 19, 1962- November 21, 1962

Records of Treasurer

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/903/8	Cash book	1933
PC/903/9	Cash book	1934
PC/903/10	Cash book	1934

Records of Board of Stewards

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/902/12	Minutes	May 13, 1963-March 23, 1969

Records of Committees

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/903/4	Christian Education Committee Minutes	April 1964-March 26, 1969

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/902/15	Ladies Aid Minutes	March 14, 1929-March 21, 1930
PC/902/16	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	April 4, 1930-August 3, 1933
PC/902/17	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	September 7, 1933-August 23, 1935
PC/902/18	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	January 5, 1937-November 22, 1937
PC/902/19	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	January 6, 1938-November 17, 1942
PC/902/20	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	January 7, 1943-June 29, 1944
PC/902/21	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	July 7, 1944-June 21, 1945

PC/902/22	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	June 28, 1945-January 16, 1947
PC/902/23	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	January 23, 1947-July 1, 1948
PC/902/24	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	July 15, 1948-October 5, 1950
PC/902/25	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	October 12, 1950-December 5, 1952
PC/902/26	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	January 16, 1953-August 12, 1955
PC/902/27	Ladies Aid Minutes and roll	February 9, 1956-1957
PC/902/28	Woman's Missionary Society (WMS) minutes and roll	January 1937-April 27, 1942
PC/905/10	WMS minutes and roll	January 7, 1931-December 1936
PC/902/29	WMS minutes and roll	November 20, 1952-June 1955
PC/902/30	Evergreen Mission Band Minutes and roll	October 23, 1951-December 3, 1957
PC/903/1	Friendly Circle Auxiliary Minutes and roll	January 14, 1958-November 14, 1961
PC/903/2	Evening Circle Minutes and roll	January 24, 1970-August 10, 1973
PC/903/3	Evening Circle Minutes and roll	September 28, 1973-January 10, 1975
PC/900/11	United Church Women (UCW) minutes and roll	January 12, 1968-February 19, 1970

Records of Youth Groups

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/903/5	Young People's Union (YPU) minutes and roll	October 22, 1943-March 31, 1944
PC/903/6	YPU minutes and roll	January 7, 1949-May 26, 1950

Sermons

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/905/14	Text of sermon delivered by Frank A. Doane	1942

Reference Number: PC/900/4
Title: Wesley United Church (Baccaro) records
Dates: 1929-1975
Extent: 19 cm of textual records

Administrative History: In 1925, the Methodist church in Baccaro became Wesley United Church.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds contains minutes and financial records. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

- Records of Congregation
- Records of Official Board
- Records of Board of Trustees
- Records of Treasurer
- Records of Adult Organizations
- Records of Women's Organizations

Note:

Source of supplied title proper: Title based on contents of sous-fonds.

File Listing:

Records of Congregation

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/901/3	Congregational meeting minutes Also includes trustee minutes and Official Board minutes	December 21, 1930- January 24, 1951

Records of Official Board

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/901/3	Minutes Also includes trustee minutes and congregational meeting minutes	December 21, 1930- January 24, 1951

Records of Board of Trustees

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/901/3	Minutes Also includes Official Board and congregational meeting minutes	December 21, 1930- January 24, 1951

Records of Treasurer

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/901/2	Baccaro Methodist Church Pew rentals Also includes Baccaro Methodist Pew Rentals (1880-1925)	1925-1929

Records of Adult Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/901/10	Baccaro-Upper Port LaTour Adult Club minutes and roll	October 29, 1965-February 22, 1967
PC/901/11	Baccaro-Upper Port LaTour Adult Club minutes and roll	March 8, 1967-March 25, 1970
PC/901/12	Baccaro-Upper Port LaTour Adult Club minutes and roll	April 8, 1970-March 8, 1972
PC/901/13	Baccaro-Upper Port LaTour Adult Club minutes and roll	April 12, 1972-May 28, 1975
PC/901/14	Baccaro-Upper Port LaTour Adult Club minutes and roll	October 8, 1975-March 9, 1977

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/901/4	Woman's Missionary Society (WMS) treasurer's book	1943-1958
PC/901/5	WMS minutes and roll	February 7, 1956-December 14, 1961
PC/901/6	United Church Women (UCW) minutes and roll	January 3, 1962-January 8, 1964
PC/901/7	UCW minutes and roll	September 2, 1965-December 18, 1968
PC/901/8	UCW minutes and roll	December 29, 1968-December 18, 1972
PC/901/9	UCW minutes and roll	January 3, 1973-December 15, 1976

Reference Number: PC/900/5

Title: St. James United Church (Barrington Passage) records

Dates: 1925-1973

Extent: 10 cm of textual records

Administrative History: The Methodist church in Barrington Passage became St. James United Church in 1925.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds contains minutes and financial records. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

Records of Women's Organizations

Note:

Source of supplied title proper: Title based on contents of sous-fonds.

File Listing:

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/903/14	Ladies Aid Minutes Also includes minutes from Barrington Passage Methodist Church Ladies Aid (1923-1925)	1925-August 8, 1933
PC/903/15	Ladies Aid Minutes	September 12, 1933- December 13, 1939
PC/903/16	Ladies Aid Minutes	February 9, 1960- December 12, 1961
PC/903/17	Ladies Aid treasurer's book	1924-1944
PC/903/18	Woman's Missionary Society (WMS) minutes and roll	January 7, 1948-April 9, 1958
PC/903/19	WMS minutes and roll	June 4, 1958-December 5, 1961
PC/903/20	WMS roll	1951-1961
PC/903/21	United Church Women (UCW) minutes	January 7, 1962-September 9, 1963
PC/903/22	UCW executive minutes	January 7, 1964-December 12, 1967
PC/903/23	UCW minutes	September 10, 1963- August 10, 1965
PC/903/24	UCW minutes	September 14, 1965- November 14, 1967
PC/903/25	UCW minutes	January 22, 1968-April 13,

PC/903/26

UCW minutes

1970
April 27, 1970-April 10,
1973

Reference Number: PC/900/6

Title: Upper Port LaTour United Church records

Dates: 1925-1962; 1987-2003

Extent: 4.5 cm of textual records

Administrative History: The Upper Port Latour (Green Hill United Church) church became part of Barrington Pastoral Charge in 1964. It was closed on December 31, 2004.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds contains minutes and financial records from Upper Port LaTour United Church. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

Records of Congregation

Records of Board of Trustees

Records of Women's Organization

Note:

Source of supplied title proper: Title based on contents of sous-fonds.

File Listing:

Records of Congregation

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/975/4	Congregational meeting minutes	February 4, 1987-January 17, 2003

Records of Board of Trustees

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/975/10	Minutes	February 2, 1988-February 25, 2002

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/905/5	Woman's Missionary Society (WMS) minutes and roll	February 12, 1925-October 2, 1934
PC/905/6	WMS minutes	January 8, 1935-December 29, 1942
PC/905/7	WMS minutes and roll Also includes accounts (1940-1961)	September 1944-December 27, 1945
PC/905/8	WMS minutes and roll	February 6, 1946-April 6, 1954
PC/905/9	WMS treasurer's quarterly reports (1954-1959) and receipts (1961-1962)	1954-1962

History of Barrington and Clyde River Presbyterian Pastoral Charge

In the early 1800's, the Barrington Presbyterian congregation was part of a congregation (or Pastoral Charge) that covered the county from Cape Sable Island to Lockeport. The congregation was called the Shelburne, Clyde and Barrington Pastoral Charge. A Presbyterian Church was erected at Clyde River in 1839. In 1862, Clyde River and Barrington were separated from Shelburne and formed the Barrington and Clyde River Congregation which included the preaching points of Barrington, Cape Negro Island, Clyde River, and Ohio.

In 1910, the Methodists at Carleton Village and McNutt's Island united with the Presbyterians and were served by the Clyde River Presbyterian minister as part of the Clyde and Barrington Pastoral Charge.

At a joint meeting of the Presbyterian Presbytery of Lunenburg and Yarmouth and the Methodist Yarmouth District on 28 January 1923, it was recommended that the Presbyterians of Barrington Passage join with the Methodists and that they use the Presbyterian Church building for worship and that Carleton Village and McNutt's Island be added to the North East Harbour Circuit.

Ministers of Barrington Methodist Circuit

1839-1843: William E. Shenstone
1843-1846: John McMurray
1846-1849: Roland Morton
1849-1853: W. Wilson
1854-1855: J.V. Jost
1855-1858: C. Lockhart
1858-1861: Robt. Duncan
1861-1862: J. Buckley
1862: R.M. Smith
1863-1865: Elias Brettle
1864: W.W. Colpitts
1865-1866: C.W. Dutcher
1866-1867: Thomas Smith
1867-1868: William Sargent
1868-1870: Robert Wasson
1869: R.B. Mack
1871-1872: Jotham M. Fulton
1873-1875: J.S. Coffin
1876-1878: F.H.W. Pickles
1879-1881: James R. Hart
1882-1884: Richard Smith
1885-1886: John Cassidy
1887-1888: J.R. Borden
1889-1891: J. Hale
1892-1895: C. Jost
1896-1898: C.H. Huestis
1899-1900: W.H. Edyvean
1901: John Johnson
1902-1905: D. Hickey
1906-1908: J.W. Prestwood
1909-1912: F. Friggens
1913-1914: J. Lumsden
1915-1918: J. Astbury
1919-1920: H.T. Gornall
1921-1923: W.S. Loring
1924: W.I. Croft

Ministers of Barrington Pastoral Charge

1925-1928: William Croft
1929-1932: A.R. Wallis
1933-1936: J.F. Rowley
1937-1941: W.J. Wright
1942-1944: J.W. Hughes
1945-1949: H.S. Raynor
1950: Vacant
1951-1952: Herbert Hatt
1953-1954: E.E. Fytche
1955-1958: C. Eldon MacCara
1959-1961: E. John. Gazzard
1962-1965: Frances P. MacLellan
1966-1968: Robert C. Jones
1969-1972: S. Glen Lemon
1973-1977: Lynford C. Smith
1978-1980: Robin J. Wilkie
1981-1985: Terrance Somerville
1986-1988: Sidney W. Snow
1989-1991: Ronald D. Frampton
1992-1994: Shawn Redden-Kelly
1995: Vacant
1996-1998: Lorraine MacAskill
1999: Vacant
2000-2001: Pamela D.C. Hamilton
2002-2003: Harry S. Crawford
2004-2006: Vacant
2007-2013: Simpson Rushton
2014: Bruce Christie
2015-: Brenda McCurdy