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Margate Pastoral Charge (Prince Edward Island)

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Reference Number: PC/612

Title: Margate Pastoral Charge fonds

Dates: 1807-2017

Extent: 2.16 metres 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.

Margate Pastoral Charge is located on Prince Edward Island. Communities of faith are at Margate (Southwest River) and Malpeque (Princetown).

In 1925, the Congregational, Methodist and most Presbyterian Churches were united into one denomination -- The United Church of Canada. At this time, Margate Pastoral Charge included churches at Clifton, Long River, and Margate. Princetown was its own pastoral charge.

New London was added to the Margate Pastoral Charge in 1943 while Clifton was dropped from the pastoral charge in 1944.

In 1959, Richmond Bay East joined with Princetown to become the Princetown-Lot 16 Pastoral Charge. Lot 16 United Church amalgamated with the Bedeque North Pastoral Charge in 1968 and Princetown became part of Margate Pastoral Charge.

In 2012, the congregations of Margate, Long River, and New London amalgamated to form Southwest United Church in Margate.

Effective January 1, 2019, The United Church of Canada underwent some structural changes including the elimination of all Presbyteries. At this time, Margate Pastoral Charge became part of the Fundy St. Lawrence Dawning Waters Regional Council.

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

Scope and Content: Fonds consists of baptism/marriage/burial records; minutes; reports; financial accounts; membership lists; correspondence; pictorial membership directories; orders of service; photographs; a scrapbook; biographical information about church members; published and unpublished histories; and newspaper clippings from Margate Pastoral Charge and its Methodist and Presbyterian antecedents. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

- Margate Pastoral Charge records
- Margate Methodist Circuit records
- Southwest United Church (Margate) records
- Princetown Presbyterian Pastoral Charge records
- Princetown United Church records
- Long River United Church records
- New London United Church records
- Clinton United Church records

Notes:

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

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Records were received from Margate Pastoral Charge in 1988; September 1996; 2000 (2M-074); 2010 (accession 10-033); 2015 (accessions 15-042 and 15-079), 2018 (accession 18-100); 2019 (accessions 19-068 and 19-125); and 2021 (accession 21-067). Photographs were received in September 1990 and 2005 (accession 05-031).

Accruals: Further accruals are expected.

Related Records: See John Murray for notes about New London in his autobiography.

Associated Material: The Provincial Archives of Prince Edward Island has microfilms of some Princetown Presbyterian Church records.

Microform Physical Description Note: Microfilm is 35 mm.

Reference Number: PC/612/1

Title: Margate Pastoral Charge records

Dates: 1925-2017

Extent: 71 cm of textual records

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds consists of baptism/marriage/burial records; minutes; reports; financial accounts; correspondence; pictorial membership directories; orders of service; insurance documents; photographs; published and unpublished histories; and newspaper clippings. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

- Baptism/Marriage/Burial Records
- Membership Records
- Records of Official Board
- Records of Session
- Records of Board of Trustees
- Records of Treasurer
- Records of Adult Groups
- Records of Women's Organizations
- Records of Youth Groups
- Annual Reports
- Orders of Service
- Photographs
- Church Histories

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
PC/685/13	Register: Baptisms (1925-May 18, 1958) Marriages (1925-September 11, 1965) Burials (1925-June 22, 1967) Also includes baptism/marriage/burial records from Margate Methodist Circuit (1890-1925)	1925-1967
PC/685/12	Photocopy of above register	
PC/686/2	Baptism register	July 5, 1959-June 23, 1968
PC/686/1	Register: Marriages (August 11, 1963; June 5, 1965-July 30, 1983) Baptisms (October 16, 1968-March 8, 1980)	1963; 1965-1983

PC/592/11	Register: Marriages (November 5, 1983-December 24, 1989) Baptisms (September 25, 1983-December 24, 1989) Burials (September 17, 1983-November 18, 1989)	1983-1989
PC/592/12	Register: Marriages (June 15, 1990-December 10, 1996) Baptisms (February 4, 1990-December 24, 1996) Burials (February 5, 1990-December 18, 1996)	1990-1996
PC/592/13	Register: Marriages (July 30, 1997-August 26, 2010) Baptisms (March 2, 1997-October 31, 2010) Burials (January 27, 1997-September 25, 2010)	1997-2010
PC/124/8	-Letter from Mrs. Harriet Bridge requesting baptism certificate (October 11, 1940) -Newspaper clipping: Obituary for George Wigginton	1940; n.d.
PC/686/4	-Baptism certificate for Sharyn Ann Paynter (1947) -Family history record of baptisms of children of Allen Cameron (1883-1896) -Notes re. baptisms of Lucy Jane Lockhart (1880) and Robert C. Lockhart (1968-1968)	

Membership Records

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/686a/1	Membership register Also includes membership records from Margate Methodist Circuit (1924-1925)	1925-1962
PC/686/4	Certificates/letters of transfer re. membership	1944-1977

PC/686/12	Pictorial membership directories (2)	ca. 1980; 1995
PC/138/15	Pictorial membership directories (2)	n.d.; 2010

Records of Congregation

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/686/15	Minister's report, 3 pp.	1955

Records of Official Board

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/121/3	Minutes Also includes Official Board minutes from Margate Methodist Circuit (1896-1925)	1925-July 15, 1932
PC/686/10	Minutes	January 11, 1933-October 25, 1937
PC/121/4	Minutes	January 26, 1938-October 26, 1964
PC/121/5	Notes on Official Board meetings by Rev. S.H. Haslam	1951-1957
PC/686/11	Minutes	January 19, 1965-February 15, 1994
PC/686/11a	Loose pages from above book	
PC/593/1	Minutes	June 15, 1994-February 17, 2004
PC/593/2	Minutes	April 19, 2004-November 26, 2008

Records of Session

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/686/9	Minutes	1984-September 18, 1995
PC/593/3	Minutes	October 30, 1995-May 10, 2004

Records of Board of Trustees

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/120/6	Parsonage Trustee minutes (July 11, 1927; January 7, 1931-January 9, 1934) and accounts (1933) Also includes minutes and accounts from Margate Methodist Circuit (September 12, 1922; 1922-1925)	July 11, 1927; January 7, 1931-January 9, 1934

PC/686/15 -Contract for janitor (July 1, 1939)
 -Fire insurance papers (October 1946)
 -Photocopies from minutes of annual meetings re. Building Committee (1926-1947)

Records of Treasurer

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/686/14	Financial statements	1928 (including In Memoriam list); 1930; 1932; 1943-1944 (including In Memoriam list); 1947-1956 (including In Memoriam lists); 1958 (including In Memoriam list)
AR/605	Financial statements	1933; 1941-1943; 1945; 1956-1958; 1960; 1962; 1964; 1970-1971; 1973-1974
PC/120/7	Financial statements Also includes financial statements from Margate Methodist Circuit (1912; 1913)	1927; 1932; 1953

Records of Adult Groups

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/123/9	Margate Fellowship Group minutes	November 26, 1958-January 6, 1964
PC/123/10	Margate Fellowship Group minutes	April 10, 1972-December 3, 1979
PC/139/1	Margate Fellowship Group minutes and roll	December 17, 1979-May 21, 1992
PC/139/6	Margate Fellowship Group minutes	December 1996-November 19, 1998
PC/139/2	Margate Fellowship Group minutes and roll	November 18, 1999-June 27, 2006

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/214/17	French River WMS minutes and roll	January 3, 1951-September 1953
PC/214/18	French River WMS minutes and roll	November 17, 1953-December 30, 1957
PC/214/19	French River WMS minutes and roll	February 4, 1959-January 1960

PC/138/11	Margate and Clinton Women's Association minutes and roll	October 18, 1956-May 21, 1959
PC/138/12	UCW minutes and roll	October 26, 1981-October 26, 1993
PC/1469/25	Programme for a Service to Honour the Ladies of the UCW of Margate Pastoral Charge	November 26, 2000

Records of Youth Groups

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/215/7	Doing Our Bit Mission Band minutes	January 1931-December 5, 1936
PC/215/2	CGIT minutes Became Malpeque CGIT in January 1963	November 8, 1961-October 30, 1963
PC/215/1	CGIT minutes	September 26, 1962-May 25, 1965
PC/123/2	Margate Young People's Society minutes and roll	November 18, 1930-December 27, [1933]
PC/123/4	Margate Young People's Society minutes and roll	October 3, 1933-January 5, 1937
PC/123/3	Margate Young People's Society minutes and roll	January 7, 1941-October 3, 1944
PC/123/5	Margate Young People's Society minutes and roll	November 30, 1949-December 10, 1952
PC/123/6	Margate Young People's Society minutes and roll	December 17, 1952-January 2, 1957
PC/123/7	Margate Young People's Society minutes and roll	November 7, 1968-February 18, 1971
PC/123/8	Margate Young People's Society minutes and roll	February 18, 1971-February 10, 1972

Annual Reports

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
AR/605	Annual reports	1991-1992; 1994-1996; 1998-2000; 2002-2017

Orders of Service

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/139/10	Order of service	February 14, 1982

Photographs

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
V-67-GC-4.136	Copy print of photograph of Rev. John Murray and the exterior of New London Presbyterian Church and manse B&W. 20 cm x 25 cm.	[18--]
V-67-GC-4.137	Photograph of exterior of Geddie Memorial Church in New London North B&W. 7 cm x 9.5 cm	[195-]
V-67-GC-4.138	Photograph of exterior of Geddie Memorial Church and bell tower B&W. 7 cm x 9.5 cm. A note with the photograph states that the separate bell tower designed by Major Schurman and built by John Warren c. 1905	[195-]
V-67-GC-4.139	Photograph of interior of Geddie Memorial Church B&W. 7 cm x 9.5 cm. A note with the photograph states that the communion service in the cabinet display was from the first settlers' church.	[195-]
V-67-GC-4.140	Photograph of Geddie Memorial Plaque B&W. 7 cm x 9.5 cm	[195-]
V-67-GC-4.141	Photograph of Geddie Memorial Church and Cemetery in new London North (Springbrook) B&W. 6 cm x 8.9 cm	[195-]
V-67-GC-4.142	Negative of above photograph	
V-69-GC-4.136a	Copy negative of Rev. John Murray and the exterior of New London Presbyterian Church and manse B&W. 10 cm x 12.7 cm	[18--]
UCW/12.0	Photograph album of UCW events at Margate Pastoral Charge and Prince Edward Island Presbytery Photograph album measures 6 cm x 25 cm x 29 cm. Album prepared by Kathryn Doughart and Janet Cotton	1996-1997

V/6/23 Postcard of exterior of Geddie Memorial, n.d.
New London

Church Histories

File Number
CH/612

File Title/Description

Dates

-Newspaper clipping: "Long River United Church Observes 50th Anniversary" September 16, 1978
 -History of Margate United Church, 4 pp. n.d.
 -History of Margate United Church, 4 pp. May 1966
 -History of the Clinton Auxiliary of the WMS, 6 pp. n.d.
 -History of the New London United Church, 5 pp. n.d.
 -Photocopy of newspaper clipping re. pending vote of Princetown United Church congregation to amalgamate n.d.
 -History of the Presbyterian and Methodist churches in Long River, 5 pp. 1968
 -"The Prince Town United Church, until 1925, the Prince Town Presbyterian Church, Malpeque, Prince Edward Island" by C.J. Crowdis. 1958
 -Text of presentation on history of Princetown United Church given on the 200th anniversary of the first church building and the 125th anniversary of present structure 1995
 -Photograph of John Geddie Memorial Church, New London, and plaque on wall honoring John Geddie from back of bulletin cover n.d.
 -Article on Geddie Memorial Church, New London, PEI from *The Glad Tidings*, February 1967, Volume XLIII February 1967
 -Margate Church History, 1898-1998 1998
 -History: "New London United Church, New London, P.E.I., 1953-2000," 6 pp. 2000
 -Newspaper clipping: "Church celebrating 80 Years" re. Long River United Church n.d.
 -Newspaper clipping: "Margate United Church vandalized" by Jim Brown, *The Journal Pioneer* July 14, 2006
 -Lists of records held at Margate Pastoral Charge 1973; 1978

	-Newspaper clipping: "170 Year Old Malpeque Church Rejuvenated," <i>The Journal</i>	September 15, 1976
	-Newspaper clipping: "New London United Church Observes 20 th Anniversary"	May 28, 1973
	-Newspaper clipping: "Long River United Church Observes 50 th Anniversary"	September 16, 1978
	-Newspaper clipping: "They Used to Listen to Hear the Geddie Memorial Church Bell Every Sunday All the Way Up to Cavendish," <i>The Journal Pioneer</i>	July 27, 1978
	-Newspaper clipping: "Prince Town Female Soc. Was Start of Presbyterial"	n.d.
	-History of Margate United Church, 4 pp. (excerpt from Women's Institute history)	1972
	-Fact sheet on Margate Pastoral Charge	n.d.
	-Notes on the Historical Sketches of Princetown (Presbyterian) Church as compiled by Rev. W.J. Crowdis	n.d.
	-Newspaper clipping: "Margate United Church Marks 75 th Anniversary"	n.d.
	-Newspaper clipping: "Malpeque Hosts Mission Festival"	June 7, 1975
	-Newspaper clipping: New London United Church Holds Dedication Service," <i>The Guardian</i>	n.d.
	-"Long River United Church Women's Heritage" received from Mrs. W.E. Johnstone, 6 pp.	n.d.
	-Research notes on Princetown United Church	n.d.
	- <u>Margate Church History, 1898-1998</u>	1998
	-History: "New London United Church, New London, P.E.I., 1953-2000," 6 pp.	2000
PC/686/15	Booklet: History of 100 th anniversary bulletin	November 1958
PC/686/18	<i>The History of Margate, 1800-1973.</i> 66 pp. book compiled by the Margate Women's Institute	1973

Reference Number: PC/612/2

Title: Margate Methodist Circuit records

Dates: 1863-1925

Extent: 52 cm of processed textual records

Administrative History: A Methodist church was organized and built in Margate in 1835. During this time the church was served by ministers from Charlottetown and Bedeque. Margate became the head of its own circuit in 1858. At this time the appointments of Margate Methodist Circuit were Margate, Stanley Bridge, Granville, Bowness School House, Summerside, Port Hill, and Fifteen Point.

A new church was built in 1863 and the present church building was dedicated on October 9, 1898. Ladies of the church furnished the interior. In the early 1870's, the appointments were Margate, Granville, Irishtown, Stanley Bridge and Pleasant Valley. Restructuring in 1893 placed Granville, Pleasant Valley and Stanley Bridge on the Granville Methodist Circuit while Freetown was taken from the Bedeque Methodist Circuit and added to the Margate Methodist Circuit.

A new manse was constructed in Kensington in 1905.

Benjamin Chappell came to New London in 1774 from London, England. He had been a Methodist lay preacher in England and preaching on the bank of the river or in homes or the Counting House for the four years he remained in the area. Methodist work in Long River began with the Rev. William Cotton, a Bible Christian minister, who lived in Long River for six years. He kept a store (sold in 1854) and taught school as well as preaching in homes in the New London area. This church became part of the Margate Methodist Circuit in 1883.

In 1924, Margate Methodist Circuit contained the appointments of Margate, Kensington, and Freetown.

In 1925, the Methodist churches in the area became part of The United Church of Canada.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds consists of baptism/marriage/burial records; membership lists; minutes; and financial accounts from Margate Methodist Circuit. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

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

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
PC/685/11	Margate Methodist Circuit register: Baptisms (July 3, 1864-July 8, 1886) Includes an index to the baptisms Marriages (April 24, 1865-March 22, 1886)	1864-1886
PC/685/13	Margate Methodist Circuit register: Baptisms (July 30, 1890-1925) Marriages (September 1890-1925) Burials (September 7, 1893-1925) Also includes baptism/marriage/burial records from Margate Pastoral Charge (1925-1967) and a membership roll from Margate Methodist Circuit (1893-1925)	1890-1925
PC/685/12	Photocopy of above register	

Records of Membership

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/121/1	Membership lists Also includes Official Board minutes and Circuit Stewards reports (1869-1878)	1884-1886
PC/685/12	Membership roll Also includes baptism/marriage/burial records from Margate Methodist Circuit/Margate Pastoral Charge (1890- 1967)	1893-[1925]
PC/686a/1	Membership register Also includes membership records from Margate Pastoral Charge (1925-1962)	1924-1925

Records of Quarterly Official Board

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/121/1	Margate Methodist Circuit Quarterly Official Board minutes Also includes Circuit Steward's reports and membership lists (1864-1886)	August 9, 1869-December 10, 1878
PC/121/2	Margate Methodist Circuit Quarterly Official Board minutes	1886-March 25, 1894; June 4, 1896

PC/121/3	Margate Methodist Circuit Official Board minutes Also includes minutes from Margate Pastoral Charge (1925-1932)	October 27, 1896-1925
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Records of Board of Trustees

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/121/6	Margate Methodist Church Board of Trustee minutes Also includes Board of Trustee minutes from Margate United Church (1925-1935) and accounts (1931-1932; 1969) and names of pewholders and rents (1869-1875)	1868-1925
PC/121/7	Margate Methodist Church Board of Trustees minutes Also includes minutes from Margate United Church (July 1927)	April 1898
PC/121/8	Margate Methodist Church Board of Trustee minutes Also includes Margate Methodist/United Church Steward's account book (1894-1946)	February 6, 1917
PC/120/6	Margate Methodist Parsonage Board of Trustee minutes (September 12, 1922) and accounts (1922-1925) Also includes minutes and accounts from Margate Pastoral Charge (1927; 1931-1934)	September 12, 1922; 1922-1925

Records of Treasurer

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/121/8	Margate Methodist Church chapel steward's account book Also includes Margate Methodist Board of Trustees minutes (February 6, 1917) and Margate United Church accounts (1925-1946)	1894-1925
PC/121/6	Margate Methodist Church names of pewholders and rents Also includes Board of Trustee minutes from Margate Methodist/United Church (1868-1935) and accounts (1931-1932; 1969)	1869-1875

PC/120/7	Margate Methodist financial reports Also includes financial reports from Margate Pastoral Charge (1927; 1932; 1953)	1912; 1913
PC/686/20	Margate Methodist Circuit annual financial statements	1917; 1921; 1923; 1924
PC/686/7	Margate Methodist Circuit Missionary Society record of subscriptions	1907-1922
PC/686/8	Record of allocations from members [at Kensington?] Includes receipt to Kensington from Western Assurance Company (October 17, 1923)	1919-1925

Records of Sunday School

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/124/1	Margate Methodist Church Sunday School record book Also includes Sunday School records from Margate United Church (1925-1931)	1917-1925

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/137/8	Margate Methodist WMS minutes and roll	October 8, 1889-April 2, 1908
PC/137/9	Margate Methodist WMS minutes and roll	July 2, 1908-May 6, 1925
PC/139/3	[Margate?] Methodist WMS minutes and roll	July 17, 1909-September 3, 1919
PC/138/14	Margate Methodist WMS treasurer's book Also includes financial accounts from Margate United WMS (1925-1937)	1913-1925
PC/214/21	Long River Methodist Church WMS minutes Also includes minutes from Long River United Church (1925-1927)	June 22, 1911-1925
PC/215/8	Long River Methodist Church WMS Auxiliary minutes Also includes minutes from Long River United Church (1925-1935)	April 11, 1921-1925

Records of Youth Groups

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/124/3	Margate Methodist Church Sunbeam Mission Band minutes and roll	February 4, 1912-January 17, 1917
PC/215/13	Malpeque and Baltic Methodist Help Each Other Mission Band minutes Also includes minutes from Malpeque and Baltic United (1925-1929)	July 29, 1921-1925

Reference Number: PC/612/3

Title: Southwest United Church (Margate) records

Dates: 1925-2008

Extent: 34.5 cm of textual records

Administrative History: The Methodist church in Margate became Margate United Church in 1925. In 2012, the congregations of Margate, Long River, and New London amalgamated to form Southwest United Church in Margate.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds consist of minutes; reports; financial accounts; a scrapbook; an order of service; and biographical information about church members from Margate United Church. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

- Records of Congregation
- Records of Board of Trustees
- Records of Board of Stewards
- Records of Committees
- Records of Sunday School
- Records of Women's Organizations
- Records of Youth Groups
- Orders of Service

Note:

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

File List:

Records of Congregation

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/120/8	Congregational meeting minutes	January 13, 1936-January 17, 1962
PC/120/9	Congregational meeting minutes	February 25, 1963-February 13, 1983
PC/120/10	Annual meeting reports and notes by Rev. S.H. Haslam on handwritten scraps of paper	1951-1957
PC/120/11	Annual meeting reports and notes by Rev. S.H. Haslam on handwritten scraps of paper	1951-1957

Records of Boards of Trustees

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/121/6	Minutes (1925-1925); accounts (1931-1932; 1969); and cemetery accounts (1931-1932) Also includes Board of Trustee minutes from Margate Methodist Church (1868-	1925-1932; 1969

1925) and names of pewholders and rents
(1869-1875)

PC/121/7 Minutes July 1927
Also includes minutes from Margate
Methodist Church (April 1898)

PC/593/4 Minutes December 1996-May 5,
2008

Records of Board of Stewards

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/121/8	Steward's accounts Also includes accounts from Margate Methodist Church (1894-1925) and Board of Trustee minutes (February 6, 1917)	1925-1946

Records of Committees

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/139/4	100 th Anniversary Committee minutes/scrapbook Includes newspaper clippings and Committee minutes	1998

Records of Sunday School

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/124/1	Sunday School record book Also includes Sunday School records from Margate Methodist Church (1917-1925)	1925-1931
PC/124/2	Sunday School report book	1971-1977

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/137/10	WMS minutes and roll	June 8, 1925-December 2, 1936
PC/137/11	WMS minutes and roll	January 6, 1937-August 6, 1947
PC/137/12	WMS minutes and roll	September 3, 1947- December 8, 1957
PC/137/13	WMS minutes and roll	January 1, 1958-December 1961
PC/138/14	WMS treasurer's book Also includes accounts from Margate Methodist Church WMS (1913-1925)	1925-1937
PC/139/8	Biographical information about first WMS members	n.d.

PC/138/11	Margate and Clinton Women's Association minutes and roll	October 18, 1956-May 21, 1959
PC/119/7	UCW minutes and roll	January 9, 1962-January 5, 1971
PC/119/8	UCW minutes and roll	February 2, 1971-May 6, 1975
PC/120/1	UCW minutes and roll	June 3, 1975-September 5, 1978
PC/120/2	UCW minutes and roll	October 3, 1978-November 5, 1985
PC/593/5	UCW minutes and roll	December 4, 1985-March 3, 1992
PC/593/6	UCW minutes and roll	April 7, 1992-November 2, 1999
PC/593/7	UCW minutes and roll	November 7, 1999-December 3, 2006
PC/139/5	[Margate?] UCW treasurer's book	1960-1970

Records of Youth Groups

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/124/4	Sunbeam Mission Band minutes and roll	March 1957-December 3, 1961
PC/124/5	Mission Band leader's book Includes agendas, list of members, and financial reports	1959-1962
PC/124/6	Messengers minutes and roll	February 21, 1960-December 6, 1967
PC/124/7	Messengers minutes and roll	September 17, 1969-November 30, 1971

Orders of Service

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/1471/3	Order of service for 75 th anniversary	November 4, 1973

Reference Number: PC/612/4

Title: Princetown Presbyterian Church records

Dates: 1807-1925

Extent: 18 cm of textual records

Administrative History: The first Presbyterian minister to visit the area was Rev. James MacGregor. He arrived on Prince Edward Island via Pictou, Nova Scotia in 1791. Rev. MacGregor visited the area frequently until Rev. John Urquhart arrived from the United States in 1800. After Rev. Urquhart left in 1802, Dr. James MacGregor, Rev. Duncan Ross, and Rev. Peter Gordon visited as they were able. Rev. John Keir was ordained in Princetown in 1810. It was under his pastorate that a church was built at Yankee Hill, New London Harbour, in 1816.

The first Presbyterian building in Princetown was actually at Ellison's Brook, about a mile (1.6 kilometres) due west of the current church. It was of log construction and was built circa 1794. That structure was moved to the current site in 1810. A second church was built in 1813. The first Missionary Society to be formed in Canada was established at Princetown in 1825 called "The Princetown Society for the Propagation of the Gospel and Other Religious Purposes", familiarly known as the "Presbyterian Female Society". A new church was built in 1869 and officially dedicated 21 October 1870.

Upon the formation of The United Church of Canada in 1925, Princetown Presbyterian Church became Princetown United Church.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds consists of minutes; reports; an index to baptisms; and a programme from Princetown Presbyterian Church. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

- Baptism/Marriage/Burial Records
- Records of Congregation
- Records of Board of Managers
- Records of Session
- Records of Adult Organizations
- Records of Women's Organizations
- Records of Youth Organizations
- 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
PC/1483/9	Index of baptisms performed at Princetown Presbyterian Church	March 11, 1886-October 8, 1895
PC/1483/10	Index of baptisms performed at Princetown Presbyterian Church	February 6, 1903-1925

Also includes index performed at
Princetown United Church (1925-1946)

Records of Congregation

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/122/1	Princetown Presbyterian Church congregational meeting minutes Also includes minutes from Princetown United Church (1925-1936)	January 14, 1919-1925

Records of Board of Managers

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/120/15	Princetown Presbyterian Church Board of Manager's minutes Also includes minutes from Princetown United Church (1925-1936)	May 17, 1904-1925
PC/122/4	Princetown Presbyterian Church Board of Managers minutes (draft)	May-October 1904

Records of Session

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/120/3 MF-110	Princetown Presbyterian Church session minutes	November 9, 1807- February 6, 1844
PC/120/4	Princetown Presbyterian Church session minutes	February 20, 1844- November 25, 1889

Records of Adult Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/122/3	Princetown Presbyterian Church Bible and Missionary Society minutes	March 1871-March 1879
PC/122/5	Princetown Presbyterian Church Bible and Missionary Society minutes Also includes minutes from Princetown United Church (1925-1927)	March 14, 1911-1925

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/120/5 MF-110	The Prince Town Female Society for Propagating the Gospel and Other Religious Purposes-Report and list of subscribers	1825-1827

PC/214/16	Princetown Presbyterian Woman's Foreign Missionary Society (WFMS) minutes and roll	May 8, 1906-May 7, 1918
PC/214/14	Princetown Presbyterian Ladies Aid minutes	June 12, 1911-June 14, 1918
PC/214/15	Princetown Presbyterian/United Church Ladies Aid minutes Also includes minutes from Princetown United Church (1925-1947)	January 19, 1925-June 1925

Records of Youth Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/123/1	Princetown Presbyterian Church Young People's Society for Christian Endeavour minutes Includes constitution and members roll	August 22, 1892-August 2, 1894
PC/122/6	Princetown Presbyterian Church "Help – Each-Other" Mission Band minutes and roll	November 1896-February 1900
PC/122/7	Princetown Presbyterian Church "Help – Each-Other" Mission Band minutes and roll	March 1900-June [1905]

Orders of Service

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/1471/3	Photocopy of Princetown Presbyterian Church Centennial Programme	1908

Reference Number: PC/612/5

Title: Princetown United Church (Malpeque) records

Dates: 1925-2007

Extent: 23 cm of textual records

Administrative History: Upon the formation of The United Church of Canada in 1925, Princetown Presbyterian Church became Princetown United Church. Princetown was the head of its own pastoral charge until it joined Margate Pastoral Charge in 1968.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds consists of baptism/marriage/burial records, minutes, reports, and an order of service from Princetown United Church. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

- Baptism/Marriage/Burial Records
- Records of Congregation
- Records of Board of Managers
- Records of Women's Organizations
- Records of Youth Organizations
- 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
PC/1483/9	Index to baptism records performed at Princetown United Church Also includes index to baptisms at Princetown Presbyterian (1903-1925)	1925-May 18, 1946
PC/686/5	Princetown United Church register: Marriages (September 6, 1950-August 13, 1966) Baptisms (September 10, 1950-May 15, 1966) Burials (July 16, 1950-April 3, 1967)	1950-1967
PC/686/6	Princetown United Church baptism register	September 18, 1966-July 30, 1967
PC/686/3	Princetown United Church register: Marriages (November 16, 1968-August 9, 1983) Baptisms (June 3, 1962-May 8, 1983) Burials (July 6, 1967-September 3, 1983)	1962-1983

Records of Congregation

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/122/1	Congregational meeting minutes Also includes minutes from Princetown Presbyterian Church (1919-1925)	1925-July 13, 1936
PC/122/2	Annual meeting reports and notes by Rev. S. H. Haslam	1952-1953

Records of Board of Managers

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/120/15	Minutes Also includes minutes from Princetown Presbyterian Church (1904-1925)	1925-June 8, 1936
PC/120/16	Minutes Also includes Board of Stewards minutes	March 9, 1936-January 9, 1986

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/122/5	Bible and Missionary Society minutes Also includes minutes from Princetown Presbyterian Church (1911-1925)	1925-March 8, 1927
PC/214/15	Ladies Aid minutes Also includes minutes from Princetown Presbyterian Church (January-June 1925)	1925-January 15, 1947
PC/216/13	Malpeque and Baltic WMS minutes and roll	July 1935-December 1945
PC/216/14	Malpeque and Baltic WMS minutes and roll	January 8, 1946-November 1953
PC/215/13	Malpeque and Baltic WMS minutes and roll	December 10, 1953- December 7, 1957
PC/215/3	Malpeque and Baltic WMS minutes and roll	January 9, 1958-September 13, 1960
PC/216/15	Malpeque and Baltic WMS treasurer's book	January 1955-January 1970
PC/216/6	WMS Darnley-Sea View Unit minutes and roll	July 9, 1951-April 12, 1957

PC/216/3	UCW minutes and roll	November 28, 1961- October 1985
PC/215/15	UCW minutes and roll	November 12, 1985- October 1995
PC/215/14	UCW minutes and roll	November 14, 1995- October 9, 2007
PC/216/7	UCW Darnley-Sea View Unit minutes and roll	January 16, 1962- December 14, 1965
PC/216/4	UCW Darnley-Sea View Unit minutes and roll	January 11, 1966- December 11, 1968
PC/216/8	UCW Darnley-Sea View Unit minutes and roll	January 1969-December 1971
PC/216/10	UCW Darnley-Sea View Unit minutes and roll	January 1972-June 1975
PC/216/11	UCW Darnley-Sea View Unit minutes and roll	July 8, 1975-May 8, 1979
PC/216/12	UCW Darnley-Sea View Unit minutes and roll	June 12, 1979-June 1985
PC/216/9	Malpeque UCW Hamilton Unit minutes and roll	March 1968-November 9, 1971
PC/216/16	Malpeque and Baltic UCW Unit minutes and roll	December 13, 1966- November 12, 1974
PC/216/17	Malpeque and Baltic UCW Unit minutes and roll	January 1975-November 1983

Records of Youth Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/215/13	Malpeque and Baltic Help Each Other Mission Band minutes Also includes minutes from Malpeque and Baltic Methodist (1921-1925)	1925-December 1929
PC/122/18	Mission Band minutes and roll	January 21, 1939-May 13, 1950
PC/214/20	CGIT minutes and roll	September 28, 1955-May 30, 1956

Orders of Service**File Number****File Title/Description****Dates**

PC/1471/3

Order of service for Mission Festival
Service

June 15, 1975

PC/483/21

Order of service: Re-dedication service

May 9, 1976

Reference Number: PC/612/6

Title: Long River United Church records

Dates: 1925-2011

Extent: 23.5 cm of textual records

Administrative History: In 1925, the Methodist congregation in Long River became part of The United Church of Canada. A church building was opened and dedicated for worship on November 4, 1928. In 2012, the congregations of Margate, Long River, and New London amalgamated to form Southwest United Church in Margate.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds consist of minutes; financial accounts; correspondence; orders of service; and unpublished histories from Long River United Church. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

- Records of Congregation
- Records of Treasurer
- Records of Women's Organizations
- Orders of Service
- Church Histories

Note:

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

File List:

Records of Congregation

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/138/13	Congregational meeting minutes	January 7, 1926-November 4, 1928
PC/120/13	Congregational meeting minutes	January 14, 1948-January 12, 1960
PC/120/12	Annual meeting reports and notes by Rev. S.H. Haslam on handwritten scraps of paper	1951-1957
PC/120/14	Congregational meeting minutes	1961-1966
PC/137/14	Congregational meeting minutes	January 10, 1967-January 8, 1984
PC/138/1	Congregational meeting minutes	January 13, 1985-June 5, 2011

Records of Treasurer

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/138/2	Treasurer's book	1928-1955
PC/138/3	Treasurer's book	1957-1978

PC/138/4	Treasurer's book	1979-1991
PC/139/7	Financial statement	1975

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/139/9	Ladies Aid treasurer's book	1954-1961
PC/215/8	WMS Auxiliary minutes Also includes WMS minutes from Long River Methodist Church (1921-1925)	1925-April 4, 1935
PC/214/21	WMS minutes Also includes Long River Methodist Church WMS (1911-1925)	1925-March 1927
PC/216/1	WMS minutes	May 2, 1935-September 1, 1943
PC/216/2	WMS minutes	October 7, 1943-December 5, 1950
PC/215/12	WMS minutes	January 9, 1951-May 11, 1953
PC/215/6	WMS minutes and roll	June 9, 1953-July 11, 1961
PC/215/11	WMS treasurer's book	January 1936-December 1959
PC/215/10	WMS/UCW minutes	August 8, 1961-March 1964
PC/215/5	UCW minutes and roll	January 13, 1968-March 1974
PC/215/9	UCW minutes and roll	April 16, 1974-December 9, 1980
PC/216/4	UCW minutes and roll	January 16, 1981-December 11, 1984
PC/138/5	UCW minutes and roll	January 8, 1985-February 12, 1991
PC/686/16	UCW minutes	March 1991-December 1998
PC/593/8	UCW minutes	January 12, 1999-November 14, 2006
PC/139/7	-History of "United Church Women, Long River," 8 pp. typed	n.d.

Orders of Service

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/139/7	-Order of service for 50 th anniversary (September 10, 1978) -Order of service for 60 th anniversary (June 12, 1988)	1978; 1988
PC/686/17	Order of service	September 20, 1998

Church Histories

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/119/6	Long River United Church: -Letter to Charles MacKay from George W. Irvine re. invitation to the dedication service of the new church (October 15, 1928) -Greetings from Rev. Edwin Smith to members of Long River United Church on occasion of dedication of church (October 1928) -Letter from Arthur G. Reynolds, Archivist-Historian of The United Church of Canada Central Archives, to Mr. G.A. Leard, re. possible location of Long River United Church records (May 11, 1962)	
PC/139/7	-Official Opening and Dedication compiled by Arthur P. Johnston Photocopy of Long River congregational meeting minutes (1926-1927) and history of Long River United Church after church union	n.d.
PC/686/17	-Newspaper clipping: "Long River Celebrates 70 th Anniversary" (September 1998) -History: "The Long River Churches: Presbyterian (1874-1967) and United (1928-2011)"	

Reference Number: PC/612/7

Title: New London United Church records

Dates: 1951-2011

Extent: 18.5 cm of textual records

Administrative History: The United Church members in New London became part of Margate Pastoral Charge in 1944. The congregation held services in the local community hall until a new building was dedicated on May 17, 1953. In 2012, the congregations of Margate, Long River, and New London amalgamated to form Southwest United Church in Margate.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds consists of minutes, orders of service, and a scrapbook from New London United Church. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

- Records of Congregation
- Records of Women's Organizations
- Orders of Service
- Church Histories

Note:

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

File List:

Records of Congregation

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/136/11	Congregational meeting minutes	January 16, 1975-January 19, 1992
PC/136/12	Congregational meeting minutes	January 17, 1993-June 23, 2010

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/136/14	UCW minutes and roll	January 8, 1962-April 1964
PC/136/15	UCW minutes and roll	May 1964-November 1973
PC/136/16	UCW minutes and roll	December 13, 1973-October 5, 1983
PC/137/1	UCW minutes and roll	November 1, 1983-October 4, 1990
PC/137/2	UCW minutes and roll	November 1, 1990-June 3, 1999
PC/137/3	UCW minutes and roll	September 9, 1999-October 6, 2005
PC/137/4	UCW minutes and roll	November 3, 2005-September 9, 2011
PC/136/13	UCW treasurer's book	1962-1973

PC/137/5 UCW treasurer's book 1993-2010

Orders of Service

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/137/6	-Order of service for dedication (May 17, 1953) -Order of service for 20 th anniversary of present building (May 20, 1973) -Order of service for 30 th anniversary of present building (May 15, 1983)	1953; 1973; 1983

PC/483/21	Order of service for 50 th anniversary service Includes history of church	September 10, 1978
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Church Histories

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/137/7	Scrapbook Includes history, newspaper clippings, orders of service, and list of ministers	1951-1975

Reference Number: PC/612/8

Title: Clinton United Church records

Dates: 1944-1961

Extent: 6 cm of textual records

Administrative History: In 1925, the Presbyterian church in Clifton became Clifton United Church as part of the Margate Pastoral Charge. The church was closed in 1944 although there was still a Women's Missionary Society group and a Mission Band meeting in Clinton and after 1962 a United Church Women group.

Scope and Content: Sous-fonds consists of minutes from Clinton United Church. Sous-fonds is composed of the following series:

Records of Women's Organizations

Records of Youth Groups

Note:

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

File List:

Records of Women's Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/138/6	Clinton WMS minutes and roll	August 4, 1944-April 1, 1954
PC/138/7	Clinton WMS minutes and roll	May 6, 1954-March 1, 1956
PC/138/8	Clinton WMS minutes and roll	April 5, 1956-December 5, 1957
PC/138/9	Clinton WMS minutes and roll	January 2, 1959-December 3, 1959
PC/138/10	Clinton WMS minutes and roll	January 6, 1961-December 5, 1961
PC/138/11	Margate and Clinton Women's Association minutes and roll	October 18, 1956-May 21, 1959

Records of Youth Organizations

File Number	File Title/Description	Dates
PC/122/9	Workers Mission Band minutes and roll	September 9, 1926-October 19, 1934
PC/122/10	Workers Mission Band minutes and roll	January 31, 1942-December 7, 1944
PC/122/11	Workers Mission Band minutes and roll	January 6, 1956-December 5, 1958
PC/122/12	Workers Mission Band minutes and roll	January 4, 1959-November 5, 1961

History of Long River Presbyterian Church

Long River Presbyterian work began with a visit by the Rev. James McGregor in 1786, but a church was not built until 1874. Long River became part of the Kensington Pastoral Charge in 1905. Between 1916 and 1918 New London South (St. John's) united with Long River and Geddie Memorial. Upon the formation of The United Church of Canada in 1925, the Presbyterian church in Long River became Long River United Church.

Ministers of Margate Methodist Circuit

1858-1860: B.J. Johnson
1861: Rev. S.J. Coffin
1862-1863: H.S. Sprague
1864-1865: E. Evans
1866-1868: W.W. Colpitts
1869: W. Ryan
1870-1871: R. Tweedy
1872: J. Bigney
1873-1874: A.E. LePage
1875-1876: H.J. Clarke
1877-1879: E. Slackford
 Assisted in 1878 by Rev. W. Wass
 Assisted in 1879 by Rev. J.W. Wadman
1880-1882: W. Maggs
 Assisted by Rev. T. Pierce in 1880
 Assisted by Rev. J.J.W. Tait in 1881
1883-1885: H.R. Baker
1886-1888: C.W. Hamilton
1889: E.C. Turner
1890-1895: R. Opie
1896-1898: F.A. Wightman
1899-1901: W.A. Thomson
1902: J. Dystant
1903-1905: H.S. Young
1906-1909: J.B. Gough
1910-1911: W.E. Johnson
1912-1915: George Morris
1916-1918: G.A. Sellar
1919-1921: J.A. Ives
1922-1925: George Ayers

Ministers of Margate Pastoral Charge

1925-1930: George Ayers
1930-1940: G.N. Somers
1941-1942: John Stirling
1943-1945: E.J.O. Fraser
1946-1949: G.S. Stevens
1950-1957: S.H. Haslam
1958-1962: W. Elliott
1963-1967: W.A. Paterson
1968-1973: James B. Millar
1974-1991: Chesley A. Boutilier
1992-2003: Elaine Palmer-Harding
2004: ----
2005-2014: Anne Dalziel Singer
2014-2015: ----
2015-: Pix Butt

Ministers of Princetown-Lot 16 Pastoral Charge

1958: Vacant

1959-1964: Ralph Eldon Johnston

1964-1965: Vacant

1965-1966: Frederick Lloyd (student supply)

1966-1967: Vacant

1967-1968: Supplied from Margate and Wellington