

Austin Seminary Archives, Stitt Library

CONGREGATIONAL HISTORY COLLECTION, 1874-1999

Descriptive Summary

Title: Congregational History Collection

Dates: 1874-2013

Accession Number(s): Various (see below)

Extent: Growing collection

Language: Materials are written in English.

Scope and Contents:

An artificial collection created by the Austin Seminary Archives. Primarily church histories and other historical records of congregations and Presbyteries in the Synod of the Sun. Divided into Texas and non-Texas churches and organized alphabetically by city and then by church name. Presbytery materials are listed at the end of the inventory. Many materials were collected by Thomas White Currie, Jr.

Materials in accession #2007-009 were originally held at the Montreat office of the Presbyterian Historical Society. They were transferred to the Austin Seminary Archives in 2007.

Restrictions:

Church registers, pastoral records, and congregational minutes are restricted for 50 years from the date of creation. Most other materials are open for research unless restricted at donation.

Boxes beginning with "ARC" are stored off-site and require at least 24 hours notice for access.

Materials are available by appointment only. Contact the archivist for details.

Presbyterian Church--Texas--History. Presbyterians--Texas.

Related Collections:

The Presbyterian Historical Society of the Southwest Records contain historical material on many congregations in Texas and neighboring states. See the inventory for a complete listing.

The Texas-Mexican Presbytery Records document Mexican-Presbyterian churches in Texas from 1908 until the presbytery's dissolution in 1955.

The Synod of Texas (PCUS) Collection includes a set of presbytery albums compiled in 1951 with photographs and statistical information for every church in the Synod. These churches are indexed below. Information on congregations and presbyteries can also be found elsewhere in this collection.

The Presbytery of Central Texas Records contain historical data about many individual churches within the presbytery. Churches with longer historical sketches are indexed below, but briefer histories of other churches are also included.

Presbytery and Synod minutes often include information about individual congregations.

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"Texas, Thy name writ large is Opportunity," promotional brochure published by the Board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian Church of the U.S.A. [No. 332, 1st Ed., 8-08; 2011-004], circa 1908?

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- "Great Events at the Texas Presbyterian Conference" / Waxahachie, Texas / July 11-18, 1923, [brochure, 2011-004], 1923
- The Orphans Herald, a publication of the Southwestern Presbyterian Home and School for Orphans, Volume 22, Number 7, January 1931
- History of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Texas, Centennial volume, by Thomas H. Campbell, 1936
- Flying chips: Latin American Presbyterianism in Texas, published for the Executive Committee of Home Missions, Synod of Texas, Presbyterian Church, U.S., by Wallace Engraving Company, [2018-015; 1947?]
- "The Protestant Churches Face Texas Urban Culture," by Harold C. Kilpatrick, Executive Secretary, Texas Council of Churches, text of address given originally at the School on the Church and the Urban Ministry in Austin, TX, July 1958
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- "Presbyterian Pioneers in the Panhandle of Texas," [includes Rev. Clifton Wrenshaw Alexander and Mrs. Mary Jane Mathes Alexander and the church in Mobeetie, Texas. Written by Robert Dow Nicholson, FPC Lubbock, [2016-009], Christmas 1972
- Ministerial and Lay Directory and Church and Mission Directory, Mexican American, PCUS, in Texas: 1887-1977, compiled by Rev. Reynaldo N. Suárez, [1997-019], January 15, 1977
- *Texas Mexican Presbyterians* by Tomas Chavez, Jr., First Presbyterian Church Press, Midland, Texas, 1980

"Directory of Presbyterian-led Praise and Prayer Groups," Presbyterian Charismatic Communion [see section on Texas], July 1981

Rare Books Row A Autobiography of Rev. Allen H. Craft [self-published; BX 9225.C73 C73 2019; 2019-016], circa 1993-1994

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Historical Sites, Nos. 101-200 [FPC Clifton, TX; DavisAnsley Log Cabin, Denison, TX; Gum Spring PC, New
Danville, TX; FPC Orange, TX; Morrow Hall, Arkansas
College, Batesville, AR; FPC Little Rock, AR], 1999

"Presbyterians in Twentieth-Century Texas," by Flynn V. Long, Jr, circa 2000

"A Historic View of the Mexican-American Presbyterian Church in Texas," prepared for the Presbyterian Historical Society of Southwest, by Rev. Joel Martínez [2016-004], 2002

Hispanic Methodists, Presbyterians, and Baptists in Texas by Paul Barton, 2006

Remembrance and Reflection: Memories and Musings by Charles H. Teykl [2017-007], 2015

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Central Presbyterian Church:

The Central Presbyterian Church, Abilene Texas, 1951

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First Presbyterian Church of Alvin:

Centennial newsletter, invitation, and clipping, 1991-1992

"God's Church Endures, 1892-1992: Centennial Sermons, 12 Sermons Preached at FPC Alvin, Texas 1991-1992," by G.R.M. "Bob" Montgomery, 1992 "God's Church Endures: First Presbyterian Church Alvin, Texas, 1892-1996," (church history) [2018-005], 1996

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Our One-hundred Year Walk with the Lord: A Collection of Reminiscences and Observations by the Members of First Presbyterian Church, Amarillo, Texas, 1890-1990, [2011-004], 1990

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First Presbyterian Church of Arlington / Arlington Presbyterian Church:

Service bulletin, [2011-004], November 13, 1921

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"One Hundred Twenty-fifth Anniversary: First Presbyterian Church Athens, Texas," 1980 "Grow in Grace... A 'Festival of Dedication' by the First Presbyterian Church of Athens," 1983

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Composite Directory of Presbyterian Churches U.S. Participating in the Extension of Presbyterianism in Austin, corrected according to data received as of August 19, 1956 [directory of seven Austin churches], August 19, 1956

El Buen Pastor, Iglesia Presbiteriana:

"Looking at Hispanic Ministry in 1987," by Frank Diaz, pastor of El Buen Pastor, in *Austin Seminary Bulletin, Faculty edition*, Mission: Sesquicentennial and Centenario, Vol. 103, No. 4, October 1987

Central Presbyterian Church [see First Southern Presbyterian Church, below]

Covenant Presbyterian Church:

<u>Good News!</u>, church newsletter [includes church history, 1961-2001], June 15, 2001

First Cumberland Presbyterian Church (Austin):
Letter and business card from Pastor Michael D.
Insley, undated

First Presbyterian Church of Austin:

"A Century of Outreach by the First Presbyterian Church USA, 1850-1950, Austin, Texas," by Florence Morley Bissell, 1950

"The Mahon Years, 1970-1986," by Louise C. Geil, December 1, 1987

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Certificate: "The Historical Preservation Society / Founded September 24, 1995 / recognizes and appreciates / Nancy and Ellis Nelson / as a Founding year Member," 1995

Program: "Historical Center Dedication / On FPC's 146th Anniversary Celebration," May 26, 1996 Sketches of architectural details from the church building, by Bruce Woolcott, September 26, 1996 **Contents**

First Presbyterian Church of Austin Historical Society, Second Annual Meeting, program, September 22, 1997

Clipping: "Oakwood Cemetery Memorial Day ceremonies / Rev. Edward Bingham Wright," Austin American-Statesman, May 31, 1999

Booklet: "First Presbyterian Church / Worshipping and Serving in Austin since 1850," from the 150th Anniversary Celebration, May 28, 2000

Clipping: "Houses of Worship / First Presbyterian Church (USA) of Austin," Austin American-Statesman, October 27, 2001

Brochure: "A Walking Tour of First Presbyterian Church," undated

First Southern Presbyterian Church [now Central Presbyterian Church]:

> Church service bulletin, December 31, 1916 Church service bulletin, December 7, 1924 Church service bulletin, February 28, 1937 "Story of the First Southern Presbyterian Church of Austin, Texas," by William A. McLeod, [two copies – bound copy includes program for the Centennial Celebration of October 13-15, 1939], 1950

Artifact: Commemorative plate, back of plate lists pastors of First Southern PC from October 1839 – December 1952, including R.K. Smoot [2012-002], 1952

Church service bulletin, March 17, 1968 "Buford Jackson Smith and the Austin Collegiate Female Institute," by Brenda F. Shelton Olds [includes section on Smith's involvement with the First Southern Presbyterian Church], 1982 Church service bulletin, "Festival Service," March 25, 1984

Program: "Central Presbyterian Church / Homecoming Celebration / Marriott at the Capitol," October 7, 1989 The Roots of Central Presbyterian Church, Austin, Texas, by Bo Byers, 1989 Noonday concert series flyer, Spring 1993

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The Central Thought, vol. 25, no. 19, October 1, 1999 Church service bulletin [2019-004], February 17, 2002

"A Brief History of Central Presbyterian Church: 1839-2009," on the occasion of the 170th anniversary, 2009

Newspaper clippings on 175th anniversary, October 2014

Highland Presbyterian Church:

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Hope Presbyterian Church:

Church directory, March 7, 1982 Newsletter, October 1987

"August Spotlight: Rev. Josh Robinson," EBW Springs, August 20, 2021

Hyde Park Presbyterian Church:

Newspaper clipping, "Rev. Mueller Assumes Post," [John Mueller], [1949]

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church:

Church directory, 1994

"Groups say ICE targeted Asylum Seekers," by Katie Hall, *Austin American Statesman*, October 23, 2020

Shepherd of the Hills Presbyterian Church:

"Shepherd of the Hills Presbyterian Church, History: 1978-1986," circa 1986 "Spotlight on Chris Gordon," EBW Springs, April 4, 2022

Trinity Presbyterian Church:

"A Service of Worship of the Presbytery del Salvador and Alamo Presbytery upon the occasion of the ordination and installation of a minister," installation of Alan Keith Huggins, June 16, 1974

Church service bulletin, January 25, 1981 University Presbyterian Church (aka Highland Presbyterian Church):

> Information from the Austin History Center on the Ledbetter family and George A. Endress, prominent Austinites and members of UPC, 1906-1969

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Brochure: "The University Presbyterian Church would call attention to the Bible and Religious Education Courses offered... for credit in The University of Texas, 1927-1928" [features Thomas W. Currie and Samuel L. Joekel], 1927 "Lawrence H. Wharton," memorial pamphlet, [1937]

Organization and Program of the Presbyterian Student League, [1940]

"The Century Class: Principles of Business Organization Applied to a Bible Class," by Walter E. Long, 1946

Woman's Auxiliary Year Book, 1947-1948 Worship bulletin, July 6, 1947

"...Like Unto Grains of Mustard Seed: Jubilee Year, Presbyterian Student Work, 1949-1950"

Program: "Welcome to the Hall of Memories: The 25th Anniversary Banquet of the Century Class," [includes photo of Walter E. Long], April 30, 1949

"The Giant: A Tribute to Dr. Daniel A. Penick," [given by the Homecoming Jubilee Committee at the presentation of a portrait of Penick to be hung in the Student's Lounge of the UPC], November 12, 1949

"Fifty Years of Student Work at the University Presbyterian Church," compiled by D.A. Penick, edited by Dewitt C. Reddick, [1950]

"Through a Glass Darkly: Presbyterian Student Work at the University of Texas," written and published by Westminster Student Fellowship, May 1950

"Presbyterian Student Work at The University of Texas: Future Program and Needs (A Preliminary Study)," May 10, 1953

Centennial planning material, 1991

Clipping, from the <u>Austin American Statesman</u>, May 18, 2002

"A Block of Memories," [including information on Block Smith], by Richard Robertson, February 2003

Photographs from the 2008 renovation [185 digital photographs on CD and partially saved (74 files) to H:\#ARCHIVES\Digital

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Church directory, August 1975

"History of the Congregation," [1985?]

Church directory, 1994

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Wedding services, 1973-1976

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Session minutes, August-September 1976

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Brief history and directory, [1982]

Ballinger, TX:

First Presbyterian Church of Ballinger:

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circa 1914

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First Presbyterian Church of Bay City:

"A Living History of First Presbyterian Church Bay City, Texas, 1898-1973," circa 1973

Church directory [2018-005], undated

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Pioneer Presbyterian Church:

"A History of Pioneer Presbyterian Church," by Kirkland C. Jones, [African-American congregation], October 1, 1990

Westminster Presbyterian Church [previously First Presbyterian Church of Beaumont (1880-1921) and Central Presbyterian Church of Beaumont (1908-1921)]: "Celebrating our first 125 Years: 1880-," 2005

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Bellaire Presbyterian Church:

Clipping: "Bellaire Presbyterian Church Celebrates 85 Years," by Michelle Leigh Smith, *Southwest News*, Vol. 20, No. 17 [2018-005], September 21, 2004

Belton, TX:

First Presbyterian Church of Belton:

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"History of Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Bertram, Texas 78606: 1919-1991," compiled by Maxine B. Glimp, April 30, 1992

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"The Seventy-fifth Anniversary: 1927-2002," [2017-010], September 15, 2002

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100 Years of Ministry, 1913-2013, First Presbyterian Church, Brazoria, Texas by Ginny McNeill Raska, 2013

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First Presbyterian Church of Brenham [Brenham Presbyterian Church]:

"Eight Sermons by Thomas W. Currie III," 1983 "Brenham Presbyterian to celebrate 125th anniversary," *The Banner-Press*, Friday, March 22, 2002

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Dedicatory services, Rev. Emmet P. Day, Pastor, December 11-15, 1927 Dedication service, October 22, 1944

"Sesquicentennial Celebration, 1850-2000 / February 18-20, 2000" [church history, 2011-004], 2000

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"Historia de la Primera Iglesia Presbiteriana Mexican de Brownsville, Texas" by Rev. Joel Martínez Tamez, 1977

Flyer: Mexican Fiesta [2018-012], September 17, 2016

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A History of the First Presbyterian Church Bryan, Texas, organized November 24, 1867, by Dr. Haskell M. Monroe, Jr. (November 1967) and Ruby James, January 1993
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"Brief history of Burnet Presbyterian Church: 187-

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"First Presbyterian Church Cameron, Texas: 1882-1982," by Pauline Pressley McDermott, [1982]

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Clarksville Academy (aka Ringwood Female Seminary): "Rev. John Anderson and Margaret Maria

Anderson: "...and music filled the air," compiled by Libby Craft for the Perot family, 2012 First Presbyterian Church of Clarksville:

Historical information [2017-013], compiled March 17, 2000

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"A Guide to Worship," undated

Clifton, TX:

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Photocopied historical material [2006-001]:

"Report of the Presbyterian Work at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas for 1935-1936," [April 1936]

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"Report of Synod's Special Campaign Committee for Westminster Encampment and A&M College Church," Robert Lee Bobbitt, chairman, [1945] Information transcribed from handwritten notes by Madge Williams, ca. 1952 Newspaper clipping, 1957 "The A&M Presbyterian Church," [1958] Information transcribed from a handwritten report for the A&M Presbyterian Church, 1963 "Heritage and Mission," Sermon delivered by H. Bruce Fisher, Pastor of A&M Church, March 27, 1977

"Our Church: An informational brochure presenting... The A&M Presbyterian Church, College Station, Texas" [2018-005], 1952 "Texas A&M University: TAMU Facts and Stats," (printed from website) [2018-005], December 2006

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First Presbyterian Church of Colorado City (PCUS): "Historical Sketch of the Presbyterian Church of Colorado City," read by Rev. O. F. Rogers on the dedication of the church, May 3, 1891

> Minutes and church register [also available on microfilm; 1994-199]:

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History of the First Presbyterian Church, 1881-1981: A Charge to Keep: Founders' Faith [2015-007], by Nadine Gordon, 1981

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"First Presbyterian Church of Cumby, Texas: 125th Anniversary Edition, 1997 – including a summary also of records of Palestine and Miller Grove congregations," by Thomas White Currie, Jr, 1997

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> Worship bulletin [includes photo of Rev. L. D. Young], November 3, 1935

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"The Stained Glass Windows of the City Temple Presbyterian Church," by Paul H. Horton, October 1961

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