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FONDS 1012: UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA ERIE PRESBYTERY FONDS. - 1959-2006. - 92 cm of textual records.—1 album (24 photographs). – 1 videocassette : VHS.

Presbyteries in the United Church of Canada are courts of the Church within geographical boundaries made up of a number of Pastoral Charges. Presbytery membership consists of ordained ministers of the Charges within the Presbytery, United Church lay persons, and corresponding members. A grouping of Presbyteries within a larger geographical area makes up a Conference, a higher court of the Church. The functions of the Presbytery include: overseeing Pastoral Charges within its bounds, including the designation of new Charges; receiving and disposing of petitions and appeals from lower governing bodies or courts; transmitting the above to higher bodies or courts; licensing lay persons recommended after examination; overseeing education of students looking forward to ministry and supervision of members of the Order of Ministry within its bounds.

Erie Presbytery was established in 1969 after the dissolution of Haldimand-Norfolk and Brantford Presbyteries due to the realignment of Presbytery boundaries within Hamilton Conference. It disbanded on December 31, 2018 with the reorganization of the church court structure. Communities of faith within the Presbytery became part of Horseshoe Falls Regional Council.

Fonds consists of the following series: Presbytery minutes, 1969-2005; records relating to committees/organizations, 1993-2002; records relating to pastoral charges, 1963-2006; women's groups records, 1962-1989; Lay Foundation In Erie Presbytery records (includes Haldimand-Norfolk Laymen Foundation), 1959-1998.

See also records of Mission and Development Council of Erie Presbytery (Fonds 1055).

For item level descriptions of multimedia, please contact the Archives.

SERIES 1: PRESBYTERY MINUTES. - 1969-2005. - 42 cm of textual records.

Fonds consists of minutes of regular, special and Executive Presbytery meetings, 1969-2005

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| 84.026C | 1-1 | | Minutes | 1969-1972 |
| | 1-2 | | --- | 1972-1974 |
| | 1-3 | | --- | 1974-1977 |
| 2010.032C | 2-1 | | --- | 1977-1980 |
| | 1-1 | | --- | 1980-1984 |
| | 1-2 | | --- | 1984-1988 |
| | 1-3 | | --- | 1988-1994 |
| | 2-1 | | --- | 1995-1997 |
| | 2-2 | | --- | 1997-2001 |
| | 2-3 | | --- | 2001-2005 |

SERIES 2: RECORDS RELATING TO COMMITTEES/ORGANIZATIONS. - 1976-2002. - 6 cm of textual records.

Series consists of minutes, reports and correspondence of Presbytery committees, including: Camp Committee, 1976-1980; Stewardship Committee, 1993-2002.

See also records of Manse Committee in Series 3.

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| 2016.204C | TR-1 | | Camp Committee records | 1976-1980 |
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SERIES 2: RECORDS RELATING TO COMMITTEES/ORGANIZATIONS cont.

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| 2005.042C | TR-1 | | Stewardship Committee Minutes | 1993-1995 |
| | TR-2 | - - - | | 2000-2002 |

SERIES 3: CORRESPONDENCE/SUBJECT FILES. – 1979-1993. – 1 cm of textual records

Series consists of handbooks, 1979-1993, and newsletter, 1979.

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| 2017.168C | 1-1 | | Handbook | 1992 |
| | 1-2 | - - - | | 1993 |
| 2016.204C | TR-2 | | Newsletter | 1979 |

SERIES 4: RECORDS RELATING TO PASTORAL CHARGES. – 1963-2006. – 19 cm of textual records

Series consists of records, including correspondence, reports, evaluations and other records of Langford Community Church, 1989-1992 and the manses of the following pastoral charges: Brantford (Balfour Street, Brant Avenue, Echo Place, Fairview, Harmony, Heritage, Marlboro, St. Andrew's, Sydenham, Wellington Memorial, and Wesley), Burford, Cainsville-Langford, Caledonia, Canfield, Cathcart, Cayuga, Dehli, Hagersville, Kelvin Teeterville Vanessa, Langford, Lynedock, Mount Pleasant, Nanticoke, Norwich Gore, Oakland, Onondaga, Paris, Port Rowan, Scotland, Simcoe: (Old Windham, St. James), St. George, Townsend and Waterford.

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| 2017.168C | 1-3 | | Brantford: Balfour Street | 2000 | |
| | 1-4 | | Brantford: Echo Place | 1984-1986 | |
| | 1-5 | | Brantford: Fairview | 2005-2006 | |
| | 1-6 | | Brantford: Harmony | 1994 | |
| | 1-7 | | Brantford: Heritage | 1998-2001 | |
| | 1-8 | | Brantford: Marlboro | 1982 | |
| | 1-9 | | Brantford: St. Andrew's | 2000-2001 | |
| | 1-10 | | Brantford: Sydenham | 1993-1995 | |
| | 1-11 | | Brantford: Wellington Memorial | [ca. 1980s] | |
| | 1-12 | | Brantford: Wesley | 1976, 1998 | |
| | 1-13 | | Burford | 1981, 1998 | |
| | 1-14 | | Caledonia: Grace | 2002 | |
| | 1-15 | | Cayuga | 1988 | |
| | 1-16 | | Dehli | 1983-2004 | |
| | 1-17 | | Hagersville | 1995-1998 | |
| | 1-18 | | Jarvis: Wesley | 1983-1985 | |
| | 1-19 | | Kelvin Teeterville Vanessa | 2000 | |
| | 2002.097C | TR-1 | | Langford Community Church | 1989-1992 |
| | 2017.168C | 1-20 | | Mount Pleasant | 1987, 2003.- 2004 |
| 1-21 | | | Nanticoke | 1984 | |
| 1-22 | | | Norwich Gore | 2005 | |
| 1-23 | | | Oakland | n.d. | |
| 1-24 | | | Paris: St. Paul's | 2003 | |
| 1-25 | | | Port Rowan | 1984 | |
| 1-26 | | | Scotland | 2005-2006 | |
| 1-27 | | | Simcoe: Old Windham | 1994 | |

SERIES 4: RECORDS RELATING TO PASTORAL CHARGES cont.

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| 2017.168C | 1-28 | | Simcoe: St. James | 2003 |
| | 1-29 | | St. George | 1999 |
| | 1-30 | | Townsend | 1987 |
| | 1-31 | | Waterford | 1976, 2002 |
| 2009.050C | | | Manses | |
| | 1-22 | | Brantford: Brant Ave. | 1984-1985 |
| | 1-5 | | Brantford: Echo Place | 1984-1985 |
| | 1-6 | | Brantford: Fairview | 1980-1991 |
| | 1-11 | | Brantford: Marlboro | 1980-1988 |
| | 1-23 | | Brantford: Sydenham | 1992 |
| | 1-20 | | Brantford: Wesley | 1984 |
| | 1-1 | | Cainsville-Langford | 1980-1989 |
| | 1-2 | | Caledonia: Grace | [n.d.] |
| | 1-3 | | Canfield | 1967-1994 |
| | 1-7 | | Cathcart | 1982-1983 |
| | 1-4 | | Dehli | 1965-1990 |
| | 1-8 | | Hagersville | 1968-1996 |
| | 1-9 | | Kelvin | 1963-1990 |
| | 1-10 | | Lynedoch | 1981 |
| | 1-12 | | Nanticoke | 1975-1997 |
| | 1-13 | | Oakland | 1972-1988 |
| | 1-14 | | Onondaga | 1980 |
| | 1-16 | | Paris | 1983 |
| | 1-15 | | Simcoe: Old Windham | 1980-1985 |
| 1-17 | | Simcoe: St. James | 1964-1984 | |
| 1-24 | | St. George | 1980-1995 | |
| 1-21 | | Teeterville | 1963-1990 | |
| 1-19 | | Townsend | 1968-1986 | |
| 1-18 | | Waterford | 1986-1991 | |

SERIES 5: WOMEN'S GROUPS RECORDS. - 1962-1989. - 15 cm of textual records.

Series consists of records of Erie Presbyterial United Church Women, including minutes, 1969-1988, inaugural meeting programme, 1969, annual reports, 1969-1989, and financial record book (includes Haldimand-Norfolk Presbytery U.C.W.), 1962-1981

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| 93.111C | TR-1 | | United Church Women minutes | 1969-1979 |
| 96.023C | TR-1 | | --- | 1979-1988 |
| 2016.167C | TR-1 | | U.C.W. inaugural meeting programme | 1969 |
| 95.022C | 1-1 | | U.C.W. reports | 1969-1977 |
| | 1-2 | | --- | 1978-1983 |
| 93.156C | 1-1 | | --- | 1984 |
| | 1-2 | | --- | 1985 |
| | 1-3 | | --- | 1986 |
| | 1-4 | | --- | 1987 |
| | 1-5 | | --- | 1988 |
| | 1-6 | | --- | 1989 |
| 96.023C | TR-2 | | U.C.W. financial record book (includes Haldimand-Norfolk Presbytery) | 1962-1981 |

SERIES 6: LAY FOUNDATION IN ERIE PRESBYTERY RECORDS. - 1959-1998. - 10 cm of textual records; photographs

The Lay Foundation was originally established in Haldimand-Norfolk Presbytery in 1959 as the Laymen's Foundation; it became known as the Lay Foundation after the formation of Erie Presbytery in 1969, and had as its mandate to encourage people into the ministry of the United Church, and to provide assistance by way of grants to students who needed help. It was closed in 1998.

Series consists of records of the Lay Foundation in Erie Presbytery (includes Haldimand-Norfolk Presbytery) including constitution, 1959, 1977, minutes, 1959-1998, financial reports, audits and other records, 1978-1998, and records re closing, 1998.

Certain files are restricted for seventy-five years from the last date indicated.

See also graphic database for images.

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| 98.114C | 1-1 | | Constitution | 1959-1984 |
| | 1-2 | | Minutes | 1959-1971 |
| | 1-3 | | --- | 1972-1998 |
| | 1-6 | | List of Directors | 1977-1998 |
| | 1-7 | | Erie Presbytery & Erie Presbyterial United Church Women correspondence | 1985-1998 |
| | 1-8 | | Financial reports and other records | 1978-1998 |
| | | | Hamilton Conference correspondence and reports | 1996-1998 |
| | 1-11 | | Promotional and historical material | 1975-1997 |
| | 1-12 | | Records re closure | 1998 |
| | 1-13RR | | Student grants | 1960-1997 |