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**HUGH MCCULLUM FONDS. –1928-2008. –3.11 m of textual records; –111 photographs;--2 audio cassettes; --3 video cassettes.**

Hugh McCullum (1931 – 2008) was the son of an Anglican priest and born and raised in the Yukon.

A graduate of McGill University, he began his career with the Montreal Herald, then moved on to the Kingston Whig-Standard, the Regina Leader-Post, and the former Toronto Telegram.

Mr. McCullum was named editor/publisher of The United Church Observer in 1980. He was not only the first layperson appointed as editor, he was also the first editor who came from outside The United Church. McCullum had also been editor of the national newspaper Canadian Churchman (predecessor to the Anglican Journal) for the Anglican Church of Canada from 1968-75.

As editor of The Observer, McCullum presided over the magazine's transition from an arm of the General Council to an independently incorporated publication with full editorial autonomy. While editor of the Observer he travelled extensively, reporting on church-backed struggles for justice in Canada's North, in Central America, Africa, the Middle East and Asia. McCullum won dozens of church press awards and was a three-time National Magazine Awards winner. During his time at The Observer, he also hosted CBC TV's Meeting Place, from 1984 to 1989.

McCullum's books and publications reflected his belief that the church needs to be a voice of the marginalized: *Africa's Broken Heart* (2007), *The Angels Have Left Us* (2005) and *Radical Compassion* (2004), a biography of Archbishop Ted Scott, former primate of the Anglican Church of Canada.

McCullum moved to Zimbabwe in 1990 and worked on numerous ecumenical projects including training programs for African journalists.

McCullum returned to his family in Canada in 2002. At the time of his death, he was working with Aboriginal groups on issues relating to northern resource development.

Fonds consists of the following series: 1) Writings and Research, 1969-2007, 2) Addresses and Sermons, 1939-1989, 3) Notes, 1980-2008, 4) Correspondence, 1980-2001, 5) Personal Ephemera, 1928-1987, 6) Audio/Visual Material, 1980-2003, 7) Photographs, 1939-[200-].

**SERIES 1: WRITINGS AND RESEARCH. –1968-2007.**

Series contains articles, reports and other writings written by Hugh McCullum 1968-2007. Series also includes his research material and articles written about him.

Acc.	Box-File	Title	Date(s)
2012.142C	1-1	Articles on Hugh McCullum	1977 – 1998
	1-2	---the Observer and Political issues surrounding the United Church	1980 – 1989
	1-3	---Hugh and issues surrounding the United Church South Africa, Central and South America	1982 – 1983
	1-4	Articles on or by Hugh McCullum with clippings about Endicott's apology, Central America and South Africa	1980 - 1982
	1-5	CANVAS – WCC Sixth Assembly	1983
	2-1	Program in Journalism for Native People	1980 – 1981
	2-3	Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops Statements, Briefs, Ethical Reflections	1983 – 1984
	2-5	Institutional Violence: A Northern Perspective. An Address in Queen's University by Hugh McCullum	1976
	2-6	DEHCHO First Nations [part 1]	2007

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2012.142C	2-7	---[part 2]	2007
	2-8	---[part 3]	2007
	2-9	The Future of the Assembly of First Nations Bulletin	1987
	3-1	A Report by Project North on Native People & the Constitution	1982
	3-2	Nat. Policy & International Colonialism on Justice & Hope...& three issues of Mandate	1981 – 1985
	3-3	Project North - A Canadian Interchurch Project on Northern Development and supporting documents	1977 – 1982
	3-4	Essays and Research Ideas	1950 – 2007
	3-5	500 Years of Native Resistance	1990 – 1991
	3-6	Land Claims, Development, Bill C-48	1976 – 1990
	3-7	Issues surrounding the Dene Nation	1975 – 1981
	3-10	Religiously themed writing by Hugh McCullum	1979 – 1986
	4-1	Articles on Zimbabwe, AIDS and poverty	1997 – 2001
	4-2	Articles and Essays on Southern Africa & the Media by & about Hugh McCullum	1997 – 1999
	4-3	Articles on South Africa by Hugh McCullum	1990 - 1993
	4-4	Articles (Published and Drafts) on Zimbabwe by Hugh McCullum	1989 – 1999
	4-5	Articles on Zimbabwe, Rwanda, Sudan, Mozambique, Malawi, Zambia by Hugh McCullum	1990 – 2000
	4-6	Drafts of first three chapters of "Book on Refugees" - Ch. 1 Afghan & Pakistani Refugees – Ch. 2 Southeast Asia Refugees– Ch. 3 Central American Central American Refugees	[1990]
	4-7	Observer – Central & South America	1980 – 1986
	4-8	Book Review and Articles on Central America	1981 – 1983
	4-9	Notes, drafts and articles on the Middle East	1988
	5-1	Articles on Central America and the murder of Archbishop Oscar Romero	1981 – 1982
	5-2	ACT and Africa Information Afrique by and with Hugh McCullum	1995 – 1999
	5-3	Southern African Research and Documentation Center and South African News Features	1989 – 2001
	5-4	Freelance work on Aboriginal Rights by Hugh McCullum	1976
	5-5	Inter Pares and Ploughshares Monitor	1980 – 1986
	12-1	Contains material from the International News Blues Conference on Media Coverage of our World	1981
	12-2	World Development Report (WDR) Viewpoint Booklet NGOs	1988
	12-3	"Evangelical Witness in South Africa Evangelicals Critique their Own Theology and Practice"	1985
	12-4	"Opus Dei" By Fred Landis	1983
	12-5	Articles on the Middle East General	1984 – 1987
	12-6	Non-Violent workshop excerpts and eye-witness accounts of conflict	1998
	12-7	Christian perspective on the Middle East conflict	2000 – 2004
	12-8	Reports on Palestine	2001 – 2004
12-9	Articles on Israel and the Middle East conflict	1987	
13-1	Material from Wi'am – Palestinian Conflict Resolution Center	2004	
13-2	Literature on Palestine and Palestinian Refugees	1981 – 1981	
13-3	---Palestine	1984 – 2000	
14-5	Article on Egypt	1985	

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2012.142C	14-6	Widows and Orphans of Central America	1986
	15-1	Articles on Iran & Iraq	1979 – 1984
	15-2	Articles and literature on Islam	1978 – 1989
	15-3	Reports on Pakistan/Afghanistan – Refugees	1980 – 1993
	15-5	Literature on Refugees of South East Asia	1979 – 1984
	15-6	“Rising Sun Over Burma’s Tragedy” by Dr. John Badgley	[1988]
	15-7	South Pacific Peoples Foundation of Canada	1988
	16-1	Reports and literature on the Philippines	[1982] – 1986
	16-2	Articles, literature and notes on the Philippines	1987
	16-3	Articles on the Philippines	1980 – 1986
	16-4	Reports on the Philippines	1979 – 1985
	18-1	Literature and Notes on North Korea	1995 – 1996
	18-2	Articles, letters and notes on South Korea	1986 – 1987
	18-3	---	1983 – 1987
	18-4	Articles and notes on the Angola Civil War	1992 – 1995
	18-5	Article and letters on Angola	1976 – 1992
	18-6	Angola	1981 – 1995
	18-7	Church and Angola	1989 – 1995
	18-8	Reports on Botswana	1991 – 1999
	18-12	Inter-Church Coalition on Africa – Kenya	999
	18-14	Canadian Council of Churches – South Africa	1983
	18-15	Papers from the Conference on First Country of Asylum Development Aid in Malawi	1992
	19-4	World Council of Churches - Reports on Zambia and Botswana	1981
	19-5	Reports on Uganda and Nairobi	1980 – 1994
	19-6	“A report for the Tanzania Gender 1980 – 1994 report on Tanzania by Hugh McCullum	1996 – 2001
	19-7	Reports on Somalia	1981
	19-8	Articles by and about the Reverend E. H. Jonson	1970 – 2004
	19-10	Articles on CANAIRELIEF in Biafra	1969
	20-1	Articles and notes on Mozambique peace process	1993 – 1994
	20-2	Mozambique & Media	2000 – 2001
	20-4	Report and letter about Namibia	1980 – 1997
	20-5	World Council of Churches – Trip Report – Nigeria	1996
	20-6	Church Structure - Rwanda	[2000]
	20-12	Churches position on the Sudan	1993 – 1994
	20-13	Inter-Church Coalition on Africa – Human Rights Brief	2000 – 2001
	20-14	Canadian Ecumenical Church Mission to Sudan – Orientation Session	2001
	20-16	Inter-Church Coalition on Africa – Sudan	1988 – 1999
	20-19	News Report ANC(S.A) Canadian Mission	1982
	20-21	Challenge to the Church : A Theological Comment on the Political Crisis in South Africa	[1980]
	21-1	Reports on South Africa	1980 – 1981
	21-7	Literature on South America	1976 – 1990
	21-9	Literature and letters on Christian efforts in Latin America	1981 – 1988
	21-11	Central America – Publications	1983 – 1987
	22-1	Roundtable on negotiations for Peace in Central America	1985
	22-3	Article Draft – Brazil Refugees	[1974]
	22-5	Guatemala Human Rights Issues	1983 – 1992
	22-6	---Church Publications	1983 – 1987
	22-7	---Inter – Church Reports	1984 – 1988
	22-13	Africa Popular Report	[1990]
	23-1	Church action in Rwanda	1994 – 1995

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2012.142C	24-12	Press Conference Statement from Canadian Council of Churches	1969
2022.021C	1-2	Moratorium-Justice, Energy, The North, and the Native People, by Hugh and Karmel McCullum and John Olthuis	1977
2022.021C	1-4	Biafra research	1968
2022.021C	1-5	How not to help the poorest of the poor, contradictory policies in Canada's development assistance, draft discussion paper and memo	1993
2022.021C	1-6	The Angels Have Left Us: reviews and royalties	1995-1996
2022.021C	1-7	---	1995-2001
2022.021C	1-8	---and Rwanda resources	1996

### **SERIES 2: ADDRESSES AND SERMONS. –1939-1989.**

Series contains addresses and sermons written and delivered by Hugh McCullum 1939-1989.

Acc.	Box-File	Title	Date(s)
2014.142C	3-8	Speeches: Global Issues by Hugh McCullum	1982-1988
	3-9	---: Theological Issues by Hugh McCullum Hugh McCullum	1981 – 1986
	7-4	Sermon including notes and drafts : "The Common Man"	1988
	7-5	"Reflections – World Faith Community"	1988
	7-6	Anniversary Sermons	1980
	7-7	Sermons: "Benoit Bouchard's Barbaric Bill (C-84)"	1987
	7-8	---: Bishops' Statement	1983
	7-9	---: Canadian Unity	[1980]
	7-10	---: Cancun	[1980]
	7-11	Central America – Ecumenical Services	1981
	8-1	Sermon: "Central America : The Heroic Church"	[1988]
	8-2	---: "Challenge and Change"	1986
	8-3	Keynote Address: "Christian and the Economy"	1984
	8-4	Sermon: "Church and its Contemporary Issues"	1986
	8-5	Speech: "Life Springs Out of Death"	[1980]-[1989]
	8-6	Sermon: "The Church and Native Rights"	1986
	8-7	Sermons/Speech including drafts and notes : "Reflections – World Faith Community" & "Human Rights and Social Responsibility"	1982 – 1988
	8-8	"A Covenant Community"	1988
	8-9	Speech/Sermon: "Covenant in Creation"	1980]-[1989]
	8-10	---: "The Cross – Key to our Hope and Salvation"	1986
	8-11	""Doing " Theology in Word & Deed" by Dianne Cooper	1980
	8-12	---: "The Economic Association Zambia Conference"	1989
	8-13	Sermon: "The Emmaus Road a Journey Into the Peace & Justice of Christ"	1985
	8-14	---: "Exploring a Peace Theology "Sorting it Out Together"	1987
	8-15	"Global Concern Consultation"	1983
	8-16	Sermon: "God, Gospel and the Electronic Age"	1984
	8-17	---: "Good News to the Poor"	[1980]-[1989]
	8-18	Guatemala Speeches	1981 – 1987
	9-1	"Healing a Broken World"	1981
	9-2	"The Holy Spirit and Corporate Responsibility"	1984
	9-3	Speech: "Human Rights and Social Responsibility"	1981 – 1982
	9-4	---: "Hunger in Canada"	1987
	9-5	Sermon: "The Immorality of Unemployment"	1984

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	9-6	"Television : Life or Death to Religion"	1986
	9-7	Speech: " The Media – How We Get Our Images"	1982 – 1989
	9-8	"The Media as a Frontline of Mission" By Pauline Webb & "Step Outside and Say That" by Hugh McCullum	1970 – 1987
	9-9	Speech: "Loving our Enemies"	[1980]–[1989]
	9-10	---: "Not Tears But Applause"	[1980]–[1989]
	9-11	Ordination Service Address Saskatoon Conference	1987
	9-12	Sermons on Peace	1989
	9-13	Speeches and articles on the review and the role of the Church	[1986]–[1988]
2012.142C	9-14	"Rebuilding the Church"	1984 – 1986
	9-15	"Religious Journalism"	1985
	9-16	Validity of a Church-Related Newspaper	1981 – 1989
	9-17	Ten Days for World Development	1984
	9-18	"Words and Pictures"	989
	9-19	"The United Church Observer: A voice from the Watchtower"	1988
	9-20	South Africa Sermon Ideas	1979 – 1981
	9-21	Bible Study	1985
	10-1	Sermon Ideas	1969 – 1988
	10-2	Early Speeches	1955 – 1980
	10-3	Sermon & Speech Material	1982 – 1988
	10-4	Liturgy and Worship	1982 – 1989
	10-5	"The Neo-Conservative Offensive" By Ana Maria Ezcurra, Mexico with a copy in English and Spanish	1982
	11-1	"Dateline: QSAC, Vol. I" by Gary Beaton of Age Development and Peace" by Andrew Brewin	1980
	11-2	Speech Research	1976 – 1981
	11-3	Mission as Conflict and Challenge	1978
	11-4	"Nicholson" by T. Wayne Crossen	1976
	11-5	Ted Scott "The Reluctant Prophet" by Hugh McCullum	1980 – 1986
	11-6	Articles on Homosexuality	1988 – 1989
	11-7	Addresses, Sermons and Speeches by various authors	1968 – 1980
	11-8	Sermons and forward for Clarke MacDonald Manuscript	1986
	24-13	Speech Draft	1939
	24-15	Speeches and addresses about Hugh McCullum	1980
	24-16	Sermons	[1961]

**SERIES 3: NOTES. –1980-2008.**

Series contains Hugh McCullum's notes and notebooks on his ecumenical work and international justice 1980-2008.

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2012.142C	6-1	Personal Notes: Chile	[1976?]
	6-2	---: El Salvador	[1980]–[1989]
	6-3	---: Nicaragua	[1980]–[1989]
	6-4	---: Haiti	[1980]–[1989]
	6-5	---: Honduras	1980]–[1989]
	7-1	---: Miscellaneous	[1980]–[1989]
	7-2	---: Guatemala	[1980]–[1989]
	7-3	---: Guatemala	[1980]–[1989]
	13-4	Hand Written Notes on Israel	[1984]
	13-5	---Israel, Palestine and Gaza Strip	[2000]–[2001]
	13-6	---Libya, Tunisia and Egypt	[2000]

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	13-7	---Lebanon	1987
	13-8	Notebook on Palestine	[2008]
	14-1	Notebooks on Gaza, Lebanon, Israel, Syria and Sidon [Saida]	[1984]
	14-2	Middle East Council of Churches (MECC) Notebooks on Beirut, Syria, Jordan, Israel and Gaza	1987
	14-3	Notes and literature on Macedonia and Yugoslavia	1994 – 1995
	14-4	Notebook on Bosnia	1995
	15-4	Indonesia – Notes	1984
	16-6	Notebooks: Philippines	1986
2012.142C	17-2	---:---	1986
	17-3	---:---	[1986]
	17-4	---: Philippines and Korea	[198-?]
	17-5	Notes on China	[1984]
	17-6	Notebooks: North Korea	1996
	17-7	---: South Korea	[1988]
	18-9	---: Burundi	1994
	19-1	---: Malawi	1994
	19-2	---: Liberia	[1996]
	19-12	---: Rwanda	1994
	19-13	---:---	1995
	19-14	---: Rwanda Refugees	[1995]
	20-7	Notes, Speeches and Reports on Zimbabwe	1980 – 1981
	20-8	Notebooks: Zimbabwe	1988
	20-9	---: Miscellaneous	[1976]
	20-17	---: Sudan	1995
	20-18	Notebook and notes of the Sudan	2000
	20-11	Notes & Letters on Human Rights in South Africa 1983 – 1985	1983 – 1985
	21-2	Notebooks: South Africa	1981
	21-3	---: Miscellaneous	1980
	21-4	---: Lesotho	1983]
	21-5	---: All Nations Community Church	[1988]
	21-6	---: Church Partners	[1988]
	21-8	---: South America	1985
	22-14	Notes and correspondence on “Radical Compassion”	[1990]
	22-15	Notebooks: World Council of Churches, Tanzania	1995
	22-16	---: World Council of Churches Assembly	1998
	22-17	---: Miscellaneous	1999
	23-3	Notes and transcripts of the Ntakirutimana Trial – Hugh McCullum expert witness	2001
2022.021C	1-1	Pocket calendars	1991. 1993-1994, 1996-1997, 2000
2022.021C	1-3	Journal, from [J. Olthuis?] to H. McCullum	1985

**SERIES 4: CORRESPONDENCE. –1980-2001.**

Series contains Hugh McCullum’s correspondence concerning his ecumenical work 1980-2001.

Acc.	Box-File	Title	Date(s)
2012.142C	1-7	Letters about the Rapture	1987 – 1988
	1-8	---and memos about the Publisher of the United Church Observer	1980
	2-2	---of congratulation to Hugh McCullum on his appointment to	1979 – 1980

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		the Observer	
	2-4	---from Wes Maultsaid	1981 – 1987
	16-5	Philippines – Letters	1986
	18-10	Letters on the Democratic Republic of Congo	1997 – 1999
	18-11	World Council of Churches letters on Ethiopia	1980 – 1981
	18-13	Letters on Church presents in Kenya	1995 – 1997
	19-3	Letters/Reports: Liberia	1996
	19-9	Letters, Reports and press releases about the Republic of Biafra	1968 – 1970
	19-11	Letters and notes about Rwanda	2006
	20-3	Letters on Namibia	1980 – 1981
	20-10	Letters from the Canadian High Commission	1999 – 2001
	20-15	E-Mails to Hugh McCullum about the Sudan	2001
	20-20	Correspondence to and from Hugh McCullum	1984
2012.142C	21-10	Central America Correspondence	1987
	22-2	Correspondence: South America	1984
	22-4	---: Chili trip	1984
	22-8	---: Guatemala	1990
	22-9	Correspondence with the Caribbean Conference of Churches	1987
	22-10	Correspondence and report on Nicaragua	1983 – 1987
	20-11	Correspondence: El Salvador	1980 – 1986
	22-12	Correspondence, notes and reports on Central America	1980 – 1982
	23-2	Correspondence: Miscellaneous	1995 – 2001

#### **SERIES 5: PERSONAL EPHEMERA. –1928-1987.**

Series contains Hugh McCullum's personal ephemera including awards, personal correspondence, family records, etc. 1928-1987.

Acc.	Box-File	Title	Date(s)
2012.142C	1-6	Award of Excellence for the United Church Observer	1981
	5-6	Travel itineraries	1981 – 1992
	23-4	Hugh McCullum professional history	2001
	23-5	Personal letters	1979
	23-6	Report cards and awards of merit for David and Mary McCullum	1977 – 1978
	23-7	Letters and cards from Mary McCullum to her mother and grandmother	1974
	23-8	Personal family letters	1928 – 1985
	23-9	McCullum Family Coat of Arms	[1970]
	23-10	Hugh McCullum Appreciation Dinner	1980
	23-11	Letter to the Women's Auxiliary from Jeau McCullum	1939
	23-12	---the Editor	1961
	23-13	Correspondence	1963
	23-14	Letters to City Editors	1962
	23-15	---City Editor	1964
	24-1	Diocese of Caledonia Lay Reader's License	1955
	24-2	Daily Paper Route Contract	1945
	24-3	Report Card for Hugh McCullum	1945
	24-4	Klondike Victory Bond	1966
	24-5	Letter from the Spartan Club	1944
	24-6	Public School of the Yukon Territory Roll of Honour	1938
	24-7	The Royal Life Saving Society Intermediate Certificate	1945



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	24-8	Professional correspondence	1958 – 1970
	24-9	Personal correspondence	1969
	24-10	Telegram	1967
	24-11	Letter from the Canadian Secretary of State for External Affairs	1970
	24-14	Letters about dinners in honour of Hugh McCullum	1980
	24-17	Poem about Hugh	1980

**SERIES 6: AUDIO/VISUAL MATERIAL. – 1980-2003. --2 audio cassettes; --3 video cassettes.**

Series contains audio visual material collected by and featuring Hugh McCullum 1980-2003.

*See Atom for more item level descriptions.*

**SERIES 7: PHOTOGRAPHS. –1939-[200-]. --111 photographs.**

Series contains photographs of Hugh McCullum's early life, journalism and ecumenical work, 1939-[200-].

See AtoM for item level descriptions of photographs.