

### FINDING AID 1029

## FONDS 1029 UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA COCHRANE PRESBYTERY

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# FONDS 1029: UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA COCHRANE PRESBYTERY FONDS. - 1925-2008. - 51 cm of textual records.

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 and an equal number of lay persons. 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.

Cochrane Presbytery was established in 1925. It was originally within the boundaries of the Toronto Conference until 1975, when it came under the newly formed Manitou Conference. In the fall of 2007, Cochrane Presbytery amalgamated with Temiskaming Presbytery to form Spirit Dancing Presbytery of Manitou Conference.

Fonds consists of presbytery minutes, 1925-2007, correspondence/subject files, 1983-2004; records relating to pastoral charges, 1972-2005, women's group records, 1982-2008; and records relating to Camp Waskesiu Corporation, 1951-1998.

#### SERIES 1: PRESBYTERY MINUTES. - 1925-2007. - 31 cm of textual records.

Series consists of minutes of the Presbytery's regular, special and Executive Committee meetings, 1925-2007.

Minutes 1925-1980 are bound originals; remaining minutes in fonds are unbound reproductions. Microfilm copy of minutes for 1925-1965, available on 1 unverified microfilm reel (positive and negative).

Acc. No.	Box/File	Reel	Title	Date
84.002C	1-1	1	Minutes	1925-1928
00020	1-2	1		1925-1935
	1-3	1		1936-1945
	1-4	1		1946-1953
	2-1	1		1953-1960
	2-2			1960-1970
	2-3			1970-1980
	2-4			1980-1989
2010.001C	1-1			1989-1995
	1-2			1996-2007

#### SERIES 2: CORRESPONDENCE/SUBJECT FILES. - 1983-2004. - 3 cm of textual records.

Series consists of Presbytery book of recognition, 1983-2004.

**2016.150C** TR-2 Book of recognition 1983-2004

#### SERIES 3: RECORDS RELATING TO PASTORAL CHARGES. - 1972-2005. - 2 cm of textual records.

Series consists of general correspondence, property records, surveys, financial and other records of pastoral charges and local congregations, including Cochrane: St. Paul's, 1986-1988, 1992, 1996; Hearst: St. Matthew's and St. Paul's Anglican United, 1987-1992; Hornepayne: Grace, 1988, 1993; Iroqouois Falls: Trinity, 1972-1975, 1987; Smooth Rock Falls, 1992; Mountjoy, 1997; Porcupine – Schumacher, 1989, 2005; and South Porcupine, 1985, 2003.

2010.001C	2-7	Cochrane: St. Paul's	1986-1988,
	2-8	Hearst: St. Matthew's and St. Paul's Anglican	1992, 1996 1987-1992
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	2-9	Hornepayne: Grace	1988, 1993
	2-10	Iroquois Falls: Trinity	1972-1975, [1987]
	2-11	Smooth Rock Falls	1992
	2-12	Mountjoy	1997
	2-13	Porcupine – Schumacher	1989, 2005
	2-14	South Porcupine	1985, 2003

#### SERIES 4: WOMEN'S GROUPS RECORDS. - 1982-2008. - 2 cm of textual records.

Series consists of minutes of Cochrane Presbyterial United Church Women, 1982-2008

**2016.150C** TR-1 United Church Women minutes 1982-2008

#### SERIES 5: RECORDS OF CAMP WASKESIU CORPORATION. - 1951-1998. - 13 cm of textual records.

Series consists of Waskeiu Review Commission report, 1972; bylaws and letters of incorporation, 1951, 1978-1979; board minutes, 1978-1998; correspondence re litigation and sale of camp, 1998-1999; and annual reports, 1978, 1980-1989, 1991-1995, 1998.

2010.001C	1-3	Waskesiu Commission Report	1972
	1-4	Bylaws and Letters of Incorporation	1951, 1978-
			1979
	1-5	Board minutes	1978-1989
	1-6		1990-1998
	2-1	Correspondence re. litigation	1998-1999
	2-2	Correspondence re. sale of camp	1998
	2-3	Camp Waskesiu Feasibility Study report	[1985-1986]
	2-4	Annual reports	1978,
			1980-1985
	2-5		1986-1989
	2-6		1991-1995,
			1998