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Finding Aid for the
Wilmington Area Places of Worship Collection, 1915-2018

Collection Overview

Title: Wilmington Area Places of Worship Collection

Dates: 1915-2018

ID: WPW

Primary Creator: Wilmington Historical Society (Calif.)

Extent: 0.86 linear feet

Arrangement: Arranged at the collection level, alphabetically by name of organization.

Forms of Material: Documents, ephemera, photographic materials

Language of materials: English

Abstract

The Wilmington Area Places of Worship Collection documents the activities, events, and history of religious institutions in Wilmington, California and surrounding areas between 1915 and 2018. The collection consists of various types of paper records and photographic material.

Scope and Contents

The Wilmington Area Places of Worship Collection documents the activities, events, and history of religious institutions in Wilmington, California and surrounding areas between 1915 and 2018. The collection consists of various types of types of paper records and photographic material, including: programs, invitations, flyers, press releases, newsletters, historical sketches, booklets, membership lists, directories, photographic prints, and negatives. Topics include: anniversaries and commemorations, social events and activities, community outreach and services, school related materials, and photographs of individual places of worship, both interior and exterior. This collection is arranged at the collection level.

Subjects/Access Terms

Creator

Organization Name:

Wilmington Historical Society (Calif.)

Subject Headings

Topical Term(s):

Churches--California--Los Angeles

Community churches

Religion and culture

Geographic Name(s):

Los Angeles County (Calif.)

Wilmington (Los Angeles, Calif.)

Documentary Forms:

Documents

Ephemera

Photographic materials

Administrative Information

Processing Information: Holli Teltoe, 2022

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Conditions Governing Access: The collection is open for research use.

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Acquisition: This collection has been acquired and assembled by the Wilmington Historical Society from a variety of sources. The sources and dates of acquisition are unknown.

Collection Contents

Box 1

Folder 1: Bethel Southern Baptist Church

Folder 2: Calvary Light Christian Center

Folder 3: Calvary Presbyterian Church, 1945-2000

Folder 4: Calvary Presbyterian Church, 1981, 1989, 1996

Folder 5: Calvary Presbyterian Church

Folder 6: Christ New Commandment Baptist Church, 1989

Folder 7: Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

Folder 8: First Assembly of God

Folder 9: First Baptist Church, 1970

Folder 10: First Christian Church, 1940, ca. 1957-ca. 1958

Folder 11: First United Methodist Church of Wilmington, 2005

Folder 12: German Methodist Church, 1939, 1970

Folder 13: Harbor Christian Center, 1986, 1992, 1996, 2018

Folder 14: Holy Family Catholic Church, 1979, 1991, 1996

Folder 15: Holy Family Catholic Church, 1984, 1988, 1990

Folder 16: St. John's Episcopal Church, 1975, 1976, 1989, 2001

Box 2

Folder 1: St. John's Mission, 1915

Folder 2: St. Peter and St. Paul Catholic Church, 1925-ca. 1985

Folder 3: St. Peter and St. Paul Catholic Church, 1982-1995

Folder 4: St. Peter and St. Paul Catholic Church, 1996-1997

Folder 5: St. Thomas Church of the Seventh Planet, 1982

Folder 6: Unidentified Churches

Folder 7: Wilmington Churches - General

Folder 8: Wilmington Presbyterian Church. ca. 1928

Map Case 6

Flat File 1: Saint John's Episcopal Church

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