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Chicago, Ill. Waveland Avenue Congregational Church records, 1876-1980. RG5222

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Summary Information

Repository:	Congregational Library & Archives
Creator:	Waveland Avenue Congregational Church (Chicago, Ill.)
Title:	Chicago, Ill. Waveland Avenue Congregational Church records, 1876-1980.
ID:	RG5222
Date [inclusive]:	1876-1980
Physical Description:	1.09 Cubic Feet (1 box)
Language of the Material:	English .
Abstract:	The church was first gathered in 1876 under the leadership of Andrew Brotherstone. In 1894, the Waveland Avenue Congregationalist Church officially joined the associated Chicago area Congregationalist churches. In 1961, the church joined the United Church of Christ. The church served its community until 1982 when it permanently closed. The collection includes board reports, financial records, and administrative records.

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Historical Note

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Scope and Contents

The Waveland Avenue Congregational Church records include board reports, meeting minutes of the prudential committee, financial records, church meeting minutes and administrative records, church calendars and scheduling information, and the church's constitution.

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Arrangement

This collection has been arranged chronologically.

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Acquisition Information

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Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

- Church records and registers.
- Church finance.
- Church history.
- Christian education of children.
- Chicago (Ill.) -- Church history.
- Waveland Avenue Congregational Church (Chicago, Ill.)

Bibliography

Taylor, Richard H. *Congregational and Plan of Union Churches in the Great Lakes States*. Vol. 5. Providence: Richard H. Taylor Publishing, 2009. [9.3.246]

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Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
Meeting minutes with Constitution, 1876-1897	box 1	folder 23
Board of trustees record book, 1898-1905	box 1	folder 22

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Church calendar, 1904-1905	box 1	folder 7
Newsletters, 1909-1975	box 1	folder 6
Finances, 1910-1922	box 1	folder 25
Prudential committee minutes, 1916-1923	box 1	folder 26
Meeting minutes, 1924-1945	box 1	folder 21
Prudential committee minutes, 1924-1930	box 1	folder 24
Clerk Reports, 1924-1929	box 1	folder 9
Alphabetized Correspondences, 1925-1931	box 1	folder 18
Annual Reports, 1937	box 1	folder 4
Memorial Gifts and donations, 1952-1968	box 1	folder 19
History of Waveland Sunday School, 1956-1959	box 1	folder 17
Schedule and Calendar Book, 1956-1977	box 1	folder 13
Board of Trustee's Minutes, 1958-1962	box 1	folder 10
Church Council meeting minutes, 1959-1964	box 1	folder 11
Confirmations, 1964-1978	box 1	folder 20
Church Council meeting minutes, 1966-1969	box 1	folder 12
Annual Reports, 1967-1971	box 1	folder 1
United Church of Christ reports, 1968-1978	box 1	folder 16
Annual Reports, 1972-1974	box 1	folder 2
Annual Reports, 1975-1978	box 1	folder 3
Centennial Celebration and Preparation, 1976	box 1	folder 8
Annual Reports, 1980	box 1	folder 5
History and Reminiscences, undated	box 1	folder 14
Fabric from Goodrich Girls' School in China, undated	box 1	folder 15