



Michigan Conference United Methodist Archives

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Southfield Magnolia United Methodist Church Records, 1945-1988

History Note:

The church began as a church school in 1941 and then became a mission outreach of Calvary Evangelical Church with the first service in January 1943 at Magnolia School. It was established as Detroit Magnolia Evangelical Church in 1944, changing to an EUB church a few years later and a UMC church in 1968. The church building was completed in 1950-1951 and the congregation remained there until the church was discontinued on 11 June 1995. The name of the church changed from Detroit to Southfield in the 1960s after that area incorporated as a city.

Scope Note:

This is a fragmentary collection, focusing on the earliest years of its existence. In addition to a history file, the collection contains church minutes and reports, Women's Society of World Service reports, and a few other thin folders. Only one folder concerns the years after the 1968 Methodist Church-EUB merger.

Extent:

0.4 linear feet (ca. 800 pages)

Access Restrictions:

The collection is open to research.

Restrictions on Use:

Photocopying is handled by the staff and may be limited in certain instances. Before using any material for publication from this collection a formal request for permission to publish is expected and required.

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Appointments List

- 1944-1946: Raymond Frederick Roe
- 1946-1952: LeRoy H. Lewis
- 1952-1958: Gerald H. Fisher
- 1958-1963: Richard C. Campbell
- 1963-1969: Gerald A. Pohly
- 1969-1972: Joseph Edward Cherryholmes
- 1972-1976: George Francis Ward
- 1976-1980: David Arthur Spieler
- 1980-1987: Kenneth B. Woodside
- 1987-1991: Marquis D. Lyles
- 1991-1995: Edward B. Rembert

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Box 1	Southfield Magnolia <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Administrative Board and Charge Conferences, 1987-1988• Evangelical United Brethren Men, 1961-1967• History File• Local Church Minutes and Reports, 1945-1956• Women's Society of World Service, 1946-1963