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Summary Information

Repository Albion College Archives and Special Collections

Title Three Rivers First Methodist Church records

Date [bulk] Bulk, 1962-1975

Date [inclusive] 1877-1985

Extent 0.25 Linear feet 1 halfsize hollinger box

Language English

Language of Materials note The material is in English.

Abstract The **Three Rivers First United Methodist Church** started out as a church class in 1833. After outgrowing a few locations, Three Rivers First United Methodist Church built a more permanent building in 1865. An addition was made to that structure in 1967. The Three Rivers First Methodist Church records contains Annual Reports, documents from the building project, church histories, clippings, and publications. The materials range from 1877-1985, with the bulk of the materials ranging from 1962-1975. The records are arranged alphabetically.

Biographical/Historical note

The **Three Rivers First United Methodist Church** was first organized in 1836. The church originally started out as a class in 1833. Within fifteen years they outgrew the house that the class was in and the schoolhouse that it had subsequently been moved to. In 1847 they made a new building which they outgrew within 20 years. In 1865 they opened a new building, which is a part of the current church. In 1966 the Three Rivers First United Methodist Church expanded its building to the current size. As of February of 2020, the church is still in operation.

Scope and Contents note

The **Three Rivers First United Methodist Church records** consists of annual reports, newspaper clippings, church histories, publications, and records on their building project. Materials date from 1877-1985. The bulk of the materials date from 1962-1975. The collection is arranged alphabetically.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Immediate Source of Acquisition note

Source of acquisition unknown.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Church
- Religion
- Three Rivers First Methodist Church

Collection Inventory

	Box	Folder
Annual Report 1965	1	1
Building Project 1966	1	2
Church Histories 1907-1978 (Bulk, 1965-1978)	1	3
Clippings 1877-1985 (Bulk, 1962-1985)		
	Box	Folder
Text	1	4
Text		Oversize Folder 1
	Box	Folder
Publications 1934-1975 (Bulk, 1965-1975)	1	5