## Location

Living Skies Regional Council works in partnership with the Provincial Archives of Saskatchewan (PAS), to ensure that our archival records are maintained and made accessible for research.

After processing, our records are stored with PAS. Many of these can be consulted in person, in the PAS Public Reading Room, at:

Provincial Archives of Saskatchewan 2440 Broad Street Regina, SK

(For directions and hours, see www.saskarchives.com/locations.)



Feel free to make copies of this brochure.

## **Contact Us**

If you are conducting research on a particular person, church or other topic relating to the United Church in Saskatchewan, the Living Skies Region Archives may be able to help direct your search.

Planning a research trip to the archives? You might contact the Region Archivist ahead of time so they can coordinate with the staff of PAS, and ensure the records are located and prepared for your visit.

For more information about how to access the archival collection, or to discuss donating or transferring your records, contact us by e-mail or mail or visit our webpage (details below).

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# About Us



The United Church of Canada was created in 1925, through the union of multiple Protestant denominations and local union churches. Later that year, Saskatchewan Conference established its archives, at St. Andrew's College (Saskatoon), to serve as the official repository for United Church records in Saskatchewan, including those from local United Church congregations. In the 1980s, the Conference moved its collection to the Provincial Archives. In Saskatchewan Conference 2019. became Living Skies Regional Council.

Our collection contains a range of records from Presbyterian, Methodist, Congregationalist and local union churches prior to 1925, as well as local, presbyterial, Conference and Regional records created by the United Church in Saskatchewan, from 1925 onwards.

## **Donating or Transferring Records**

In addition to records created by local church congregations and groups, the Region archives also collects records created by and relating to individuals and organizations associated with the United Church.

If you have items that you think may be of interest, please visit our website or contact us for further information.

# **Church Registers**

Congregations or individuals may request a search for specific information from archived church baptism, marriage or burial registers, at any time. Please **e-mail** or **mail** requests to:

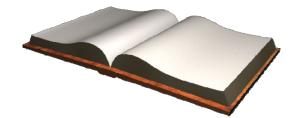
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## livingskiesarchives@united-church.ca

Registers are organized by church, event, and date, so **we cannot conduct speculative searches based on names alone**. Please be sure to include in your request: relevant name(s); location; date; your contact information; and the purpose of your research, so we can help identify what record would be most useful.

For more information, contact us or visit www.livingskiesrc.ca/resources/archives/.

<u>Note</u>: In keeping with privacy policies and legislation, any baptism, marriage and burial registers with entries from 1925 or later may be restricted and not viewable by the public.



## **Archival Collection**

The Archives contains a variety of records that may help you research a church, minister, community or other topic related to the United Church in Saskatchewan. Our holdings include:

#### Minutes

- Official Boards
- Session, Stewards, Trustees
- Congregational meetings
- Presbytery meetings
- Women's Missionary Society
- Women's Associations
- United Church Women
- Men's Groups
- Youth Groups

#### Pictures

- Churches (interior / exterior)
- Ministers and Spouses
- Groups, special events

#### **Bulletins**

Annual Reports

**Membership Rolls** 

## **Congregational Histories**

Many of these records are most effectively consulted in person.

For more information on records in the collection and how to access them, please contact us or visit our website.