

**SUTTER MEMORIAL ARCHIVES**  
**METROPOLITAN NEW YORK SYNOD, ELCA**  
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**WAGNER COLLEGE, STATEN ISLAND, N.Y.**

Record Group 1:	Pre-Synodical Period (Historic items from the Lutheran Church in the Netherlands and Hamburg, Germany, also for New Netherland)	1649 - 1786
Record Group 2:	New York Ministerium <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes: 1786-1818 (Transcribed &amp; Translated)</li> <li>• Minutes: 1807-1818 (Typed transcripts – English)</li> <li>• Report of John Moltke’s Missionary Journey, 1818-1819 (typed translation)</li> <li>• Minutes: 1819-1877 (English)</li> <li>• Minutes: 1857-1929 (German &amp; English)</li> <li>• Abstracts: 1894-1902; 1919-1929 (English)</li> <li>• Minutes Rochester Conf.: 1887-1928 (German)</li> <li>• Minutes N.J. Conf.: 1913-1927 (German; some English)</li> <li>• Minutes Long Island Conf.: 1914-1916 (German/English)</li> <li>• Minutes Albany Conf.: 1908-1928 (German/English)</li> <li>• Minutes First District Conference: 1891-1911 (German)</li> <li>• Minutes English Conf.: 1899-1902</li> <li>• Minutes District Conf. 2, 3, &amp; 4 (German/English)</li> <li>• Minutes Missionary &amp; Education Board: 1851-1890 (German)</li> <li>• Constitutions (German/English)</li> <li>• Documents &amp; Correspondence: 1770-1929</li> <li>• Der Lutherische Herold: 1896-1899</li> <li>• Der Lutherische Herold: 1900-1903</li> <li>• Der Lutherische Herold: 1872-1887</li> </ul>	1786 - 1929
Record Group 3	Hartwick Synod <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Extracts: 1830-1833;</li> <li>• Minutes: 1834-1908</li> <li>• Minutes: Handwritten Protocol 1880-1908</li> <li>• Conference Minutes</li> <li>• Documents &amp; Correxpondence: 1831-1905</li> <li>• Constitutions</li> <li>• Lutheran Magazine: Vols I-IV, Feb. 1827 – Apr. 1831</li> </ul>	1830 – 1908
Record Group 4:	Franckean Synod <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes: 1837-1908</li> <li>• Minutes Eastern Conf.: 1891-1906</li> <li>• Minutes Western Conf: 1890-1906</li> <li>• Documents &amp; Correspondence: 1837-1909</li> <li>• 71 Year History: 1929</li> <li>• Constitutions</li> </ul>	1837 – 1908
Record Group 5:	New Jersey Synod <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes: 1861-1872</li> <li>• Documents &amp; Correspondence: 1867-1871</li> <li>• Minutes Synod of NY: 1867-1871</li> <li>• Minutes Synod of NJ: 1861-1871</li> </ul>	1861 – 1872

Record Group 6:	Steimle Synod	1866 – 1872
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documents &amp; Correspondence: 1868-1911 (English)</li> <li>• Documents &amp; Correspondence: 1868-1872 (German/English)</li> <li>• Constitutions (English)</li> <li>• United Lutheran Synod of NY History (1613-1848): 1934</li> <li>• Constitutions NY &amp; NJ Synods</li> <li>• Constitution: NE Conf. of ULS of NY: 1958</li> <li>• ULS of NY History: 150<sup>th</sup> Anniv. Convention, 1936</li> <li>• Minutes Steimle Synod (English translation) <i>Also on CD</i></li> <li>• Minutes Steimle Synod: 1869-1872 (English)</li> <li>• Minutes Steimle Synod: 1866-1869 (German)</li> </ul>	
Record Group 7:	New York Synod	1867 – 1872
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes: 1867-1872 (English)</li> </ul>	
Record Group 8:	New York and New Jersey Synod	1872 – 1908
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Women’s Home &amp; Foreign Miss. Soc.: 1885-1889</li> <li>• Minutes: 1861-1907</li> </ul>	
Record Group 9:	New York and New England Synod	1902 – 1929
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes: 1899-1929</li> <li>• Committee of the English District: Minutes &amp; Correspondence; Tensions between the groups.</li> <li>• Minutes Eastern &amp; Western Conf: 1902-1928</li> <li>• Minutes Bd. of Education: 1953-1959</li> <li>• Women’s Home &amp; Foreign Missionary Society Reports: 1907, 1909-27</li> <li>• Report on Committed on Org. of Synod: 1954</li> <li>• Constitutions: 1902-1929</li> <li>• Monthly Bulletin: July 1928</li> <li>• Documents &amp; Correspondence: 1902-1929</li> <li>• Conference Correspondence: 1952-1961</li> <li>• Manhattan Study: 1960</li> <li>• WMS &amp; ULCW: 1929-1961</li> </ul>	
Record Group 10:	Synod of New York	1908 – 1929
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes, 1908 – 1929</li> <li>• Women’s Missionary Society Minutes, 1921- 1928</li> <li>• Executive Board Minutes, 1927</li> <li>• Home Mission Committee Minutes, 126 – 1932</li> <li>• History of Synod</li> <li>• Conference Minutes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hudson, 1908 – 1926</li> <li>• Western, 1909 – 1928</li> <li>• Hartwick, 1908 – 1928</li> <li>• Southern, 1908 – 1928</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Documents and Correspondence, 1912 - 1923</li> </ul>	

- Record Group 11: United Lutheran Synod of N.Y. 1929 - 1962  
(Add "and N.E." after 1952).
- Minutes, 1929 - 1962
  - Histories, Constitution
  - German Minutes, 1929 – 1933
  - News of the New York Conference, 1947 - 1962
  - File on President, 1933
  - Home Missions Committee: Minutes & Reports 1930 - 1962
  - Publications:
    - “Our United Synod” 1929 - 1952
    - “The Digest” 1953 – 1965
  - Board of Education
  - Minutes, 1932 – 1947, 1960 - 1963
  - Reports & Correspondence, 1934 - 1947
  - Committee on the Organization of the Synod, 1951 ff
  - Conference Minutes:
    - Eastern, 1929 - 1958
    - New England, 1929 - 1962
    - New York, 1929 – 1930, 1936 - 1957
    - Long Island, 1929 - 1958
    - German, 1929 - 1948
    - Western, 1929 - 1962
    - Central (includes Documents & Correspondence), 1929 - 1962
    - New Jersey, 1929 - 1950
  - Committee on Education for the Ministry: Minutes, 1929 – 1951
  - Committee on German Interests: Documents & Correspondence, 1947 ff
  - Committee on Parish Education: Minutes, 1929 - 1962
  - Women’s Missionary Society, Western Conference: Minutes, 1928 – 1961
  - Constitutions
  - Rural Work Committee, 1945 – 1952
  - Executive Committee Minutes, 1929 - 1962
- Record Group 12: United Lutheran Synod of New York 1962 – 1966
- Minutes: 1962 – 1966 *Also on DVD*
  - Committee on College & University Work: Minutes, 1963 - 1965
  - Executive Board: Minutes, 1962 - 1966
  - Various Committees: Minutes, 1962 –1966
  - “The Digest”, 1955 - 1965
  - Lutheran Church Women: Minutes, 1962 - 1966

- Record Group 13: Metropolitan New York Synod (LCA) 1966 - 1987
- Minutes, 1966 – 1987
  - Executive Board: Minutes, 1966 – 1987 (1969 – 1978 also on microfilm)
  - Committee on Camps: Minutes, 1974 – 1978
  - Distinguished Disciple Awards, 1966 – 1986
  - Task Force on Ministry with Older Persons: Report
  - Publications:
    - “The Digest”, 1966 – 1975
    - Lutheran New Yorker, 1975 – 1976
    - Metro News, 1977 – 1986
    - “The Bridge” 1969 – 1987
  - Legal Documents:
    - St. John’s, East NY vs. MNYS, 1973 – 1976
    - Church of the Holy Spirit vs. Advent Lutheran
  - Commission on Corporate Mission: Docs & Corresp.
  - Lutheran Church Women: Minutes, 1978 – 1987
  - Heckathorn Report, 1968 – 1969
  - Task Force on Peace: Minutes, 1985 – 1986
  - Task Force on Equality & Justice: Minutes, 1985
  - Congregational Life Commission: Docs & Corresp.
  - Bishop Graefe: Correspondence, 1970, 74, 78 - 1986
- Record Group 14: Transition Team 1986 - 1987
- Documents & Correxpondence, 1986 - 1987
  - Minutes, 1985 - 1987
- Record Group 15: Metropolitan New York Synod (ELCA) 1987 -
- Assembly Minutes, 1988-present
  - Bishop Lazareth: Correspondence, 1987 - 1992
  - Synod Council Minutes, 1987-present
- Record Group 16: Affiliated Agencies.
1. Luther League of NYS Minutes, 1893 - 1955
  2. Luther League of NJ Records 1898 - 1944
  3. Deutsches Haus Gravesend Beach, Minutes 1907 - 21
  4. Brooklyn Inner Mission Society Minutes 1906-19; 1936 - 65
  5. Minutes of “Concordia”, 1926 – 41
  6. Norwegian Lutheran Inner Mission /Norwegian Lutheran Welfare Association
  7. Lutheran Campus Ministry
  8. Timotheans Minutes 1938 - 84
  9. Timotheans Correspondence & Papers Presented, 1941-65
  10. ULC Extension Society of Rochester & Vicinity; Minutes & Correspondence, 1921 - 60.
  11. Lutheran Laymen’s Home Mission Committee, Minutes & Correspondence, 1951 - 70.
  12. Lutheran Action Council: Hispanic Ministries ALC/LCA Brooklyn Southwest (2 boxes)
  13. Lutheran Action Council of S. Brooklyn Minutes, 1974 - 87
  14. Planning Association of Bronx Lutheran Churches Minutes 1973 - 78
  15. Lutheran Home Missions Council of Metropolitan NY Minutes, 1931-1949
  16. NY Regional Home Missions Comm. Minutes & Correspondence, 1950-1957
  17. House of Studies, Minutes and Correspondence, 1987 - 88
  18. Brooklyn Lutheran Parish, 1967-1970 (LCA)



Special Collections crossing all record groups:

1. Biography: clergy, lay leaders
2. Congregations: history, studies of
3. Parish records of defunct congregations (see detailed listing below) or congregations that have left the Synod
4. Parish records of active congregations (placed in archives for preservation purposes - see detailed listing below).
5. Multi-Media (films, photographs, etc)
6. Lars Qualben Memorial Collection
7. Lutheran Medical Center
8. Lutheran Bible Ministries Including Lutheran Bible Institute and Luther College information.
9. Papers of Dr. Robert F. Scholz
10. General Slocum Disaster  
Telegrams; correspondence; annual observances; The Burning of the General Slocum; Ship Ablaze; newspaper clippings, etc.
11. Papers of Dr. Paul Qualben (including research on glossolalia)
12. Camp Ministry
  - A. Pinecrest

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**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS**

- I. Biography: clergy, lay leaders
  - A. Clergy
    - 1. Skarsten, Trygve R. Grandpa Remembers – The Americanization of the Skarstens from Farsund, Norway. Memoirs, pdf file on CD.
  
- II. Congregations: history, studies of
  - A. Brooklyn
    - 1. Trinity Lutheran Church, 4th Ave. & 46th St.
      - a. Trinity Through the Years, 75th Anniversary Booklet, 1890-1965
    - 2. Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, 4th Ave. at Bay Ridge Parkway
      - a. Golden Leaves, Golden Anniversary Booklet, 1957, Rev. William F. Sunday
      - b. The Silver Anniversary Book, 1931, Rev. William F. Sunday
    - 3. St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church, 334 S. 5th St.
      - a. History of St. Paul's. 1903, Pastor Hugo W. Hoffman.
      - b. Anniversary Booklets, 75th (1928), 100th (1953)
    - 4. St. Peter's First German Ev. Lutheran Church, Bedford Avenue near De Kalb Avenue
      - a. A History of First German Evangelical Lutheran St. Peter's Church, 1928
  - B. Bronx
  - C. Manhattan
    - 1. Evangelical Lutheran Church of St. Matthew's.
      - a. The Oldest Lutheran Church in America, Karl Kretzmann, 1914
    - 2. St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 79-83 Christopher St.
      - a. History of St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church, 1855-1905, Pastor John J. Young
    - 3. Gustavus Adolphus, 155 E. 22nd St.
      - a. 75th Anniversary Booklet, 1865 - 1940, Pastor Otto H. Bostrom
    - 4. Holy Trinity Slovak Lutheran Church, 332-334 E. 20<sup>th</sup> St.
      - a. Anniversary booklets, 50<sup>th</sup> (1952) and 60<sup>th</sup> (1962)
  - D. Queens
    - 1. Evangelical Lutheran Church of Christ, Rosedale.
      - a. Christ Lutheran School Yearbooks, 1970, 1975
      - b. Anniversary Yearbooks: 70th (1983), 75th (1988)
    - 2. St. James Lutheran Church of Christ, Ozone Park
      - a. The Story of St. James, Harry Julius Kreider, 1946
  - E. Staten Island
  - F. Long Island
  - G. Upper New York
    - 1. St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, White Plains.
      - a. One Hundred Years in Word and Sacrament, 1895 - 1995, Dean Myers and Marie Bahnmueller
    - 2. Christ's Lutheran Church, Woodstock
      - a. For All the Saints, 1806 - 2006, Mark. J. Anderson

3. English Ev. Lutheran Church of the Holy Trinity, Buffalo
    - a. A Short Biography of Frederick August Kahler and An Historical Sketch of the Holy Trinity Church, 1937, Frederick Henrich
  4. Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church, Amsterdam
    - a. Anniversary Booklet, 70th Anniversary (1938), Ernst H. von Hahmann
  5. Gilead Ev. Lutheran Church, Centre Brunswick, Rensselaer Co.
    - a. History of Gilead Evangelical Lutheran Church, Rev. J.N. Barnett, 1881
- H. New Jersey
1. Friesburg Emanuel's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Friesburg, NJ
    - a. History of Emanuel's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Luther S. Trostle, 1926
  2. Holy Spirit Lutheran Church, Leonia,
    - a. Rupture and Reunion, the Story of Lutherans in Leonia 1926-1973, Charles P. Lutz
  3. Bethlehem Ev. Lutheran Church, Ridgewood
    - a. Soli Deo Gloria, 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Booklet, 1912-1987
  4. Zion Ev. Lutheran Church, Oldwick
    - α. 225 Years, a history of Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, Rev. Charles O. Thompson, 1939
    - β. The Faithful and the Bold – The Story of the First Service of the Zion Ev. Lutheran Church in Oldwick, New Jersey, Norman C. Wittwer, Jr., 1984
- I. Miscellaneous
1. Frederick Ev. Lutheran Church, Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas, Virgin Islands
    - a. 150th Anniversary Booklet of the Dedication of Frederick Ev. Lutheran Church, 1793-1943 (congregation established 1666), Rev. Jens Larsen, 1945

III. Parish records of defunct congregations.

*Languages; Org.; Synod; Microfilm/CD;Box #*

**A. Bronx:**

Bernadotte, 3990 Murdock Avenue

*Swedish;1909;Augustana;;n/a;Box #2*

- Baptisms 1910-1912;1920-1923;1930-1971
- Confirmations 1911-1968
- Marriages 1911,1924,1930-1971
- Membership 1930-1965

Bronx Lutheran Church, 845 Morris Park Ave.

*Norwegian.; 1928; ??; CD;*

- Membership 1928-1977
- Baptisms 1928-1981
- Confirmations 1929-1979
- Marriages 1929-1979
- Deaths 1928-1979
- Communicants 1928-1931
- Annals (Norwegian)

Trinity Danish Lutheran Church, 1179 Hoe Ave.

*Danish.;1901; Dan.;n/a;*

- Baptisms 1903-1952
- Confirmations 1906-1951
- Marriages 1903-1949
- Deaths 1904-1950

Pilgrim, 923 Woodycrest Avenue

*Swedish/Finnish;1919;Augustana;Microfilm #11;Box #1*

- Baptisms 1919-1977
- Confirmations 1919-1976
- Marriages 1919-1975
- Burials 1919-1976
- Membership 1919-1977

Holy Comforter, 165<sup>th</sup> St. and Woodycrest Ave. (merged with Pilgrim, 1967)

*English;1912;NY;Microfilm #;Box #1*

- Baptisms 1909-1965
- Confirmations 1911-1922
- Marriages 1911-1967
- Burials 1909-1967
- Membership 1915-1977

Emmanuel, Brown Pl. at 137<sup>th</sup> St.

*English;1901;NY;Microfilm #11;Box #2*

- Baptisms 1901-1943
- Marriages 1901-1942
- Burials 1901-1942

Messiah, 870 Fairmount Pl.

*Swedish/English;1906;Augustana;n/a;Box #13*

- Membership ?? - 1972
- Baptisms 1953-1980
- Confirmations 1954-1980
- Marriages 1954-1980
- Burials 1953-1980

## **B. Brooklyn**

1. English Ev. Church of the Reformation, Barbey St. near Arlington Ave.

*English;1898;NY/NE;n/a;n/a*

*(these records are in the Silver Anniversary booklet, printed 1923. The original records have been lost)*

- Baptisms 1898-1922
- Confirmations 1898-1922
- Marriages 1898-1922
- Deaths 1898-1922
- Membership as of 1922

2. Zion Swedish Lutheran Church, 1068 59<sup>th</sup> St.

*Swedish;1897;Aug;n/a;*

- Baptisms 1911-1952
- Confirmations 1911-1952
- Marriages 1911-1951
- Deaths 1911-1952
- Membership 1911-1952

3. St. Angsgar's Danish Lutheran Church

*Danish;1895;??;n/a*

- Baptisms 1895-1902
- Confirmations 1896-1886
- Weddings 1898
- Membership 1895 (?)

4. Our Savior Danish Lutheran Church, 193-195 9<sup>th</sup> St.

*Danish;1878;Danish;n/a*

*(merged with Christ Ev. Luth., 59<sup>th</sup> St., 1957)*

- Baptisms 1878-1945
- Confirmations 1878-1943
- Marriages 1878-1949
- Deaths 1878-1938

5. St. John's Swedish-Finnish Lutheran Church, 615 51<sup>st</sup> St.

*Swedish/Finnish;1913;??;n/a*

*(merged with Zion Swedish to form Christ Ev. Luth., 59<sup>th</sup> St., 1956)*

*Swedish;1897;??;n/a*

- Baptisms 1914-1955
- Confirmations 1915-1954
- Marriages 1915-1953
- Membership 1913-1954
- Deaths 1913-1954
- Council Minutes 1913-1935

6. St. John, New Jersey Avenue near Liberty Ave., East New York

*German/English;1847;Min;Microfilm #12;Box #4*

- Baptisms 1848-1970
- Confirmations 1865-1965
- Marriages 1849-1971 (1855-1863 missing)
- Burials 1864-1972

7. Christ English Lutheran Church, 1084 Lafayette Ave.

*English;1895;N.E.;Microfilm #13;Box #5*

- Baptisms 1894-1936; 1940-1968
- Confirmations 1893-1931
- Marriages 1894-1935; 1940-1965
- Burials 1894-1936; 1940-1968

## B. Brooklyn (cont'd)

8. St. Matthew, 197 N. 5<sup>th</sup> St., Williamsburgh, Brooklyn

*German/English;1864;NY;Microfilm # 13; Box #6*

- Baptisms 1864-1970
- Confirmations 1865-1965
- Marriages 1864-1880;1939-1962; (1881-1938 missing)
- Burials 1864-1972

9. St. Paul, 392 McDonough St.

*Swedish;1889;Augustana;Microfilm #14;Box #7*

- Baptisms 1938-1972
- Confirmations 1940-1968
- Marriages 1940-1969
- Burials 1940-1968

10. Calvary, 788 Herkimer

*English;1898;NY;Microfilm #14; Box #7*

- Baptisms 1898-1940
- Marriages 1898-1940
- Burials 1899-1940
- Membership 1898-1940

11. Resurrection

*English;1900;??.;Microfilm #14; Box #7*

- Baptisms 1901-1910
- Marriages 1901-1910
- Burials 1900-1910

12. Redeemer, 991 Eastern Parkway

*English;1912;NY;Microfilm #14; Box #7*

- Baptisms 1912-1929
- Marriages 1912-1929
- Burials 1912-1930

13. Zion, Bedford Ave.

*German;1887;Min;Microfilm #14;Box #7*

- Baptisms 1886-1976
- Confirmations 1887-1975
- Marriages 1891-1976
- Burials 1891-1976
- Membership 1886-1967

14. St. Paul, 619 Henry St.

*German;1872;Minnesota;Microfilm #14; Box #9*

- Baptisms 1865-1946
- Marriages 1867-1947
- Burials 1872-1947

15. Incarnation, 411 46<sup>th</sup> St.

*English;1901;N.E.;n/a; Box # 15,16*

- Pastors 1902-1996
- Council 1902-1993
- Membership 1902-1996
- Communion 1902-1999
- Baptisms 1902-1996
- Confirmations 1902-1991
- Marriages 1902-1994
- Burials 1902-1999

## B. Brooklyn (cont'd)

### 16. Mediator, Bay Pkwy at 68<sup>th</sup>

*English;1912;N.E.;n/a;Box # 14*

- Pastors 1911-1921
- Council 1917-1921
- Membership 1911-1922
- Baptisms 1912-1920
- Confirmations 1913-1922
- Marriages 1911-1920
- Burials 1911-1920

### 17. Holy Trinity, Jefferson Ave. (merged with Grace to form Prince of Peace)

*English;1914;NY;n/a;Box # 14*

Membership 1914-1952

### 18. St. Mark, 26 E. 5<sup>th</sup> St.

*English/German;1908;Min.;n/a;Box #14*

- Pastors 1909-1987 (includes a history)
- Baptisms 1909-1986
- Confirmations 1909-1969
- Marriages 1909-1972
- Burials 1909-1993

### 19. Church of the Cross, Carroll Gardens.

*This church was never officially incorporated in the ALC or LCA*

- Misc. Documents & Correspondence, 1984 - 1989

### 20. St. Peter's First German Ev. Lutheran Church, 1004 Bedford Avenue

*German;1864;Min.;n/a*

- Baptisms 1880 - 1920
- Confirmations 1880 - 1920
- Communion 1880 - 1920
- Marriages 1880 - 1920
- Burials 1880 - 1920

## C. Manhattan

### 1. Bethanian, 87 Attorney St.

*German;1882;NY;Microfilm # 15;Box #11*

- Baptisms 1882-1887
- Marriages 1882-1883
- Burials 1882-1887

### 2. Lutheran Emigrantenhauses, 16 State Street

*German;1873;;n/a;Box #13*

- Baptisms 1874-1938
- Marriages 1874-1937
- Burials 1874-1932
- Communion 1876-1894

### 3. Our Savior Hungarian, 339 E. 84<sup>th</sup> St.

*Hungarian;1954;NY;Microfilm # ??;Box #10*

- Baptisms 1958-1970
- Marriages 1957-1968
- Burials 1954-1966

4. St. Paul, 461 166<sup>th</sup> St.  
*English;1942;??:n/a;Box #14*
- Baptisms 1944-1993
  - Marriages 1942-1989
  - Burials 1945-1991
  - Correspondence, Miscellaneous Papers

#### D. Queens

1. St. Andrew, Richmond Hill (So. Ozone Park)  
*English;1915;NY;Microfilm #11;Box #3*
- Baptisms 1915-1973
  - Confirmations 1939-1971
  - Marriages 1915-1973
  - Burials 1915-1973
  - Membership 1915-1972
2. Good Shepherd, So. Ozone Park  
*English;1911;NY;Microfilm #11;Box #3*
- Baptisms 1911-1973
  - Marriages 1911-1973
  - Burials 1911-1972
  - Membership 1911-1972
3. Incarnation, 150-14 117<sup>th</sup> Ave., Jamaica  
*English;1924;NY;Microfilm #??:Box # 8*
- Baptisms 1925-1973
  - Pastors 1925-1967
  - Confirmations 1925-1972
  - Marriages 1925-1973
  - Burials 1925-1972
  - Membership 1925-1972
4. St. Mark, 88-28 163<sup>rd</sup> St., Jamaica  
*German/English;1909;NY;Microfilm #??:Box # 8*
- Baptisms 1908-1965
  - Marriages 1909-1965
  - Burials 1909-1965
5. St.. Pauls Ev. Lutheran Church, 89-19 114<sup>th</sup> St. , Richmond Hill  
*German;1902;Mo;n/a/*
- Baptisms 1908-1965
  - Marriages 1909-1965
  - Burials 1909-1965
  - Misc. Photographs
6. St. Thomas, Jamaica  
*English;1927;NY;Microfilm #??:Box #8*
- Baptisms 1927-1973
  - Confirmations 1928-1973
  - Marriages 1928-1973
  - Burials 1929-1971
  - Membership 1927-1972
  - Pastors 1928-1970
  - Church Council 1928-1975
  - Newsletters 1956-1960
  - Minutes 1956-1959

## **D. Queens (cont'd)**

### 7. Holy Comforter, So. Ozone Park

*English;1923;NY;Microfilm #??.;Box #10*

- Baptisms 1927-1943
- Marriages 1927-1943
- Burials 1927-1943
- Pastors 1923-1938

### 8. Bethany, Springfield Gardens

*English;1922;NY;n/a;Box # 14*

- Pastors 1923-1981
- Membership 1922-1977
- Baptisms 1948-1980
- Marriages 1948-1980
- Burials 1948-1981

### 9. Good Shepherd, Bayside

*English;1927;ULSNY;n/a;*

- Anniversary Booklets, 1937, 1942, 1967
- Shepherd's Staff (Newsletter), 1963 – 1990's
- Annual Reports, 1973 – 1981
- Council Minutes, 1928 – 1943, 1947 – 1958, 1967 – 1969; 1980 - 1999
- Council Reports, 1959 – 1966
- LCW Minutes, 1976 – 1996
- Church Directory, 1966 – 1998
- Worship Bulletins, 1994 - 1999

## **E. Staten Island**

### 1. Atonement, 3065 Hylan Blvd.

*English;1961;ULSNY;n/a;n/a*

- Council Minutes, 1961 – 2004
- Annual Reports, 1966 – 2003
- Documents & Correspondence, 1961 – 1999
- Newsletters, 1961-62,79-86, 88 – 2004
- Insurance Policies
- Historical Info.
- Bulletins, 1979 – 2004
- Call Process Papers, 1966 – 1999
- Photographs & Slides
- Church building blueprints

## F. Long Island

### 1. Hicksville, L.I.

*German;??;??;Microfilm #15;Box #11*

- Baptisms 1862 (1 entry); 1887-1895

### 2. All Saints, Brookville, Nassau (AELC)

*English;1961;LCMS;n/a;Box #14*

- Baptisms 1961-1985
- Confirmations 1961-1986
- Marriages 1962-1986
- Burials 1961-1986

### 3. Redeemer, Hicksville, L.I.

*English;1958;ULCA;n/a;n/a*

Records, 1958 – 2004. See Accession Record for 2004 for complete listing

### 4. St. Luke's, Bay Shore, Suffolk County

*Left MNYS in 2005 to join Fellowship of Confessing Lutheran Churches*

Anniversary Yearbooks, 1985 & 1975

Misc. Documents & Correspondence

## G. Upper New York

### 1. St. Paul's, Schoharie, Schoharie County

*German/English;17??;NY;n/a;CD (3)*

- Records of St. Paul's, 1740s to 1919.
- Records of Federated Church, 1919-1931
- Records of Community Church, 1920-1960
- (See Accession Record M03-01 for 2003 for complete listing)

### 2. St. Mark, Huntington, Suffolk County

*English;1965;NY;Microfilm #??;Box #10*

- Baptisms 1965-1972
- Confirmations 1966-1972
- Marriages 1967-1972
- Burials 1965-1972
- Membership 1966-1972

### 3. St. Matthew, Utica, New York

*German;1892;NY;Microfilm #??;Box #10*

- Baptisms 1893-1920
- Confirmations 1893-1915
- Marriages 1893-1917
- Burials 1893-1919
- Membership 1893-1919

### 4. Evangelical Lutheran, South Worcester, New York

*English;1832;??;Microfilm #??;Box #10*

- Baptisms 1861-1890; 1 entry 1944
- Burials 1853-1922

### 5. Bethlehem, Rochester, New York

*German;??;Microfilm #??; Box #10*

- Baptisms 1895-1961
- Marriages 1896-1961
- Burials 1904-1962
- Membership 1903

6. Trinity, Coeymans (Ravena), New York

*German;1894;NY;Microfilm #??;Box #10*

- Baptisms 1893-1934
- Confirmations 1913-1934
- Marriages 1894-1928
- Burials 1895-1928
- Pastors 1893-1934

7. St. Paul, Sharon Springs, New York

*English;1887;??;Microfilm # 15; Box #11*

- Baptisms 1887-1900; 1906-1917
- Marriages 1897, 1909-1912
- Burials 1909-1911

8. St. Matthew, Breakabeen, Fulton County, New York

*English;1843;??;Microfilm # 15; Box #11*

- Baptisms 1863-1897; 1900, 1902
- Marriages 1869-1900
- Membership 1863-1902

9. St. Trinitatis, Hawkinsville, New York (includes St. John, Boonville, NY)

*German;1851;??;Microfilm #15; Box #11*

- Baptisms 1859-1894
- Confirmations 1860-1885
- Marriages 1859-1887
- Burials 1859-1893

NOTE: These records are indexed.

10. St. Matthew, West Amsterdam, Montgomery County, New York

*English;1836;Hartwick;Microfilm #15;Box #11*

- Baptisms 1863-1898
- Marriages 1863-1904
- Burials 1863-1896
- Transcribed Records, 1863-1939

11. Union Church of Zion, Knox, New York

*English;1830;??;Microfilm #15;Box #11*

- Baptisms 1830-1883
- Marriages 1865-1896

12. Zion, Maryland, New York

*English;??;??;Microfilm #15; Box #11*

- Baptisms 1869-1894
- Marriages 1868-1898, 1907, 1908
- Burials 1869-1897
- Membership 1868-1892

13. Church of the Reformation, Lawyerville, New York

*English;1848;??;Microfilm #;Box #11*

- Baptisms 1891-1904
- Marriages 1891-1913
- Burials 1892-1918
- Membership ? - 1905

14. Mannheim Lutheran, Mannheim, New York

*German/English;17??;??;Microfilm #??;Box #11*

- Baptisms 1876-1919 (incomplete); 1937-1940
- Marriages 1876-1922; 1935-1940
- Burials 1876-1911; 1937-1940
- Membership 1870-1922

15. Hebron, Wallkill, Orange Co., New York  
*German;1757;n/a;n/a;Box #13*

Transcribed records

- Baptisms 1764-1783

16. Triumphant Cross, 485 Bedford Rd., Armonk, New York  
*English;1968;MNYS;n/a;Box #13*

- Pastors 1968-1980
- Membership 1968-1980
- Baptisms 1967-1980
- Marriages 1968-1980
- Burials 1968-1980

17. St. Marks, 2170 Saw Mill River Road, Elmsford, New York  
*English;1955;MNYS;n/a;Box #14*

- Membership 1955-1987
- Baptisms 1955-1985
- Marriages 1955-1987
- Burials 1956-1985
- Council 1955-1984
- Pastors 1954-1987

18. Redeemer, 117 Elliot Ave., Yonkers, New York  
*English;1902;??.n/a;Box #12*

- Pastors 1902-1982
- Membership 1902-1982
- Baptisms 1902-1979
- Marriages 1902-1980
- Burials 1902-1984

## H. New Jersey

1. St. John, Patterson, New Jersey  
*German;1899;??.Microfilm # ??;Box #10*

- Baptisms 1899-1933

2. Rembachische Evangelical, Ramapo, NJ (AKA Island Church, Mahwah)  
*German;1750;??.Microfilm #;Box # 11*

- Baptisms 1750-1817 (Original document, plus 1891 translation)

3. Christ the King, Wading River, NJ  
*English;1968;MNYS;Microfilm #??. Box #11*

- Baptisms 1968-1969
- Burials 1970
- Charter 1968
- Council 1968
- Membership 1968

4. St. John, Carlstadt, NJ  
*German;1896;??.Microfilm #15; Box #11*

- Baptisms 1896-1899

5. Hicksville, L.I. & St. John, NJ  
*??.??.??.Microfilm #15; Box #11*

- Burials 1887-1899

### Special Collections (cont'd)

- IV. Parish records of active congregations.
1. German Evangelical Lutheran Church of Stapleton, Staten Island, NY. (Originals and CD)
  2. St. Luke's Old Williams Lutheran Church, Hellertown, PA. Three volumes, 1740, 1772, 1831. (CD only)
  3. Christ Ev. Luth. Church (now Christ Chinese), 1070 59<sup>th</sup> St., Brooklyn, NY
    - Council Minutes 1955-59, 1982-91 (except 1986)
    - Parish Records 1988, 1989
    - Misc. Historical Documents
  4. St. Jacobus, Queens
    - Parish Register
      - Vol II: Baptisms, May 3, 1891 – Dec. 27, 1910
      - Confirmations, Apr. 10, 1892 – May 15, 1910
      - Marriages, May 10, 1891 – Dec 3, 1910
      - Communion, 1891 - 1908
      - Burials, 1891 – 1910
      - (this volume has some severe water and parasite damage)
      - Vol. III: Marriages, May 11, 1918 – April 4, 1925
      - Baptisms, 1911 – 1928
      - Confirmations, 1911 – 1923
      - Marriages, 1911 – May 11, 1918
      - Communion, 1911 – 1922
      - Burials, 1911 – 1923
      - Vol. IV: Baptisms, 1928-1934
      - Confirmations, 1924 – 1933
      - Burials, Dec. 1, 1923 – Dec. 31, 1934
    - Pastor F.E. Tilly's Scrapbook, 1891 – 1920 (includes newspaper clippings about the murder of Amelia Staffeldt, May 1907), and misc photographs.
    - 9 lithographic plates; seem to be photos of the pastor and congregation.
  5. Zion Lutheran, 6307 4<sup>th</sup> Ave., Brooklyn
    - "Out Of Zion" newsletter, 1997 – 2008, ed. by Liv Hauge.
  6. Christ Lutheran, 409 E. 19<sup>th</sup> Street, Manhattan (now located at the Seafarers' and International House).
    - Transcribed, Typewritten Parish Registers (these have been witten to DVD)
      - Vol. I: Baptisms, Feb. 4, 1872 – Sep. 28, 1879
      - Marriages, Oct. 5, 1876 – Sep. 28, 1879
      - Burials, Oct. 13, 1876 – Sep. 28, 1879
      - Vol. II: Baptisms, Oct. 25, 1868 – Dec. 31, 1871
      - Marriages, Nov. 7, 1868 – Sep. 28, 1873
      - Burials, Oct. 8, 1868 – Sep. 28, 1873
      - Vol. III: Baptisms, Jan. 1, 1883 – Sep. 15, 1887
      - Marriages, Jan. 2, 1883 – Dec. 31, 1887
      - Burials, Dec. 30, 1882 – Feb. 11, 1946
      - Confirmations: 1889 – 1943 (Incomplete)
      - Vol. IV: Baptisms, Oct. 1, 1879 – Dec. 25, 1882
      - Marriages, Oct. 2, 1879 – Dec. 31, 1882
      - Burials, Jan. 7, 1881 – Dec. 25, 1882
      - Vol. V: Baptisms, Jan. 1, 1888 – Nov. 10, 1918
      - Vol. VI: Baptisms, Oct. 25, 1868 – May 12, 1901
      - (Ttranscribed from a handwritten list apparently copied from parish

registers. For the most part this list duplicates baptisms found in the other volumes)

7. St John-St. Matthew-Emmanuel, 283 Prospect Ave., Brooklyn
  - Income/Expenses, 1885-1908
  - Income/Expenses, 1868-1893
  - Choir Book, 1908-1925
  - Ladies Aid Society Minutes, 1946-1960
  - Inner Mission Society Minutes, 1925-1935
  - St. J.M.E. Church Council Minutes, 9/12/77 – 12/14/82
  - St. John's Church Council Minutes, Jan. 1938 – Sept. 1943
  - Names/Contribution List, 1884-1902
  - Names/Contribution List, 1919-1941
  - Protokoll, 1868-1892
  - Luther League Minutes, 1905-1910
  - Sr. Luther League Minutes, 1942-1957
  - Young People's Society Minutes, 1921-1933
  - St. John's Relief Society; Constitution and Minutes, 1905-1910
  - Misc. Documents and Correspondence
  
8. Zion/St. Mark's, 334 E. 84<sup>th</sup> St., Manhattan
  - Misc. Documents and Correspondence, 1988 - 1998
  - Newspaper Clippings, 1990s
  - Special Event Flyers
  - Ladies Aid Songbook, Deutsche Volkslieder
  - Church Directory, 1986
  - Three Brief Histories of Zion/St. Mark's
  - Constitutions and By-Laws
  - Photos
  - Minutes
    - Abstract of the Kirchenrates, July 12, 1910 – March 11, 1929. German; transcribed by Ruth Jolowicz, 1991.
    - Highlights From the Zion Council Minutes, 1911 – 1948. English, transcribed from the German script by Ruth Jolowicz, translated by Marianne Bahmann.
    - Minutes of Special Meetings:
      - July 31, 1934
      - August 23rd, 1934
      - August 31, 1934
      - Sept. 21, 1945
      - January 20, 1946
      - Partial Minutes of Council Meetings, 1987 – 1998
  
9. St. Mark's, Ridge, NY. Merged with Hope Lutheran Church, Selden, NY.
  - Congregation Meetings, Oct. 1950 – Jan. 1993, 1999 - 2003
  - Photo Albums
  - Parochial Reports, Annual Reports 1991 – 2003
  - Historical Records
  - Council Minutes, Jan. 1952 – 1990, 1999 - 2003

10. First German Ev. Luth. Church, Newark, NJ (Now St. John's)

*German; 1833; NYM; n/a; Box #2*

- Baptisms 1889-1923
- Marriages 1889-1923
- Burials 1889-1923

11. St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church, West Camp, Ulster Col, NY

- Parish Register, 1708 - 1840 (booklet)

12. Christ Lutheran Church, Ozone Park, NY

- Protokoll Buch, Dec. 1880 – Nov. 1898 (with translation)
- Parish Register Vol I:
  - Baptisms: 1881 – May 1913
  - Confirmations: 1882 – 1913
  - Communion: 1882 – 1913
  - Marriages: 1882 – 1913
  - Deaths: 1882 - 1913
  - Membership: 1882 - 1913
- Parish Register Vol II
  - Baptisms: 1913 - 1929
  - Confirmations: 1914 - 1928
  - Communion: 1913 - 1929
  - Marriages: 1913 - 1929
  - Deaths: 1910 - 1929
- Parish Register Vol III
  - Baptisms: 1929 - 1950
  - Confirmations: 1930 - 1950
  - Communion: 1929 - 1951
  - Marriages: 1929 - 1950
  - Deaths: 1929 – 1950
- Bulletin, April 17, 1955: Dedication of Parish Center
- Parish Center Dedication Book
- Centennial Celebration Book, 1981
- “Chimes”, Special 70th Anniversary Issue, Nov. 1950
- 105th Anniversary Booklet, 1985
- 60th Anniversary Booklet, 1940

13. Church of the Reformation, Rochester, NY

- 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Booklet, 1968
- 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Booklet, 1943
- Confirmation Photos, 1946 – 1958
- Sunday Bulletins, 1946 - 1958

V. Multi-Media

1. Slide-show, “The Story of Our Synod”, by the Rev. David G. Jaxheimer, D.D. 1952
2. Cathedral of St. John the Divine, Oct. 31, 1987, 2:00pm. 2 7.5 IPS tape reels. CD.
3. Oral History of ELC/ALC in Metro NY. Walter Jensen & Paul Qualben. 4 cassette tapes,

recorded 1998, 1999. Digitized & transcribed 10-11/2004

4. Oral History – Interview with Rudolph Ressmeyer. Digitized & transcribed 10-11/2004.
5. Film: Lutheran Girls Camp (Camp Ma-He-Tu), 1939 (?); black & white, silent, 11 minutes. Includes winter scenes at camp, exterior of Lutheran Church House in Manhattan (Park & 35<sup>th</sup> St.), shots of the directors.
6. Film: Lutheran Girls Camp (Camp Ma-He-Tu), 1941; 16mm, color, silent.
7. Film: Lutheran Girls Camp of the United Lutheran Synod of New York (Camp Ma-He-Tu), 1941; 16mm, color, silent.
8. Film: Silver Bay, 1932-38; 16mm, black & white, silent. 13 minutes. [Also on DVD]
9. Film: Silver Bay, 1939-41; 16mm, color, silent. 10 minutes. [Also on DVD]
10. Film: Silver Bay, 1948; 16mm, color, silent. 10 minutes. [Also on DVD]
11. “To Tanzania with Love”, with Erin and Tim Bouman, 2005; DVD

VI. Lars Qualben Memorial Collection

1. Epiphany Devotional from the Metro NY Synod ELCA
2. Synod Web Page Materials
3. Go Public: Online Journal for Public Theology; 2003 –
4. The Cross at Ground Zero: Lutheran Reflections and sermons in response to 9/11. H. Gaylon Barker, ed.
5. Sermons and Liturgies from various congregations
6. Lutheran Disaster Relief New York Newsletters
7. Grace All Around Us, Stephen Paul Bouman, 2007

VII. Lutheran Medical Center

1. Sister Elisabeth Fedde – Diaries, Memoirs, etc. (originals and on CD)
2. Biographies of Other Sisters
3. Photographs
4. Nursing School
  - a. Alumnae Files
  - b. Yearbooks (The Log); 1929-1965
  - c. Nurses’ Alumnae Minutes, 1898-1961
  - d. Sewing Society Minutes, 1962-1975
  - e. Basic & Advanced Nursing Arts Procedures, 1950

NOTE: These records have all been de-accessed to the ELCA National Archives in Elk Grove, IL, as of 3/2007.

VIII. Microfilm

1. MNYS-Specific Microfilms
  - Roll #1 R.G. 13: Ex. Board Minutes 1969 – 73 (missing)
  - Roll # 2: R.G. 13: Ex. Board Minutes 1973 – 1978
  - Roll #3: R.G. 5: 1861 - 1872
    - R.G. 6: 1866 – 1869 (German)
    - R.G. 6: 1869 – 1872 (Eng. translation)
    - R.G. 7: 1867 – 1872
    - R.G. 8: 1872 - 1891
  - Roll #4: Record Groups 8-9, 1892 – 1922 (missing)
  - Roll #5: R.G. 9: 1923 – 1929
    - R.G. 10: 1902 - 1929
  - Roll #6: R.G. 10: 1924 – 1929
    - R.G. 11: 1929 - 1937
  - Roll #7: R.G. 11: 1938 – 1947
  - Roll #8: R.G. 11: 1948 – 1955
  - Roll #9: R.G. 11: 1956 – 1962 (2 copies)
  - Roll #10: R.G. 12: 1962 – 1966 (2 copies)
  - Roll #11: Pastoral Acts (2 copies)

- Pilgrim, Bronx
  - Holy Comforter, Bronx
  - Emmanuel, Bronx
  - Bernadotte, Bronx
  - St. Andrew, Queens
  - Good Shepherd, Queens
  - Roll #12: Pastoral Acts
    - St. John, East NY, Brooklyn
  - Roll #13: Pastoral Acts
    - Christ English Lutheran Church, 1084 Lafayette Ave, Brooklyn
    - St. Matthew, 197 N. 5<sup>th</sup> St., Williamsburgh, Brooklyn
  - Roll #14: Pastoral Acts
    - St. Paul, 392 McDonough St, Brooklyn
    - Resurrection, Brooklyn
    - Calvary, 788 Herkimer, Brooklyn
    - Zion, Bedford Ave., Brooklyn
  - Roll #15: Pastoral Acts
    - Bethanian, 87 Attorney St., Manhattan
    - Hicksville, L.I.
    - St. Matthew, Breakabeen, Fulton County, New York
    - Union Church of Zion, Knox, New York
    - St. Paul, Sharon Springs, New York
    - St. Trinitatis, Hawkinsville, New York (includes St. John, Boonville, NY)
    - St. Matthew, West Amsterdam, Montgomery County, New York
2. From R. Scholz Papers
- Massachusetts Archives Vol. 10, Vol. 11 (to p. 248)
  - Records, Bradford Ministerial Assoc., 1719-1773; Andover Ministerial Assoc. 1797-1875.
  - M.C. Foster, Hampshire City, MA 1729-1754 (Dissertation, U. Michl, 1967)
  - Correspondence of John Cotton
3. Other Microfilms
- Documents of St. Paul's, Rhinebeck (Early Deeds, Church buildings, Pastors, misc. records, church organizations, 1758 - )
  - Corpus of American Lutheranism, Roll 1: Books, etc. 1704-1801
  - Corpus of American Lutheranism, Roll 2: Lutheran Intelligencer, Vols. 1-5, 1826-1831
  - Corpus of American Lutheranism, Roll 3: Lutheran Magazine Vols. 1-4; Lutheran Pulpit Vols. 1-2
  - Documentary History of the Ministerium of Pennsylvania 1748-1821, Roll 15.
  - Printed Synodical Reports of the Ministerium of Pennsylvania (in German), 1817-1854; Roll 16
  - Printed Synodical Reports of the Ministerium of Pennsylvania (in English), 1828-1855; Roll 17
  - Transcript Ms. Protocol New York Ministerium: In German 1786-1806; In English 1807-1818; Translation 1786-1806; Roll 18.
  - Printed Synodical Reports of the NY Ministerium; In English, 1819-1850 (one year, 1843, in German also); Roll 19
  - Stokes Iconography of New York City, Vols. 1-3
  - Stokes Iconography of New York City, Vols. 4-6
  - Protocol of the Hamburg (Trinity) Lutheran Church of London, 1722
  - Kirchen-Geschichte der Deutschen Gemeinden in London, D. Johann Gottlieb Burckhardt, 1798. Carolina und Pennsylvania, 1711

- Protocol of the Hamburg Lutheran Church, Trinity Lane, London, 1722-1760 (2 copies)

IX. Wagner College

X. General Slocum