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MSS #115

NEW HAVEN AND AREA CHURCH RECORDS,
1720-1981

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VII. Biographical note: This collection consists of miscellaneous material from various New Haven and area churches. Because the churches represented are so numerous the researcher is directed to the card catalog for sources within the Whitney Library for more historical background, which often includes name changes. Where no other information is available the City Directories should be consulted for the years concerned. They have always contained a listing of churches, pastors, and sometimes church officers (for New Haven).

Collection was revised in 1989 in order to incorporate the many additions acquired in nine years. The original collection had contained almost two boxes of Trinity Church on the Green material. An additional two boxes of documents pertaining to Trinity Church had recently been received, so it was decided to remove all the Trinity Church material from this collection, and a new manuscript collection was created - #B35, New Haven. Trinity Church on the Green Records.

Analysis:

VIII. Collection consists of three boxes and two oversize items. It includes many ms booklets of sermons that have been sewn together by hand, without covers. Arrangement is alphabetical within the following series: Series I: Churches, listed by location: Box 1, 2, 3 A-J Series II: Sabbath Schools Box 3: K-O Series III: Individuals (where church affiliation is unknown) Box 3: P-U

Attention is called especially to the "thumb papers" of Rev. Timothy Edwards (1669-1758) written in 1736 (Box 1: C) (Cont.)
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Analysis (continued)

The following material was removed from original collection and transferred as indicated:

1. A history of Center Church Sabbath School 1821-1938 prepared by Almeda C. Vickery: has been cataloged and placed on shelves of the Whitney Library.

2. Records of the First Church in New Haven 1639-1806: has been cataloged and placed on shelves of the Whitney Library.

3. Mss copies of sermons of Jonathan Edwards (1745-1801) preached 1774-1794 when he was pastor of White Haven Society (later named United Church): have been transferred to MSS #9 New Haven United Church on the Green Records.

4. Photograph of Trustees of Center Church Home: has been transferred to MSS #B84 New Haven Center Church Home Records.
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<td>1764</td>
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<td>1774 (Soc.)</td>
<td>(X 1776 or 1805 in 12)</td>
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Se 33. New Haven, C of C in White Haven (Tolerated Ch.; Soc. same bounds as # 41; nl. 1865)
34. New Haven, C of C in Yale University (Battell Chap.; f. in Yale College; no Soc. as property held by school; poss. Separate: 66 1/2, 1819-1834, 1, thrice 1822-1824; undenominational 1907-1948)

Da 35. New Haven, Danish Evan. Free Cong. (Our Saviour's; Dan-Norwegian in 45; 1970 moved to Woodbridge as Trinity)
36. New Haven, Davenport Cong. (nl. 1819-1907, 1948-on)


40. New Haven, Ferry St. Cong.
41. New Haven, First C of C (Center Ch.; f. of Quinnipiac to 1640)
41. First C of C (Center Ch.; merger of # 36 & # 41)
42. New Haven, First C of C (Center Ch.; merger of # 36 & # 41)
43. New Haven, First C of C (Center Ch.; merger of # 36 & # 41)

M1. First C of C (Center Ch.; merger of # 43 & # 46)
M2. First C of C (Center Ch.; merger of # 43 & # 46)

bB 44. New Haven, First Cong. of Fair Haven (f. Grand Ave. Cong.; became predominantly Black by 1985)
Gr Note: New Haven, German Mission (not a ch., mission only, cited only in 20)
45. New Haven, Howard Ave. Cong. (f. West St.; nl. 1845)
46. New Haven, Humphrey St. Cong. (f. East)

It 47. New Haven, Italian Cong. (nl. 1845)
48. New Haven, North C of C, United Soc. (merger of # 32 & # 33; Soc. same bounds as # 41; see also North Haven note)
49. New Haven, Pilgrim Cong. (f. Second of Fair Haven, f. of East Haven to 1881)

1742
1759 (Soc.)
1757
1758 (12)
1865 (sic) 1865
1796 merged to # 32 to form # 48
1819-1907, UCC
1948-on

1890
1897 (45)
1862
1861 (s. 22)
1829
1820 (pr.; 01)
1839
1837 (s. 01)
1887
1888 (ncl., 01, 22)
1887
1878 (S. S.)
1639
1638 (pr.)
1910 M
1910 M
1919 M
1919 M
1931 M
1970 M
1970-on
1830
1830-on
1851
nl.
1865
1869
1867 (45)
1903
1903-1921
X
merged to # 54 to form # 55
UCC
A

B

CONNECTICUT - NEW HAVEN COUNTY - continued

50. New Haven, Plymouth Cong.(f.College St.,f.Church St.,f.
    Free Missionary)
    Edgewood Cong.(merger of # 38 & # 50)

51. New Haven, Ch.of Redeemer Cong.UCC (f.Chapel St.;f.incor.
    College St. in 22)
52. New Haven, South Cong.(nl.45;became South (Dutch)Ref. (1868-1873) &
    Pres.(1.75 1872-1874),X 1875)

54. New Haven, Third Ch.

55. New Haven, United Ch.on the Green(merger of # 48 & # 54)
56. New Haven, Westville Cong.(f.West;lt.1841-1842)
57. New Haven, Wooster Pl.Cong.(nl.12,45)

Note: New Haven: 10 suggests another ch. here 1760, otherwise unknown

NE

58. North Branford, Enrolled Ch.of Northford (f.of Branford to
    1831;nl.12;see also note under North Haven)
59. North Branford, First Ch.of Northford (f.Salem of Branford
    to 1831)

60. North Branford, North Branford Cong.UCC (f.Second North
    Farms of Branford to 1831;lt.by 45 as Libbie's Hill Ch.
    (actually Sibbie's Hill) which was a second mtg.spot of
    # 6 (1717) bf.org here)

61. North Branford, Northford Cong.(merger of # 58 & # 59, join
    UCC 1962)
62. North Haven, North Haven Cong.(f.North or Northeast of New
    Haven to 1786)

Se Note: North Haven: a ch.is m. here by Strict Conv.1804 not otherwise known; we suspect either # 48 or # 58

63. Orange, Orange Cong.(f.Second to 1921;f.North of Milford to
    1822)

64. Oxford, UCC Cong.(f.of Derby etc.,to 1798; claims 1745 old
    calendar date)

65. Prospect, Cong.of Columbia Soc.(West of Cheshire etc., to
    1827;X bf.town name changed; same as # 67 in 87)
66. Prospect, Cong.(Columbia of Cheshire etc.,to 1827; merger of
    # 65 & # 67)

C

D

1831
1896((sic)s,22)
1949 M
1840-1847, 1848-on
1855-1863
1871-1918
1828-1884
1884-on
1832-1870
nl.
1833 merged to # 59 to
form # 61
1819-1833
merged to # 58 to
form # 61
1833-on
1833 M
1819-on
1750
1745(Soc.)
1730(s,01,22)
1727(s,01,22)
1725(Soc.)
1724(s,01,12,
    13,20,s,45)
1768(Soc.,(sic)
    87)
1717(s,45)
1833-on
1819-on
1718
1716(Soc.)
1719(s,01)
1805
1804(Soc.)
1746+
1741(Soc.)
1798
1797(Soc.)

E

merged to # 39 to
form M.
1949-1970
UCC; merged to # 43
(q.v.)
UCC
expelled 1864,
see text
1919 merged to # 42
to form # 43
merged to # 48 to
form # 55
UCC
UCC; X
X 1857
nl.
1833 merged to # 59
to form # 61
1819-1833
merged to # 58 to
form # 61
1961, UCC
late 1961-on
1819-1837,
UCC
1839-on
UCC
nl.
c.1800 merged to
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1819-1855,
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|        | Hamden. Whitneyville Congregational Church
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|        | MSS sermons 1794-1817                                                       |              |
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|        | Jonathan Maltby (1759-1850) n.d.                                            |              |
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New Haven. First Congregational Church in Fair Haven (United Church of Christ) Inc.

(Folders F - M)

Organized in 1830 as the Fair Haven First Church of Christ, the church changed its name to Grand Avenue Congregational Church in 1890. In 1980 the name changed again, to The First Congregational Church in Fair Haven (United Church of Christ) inc.

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