

Smithton United Methodist Church (Smithton, Mo.) Records (C3704)

Collection Number: C3704

Collection Title: Smithton United Methodist Church (Smithton, Mo.) Records

Dates: 1865-1954

Creator: Smithton United Methodist Church (Smithton, Mo.)

Abstract: The records of the Smithton United Methodist Church contain church membership records and minutes for the Ladies Aid Society, the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, and the Woman's Society of Christian Service, of the English and German churches which united in 1924 to form the Smithton United Methodist Church of Smithton, Pettis County, Missouri.

Collection Size: 2 rolls of microfilm (19 volumes)

Language: Collection materials are in English.

Repository: The State Historical Society of Missouri

Restrictions on Access: Collection is open for research. This collection is available at <u>The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Columbia</u>. If you would like more information, please contact us at <u>columbia@shsmo.org</u>. Collections may be viewed at any research center.

Restrictions on Use: The donor has relinquished their rights in the records and authorized their release to the public domain.

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Donor Information: The records were loaned for microfilming to the University of Missouri by Dorothy A. Bass on December 4, 1982 (Accession No. CA4477).

Existence and Location of Originals: The originals were returned to the donor on April 7, 1983.

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Historical Note:

The Smithton United Methodist Church, in Smithton, Missouri, was organized in 1924 when the Ladies Aid Society, the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, and the Woman's Society of Christian Service merged.

Arrangement:

The collection has been arranged into the following two series:

Membership Records Minutes

Scope and Content Note:

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