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Earle B. Jewell (1896-1985) Papers

1914-1977

2 cubic feet

Papers of an Episcopal minister in Kansas City, including many of his sermons, both in manuscript and printed form. Some of the sermons were delivered by Jewell weekly on the WDAF radio station.

BIOGRAPHY:

Earle B. Jewell was born in on May 13, 1896 in Arlington, Iowa. He grew up in Minnesota, graduating from Winona High School in 1915. He graduated from the Minnesota State Teachers College in Winona, taught a year on the faculty, and then worked for the YMCA. During WWI, Jewell was an artillery instruments instructor at Camp Zachary Taylor in Louisville, Kentucky. After the war, Jewell did mission work for five years and then headed a church in Sauk Center, Minnesota. Rev. Jewell became the Rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Kansas City, Missouri, in 1938 and retired in 1964. He and his wife, Elsie Barton Jewell of Chicago (b. March 18, 1900), had three children, David, Barton, and Barbara. He was a member of the Kiwanis, Mercury and Rotary Clubs. After his retirement, they moved to Forsyth, Missouri, and in 1979, they moved to Mountain Home, Arkansas, where he died in 1985.

PROVENANCE:

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DESCRIPTION:

The collection includes many of Jewell's sermons, both in manuscript and printed form. Notes exist for a number of them. Sermons in folders 1-5 were delivered by Jewell weekly on the WDAF radio station, and many are missing from the series. The papers also contain some correspondence, materials (including photographs) related to St. Andrew's and St. Peter's Episcopal Churches, and publications written by Jewell.

INVENTORY:

BOX 001*WDAF SERMONS:*

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| Folder 1. | Sermons, undated |
| Folder 2. | Sermons, 1955 |
| Folder 3. | Sermons, 1956 |
| Folder 4. | Sermons, 1957 |
| Folder 5. | Sermons, 1958 |
| Folder 6. | Photographs |

BIBLE NOTES (1977):

- Folder 7. #1 Worship
- Folder 8. #2 Love
- Folder 9. #3 Prayer
- Folder 10. #4 Faith, Trust, Belief
- Folder 11. #5 Christ
- Folder 12. #6 Promises
- Folder 13. #7 Holy Spirit
- Folder 14. #8 Directions

BIBLE NOTES (undated):

- Folder 15. #3 Holy Spirit (included handwritten manuscript)
- Folder 16. #4 Eternity
- Folder 17. #5 Prayer
- Folder 18. #6 Sin
- Folder 19. #7 Ministry
- Folder 20. #8 Family
- Folder 21. #9 Money
- Folder 22. #10 Personal
- Folder 23. #11 God and Christ
- Folder 24. #12 Satan
- Folder 25. #13 Will of God
- Folder 26. Prayers, undated; "A Goal of Prayer" - typed manuscript, and "I Believe in Prayer," December 2, 1974
- Folder 27. Easter Day sermons, 1935, 1936, 1940, 1942
- Folder 28. Course of Instruction for Instrument and Reconnaissance Schools, 1918
- Folder 29. Correspondence, 1917-1974
- Folder 30. Programs, "Plans for the Future" booklet, clippings - New St. Andrew's Church, 1952
- Folder 31. Program, printed material, clippings, photographs - St. Peter's Episcopal Church, 1957-1958
- Folder 32. Correspondence - congratulations on occasion of Jewell's 20th anniversary at St. Andrew's, January 1958

- Folder 33. Program, clippings, "Yes I Knew Kenneth Spencer," by Jewell - dedication of Kenneth A. Spencer Memorial Chapel at KU Medical Center, 1965
- Folder 34. Correspondence, manuscript, book review, clippings - *You Can if You Want To!*, 1974-1977
- Folder 35. Certificates, ca. 1928-1974
- Folder 36. Printed materials - sermons, church programs, Confirmation Notes, 1939-1964
- Folder 37. Miscellaneous printed materials
- Folder 38. Clippings
- Folder 39. Scrapbook, 1914-1916
- Folder 40. Scrapbook, 1944
- Folder 41. Printed sermons (removed from scrapbook), 1942-1944
- Folder 42. Printed sermons (removed from scrapbook), 1944-1964
- Folder 43. Printed radio addresses, bound book - *Victory Through Spirit* (removed from scrapbook) 1942
- Folder 44. "The Rector's Scrapbook," 1941; "Aids to Personal Counseling," 1943 (removed from scrapbook)
- Folder 45. Correspondence, program, certificate - honorary doctorate from Missouri Valley College, 1951
- Folder 46. Correspondence, clippings, oversize certificate - appointment as a Missouri Squire, 1970
- Folder 47. Personal data

BOX 002

- Folder 48. Notes/lectures, ca. 1930s-1960s
- Folder 49. Notes/lectures, ca. 1930s-1960s
- Folder 50. Notes/lectures, ca. 1930s-1960s
- Folder 51. Notes/lectures, ca. 1930s-1960s
- Folder 52. Notes/lectures, ca. 1930s-1960s

Remainder of box contains plaques and awards