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Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Records
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Organizational records of the church including general office files, pastor's files including sermons and special services, newsletters, bulletins, photograph albums, publications, architectural drawings, and records of several women's organizations associated with the church.

PROVENANCE:

This gift was received from Rev. Charles Spencer as accession KA1739 on September 3, 2009. An additional accession 1768kc was received on February 17, 2010.

BIOGRAPHY:

On September 26, 1954, the Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church was organized with 69 members. Rev. Harry Collier was installed as pastor on November 8, 1954. There were a total of 186 charter members. Worship services were held for the first time in the new sanctuary at 111th and Ruskin Way on October 23, 1955. The building was dedicated on May 19, 1956. On May 20, 1957 the Ruskin Heights Tornado destroyed much of the church sanctuary, administration wing, and manse as well as much of the neighborhood around the church. With help from Presbytery and other churches across the country, a rededication was celebrated precisely one year later on May 20, 1958¹.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PAPERS:

This collection consists of organizational records, including general office files, pastor's files including sermons and special services, newsletters, bulletins,

¹ Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church 50th Anniversary Edition

photograph albums, publications, and records of several women's organizations associated with the church.

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- Folder 21. Ruskin Redevelopment Plan, 2001-2005
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- Folder 31. Peterson, Russell- Snow Removal
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- Folder 19. Church Directory project-Olan Mills, 1982
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- Folder 21. Photographs, B&W
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- Folder 3. By-laws of Ruskin Heights United Presbyterian Church, 1954
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- Folder 9. Monthly Church School Report, 1989
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- Folder 12. Visitors, 1990
- Folder 13. Worship Attendance, 1998-2003
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- Folder 3. 2nd Sunday in Advent, December 5, 2004, "Prepare the Way"
- Folder 4. 3rd Sunday in Advent, December 12, 2004, "Giving Thanks to the God who sets us free"
- Folder 5. 4th Sunday in Advent, December 19, 2004, "God is With Us"
- Folder 6. Christmas Eve 2004, "Shepherds, Angels and an Amazing Savior"
- Folder 7. 1st Sunday of Christmastide, December 26, 2004, "Refugees in a Dangerous World"
- Folder 8. 2nd Sunday of Christmas, January 2, 2005, "In the Beginning"
- Folder 9. Baptism of the Lord Sunday, January 9, 2005, "With Whom I am Well Pleased"
- Folder 10. January 16, 2005, "The Lamb That Says More Than Baa"
- Folder 11. 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 23, 2005, "Gone Fishing"

- Folder 12. 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 30, 2005, “Blessed Are You”
- Folder 13. Transfiguration of the Lord Sunday, February 6, 2005, “Moving Beyond the Mountaintop”
- Folder 14. Ash Wednesday, Feb. 9, 2005, “Preparation is Key”
- Folder 15. First Sunday in Lent, Feb. 13, 2005, “40 Days”
- Folder 16. Second Sunday in Lent, February 20, 2005, “Born From Above”
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- Folder 19. HMMA Mid-Lenten Service
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- Folder 21. 6th Sunday in Lent, Palm/Passion Sunday, March 20, 2005, “If You Say So”
- Folder 22. The Passion of Christ film
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- Folder 24. Easter Sunday, March 27, 2005, “Where’s Jesus?”
- Folder 25. 2nd Sunday of Easter, April 3, 2005, “Faith Vs. Doubt”
- Folder 26. 3rd Sunday of Easter, April 10, 2005, “Made Known in the Breaking of Bread”
- Folder 27. 4th Sunday of Easter, May 17, 2005, “The Good Shepherd & The Sheep”
- Folder 28. Fifth Sunday of Easter, “A House With Many Rooms”
- Folder 29. 6th Sunday of Easter, May 1, 2005, Older Adult Ministry Sunday, “Raising the Roof and Enjoying Your Age”
- Folder 30. Older Adults Week, Bible Study of Aging in the Bible
- Folder 31. Mother’s Day, May 8, 2005, “What We Learned from our Mothers”
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- Folder 33. Trinity Sunday, May 15, 2005, “Sing a song of Three”
- Folder 34. May 29, 2005, “Remembering & Building on Our Heritage”
- Folder 35. June 5, 2005, 10th Ordinary, “The Taxman and Other Kinds of Sinners”
- Folder 36. June 19, 2005, “Sin Boldly. . . So that Grace May Abound”
- Folder 37. June 26, 2005, “A Cup of Cold Water”

- Folder 38. July 3, 2005, "The Yoke of Faith and the Yoke of Freedom"
- Folder 39. Small Church Ministry Sunday, "How Does Your Garden Grow?"
- Folder 40. July 17, 2005, "Creation Groans"
- Folder 41. July 24, 2005, "Keep Busy Baking Bread"
- Folder 42. July 31, 2005, "Multiplication Tables God's Way"
- Folder 43. August 7, 2005, "Learning to Surf"
- Folder 44. Mabel Sevier Funeral, August 13, 2005
- Folder 45. 20th Sunday of Ordinary Time, "It's Not What You Eat That Will Kill You"
- Folder 46. August 21, 2005, "What is Your Declaration"
- Folder 47. September 4, 2005, Living in Community
- Folder 48. September 11, 2005, "Knowing God"
- Folder 49. September 18, 2005, "It's Not Fair"
- Folder 50. Virginia DeWitt Funeral, September 23, 2005
- Folder 51. September 25, 2005, "Faithful Witnesses"
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- Folder 53. 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time, "I Cannot come, What's Your Excuse?"
- Folder 54. October 16, 2005, "Giving God What Belongs to God"
- Folder 55. October 30, 2005, "The Hard Work of Reform"
- Folder 56. November 06, 2005, "As For Me and My House... We Will Serve the Lord"
- Folder 57. November 13, 2005, "Investing God's Way"
- Folder 58. November 20, 2005, "A King that teaches gratitude"
- Folder 59. November 18, 2007, "Rumors Of..."
- Folder 60. December 2, 2007, "No One Knows"
- Folder 61. December 16, 2007, "What are your questions?"
- Folder 62. December 23, 2007, "Saving Face"
- Folder 63. Christmas Eve Service, December 24, 2007, "Glory to God in the Highest"
- Folder 64. December 30, 2007, "Our Lord Our Refuge"
- Folder 65. January 6, 2008, "The Gift"
- Folder 66. January 20, 2008, "Called, Who Me?"

- Folder 67. January 27, 2008, "The Unity We Have in Christ"
- Folder 68. Transfiguration of the Lord, February 3, 2008, "Moving Beyond the Mountaintop"
- Folder 69. 1st Sunday in Lent, February 13, 2008, "God the Giver"
- Folder 70. 2nd Sunday in Lent, February 17, 2008, "How Should We Give"
- Folder 71. 3rd Sunday in Lent, February 24, 2008, "How Can We Give"
- Folder 72. January 13, 2008, "Don't Skip a Step"
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- Folder 75. Passion Sunday, March 9, 2008, "How We Should Forgive"
- Folder 76. Palm Sunday, March 16, 2008, "How Can We Forgive"
- Folder 77. Maundy Thursday, March 20, 2008
- Folder 78. Easter Sunday, March 23, 2008, ""Alive in Christ"
- Folder 79. 3rd Sunday of Easter, April 6, 2008, "The Things About Jesus of Nazareth"
- Folder 80. 3rd Sunday of Easter, April 13, 2008, "What is it about Sheep?"
- Folder 81. 5th Sunday of Easter, April 20, 2008, "Finding Our Way"
- Folder 82. Pentecost Sunday, May 11, 2008, "Receive the Holy Spirit"
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- Folder 84. 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time, May 25, 2008, "Worry Warts"
- Folder 85. 9th Sunday in Ordinary Time, June 1, 2008, "The Higher Righteousness"
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- Folder 87. 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time, June 15, 2008, "The Harvest is Ready"
- Folder 88. 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time, June 22, 2008, "The Saint of the Rank and File"- Jim Beckner
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- Folder 94. 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 17, 2008, “Crumbs from the Master’s Table”
- Folder 95. 21st Sunday in Ordinary time, August 24, 2008, “On This rock”
- Folder 96. 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 31, 2008, “Stumbling Blocks”
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- Folder 98. 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 14, 2008, “490”
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- Folder 100. 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 28, 2008, “Owning Our Authority”
- Folder 101. 23rd Sunday in Ordinary time, October 5, 2008, “Ten Toughies”
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- Folder 107. November 16, 2008, “Living as Though”
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”The Wisdom of the Wilderness”
- Folder 113. 3rd Sunday of Advent, December 11, 2005 (Year B), “The visit”
- Folder 114. 4th Sunday of Advent, December 18, 2005,(Year B), “Knowing our story so we can tell Our Story”
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- Folder 5. February 19, 2006, "With a Little Help From My Friends"
- Folder 6. March 5, 2006, "Clouds and Rainbows"
- Folder 7. March 12, 2006, "The Ageless Promise"
- Folder 8. March 19, 2006, "Foolish Wisdom"
- Folder 9. March 26, 2006, "Now What?"
- Folder 10. April 2, 2006, "Written on our Hearts"
- Folder 11. April 9, 2006, "Triumph and Tragedy"
- Folder 12. April 16, 2006, "Who Will roll Away the Stone"
- Folder 13. April 30, 2006, "You Are Witnesses of These things"
- Folder 14. May 7, 2006, "The Sheep of the Good shepherd"
- Folder 15. May 14, 2006, "Vine & Wine"
- Folder 16. May 21, 2006, "A Rich Heritage-A Living Legacy"
- Folder 17. May 28, 2006, "Jesus' Prayer for Us"
- Folder 18. June 4, 2006 "New Life in 'Dem Bones"
- Folder 19. June 11, 2006, "Born of Water, spirit and of God"
- Folder 20. June 18, 2006, "A Small Seed of Faith"
- Folder 21. June 25, 2006, "No Fear"
- Folder 22. July 2, 2006, "Excelling at Generosity"
- Folder 23. July 9, 2006, "A Thorny Situation"
- Folder 24. July 16, 2006, "David Danced-Dancing into Service"
- Folder 25. July 23, 2006, "God Cannot Be Contained"
- Folder 26. August 6, 2006, "Finding our Place and Our Grace"
- Folder 27. August 13, 2006, "Bread from Heaven"

- Folder 28. August 20, 2006, "Rules to Live By"
- Folder 29. August 27, 2006, "Meek and Mild?"- Jim Beckner
- Folder 30. September 10, 2006, "What is Really Essential?"
- Folder 31. September 24, 2006, "Falling A Little Short"
- Folder 32. September 17, 2006, "Our Identity as Disciples"
- Folder 33. October 1, 2006, World Communion Sunday
- Folder 34. October 8, 2006, "A Little Lower than the Angels"
- Folder 35. October 15, 2006, "You Have So Many Things"
- Folder 36. October 29, 2006, "Old and Full of Days"
- Folder 37. November 5, 2006, "Love-the Greatest Commandment"
- Folder 38. November 12, 2006, "The Widow's Mite-A Mighty Offering"
- Folder 39. November 19, 2006, "Our Great Help in Troubling Times"
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- Folder 41. November 26, 2006, "Inside Out and Upside Down"
- Folder 42. February 26, 2006, "Moving Beyond the Mountain"
- Folder 43. June 28, 2009, "The Power of Faith for Wholeness"
- Folder 44. July 5, 2009, "The Power of Unbelief"
- Folder 45. July 30, 2006, "Scarcity is Not in God's Vocabulary"
- Folder 46. November 30, 2008, "A Glimpse of What is to come"
- Folder 47. December 7, 2008, "Finding Your Wilderness"
- Folder 48. December 14, 2008, "The Light of Our Lives"
- Folder 49. December 21, 2008, "Let it be According to Your Word"
- Folder 50. December 24, 2008, "Let Us Go and See"
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- Folder 52. Howard Gore, Sr. Funeral, Dec. 29, 2008
- Folder 53. March 1, 2006, "Alms, Fasting & Treasures"
- Folder 54. January 7, 2007, "Where to Begin?"
- Folder 55. December 3, 2006, "The Lesson of the fig Tree"
- Folder 56. December 10, 2006, "Prepare the Way"
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- Folder 59. December 24, 2006, "Pondering God's Gift in Our Hearts"
- Folder 60. December 31, 2006, "Going About God's Business"

- Folder 61. January 14, 2007, "Gifts, gifts, and more gifts"
- Folder 62. February 4, 2007, "What's Your Calling"
- Folder 63. February 11, 2007, "Blessings and Woes"
- Folder 64. February 18, 2007, "Amazing...Amazing Grace"
- Folder 65. February 21, 2007, "Responding in Action"
- Folder 66. February 25, 2007, "...Made Me Do It"
- Folder 67. March 4, 2007, "Pressing Toward the Goal"
- Folder 68. March 11, 2007, "Warnings from History"
- Folder 69. March 18, 2007, "Prodigal Sons and Daughters"
- Folder 70. March 25, 2007, "The Anointed is Anointed"
- Folder 71. April 1, 2007, "What a Difference a Week Can Make"
- Folder 72. April 5, 2007, Maundy Thursday Love Feast
- Folder 73. April 8, 2007, "Looking for the Living One in a Cemetery"
- Folder 74. April 15, 2007, "To Believe"
- Folder 75. April 22, 2007, "God's Own Rebel"- James Beckner
- Folder 76. May 6, 2007, "A new Command"
- Folder 77. May 13, 2007, "The Peace of Christ Be with You"
- Folder 78. May 20, 2007, "Our Prayer for the church: That all May Be One"
- Folder 79. May 27, 2007, "The Fire that Inspires"
- Folder 80. June 3, 2007, "The One Thing That Does Not Disappoint"
- Folder 81. June 10, 2007, "Paul's Story-Our Story"
- Folder 82. June 17, 2007, "The Law and Love"
- Folder 83. June 24, 2007, "Heirs According the Promise"
- Folder 84. July 1, 2007, "The Life of Freedom"
- Folder 85. July 8, 2007, "Our Freedom and Our Responsibilities"
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- Folder 87. July 22, 2007, "Martha and Mary, Chillin' With Jesus"
- Folder 88. July 29, 2007, "Teach Us To Pray"
- Folder 89. August 5, 2007, "Fools With Money"
- Folder 90. August 12, 2007, "Prepared for Anything"
- Folder 91. August 19, 2007, "It's Times Like These"
- Folder 92. September 9, 2007, "The Cost of Discipleship"
- Folder 93. September 16, 2007, "Finding That Which Is Lost"

- Folder 94. September 23, 2007, "Finding That Which Is Lost"
- Folder 95. September 30, 2007, "The True Fruits of Mercy"
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- Folder 97. October 14, 2007, "unexpected Gratitude"
- Folder 98. October 21, 2007, "Never Ever Give Up"
- Folder 99. October 28, 2007, "Justification By Faith"
- Folder 100. November 4, 2007, "Get out of Your Tree"
- Folder 101. November 11, 2007, "What If?"
- Folder 102. November 14, 2004, (Year C), "Don't Worry Be Happy"
- Folder 103. November 21, 2004, (Year C), "Christ's Reign in an Age of Uncertainty"
- Folder 104. November 25, 2007, (Year C), "Jesus Remember Me When..."
- Folder 105. February 25, 2009, "A Simple Prayer to Guide Our Way"
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- Folder 115. May 17, 2009, "Holy Friendship"
- Folder 116. May 24, 2009, "A Prayer for the Disciples"
- Folder 117. May 31, 2009, "Flaming Hot Faith"
- Folder 118. June 7, 2008, "God's Math"
- Folder 119. June 14, 2009, "God's garden of Faith"
- Folder 120. June 21, 2009, "The Calm of the Father"
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- Folder 129. January 25, 2009, "Follow Me"
- Folder 130. February 1, 2009, "A New Teaching With Authority"
- Folder 131. February 8, 2009, "Let Us Go"
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BOX 008*PASTOR'S FILES [Rev. Carla Libby Gentry]*

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- Folder 10. Charter Members
- Folder 11. Christmas 2007
- Folder 12. Christmas Plays
- Folder 13. Church Development Corporation, Small church Grant Application 2006
- Folder 14. Church Development Corporation
- Folder 15. Church Growth Seminar, Sept. 10, 1994
- Folder 16. Church Mutual
- Folder 17. Church Property Planning
- Folder 18. Communal Discernment
- Folder 19. Communion for Worship Services
- Folder 20. Demographic Study, 1994

- Folder 21. Festival of Sharing
- Folder 22. Festival of Sharing
- Folder 23. Fountain of Blessings
- Folder 24. Fountain of Blessings
- Folder 25. Fountain of Blessings, Outreach Ministries
- Folder 26. Funeral Policy
- Folder 27. Funeral Programs
- Folder 28. Good Shepherd Academy
- Folder 29. Good Shepherd Academy
- Folder 30. Hanging of the Greens
- Folder 31. Hickman Mills School District
- Folder 32. Hickman Mills Ministry Alliance
- Folder 33. Hickman Mills Ministerial Alliance
- Folder 34. Kansas City Partnership for Caregivers
- Folder 35. Lent- Ash Wednesday-Litany
- Folder 36. L.I.N.C.
- Folder 37. Melvin Thursby Memorial File
- Folder 38. Membership Application-Blank
- Folder 39. Merger Committee

BOX 009*PASTOR'S FILES [Rev. Carla Libby Gentry]*

- Folder 1. Ministry of Alliance
- Folder 2. Misc. Pastor's file
- Folder 3. Office Equipment
- Folder 4. Presbyterian Historical Society
- Folder 5. Hickman Mills Ministry Alliance
- Folder 6. Ministry Structure
- Folder 7. Misc.
- Folder 8. Personnel handbook, PC(USA)
- Folder 9. Police Reports
- Folder 10. Presbyterians Pro Life
- Folder 11. Seder
- Folder 12. Seder

- Folder 13. Seder
- Folder 14. Session
- Folder 15. Session Agenda
- Folder 16. Session Retreat, May 1991
- Folder 17. Session Retreat, 1990
- Folder 18. Summer Camp
- Calendars
- Folder 19. Presbyterian Older Adult Ministries
- Folder 20. Publications: Aging
- Folder 21. Publications: Biotechnology, Science, Technology
- Folder 21a. Publications: Caring Concerns
- Folder 22. Publications: Congregations-Presbyterian
- Folder 23. Publications: controversial Theories about Religious Figures
- Folder 24. Publications: Hungryhearts, 2002, 2006
- Folder 25. Publications: Mental Illness
- Folder 26. Publications: Peacemaking, 2006-2008
- Folder 27. Publications: Race, Human Rights, Poverty, Fair Trade
- Folder 28. Publications: "Seeking and Doing God's Will", 1998
- Folder 29. Publications: Simple Pledges
- Folder 30. Publications: Zephyr Point, 2007
- Folder 31. Publications: The Witherspoon Society, 2003

BOX 010

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN/WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION/CHURCH WOMEN UNITED

- Folder 1. Women's Association of the Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church: constitution, charter members, 1954
- Folder 2. Women's Association: Treasurer's Reports, 1981-1994
- Folder 3. Horizons Bible Study, 1993-94, 2004-2005
- Folder 4. Presbyterian Women: "The Manual for Presbyterian Women"
- Folder 5. Presbyterian Women (PW) Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church, K.C. MO [Nancy]
- Folder 6. United Presbyterian Women-goals, minutes, 1950's
- Folder 7. United Presbyterian Women-Budgets, goals, 1960's
- Folder 8. United Presbyterian Women-budgets, goals, 1970's

- Folder 9. Church Women United- South Jackson County, yearbooks, 1981-1984
- Folder 10. Presbyterian Women's Work, 1981, 1982, 1983
- Folder 11. Church Women United of South Jackson County- Secretary's manual 1987-1993
- Folder 12. Church Women United of Cape Girardeau Area-MO., members signatures
- Folder 13. Church Women United of South Jackson County- budget, ledger 1973-1987
- Scrapbooks Church Women United, volumes 1-4
- Folder 14. Church Women United- Scrapbook, Volume 5, 1 of 2
- Folder 15. Church Women United- Scrapbook, Volume 5, 2 of 2
- Bank statements, check register , Presbyterian Church Women's Association, 1979-1999

BOX 011

BULLETINS 1968-1995

- Folder 1. Bulletins, 1968, 1974-1979
- Folder 2. Family of the Week, bulletin insert biographies, 1979, 1980
- Folder 3. Family of the Week, bulletin insert, biographies, 1979, 1980
- Folder 4. Bulletins, 1981
- Folder 5. Bulletins, 1982
- Folder 6. Bulletins, 1983
- Folder 7. Bulletins, 1983 (copy 2)
- Folder 8. Bulletins, 1984
- Folder 9. Bulletins, 1985
- Folder 10. Bulletins, 1986
- Folder 11. Bulletins, 1987
- Folder 12. Bulletins, 1990
- Folder 13. Special bulletins, 1990-1995
- Folder 14. Wedding Bulletins
- Folder 15. Dedications

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BULLETINS 1996-2009

- Folder 1. Special Bulletins & Mailings, Wedding/Funeral/special

- Folder 2. Bulletins, 1996
- Folder 3. Bulletins, 1997
- Folder 4. Bulletins, 1998
- Folder 5. Bulletins, 1999
- Folder 6. Bulletins, 2001/2000
- Folder 7. Bulletins, 2002
- Folder 8. Bulletins, 2003
- Folder 9. Bulletins, 2004
- Folder 10. Bulletins, 2005
- Folder 11. Bulletins, 2006
- Folder 12. Bulletins, 2007
- Folder 13. Bulletins, 2008
- Folder 14. Bulletins, 2009

BOX 013*NEWSLETTERS- BOUND, UNBOUND 1957-1994*

- Volume 1. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1954
- Volume 2. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1957
- Volume 3. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1958
- Volume 4. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1959
- Volume 5. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1960
- Volume 6. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1961
- Volume 7. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1962-63
- Volume 8. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1964-65
- Volume 9. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1966-67
- Volume 10. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1968-69
- Volume 11. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1970-71
- Volume 12. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1972
- Volume 13. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1973
- Volume 14. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1974-75
- Unbound. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1977
- Unbound. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1985-86
- Unbound. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1987-88
- Unbound. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1989-90

- Unbound. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1991-92
- Unbound. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1993
- Unbound. Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church Newsletters, 1994

BOX 014*BULLETINS, 1996-2007; NEWSLETTERS, 1995-2006, APPENDIX, HISTORY, RECIPES*

- Folder 1. Newsletters, January 1995-Dec. 1997
- Folder 2. Newsletters, January 1998-Dec. 2001
- Folder 3. Newsletters, January 2002-Dec. 2005
- Folder 4. Newsletters, January 2006 –Dec. 2006
- Folder 5. Ambassador, 2005-2006
- Folder 6. Newsletters, 2007-2008
- Folder 7. Newsletters, 2007-2008
- Folder 8. Ambassador Newsletter, 2009
- Folder 9. Ambassador Newsletter, 2009
- Folder 10. Coffee Hour
- Folder 11. Church Brochure
- Folder 12. Genealogy-Presbyterian church
- Folder 13. Questionnaire
- Bound volume 1. Ruskin Heights History 1954-1961
- Bound volume 2. Ruskin Heights-Appendix 1954-1961
- Cookbook: The Galley, Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Tugboats, 1986
- Cookbook: Second Helping, Ruskin Mariners
- Cookbook: Presbyterian Pot Luck, Ruskin Mariners, 1976

BOX 015*PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS*

- Volume 1. 50TH Anniversary, 2004
- Volume 2. 1980-1989
- Volume 3. 1990-1991
- Volume 4. Guestbook, 50th Anniversary, April 25, 2004
- Volume 5. 1980-1981
- Volume 6. 1981-1986

BOX 016*PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS/ SKETCHBOOKS/SLIDES*

- Items 1-5. Sketchbooks (5) with paste-ups
- Volume 6. Children "Play Time is Learning Time", 1980-1981
- Volume 7. 1986-1988
- Volume 8. 1989-1990
- Volume 9. 1984-photos, teens
- Mounted slides

BOX 017 (1768kc)*WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION-MINUTES-TREASURER'S REPORTS*

- Folder 1. 1982-1989
- Folder 2. 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993
- Folder 3. 1994, 1995, 1996
- Folder 4. 1997, 1998, 1999
- Folder 5. 2000, 2001, 2002
- Folder 6. 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006
- Folder 7. 2007, 2008, 2009
- Folder 8. Financial and Treasurer's reports 2004-2009
- Folder 9. Minute Book 1998-2009
- Folder 10. Cash Receipts/Disbursements Journal (removed to Box 18)
- Folder 11. Bible School- 1986, 1987
- Folder 12. Bible School-1988
- Folder 13. Bible School-1989-1990
- Folder 14. Ambassador-Newsletter- paste-ups- 2002-2005
- Folder 15. Photograph Album- ca 1950-1960-1 of 2
- Folder 16. Photograph Album-ca. 1950-1960- 2 of 2
- Folder 17. Photographic Slides of church scenes-late 1970's
- Folder 18. Certificates of Appreciation-1996-2007
- Folder 19. Newsclips
- Folder 20. *Kerygma*- Resource Book
- Folder 21. *In Remembrance* album, memorials to individuals 1959-1998

BOX 018 (1768kc)*RUSKIN HEIGHTS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH BULLETINS*

Volumes 1.-18. 1957-1968; 1970-1975

Women's Association Cash Receipts/Disbursements Journal 1978-2009

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Roll 1	Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church
Location	Hickman Hills, Missouri
Architect	Monroe and Lefebvre
Date	n.d.
Roll 2	Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church, proposed floor plan
Location	Hickman Hills, Missouri
Architect	Herbert C. Anset
Date	n.d.
Roll 3	Youth Camp, Presbytery of Kanas City
Location	Kansas City, Missouri
Architect	K. W. Fink
Date	n.d.
Roll 4	Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church, a church building
Location	Hickman Mills, Missouri
Architect	Herbert C. Anset
Date	1954
Roll 5	Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church, a church building
Location	Hickman Mills, Missouri
Architect	Herbert C. Anset
Date	1954-1955
Roll 6	Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church, a church building
Location	Hickman Mills, Missouri
Architect	Herbert C. Anset
Date	1955
Roll 7	Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church, preliminary drawings for
Location	Unknown
Architect	Monroe and Lefebvre
Date	1957

- Roll 8 Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church, restoration of the original building
 and new addition to the administration wing
Location 114th St. and Ruskinway, Hickman Mills, Missouri
Architect Monroe and Lefebvre
Date 1957
Job/Plan No. 57207
- Roll 9 Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church, restoration of the original building
 and a new addition to the administration wing
Location 114th St. and Ruskinway, Hickman Mills, Missouri
Architect Monroe and Lefebvre
Date 1957
Job/Plan No. 57207
- Roll 10 Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church, educational wing
Location 111th St. and Ruskinway, Hickman Mills, Missouri
Architect Monroe and Lefebvre
Date 1959
Job/Plan No. 58225
- Roll 11 Ruskin Heights Presbyterian Church, partial remodeling of Chancel
Location Kansas City, Missouri
Architect Robert G. Lundeen
Date 1984, 1998