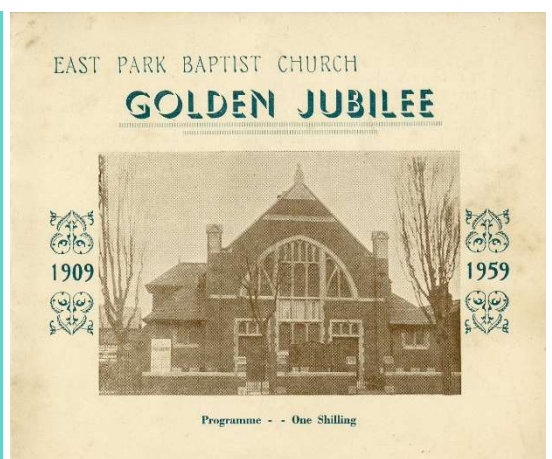


## Discovering Religious Records at the Hull History Centre

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### Introduction

Hull History Centre is home to Hull City Archives, the Hull Local Studies Library and Hull University Archives. The material held ranges from paper to parchment and includes books, maps, plans, photographs and newspapers. Depending on the format these can be viewed in our search room or on microfilm, whilst many of our Local Studies library books can be borrowed if you are a member of Hull Libraries.

Trying to find what you are looking for can be daunting, so a number of guides have been created to help you, all of which are accessible from our website.

This one, relating to the religious records held at the Hull History Centre gives a brief description of the different churches, chapels and individuals of faith and the collections you can find them in. The [religious records page](#) on the History Centre website will give a more detailed description of the city's religious communities.

These lists are not exhaustive and our [on-line catalogue](#) may also help you to find what you are looking for. For instance, if you are looking for a particular church, type its name into the search box and it will bring up any records we hold relating to it.

Once you have found what you are looking for you can e-mail or phone us to order the items to view in advance of your visit by contacting us on [hullhistorycentre@hcandl.co.uk](mailto:hullhistorycentre@hcandl.co.uk) or 01482 317500.

Please see our [Visit Us](#) page which explains where we are and what you will need to bring with you to access the material at the Hull History Centre.

If you need any further assistance ahead of your visit, please contact the team using the contact details above.

## Hull City Archives Collections

Reference	Collection	Description	Covering Dates
C CRD	County of Hull Magistrates	Returns of Dissenters' Places of Worship	1829
C DCB	Records deposited by the Methodist Church History and Advisory Committee	Special trust schedules of the Campbell Street, Stepney, Boulevard, Dunswell and Bethel United Methodist Church Chapels	1924
C DCBE	East Park Baptist Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes meetings</li> <li>• Sunday School records</li> <li>• Girl's Auxiliary Committee meeting minutes</li> <li>• Account books</li> <li>• Church Rolls</li> <li>• Programmes, booklets and Orders of Service</li> <li>• Building plans</li> <li>• Marriage certificate counterfoils</li> <li>• Photographs</li> </ul>	1909-2010
C DCC	Albion Congregational Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Register of baptisms</li> <li>• Minutes of Church meetings</li> </ul>	1920-1966
C DCE	Hull (East) Circuit of the Methodist Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes of circuit, church and committee meetings</li> <li>• Baptism registers</li> <li>• Rolls</li> <li>• Correspondence</li> <li>• Accounts and financial records</li> <li>• Deeds</li> <li>• Circuit plans</li> <li>• Building plans</li> <li>• Programmes, booklets and Orders of Service</li> <li>• Church rolls and pulpit books</li> <li>• Sunday School records</li> </ul>	1810-2011
C DCFT	Fig Tree Gospel Mission	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes meetings</li> <li>• Sunday School records</li> </ul>	1915-1981

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Account books</li> <li>Church Rolls</li> <li>Programmes, booklets and Orders of Service</li> </ul>	
C DCM	Hull Methodist Mission	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minutes of circuit, church and committee meetings</li> <li>Baptism registers</li> <li>Rolls</li> <li>Correspondence</li> <li>Accounts and financial records</li> <li>Deeds</li> <li>Circuit plans</li> <li>Building plans</li> <li>Programmes, booklets and Orders of Service</li> <li>Church rolls and pulpit books</li> <li>Sunday School records</li> <li>Photographs</li> </ul>	1730-2011
C DCN	Hope Street and Newland Congregational Churches and of Salem Chapel, Cogan Street	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minutes</li> <li>Registers</li> <li>Accounts</li> <li>Correspondence</li> </ul>	1802-1977
C DCP	Presbyterian Church of England in Hull	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Annual reports</li> <li>Congregational notes</li> <li>Newsletters and plans</li> </ul>	1880-1958
C DCR	Deposited Marriage Registers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Marriage registers</li> </ul>	1824-2014
C DCT	Hull (Trinity/West) Circuit of the Methodist Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minutes of circuit, church and committee meetings</li> <li>Baptism registers</li> <li>Rolls</li> <li>Correspondence</li> <li>Accounts and financial records</li> <li>Deeds</li> <li>Circuit plans</li> <li>Building plans</li> <li>Programmes, booklets and Orders of Service</li> <li>Church rolls and pulpit books</li> </ul>	1810-2012

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sunday School records</li> </ul>	
C DCU	Unitarian Church in Hull and the Bowlalley Lane Chapel, Hull	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sermon sheets</li> <li>• Wills, deeds and agreements</li> <li>• Minutes</li> <li>• Accounts, ledgers and pewage lists</li> <li>• Reports presented at the Annual Meeting</li> <li>• Women's Friendly Society Minutes</li> <li>• Subscription register</li> <li>• Service figures</li> <li>• Illustrated volume of The Unitarian Chapels of Yorkshire</li> </ul>	1691-1990
C DCUR	Hull Area Ministry Team of the United Reform Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deeds</li> <li>• Correspondence</li> <li>• Plans</li> </ul>	1866-1996
C DCW	Hull (West) Circuit of the Methodist Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes of circuit, church and committee meetings</li> <li>• Baptism registers</li> <li>• Rolls</li> <li>• Correspondence</li> <li>• Accounts and financial records</li> <li>• Deeds</li> <li>• Circuit plans</li> <li>• Building plans</li> <li>• Programmes, booklets and Orders of Service</li> <li>• Church rolls and pulpit books</li> <li>• Sunday School records</li> </ul>	1841-2017
C DCX	Miscellaneous Church Records	Records created by various churches, chapels, circuits or individuals. See catalogue for details of each item.	1799-2003
C DFFC	Papers of Rev. Frank Chowder	Papers relating to his work as a Methodist minister in East Hull	1934-1996
C DFTF	Documents relating to the Terry family of Hull	Family records showing the development of the church and the Evangelical movement in Hull and Yorkshire	1743-1866
C DFWE	Papers of Mr. Walter Webb	Relating to Campbell Street Methodist Church and Askew Avenue Methodist Church	1913-1937

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C DIFB	Papers of Honorary Alderman Frances Brady and Councillor Charles Brady	Records concerning their involvement with the Roman Catholic Church and related organisations in Hull	1961-1994
C DIKL	North Ferriby Methodist Church	Leaders' Meetings Minute books	1939-1973
C DISL	Records relating to Pastor George Lambert	Journals of the former Pastor of Fish Street Congregational Chapel, Hull	1769-1816
C DJC	Records of the Hull Jewish Community	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organisations</li> <li>• Congregation Records</li> <li>• Printed Material</li> <li>• Research Files</li> </ul>	1852-2010
C DMX/66	Documents relating to St. Mary's Church	Letters relating to the status, lands and tithes of the church, and copies of earlier documents pertaining to the issues	1720-1767
C DSCP	Christians for Peace	Scrapbooks of activities	1985-2003
C WP	Pickering's Church Building and Endowment Fund	Copy of deed of gift and correspondence	1910-1916

## Hull Local Studies Library Collections

Reference	Collection	Description	Covering Dates
L DCC	Albion Congregational Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Register of baptisms</li> <li>Minutes of Church meetings</li> </ul>	1841-1966
L DCFS	Fish Street Congregational Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Register of baptisms</li> <li>Minutes of Church meetings</li> </ul>	1769-1982
L DCSS	Hull and District Sunday Schools Union	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minutes of meetings</li> </ul>	1822-1961
L DCWC	Wycliffe Congregational Church, Anlaby Road	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Register of baptisms</li> <li>Minutes of Church meetings</li> </ul>	1870-1921
L DIBF	Papers of Bertram Fox	Papers relating to his work as a temperance lecturer and campaigner	1863-1963
L.252.08	Various authors	Sermons and religious tracts preached by various clergymen from Hull or by those visiting the area	1712-1909
L.929	Diocese of York	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bishops' transcript</li> <li>Marriage bonds and Allegations</li> </ul>	1613-1829
L.929.3	Yorkshire Parish Register Society/Yorkshire Archaeological Society, (Parish Register Section)	Transcriptions of the Parish registers for various parishes across Yorkshire	1538-1837
L.929.3	East Yorkshire Family History Society	Transcriptions of the parish registers for various parishes across Hull and East Yorkshire	1538-1837
Microfilms	Holy Trinity Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parish registers for Holy Trinity Church and St. Marys Church</li> </ul>	1558-1870

## Hull University Archives Collections

Reference	Collection	Description	Covering Dates
U DDEV/76/30	Papers of the Constable Maxwell Family	Register of baptisms, marriage and burials performed by the Roman Catholic priest at Everingham	1771-1801
U DEM	Anglican Evangelical Group Movement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes of annual general and central committee meetings</li> <li>• Financial records</li> <li>• Indexes and lists of members</li> <li>• Correspondence</li> <li>• Study outlines</li> <li>• Subject files</li> </ul>	1907-1979
U DEV	Papers of Reverend Canon Stanley Evans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Subject Files</li> <li>• Scrap Books</li> <li>• Diaries</li> <li>• Note Books, notes and texts</li> <li>• Sermons</li> <li>• Miscellaneous press cuttings</li> </ul>	1876-1965
U DFF	Papers of Fred Fletcher	This collection relates specifically to Fred Fletcher's studies of the history of the Quaker in East Yorkshire, as well as individual Quakers and well-known local families.	1655-1992
U DNO	Papers of Roden Noel and Reverend Conrad Noel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sermons</li> <li>• Oxford Group Movement</li> <li>• Papers related to publications</li> <li>• Letters</li> <li>• Notebooks</li> <li>• Photographs</li> </ul>	1853-1942
U DP135	Research papers of Reverend Carus Vale Collier, antiquarian	Transactions of Parish registers and records for the East Riding	c.1910s
U DQR	Pickering and Hull monthly meeting of the Society of Friends (Quakers)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Preparative Meeting minute books</li> <li>• Monthly Meeting minute books</li> <li>• Women's Preparative Meeting minute books</li> <li>• Records of births, marriages and burials</li> <li>• Accounts of collections, poor accounts and legacies</li> </ul>	1669-1993

Reference	Collection	Description	Covering Dates
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Removals in and out of Meetings</li> <li>• Lists of members</li> <li>• Epistles received</li> <li>• Tabular statements</li> <li>• Correspondence and memoranda</li> </ul>	
U DTH	Papers of Rev. Thomas Perronet Thompson	Private and family papers	1757-1933
U DX5	Transcripts of Hull and Hedon Parish Registers	Transcripts of Baptisms, Marriages and Burials	Late 19th cent.