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1 JOINT PASTORAL LETTERS, 1813-1886 (more than one district/diocese)

1. Bishops Alexander Cameron, John Chisholm and Eneas Chisholm on Roman Catholic emancipation, 13 Nov 1813, copy addressed to Wm Reid, Dumfries.
2. Bishops Scott, Kyle and Carruthers: the announcement by Gregory XVI of a general Jubilee and Indulgence together with an exhortation to counteract the "pretended Reformers" who are attacking the Church etc, [c 1842]
- ③ → 4. Bishops Kyle, Strain and Murdoch about the Glasgow Free Press, 28 Jan 1868
3. Bishops Wm Smith, Eyre, John MacDonald, John MacLachlan, Angus MacDonald George Rigg, following the Plenary Council, 26 Aug 1886.
"St Columba's Pro-Cathedral, Oban" written on front cover.
- ③ Bps Kyle, Murdoch, Alex Smith, Gillis: Lenten Indult, 1854, with ms note by Bp Gillis; copy for Wm Smith, Lochce.

2 PASTORALS: Bp A. CARRUTHERS, and JOINT, CARRUTHERS + GILLIS, 1840-52

1. Bp Carruthers: to the "Faithful of the Catholic Congregation of Edinburgh", asking them to accept his deputy during his absence, Good Friday 1840
- ③ → 2. Bps Carruthers and Gillis: asking for support for the Friendly Society, 28 June 1844
4. Bp Carruthers: announcing a Jubilee, 19 April 1847.
5. Bps Carruthers and Gillis ordering thanksgiving masses etc for the restoration of Pius IX to Rome, 10 June 1850
6. Bps Carruthers and Gillis: publishing a plenary indulgence in the form of a Jubilee, 16 Nov 1850, foot of p 3/4 cut out.
7. Bps Carruthers and Gillis: conditions for Jubilee, 31 March 1852.
- ③ Bps Carruthers and Gillis: a Pastoral Instruction --- on the occasion of instituting --- the Sodality of the most holy and immaculate heart of Mary for the Conversion of Sinners, 1845

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PASTORALS: BP GILLIS - EASTERN DISTRICT, 1852-57

1. Bp Gillis: on the occasion of the death of Bp Carruthers, 1852
2. same: on a Bill now before Parliament for authorising the inspection of Convents, 10 June 1853
3. same: ordering public prayers within the Eastern District of Scotland on the occasion of the reappearance of the cholera, 18 Sept 1853
4. same: intimating the discontinuance of public prayers against the Cholera, within the Eastern District of Scotland; and the Institution, throughout its various Missions, of the Sodality of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, 2 Feb 1854.
5. same: promulgation of Jubilee, 1854
6. same: promulgation of the Dogmatic Definition of the Immaculate Conception of the most blessed Virgin Mary, 25 Dec 1854
7. same: in behalf of the British Sick and Wounded in the East, and asking prayers for the soldiers of the allied armies, fallen in battle during the course of the present war, 1855
8. same: pastoral address on occasion of a solemn Te Deum, in thanksgiving to God for the conclusion of peace, and for the birth of an heir to the Imperial Throne of France, 1856
9. → same: pastoral charge enjoining expiatory prayers for the late sacrilegious murder of His Grace, Monseigneur Sibour, Archbishop of Paris, 9 Jan 1857
11. same: announcing his intention to endeavour to strengthen the Poor Schools within the District by co-operating with the "Catholic Poor School Committee", 29 March 1857
9. same: Pastoral address given at Requiem Mass for repose of souls of those who have fallen during the course of the war, 1856

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PASTORALS: BP GILLIS, 1858-62

1. Bp Gillis: Proclamation of Jubilee, 28 Feb 1858
2. same: Pastoral charge enjoining public prayers to implore the protection of Heaven on the sacred person of Pope Pius IX, and the temporal dominions of the Holy See, 26 Nov 1859
3. same: about collections now being made throughout the Christian World, in proof of its devotedness to the sacred cause of the Church, 1860
4. same: containing address of sympathy to Pius IX and his reply, 29 June 1860
5. same: Pastoral Charge delivered at St Mary's, Edinburgh on occasion of Requiem Mass commemorative of the recent losses of the Pontifical Army, 17 Oct 1860
6. same: Peter's Pence, 25 Dec 1860
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Pastorals - Bp Gillis, 1858-62 contd.

- 7 Bp Gillis: requesting prayers for Queen Victoria on the death of Prince Albert, 18 Dec 1861
- 8 same: enjoining public prayers to implore the blessing of Heaven on the first Episcopal Visitation of the Eastern District, 25 Dec 1861
- 9 same: ordering public prayers regarding the Canonisation of the Japanese Martyrs and the subsequent oecumenical deliberations, 18 May 1862
- 10 same: urging contributions to alleviate the distress caused by unemployment in the English Cotton manufacturing districts, 25 Dec 1862.

5 PASTORALS - JOHN STRAIN : E) | St Andrews + Edinb, 1865 - 83

1. Bp John Strain: proclamation of Jubilee, 1865
- 2 same: urging support for the Papal army, 25 Nov 1867
- 3 same: publishing Plenary Indulgence in form of Jubilee, 10 May 1869
- 4 same: enjoining prayers for an end to the evils with which the Church is afflicted, 31 July 1873
- 5 same: promulgation of 1875 Jubilee, n.d.
- 6 same: Pastoral for Lent 1876
- 7 same: The restored hierarchy and the financial obligations of the bishops to provide priests, diocesan seminary, etc; Feb 1879
- 8 same: on Lent, and regulations during that period, 1881
- 9 same: on Lent; Secret Societies; + education, 1883

6 PASTORALS, GALLOWAY, 1898

1. Bp Turner: Lenten pastoral, 1898

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7 PASTORALS: NORTHERN DISTRICT / ABERDEEN, 1870-98

1. Bp John MacDonald: The Catholic faith and the attacks on the principles for which it stands: the need for Catholics to be firm in their faith, 15 Aug 1870
2. Bp Hugh MacDonald: on the erection of a new college, 28 Oct 1892.
3. same: pastoral on prayer; Lenten regulations, accounts, 1898

8 PASTORALS - ENGLISH and IRISH, 1840-92

1. Bp Baines, Bp of Siga: pastoral to the faithful of the Western District of England on occasion of the Fast of Lent, 1840
- ② → 3. Wm Bernard, Bp of Birmingham: the restored Hierarchy, 1875
4. Cardinal Manning: pastoral for Feast of the Sacred Heart, 1875
5. Herbert, Bp of Salford: the patronage of St Joseph and on an increase of the Diocesan Clergy, 1876
6. Cardinal Manning: the office of the Church in Higher Catholic Education, 1885
7. same on bringing up children, 8 Sept 1891
8. John, Bp of Newport: the Pious Association of the Holy Family, 1892
9. The Archbishops and Bishops of Ireland: on hostile attacks made in Ireland against the Catholic Church, 1874.
- ② Nicholas, Cardinal Wiseman, Lenten Pastoral, also giving the time of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Retreats and Compline Service, in the London Churches + Chapels, for Lent, 1851, with Cardinal Wiseman's autograph.

9 PASTORALS: MISCELLANEOUS, 1866-96

1. B. Bernard, Prefect Apostolic of the North Pole to the Clergy + People of Ireland appealing for help for his Mission, 1866
2. Archbishop of Lyons: introduction of the cause of Marcellin-Joseph-Benoit Champagnat, 1896, French.

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10 CIRCULARS: SCOTTISH HIERARCHY 1888 - 1928.

1. Scottish Hierarchy: Encyclical letter of Leo XIII about his 50th anniversary of the priesthood, 5 Sept 1888
2. same: celebration of new century - pilgrimage to Rome, 22 Feb 1900
3. same: dispensation from Friday abstinence for Feast of Circumcision, 10 Dec 1903
4. same: need for modification of Education (Scotland) Bill, 3 June 1904
5. same: dispensation from Friday abstinence for Feast of St Andrew, 7 Nov 1906
6. same: need to inform congregations about decree "Ne temere", 25 June 1908
7. same: dispensation from abstinence for Feast of Circumcision, 14 Dec 1908
8. same: dispensation from abstinence for Feast of St Andrew, 3 Nov 1910
9. 10. same: collections to be made on behalf of National Colleges, Feb 1921.
11. same: need for money to promote various martyrs' causes, n.d. typescript.
12. same: Circular letter from the Hierarchy of Mexico, 10 May 1928
13. same: 50th anniversary of restoration of Hierarchy, Nov 1928
14. same: Scots College, Rome, Collection to aid financial crisis, 3 July 1919.

11 CIRCULARS pre 1833

1. Bps Paterson, MacDonald, Kyle + Scott: division of Scotland into three Vicariates, 1 Oct 1828, Latin.

12 CIRCULARS: BP CARRUTHERS, E.D., 1839-51

1. Bp Carruthers: appeal for money for missions in Perthshire, 5 Jan 1839
2. Bps Carruthers + Gillis: directions for Jubilee, 1842.
3. Bp Carruthers: Collections to be made in aid of Propagation of the Faith, 17 Sept 1850
4. Bps Carruthers + Gillis: directions for Jubilee, 16 Nov 1850
5. Bp Carruthers: extension of time for Paschal duties, 20 Feb 1851.

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CIRCULARS: BISHOP GILLIS, E.D., 1852-63.

1. Bp Gillis: death of James Monaghan, 28 June 1852.
2. same: division of Vicariate into Prouostries, 16 July 1852, with ms note added to John Strain by Gillis, 31 Jan 1853
3. Another copy of above circular with ms amendments to printed text.
4. Bp Gillis: death of Joseph Mantica, 31 Aug 1852
5. same: St Andrews Society, 27 Oct 1853
6. same: instructions to clergy regarding Lent, 21 Feb 1854
7. same: Jubilee Faculties, 1854
8. same: Jubilee Faculties, 1858
9. same: presentation of address to Pope and the Pope's special blessing sent in return, 14 April 1860, duplicated sheet
10. same: instructing mass to be said for the dead soldiers of the Pontifical Army, 11 Oct 1860, duplicated.
11. same: priests must instruct their congregations against Ribbonism, etc, 15 Nov 1860, duplicated
12. same: John Strain is appointed Pro-Vicar General for the Eastern District during Gillis's absence from Scotland, 19 May 1862, duplicated.
13. same: about a priest imprisoned for refusing to break the seal of the Confessional: priest is Rev. Mr MacLaughlin, 16 Jan 1863, duplicated.
14. same: appointment of Archibald MacDonald as Vicar General, 14 Oct 1863, ms.
15. same: Eastern District's address to the Pope, n.d., duplicated.

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BP GILLIS - Misc. PRINTED (not district circulars) 1831-53

1. Bp Gillis to Mr Armstrong of the British Reformation Society, 21 Jan 1831, printed copy, addressed to Mr Alex Gordon, Blair
2. same: "The Guild of the Holy Family or Juvenile Branch of the Edinburgh Holy Guild of St Joseph's Friendly Society", 1 May 1853
- 3-4. same: "The Cholera: Its Premonitory Symptoms and Means of Prevention", 1853, 2 copies

CIRCULARS : Bp STRAIN - ED | St Andrews and Edinb. 1865-77.

1. Bp Strain : instructions to priests on parochial duties + regulations, 1865.
2. same : ordering High Mass, prayers etc for Pope + Christendom, 24 Sept 1866
3. same : form of petition to be sent to House of Commons about the Scottish Parochial Education Bill, 8 July 1869
4. same : regulations to govern priests' financial affairs, 11 Aug 1869, ms.
5. same : rescript regarding mixed marriages received from Rome, 9 Sept '69, ms
6. same : asking that collections be made to help meet his expenses while in Rome, 13 Oct 1869
7. same : senior priests alone have management of chapel houses, and are to keep alcoholic drinks locked up, 12 Nov 1869
8. same : appointing John MacPherson Vicar General, 16 Nov 1869
9. same : giving English translation of the Apostolic Constitution "Pater Aeternus", 3 Sept 1870
10. same : ordering discontinuation of Collect "De Spiritu Sancto", 13 Feb 1871
11. same : regulations regarding priests' vacations, 29 May 1873
12. Collection for the Holy Father, Eastern Vicariate of Scotland, 1873.
13. Bp Strain : announcing Jubilee + its regulations, 22 Feb 1875
14. same : Pius IX's Jubilee : sending him an address and Peter's Pence, 19 March 1877 ; addressed to Wm Smith, Perth.
15. same : notice to members of the confraternity of our Lady of Perpetual Succour, 1 Oct 1877
16. same : Diocesan regulations regarding Sick Calls, n.d., poster.
17. Appeal for money to help the Sisters from St Margaret's Convent in their work among the RC female prisoners at Perth Prison, n.d.

Bp STRAIN : CIRCULARS TO EDINBURGH PARISHES, 1873

1. Bp Strain : parochial instructions regarding Baptisms, marriages, schools, sick calls etc, 8 Nov 1873
2. same : elections to the School Board, n.d.
3. same : soliciting votes for election of William Smith to the School Board, n.d.

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CIRCULARS: WILLIAM SMITH, St Andrews + Edinburgh, 1883 - 90

1. Wm Smith: death of Abp Strain, 3 July 1883
- ② → 2. same: announcement of Plenary Council: notice to be put on church door, 14 July 1886
3. same: Central Committee to organise presentation of a testimonial to Leo XIII on his 50th year of priesthood, 6 April 1887
4. same: Papal Jubilee - Plenary indulgence for pilgrims to Rome: 15 Dec 1887
5. same: instructions to priests regarding keeping of accounts, Jan 1888
6. same: debts of Dunkeld diocese, 1 March 1889
7. same: approving the erection of a confraternity of the Eucharistic Heart of Jesus, 25 July 1889, English and French, probably page removed from a brochure
8. same: rules concerning Congregational Debt Fund, 7 Feb 1890
9. same: dispensation from Friday abstinence for Feast of Assumption, 6 Aug 1890
10. same: St Joseph's Industrial School and Orphanage, 1 Sept 1890
11. same: Apostolic Letter of Pope Leo XIII on devotion to Our Lady, 27 Sept 1883

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CIRCULARS: ANGUS MACDONALD, St Andrews + Edinburgh, 1892 - 96

1. Angus MacDonald: invitation to join English Pilgrimage to Rome for Papal Jubilee, 11 Oct 1892, proof page for printer.
2. same: further on pilgrimage to Rome, 10 Nov 1892.
3. same: notice of hours when he will be at home to see priests on business matters, 29 Jan 1894, ms copy
4. same: asking about renewals needed of faculties for blessing beads, etc, 4 Feb 1893
5. same: meeting regarding Tranent Industrial School, 23 Feb 1894, typed.
6. same: on allowing Blair students to spend the summer vacation at home, 22 June 1894, duplicated sheet
7. same: cost of pictures of Holy Family if bought in bulk, 16 Sept 1894, dupl.
8. same: election of CTS office bearers: time of meeting, 8 Nov 1894 with ms note added giving address of printers.
9. same: extension of Lenten Indult, 22 Feb 1895, duplicated.
10. same: Amended Lenten Regulations for 1895.
11. same: CTS, League of St Andrew, requiem for Abp Smith, faculties, 6 March 1895.
12. same: dispensation from fasting during epidemic; no further masses needed for Robert James, 20 March 1895, duplicated sheet

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Circulars: Abp MacDonald, 1892-96 contd.

13. Abp MacDonald: papal encyclical on Unity, 15 May 1895
14. same: need to safeguard intentions of benefactors who want masses said as a condition of benefaction, 25 July 1895, duplicated
15. same: committee appointed regarding memorial window to Abp Smith in St Cuthberts, Sept 1895
16. same: requesting attendance at Maundy Thursday service, 25 March 1896, duplicated sheet.
17. same: announcing diocesan synod, 27 Aug 1896, Latin.
18. same: dispensation from Friday abstinence for Feast of Circumcision, 15 Dec 1896
19. same: diocesan synod, 6 Sept 1894, Latin
20. same: diocesan synod, 27 Aug 1896, "

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CIRCULARS: ABP MACDONALD, 1897-1900

1. Abp MacDonald: Papal encyclical exhorting a Novena to the Holy Ghost in preparation for Pentecost, 24 May 1897. Sent to Jas Smith.
2. same: approved translation of the Divine Praises for the diocese, 28 May 1897, duplicated sheet.
3. same: 60th anniversary of Queen Victoria's Accession, 10 June 1897.
4. same: his forthcoming visit to Rome & arrangements during his absence, 26 Oct 1897
5. same: annual meeting of managing committee of Tranent Industrial School, 3 March 1898
6. same: encyclical letter about Novena, etc, 13 May 1898, duplicated.
7. same: Blaisie College Building Fund contributions, to be published, 8 June '98
8. same: dispensation from fasting for St Andrew's day, 24 Nov 1898
9. same: requiems for Abp Smith and Donald Easson, 9 March 1899, duplicated sheet.
10. same: Jubilee announced by Pope, Act of Consecration to the Sacred Heart, 5 June 1899
11. same: Holy Year of 1900 and possible pilgrimage to Rome, 1 Dec 1899
12. same: Decree of Sacred Congregation of Rites about Holy Year and dawn of a new century, 18 Dec 1899.
13. same: regulations for Holy Year, 6 Feb 1900
14. same: requiem for Abp Smith, 7 March 1900

CIRCULARS: JAMES SMITH, St Andrews + Edinburgh, 1903 - 1907

1. James Smith: pilgrimage to Rome, anniversary of restoration of Hierarchy, laxity in observation of Lent, Ash Wednesday 1903
2. same: instructions for double commemoration of Papal Jubilee and Restoration of Hierarchy, 11 March 1903
3. same: applications for faculties to go to John Smith; Peter's Pence, obligatory collections, requiem for Abp MacDonald, 14 April 1903
4. same: St Vincent's Home - orphanage run by Sisters of Charity, 27 May 1903 with name + address of treasurer added in int (ms).
5. same: Jubilee of definition of the dogma of the Immaculate Conception; - recommendations by Pope, 31 Dec 1903, duplicated sheet
6. same: encyclical letter granting indulgence in form of Jubilee, 31 Aug 1904
7. same: instructions regarding Christmas Midnight Mass, etc, 23 Nov 1904
8. 8 → 9 same: appeal to Parliament regarding Education Bill which the English bishops consider to be "fundamentally unjust", 1 May 1906
10. [same]: John Smith v. G will attend to all business during the absence of Abp Smith and Mr Morris, 31 July 1906; the '6' of 1906 has been altered in int to "8".
11. same: meeting of presb who are corresponding Managers of Schools, 10 Dec 1906, duplicated sheet.
12. same: Indult for Easter duties, Lenten regulations, 8 Feb 1907, duplicated
13. same: dispensation from fasting during Influenza epidemic, 15 Feb 1907, duplicated sheet.
14. same: attendance at service to bless Holy Oils; obligatory collections, etc, 22 March 1907, duplicated sheet.
15. same: requiem for Abp MacDonald, 24 April 1907.
16. same: opening of Catholic Secondary School, 12 June 1907. ie Holy Cross.
17. same: Holy Cross Academy: reasons for its foundation; need for contributions, Nov 1907.
8. same: Lenten address, Ash Wednesday 1906

CIRCULARS, JAMES SMITH, 1908 - 1910

1. James Smith: lenten regulations, Decree "ne temere", papal jubilee, 28 Feb '08, duplicated sheet.
2. same: date from which decree "Ne temere" will have force of law, 12 March 1908, duplicated sheet.
3. same: dispensation from fasting during epidemic of influenza etc, 16 March 1908, duplicated sheet.
4. same: requiem mass for Abp MacDonald, 24 April 1908
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Circulars, James Smith, 1908 - 1910 contd

- 5 James Smith: asking for support for appeal for funds by Holy Cross Academy, 22 May 1908
- 6 same: Pope's instructions regarding Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, 19 June 1908; duplicated sheet, very faint, with ms copy underneath.
- 7 same: requiem mass in Cathedral for victims of earthquakes in Calabria and Sicily, 14 Jan 1909
- 8 same: meeting of Catholic ratepayers for purpose of nominating Catholic candidates for School Board, 13 March 1909, carbon copy
- 9 same: Blessing of Holy Oils, Lenten Alms, obligatory collections, 2 April 1909
- 10 same: Requiem Mass for Abp MacDonald, 24 April 1909
- 11 same: Pope's instructions regarding Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, 11 June 1909, ms.
- 12 Typescript carbon copy of above.
- 13 James Smith: meeting of Corresponding Managers of Schools, 20 Jan 1910
- 14 same: Holy Thursday, Lenten Alms, obligatory collections, 16 March 1910
- 15 same: List of groups of Catholic schools with their chairmen, 22 March 1910
- 16 same: Requiem mass for Abp MacDonald, 20 April 1910
- 17 same: death of King and praying for blessing for reign of George V. 12 May 1910
- 18 same: indulgence to commemorate 7th centenary of foundation of Fris Minor, 26 July 1910
- 19 same: John Smith VC will be attending to business matters for at least a month, 19 Aug 1910
- 20 same: Profession of faith to be made by all priests holding faculties in the diocese, 14 Dec 1910

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CIRCULARS: JAMES SMITH, 1911 - 1914

1. James Smith: School board election, 10 March 1911, ms.
- 2 same: Holy Thursday, Lenten alms, Collections, New Indult, 6 April 1911
- 3 same: Diocesan business and Financial Business to be handled respectively by Mr Smith and Mr Morris until further notice, 17 April 1911
- 4 same: dispensation from abstinence on Friday of Coronation festivities; service in Cathedral on Coronation Day, 14 June 1911
- 5 same: conditions for Indulgence, 28 July 1911, duplicated sheet.
- 6 same: Feast of St Andrew - Holiday of obligation; Feast of Immaculate Conception not so; 23 Nov 1911, duplicated sheet.
- 7 same: Holy Thursday, Lenten Alms, Collections, 30 March 1912, duplicated.
- 8 same: Diocesan business to be handled by Mr Morris, 30 April 1912
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22 contd. Circulars: James Smith, 1911 - 14 contd.

9. James Smith: advising Catholics on joining societies for Insurance purposes under the Insurance Act, 8 May 1912.
10. same: decision to establish a Diocesan Health Insurance Society for purposes of Insurance Act, 16 May 1912.
11. same: Holy Thursday, Lenten Alms, Collections, 14 March 1913.
12. same: requiem mass for Abp MacDonald, 22 April 1913.
13. same: all business matters to go to Agr Norris, 31 July 1913
14. same: all business matters to go to Agr Norris during the Abp's absence, 1 Dec 1913.
15. same: outbreak of War - collect and litany to be said to implore God's mercy, 6 July 1914.
16. same: ordering prayers and requiem masses for death of Pius X, 20 Aug 1914.
17. same: Day of Prayer regarding War at request of King, 22 Dec 1914.

23 CIRCULARS: JAMES SMITH, 1915 - 16 and MISCELLANEOUS ANDH. G. GRAHAM, 1921

1. James Smith: Pope's order for Day of Supplication for Peace, 28 Jan 1915
2. same: authorised Prayer regarding War following decree by Benedict XV 2 Feb 1915
3. same: dispensation from abstinence except on Ash Wednesday, 12 Feb 1915, with ms note "Cancelled and another sent", Oliver + Boyd stamp on back.
4. same: dispensation from abstinence except on Good Friday, 12 Feb 1915
5. same: Holy Thursday, Holy Oils, Lenten Alms, Collections, 25 March 1915
6. same: Requiem mass for Abp MacDonald, 22 April 1915
7. same: ordering recital of Pope's Prayer for Peace, 30 April 1915
8. same: appeal for money to help the Edinburgh and Eastern District Branch of the Red Cross, 17 June 1915
9. Patrick Norris V.G. on behalf of Abp Smith: general Communion for Pope's Intention: "Belgium", 19 April 1916
10. Notice of meeting of Conference Committee, n.d.
11. T Riley, St Ninians: syllabus for Religious Instruction, Dec 1908
12. Patrick Norris V.G.: Fr Lepicier O.S.M., Visitator Apostolicus invites visits from the priests of the Archdiocese, 12 July 1912
13. Archdiocese of St Andrews + Edinburgh: Congregational subscriptions towards distress in Ireland, n.d.
14. Exposition of B. Sacrament in Edinburgh Chapels throughout Lent, n.d.
15. Blessing of Crucifix at Mount Vernon Cemetery, n.d.
16. Bishop H. G. Graham: reconstitution of Catholic Education Council for Scotland, 22 Oct 1921

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CIRCULARS: GLASGOW ARCHDIOCESE, 1877-1904

1. "Visitation 186?" questionnaire on personal status of priest, n.d.
2. same: questions on mission property and finance, n.d. - note.
both the above are Western District Circulars.
3. Abp Eyre: sending of deputation and donation to Rome for Pope's Episcopal Jubilee, 19 April 1877.
4. "Memoranda of Regulations in the Archdiocese of Glasgow", printed booklet, Glasgow 1879
5. Abp Eyre: St Patrick's Hibernian Society, Jan 1883, with a note written by J. Naquire to James Smith on the back.
6. Bp Naquire: dispensation from fasting because of prevalence of sickness, 21 March 1895
7. John Ritchie, Secy: instructions for Jubilee year of Definition of the Immaculate Conception, 4 Dec 1903; sent to James Smith.
8. same: Jubilee Celebration of Definition of Immaculate Conception, 1 Jan 1904

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CIRCULARS: ND | ABERDEEN DIOCESE, 1868-1928

1. Bp Kyle: questionnaire to each priest asking for the statistics of his mission, 18 Jan 1868
2. Circular to Aberdeen Catholics about the Catholic Orphanage, n.d; posted to D Chisholm, Aberdeen + postmarked 20 Aug 1877.
- ③ → 4. Diocese of Aberdeen: Congregational Collections, 1894., to be affixed at Church door.
5. Bp Aeneas Chisholm: Jubilee of Definition of Dogma of Immaculate Conception, 1 Jan 1904
6. same: Indulgence in form of Jubilee, 10 Aug 1904.
7. Bp Bennett: postponement of Jubilee celebrations because of grave condition of Abp James Smith, 22 Nov 1928.
- ③ Bp John MacDonald: announcement of Extraordinary Jubilee, 9 June 1881

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CIRCULARS: ARGYLL, 1878-86

1. Bp Angus MacDonald: annual collection for Catholic Poor-School Committee, May 1878
2. same: extraordinary collection of Peter's Pence to help Pope, 20 Jan 1879
3. same: proclamation of Universal Jubilee, its conditions etc, 6 March 1879
4. same: diocesan finances, collections, etc, 23 Feb 1881
5. same: proclamation of + conditions attached to Universal Jubilee, 12 May 1881
- ⑦ 6. List of subscribers towards Arisaig Harmonium, [Oct 1882]
8. Bp Angus MacDonald: Circular from Rome about Mary, rosaries, etc, 18 Sept 1883
9. same: curtailment of time for Easter Duties, Diocesan visitations, decrees from Sacred Congregation of Rites, 13 Feb 1884
10. same: arrangements for Feast of Nativity of B.V.M., 23 Aug 1884
11. same: arranging meeting to discuss an appeal for money for Oban in particular and the diocese at large too, 3 Nov 1884, duplicated sheet.
12. same: announcing diocesan Synod: 8 June 1885, Latin.
13. same: vestments required by priests attending synod, 3 July 1885, duplicated.
14. same: enclosing decree from Rome about Mary + rosaries, 23 Sept 1885
15. same: suggestions to Catholics regarding the forthcoming Parliamentary election, 11 Nov 1885
16. same: Lenten Indult, Easter Duties, [1886], duplicated sheet.
17. same: universal Jubilee, 6 March 1886
18. Conditions for gaining the Jubilee of 1886; poster, printed at "Oban Times" Office, Oban.
19. same: First Plenary Council, 15 July 1886, duplicated sheet.
20. same: indulgences for Rosary devotions, 27 Sept 1886
- ⑦ Donald MacDonald: F Mackay Jubilee Fund, 26 March 1883

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CIRCULARS, ARGYLL, 1887-88

1. Bp Angus MacDonald: appointment of George Smith as Vicar General, 30 May 1887, duplicated sheet.
2. same: diocesan collection; collect for good harvest, 30 Aug 1887, duplicated.
3. same: election of administrators to manage the W.D. Quota Fund, 11 Sept 1887, duplicated sheet
4. same: October Devotions ordered by Congn. of Rites, 26 Sept 1887
5. same: Pope's 50th Anniversary of elevation to Priesthood, 11 Oct 1887
6. Diocese of Argyll + The Isles: Papal Jubilee Fund, Jan 1888
7. Bp Angus MacDonald: Feast of St Columba - instructions, 29 Feb 1888
8. same: Iona pilgrimage, 9 May 1888
9. Catholic Pilgrimage to Iona: arrangements for confessions, [1888], poster.
10. Bp Angus MacDonald: instructions for Feast of St Columba whom the Pope has agreed to as being patron of the Argyll diocese, 31 May 1888
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Circulars - Argyll, 1887-88 contd.

- 11 Bp Angus MacDonald: appeal for money for Knaydart mission, 18 June 1888
- 12 same: Octobar (Rosary) Devotions, 19 Sept 1888
- 13 same: Fixed Marriages, 19 Sept 1888
- 14 same: Finance Committee; applications for money grants for maintenance of priests, collections, 25 Oct 1888
- 15 same: decrees of First Provincial Council to be binding from 1 Jan 1889, 31 Oct 1888, duplicated sheet.

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CIRCULARS: ARGYLL, 1889-91

- 1 Bp Angus MacDonald: Lenten regulations, Easter duties, 26 Feb 1889
- 2 same: papal encyclical, new office of BVM, 27 Feb 1889, duplicated.
- 3 same: diocesan Synod, 9 June 1889, Latin.
- 4 same: instructions to clergy regarding synod, 9 June 1889, Latin.
- 5 Allocution of Pope Leo XIII delivered in the Extraordinary Consistory of June 30, 1889; printed sheet, Glasgow.
- 6 Bp Angus MacDonald: collections for Propagation of Faith and Poor-School committee, arrangements for Synod, 15 July 1889, duplicated sheet.
- 7 same: Peter's Pence, request for education statistics, faculties, 6 Sept 1889, duplicated sheet.
- 8 same: Pope's allocution [see 5 above], need for prayers for Pope etc due to attacks on church by rationalists, etc, 4 Oct 1889, duplicated.
- 9 same: his meeting with the Pope, etc, 2 Dec 1889, duplicated.
- 10 same: changes in Directory for keeping Feast of St Columba, 3 June 1890, duplicated sheet.
- 11 same: instructions regarding various collections, 19 June 1890, duplicated.
- 12 same: Pope's instructions on the duty of assisting in suppression of slave trade, 22 Dec 1890, duplicated sheet.
- 13 same: Lenten Regulations, Easter Duties, 1891, duplicated sheet.
- 14 same: Notice regarding Synod, 30 June 1891, duplicated.
- 15 same to Archibald Campbell of Lochnell: need for chapel at Bonawe + his sanction of proposal to collect funds for it, 1 Oct 1891, duplicated.
- 16 same: collections for Africa and for Holy Places; new offices, 21 Dec 1891, duplicated.

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PASTORALS, CIRCULARS, SYNODS: printed unless otherwise stated.

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CIRCULARS, ARGYLL, 1892 and undated.

1. Bp Angus MacDonald: deaths of Cardinals Manning and Simoni, 19 Jan 1892, duplicated
2. same: dispensation from usual fasting laws during Lent due to sickness, 20 Feb 1892
3. same: donation of coloured pictures of the S. Heart by Kühlen for distribution to deserving households; donation of underwear for Island priests, 29 April 1892, duplicated sheet.
4. same: end of dispensation from Fasting and abstinence, 13 May 1892, duplicated.
5. same: his translation to the Archdiocese of St Andrews + Edinburgh, thanking his priests of the Argyll diocese, 25 July 1892, duplicated.
6. same: invitation to his investiture with the Pallium, 18 Aug 1892.
7. "Diocese of Argyll + the Isles: Diocesan Endowment + Building Fund - Influential Meeting of Catholic Laity", n.d.
8. Bp Angus MacDonald: instructions regarding Midnight Mass, etc, n.d.

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CIRCULARS, GALLOWAY, 1878-1904

1. Address to John, Bishop of Galloway from his clergy on the restoration of the hierarchy, 15 May 1878
2. Henry Murphy: Appeal to the Catholics of Galloway + the West of Scotland, regarding his unfair treatment, etc, 28 March 1881
3. Bp John MacLachlan: Insurance of church properties, 30 Dec 1886.
4. Galloway - Diocesan Fund, 1890-91
5. Bp William Turner: Poor Mission Fund, Mission debts, Altar Society, Confraternities and Religious societies, Oct 1894
6. Diocese of Galloway: Statement of Mission Debts at 1 Oct 1894
7. Bp Wm Turner: preparation for Feast of Immaculate Conception, 25 Nov 1903
8. same: Jubilee of Definition of Immaculate Conception, 1904.

CIRCULARS : DUNKELD, 1879-1908

1. Bp Rigg: proposal to establish "Poor Mission Fund of the Diocese of Dunkeld",
26 Aug 1879
2. same: appeal for money for missions of the diocese, eg Montrose, which
are in a bad condition - no chapel etc; and for Dundee which
is deep in debt, 2 Feb 1883
3. same: clergy retreat at Kinnaird, 28 April 1884.
4. same: collection for Propagation of the Faith, 7 May 1884
5. Joseph Holder and Edward Rowan: "Bishop's House Scheme", 30 Jan 1895
7. Bp Angus MacFarlane: Jubilee of definition of dogma of Immaculate
Conception, 2 Dec 1903
8. same: Jubilee in honour of definition of Dogma of Immaculate Conception,
15 Aug 1904.
9. same: Annual collection for Diocesan Poor Mission Fund, Oct 1908.
5. Report on Religious Inspection in the Diocese of Dunkeld, 1885, printed Alloa, 1886.

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MISCELLANEOUS CIRCULARS ETC; SCOTTISH

1. Address of the Catholics of Scotland to the Holy Father on the 50th Anniversary of his first Mass, [1869]; sent to Wm Smith, Oakley.
- ② → 2. Address to John Bishop of Galloway from his Clergy, 16 May 1878, printed sheet.
4. "The Jesuits in Scotland", reprint from "Edinburgh Evening Express", 18 Dec 1882.
- 5-7. Lenten Regulations, Easter Duties, 1879, 1881, 1896.
8. Devotions in the Octave of Corpus Christi, c.1907 printed by Burns + Oates, London.
9. Church Music Commission for Scotland: rules regarding music in chapels, c.1908.
10. "Memoranda" regarding Church linen, vestments, altar; with price list.
11. Blank application form for membership of Holy Guild of St Joseph, Edinburgh.
12. Confraternity of the most holy + Immaculate Heart of Mary established at St Patrick's Church, Edinburgh: rules for members, etc, n.d.
13. "Series Decretorum ad Regnum Scotiae Pertinentium"; pp 53-60 from book or pamphlet, Latin, n.d.
14. "Principal Facts in the History of the Proselytising of Roman Catholic Children in Scotland - - -", n.d.
15. Instructions for Petitions to Parliament.
16. Copy of Petition by Hierarchy, Priests + Laymen of Scotland to House of Commons about Catholic University, Ireland, n.d.
- ③ Address to John Bp of Galloway from the Laity, 4 June 1878.
17. Mr. D. Mackintosh to T. Honeyman + J. Gillies, Secretaries, United Licence Campaign, 16 Nov 1923.

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Non-Scottish Circulars, 1894-1919

1. "Syllabus Accusationum" against the late Dr O'Quinn, Bp of Brisbane, and the Irish Clergy, n.d.
2. Pope Leo XIII, Encyclical Letter, "Qua Instructum a Propagatione Fidei", Fovebit et Commendabitur, Rome, 1894, (printed).
3. Pope Benedict XV, Apostolic Letter, on the propagation of the Catholic faith throughout the world, authorised English translation, printed, 30 November 1919; with A. P. F., advert on back cover.

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SYNODS: ST ANDREWS + EDINBURGH 1881-96

1. First Synod, 6 Dec 1881, James A Smith's name on cover.
2. Second Synod, 1889, James A Smith's name on cover.
3. Third Synod, 1890, James A Smith's name on cover.
4. Fourth Synod, 1894
5. Fifth Synod, 1896

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SYNODS: DUNKELD, 1888

1. First Synod, 1888

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SYNODS: NON-SCOTTISH IN ORIGIN. 1869-1908

1. Westminster - 9th Synod, 1869
2. "Praxis Synodi Dioecesanæ Celebrandæ", imprimatur Bp of Nottingham, 1875, with note stuck on about transposition of 2 leaves.
3. Another copy of above with the following found inside it:
4. Leaflet on "De Vita et Honestate", "De Sacramentis", etc, n.d.
5. Duplicated letter from Bp Angus MacDonald to Donald Mackay headed "Præmonitiones circa Synodum habendam die 26 hujus", 16 July 1883
6. "Forma Canonici Saecularis Inducendi: Antiquo ritu in Anglia olim observato immixta, præscripto Synodi l. Westmonasteriensis accommodata et pro Capitulo Westmonasteriensis approbata", London 1908, with printed circular covering letter.

SCOTTISH CATHOLIC PAMPHLETS, 1845-1931

1. Eneas MacDonnell: "An Appeal to the Opponents of the Raynooth Grant", London 1845 (PB card)
"For Rev^d Wm. Smith with best regards of Eneas MacDonnell" inscribed on front cover.
2. [William Wallace]: "Who are Catholics? A Tract ----", Edinburgh, c1843
"Rev Wm Wallace (Traquair) 1854 ob" written on front cover.
3. "Rules of the Scottish Catholic Union", n.d., with covering circular letter from R. Coyne and Francis MacIver dated 30 Dec 1882, printed.
This copy sent to J. Butti Esq., Queen Street, on 3 Jan 1883.
4. "The Rules and Office of the Catholic Young Men's Society ----", Edinburgh, 1882
5. Archbishop Eyre: "Sermon Preached at the Opening of the National Council of Scotland, 17 August 1886", Glasgow.
6. "Association of the Propagation of the Faith: a letter from the Archbishops and Bishops of Scotland", Glasgow, 1923
- ⑦ → CTSS: Biennial Conference + Demonstration, Glasgow Oct 1931; programme, Glasgow 1931
9. same: souvenir programme, 1931
- ⑦ "A Grave Moral Evil" - (Birth Control), - by the Archbishops + Bishops of Scotland, Lenten Pastoral 1927, reprinted by permission, Oxford, The Catholic Social Guild, 1988

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PASTORALS, CIRCULARS, SYNODS + PRINTED PAMPHLETS (in English)

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PAMPHLETS: not Scottish Catholic, 1851-72

1. "A Letter to the Right Rev. Dr. Brown, Bishop of Newport by Viscount Fielding", London 1851. (PB card)
2. Duncan McLaren "Heriot's Hospital Trust and its Proper Administration: an address delivered in the Literary Institute ---", Edinburgh, 1872. (PB card)
3. "The Revival of Christianity in Syria, its Miracles and Martyrdoms. Related by P.". London, n.d. (PB card)

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PASTORALS: St. Andrews + Edinburgh, Abp. Wm. Smith, 1887-91

1. Lenten Pastoral: on Lent; Ecclesiastical colleges; inadequate financial provision for the Scottish Bishops; Pope Leo XIII; 1887.
2. 'Ad Clerum', concerning the operation of the Financial scheme explained in the Pastoral Letter of Rosary Sunday 1889, 7 February 1890
3. Pastoral: the message of Christmas; Pope Leo XIII + the abolition of slavery; 4 January 1891

40 PASTORALS: St. Andrews + Edinburgh, Abp. MacDonald, 1893-99.

1. Pastoral: appeal for a new ecclesiastical seminary, on the Blairs estate, 1893.
2. " = Pope Leo XIII + the devotion of the Holy Rosary; the devotion of the Holy Family; 1894
3. " = on a spirit of lively faith, Lent 1895
4. " = development of the new ecclesiastical college at Blairs; the season of Lent; 1898.
5. " = Catholic Education, especially the development of Catholic Teacher - Training Colleges, Lent 1899.

41 CIRCULARS: St. Andrews + Edinburgh. Rev. Patrick Morris, V.G., + Miscellaneous, 1914, 1918-19, 1921

- 1 Diocesan Collections, 11 March 1914
- 2 statement showing financial position of Homes maintained by Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul, February 1918, printed
- 3 Clergy Retreat at Kennoull, 1 May 1919
- 4 Instruction to School Managers - making fullest advantage of time allotted to Religious Instruction and Observance under the new Education Act, 2 May 1919
- 5 Reconstituted Diocesan Education Board, 12 September 1921

42 PASTORALS = Bishop Henry Grey Graham, 1918-29

- 1 "On Mixed Marriages", Advent 1918
- 2 "The Need of Priestly Vocations", Lent 1919
- 3 "On Assisting in the Salvation of Non-Catholics", November 1919
- 4 "On The Call to the Religious Life", Lent 1920
- 5 "On The Need of More Catholic Teachers", Lent 1921
- 6 "On Dangers to Faith and Morals" (in pencil, Mixed Marriages + Immodest Dress), Advent 1921
- 7 "On our Duty towards the Propagation of the Faith", Lent 1922
- 8 "On the Catholic Family and the State", Advent 1922
- 9 "On An Ecclesiastical Students' Fund, With a Brief Account of the Scotch National Colleges", Advent 1923
- 10 "On Catholic Parents and Education", Lent 1924
- 11 "On The Jubilee of the Holy Year, 1925", Advent 1924
- 12 "On The Music of the Church", Lent 1925
- 13 "On the Universal Jubilee of 1926", Sexagesima 1926
- 14 "On Retreats for the Laity", Advent 1926
- 15 "On Evil Literature", Advent 1927

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- 16 "On the Occasion of the Jubilee of the Restoration of the Scottish Hierarchy, 1878-1928", Advent 1928
- 17 "On the Universal Jubilee of 1929", Lent 1929

43 CIRCULARS - Bp. Henry Grey Graham, 27 December 1917 - 1 February 1921

- 1 Circular/Ad Clerum: Special Prayers for a just + lasting peace; Forty Hours' Adoration; 27 December 1917
- 2 " : various, including Registration of Voters, Education, + Lithuania etc., 22 April 1918
- 3 " : Society of the Holy Childhood; Mass for the Pope's intention regarding the War; June 1918
- 4 " : Reminders to the Clergy, 25 June 1918
- 5 " : indulgence of the Portiuncula, July 1918
- 6 " : Education Bill 1918, letters to M.P.'s, 1 August 1918
- 7 " : " " " ; Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament; Sunday Requiems for War Dead; Lithuanian Collection; 23 September 1918
- 8 " : end of the war; War Requiems; Advent Pastoral on Mixed Marriages; Catholic Women's League of Scotland; 13 November 1918
- 9 " : Prayers for Versailles Peace Conference; communion at Christmas Midnight Mass; relaxation of Fast + Abstinence regulations; Tollers Institute, Glasgow, for the deaf-mute or blind; Code of Canon Law; Education; Holy Childhood subscriptions; suggested substantial Christmas bonus for Catholic teachers; 17 December 1918.
- 10 " : Instructions for the Clergy on Marriages, Admission of children to First Confession; Parish Missions; Diocesan Council of Administration; 10 April 1919

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- 11 Circular/Ad Clerum: "To be read by the Dean at the Congregation" - Profession of Faith, + Cath; Male Catholics in teachers training; envelope collection for Scots College, Rome; typed carbon, 5 September 1919
- 12 " " : "Approval and Appointment of Teachers, 22 October 1919
- 13 " " : Congregational Debt Fund, 17 December 1919
- 14 " " : sufferings of children in Europe as a result of the war, Pope's plea for prayers, money, food, medicine + clothing; Fasting + Abstinence dispensation continued; Communion at Midnight Mass; Mixed Marriages; December 1919
- 15 " " : Education + Religious Instruction; Triduum for Lourdes Pilgrimage, 1920; 23 January 1920
- 16 " " : Housing of Irish potato workers, May 1920
- 17 " " : some cases of irregularity in the approval and appointment of teachers to Catholic schools, May 1920
- 18 " " : prayers for peace between Great Britain and Ireland; Prospective Teachers; 1 September 1920
- 19 " " : Foreign Missions, Association for the Propagation of the Faith; Catholic Choral Society; Holy Communion at, or after, Midnight Mass; 17 November 1920
- 20 " " : No Mission premises should be used for dancing during Lent, 1 February 1921

44 CIRCULARS, Bp. Henry Gray Graham, 5 March 1921 - December 1925

- 1 Papal Proclamation of St. Joseph as Patron of the Church; + Ad Clerum; 5 March 1921
- 2 St. Joseph, inclusion in the Divine Praises; requiem for Abp MacDonald, 20 April 1921
- 3 Catholic Education Council, 22 Oct 1921
- 4 instruction by the Holy See on Marriage to be read at Congerence, + instructions to the Deans, October 1921, typed carbons.
- 5 Diocesan Law on each mission, based on baptisms; + Ad Clerum; c. 1922
- 6 Sacred Triduum for Catholic Missions, May 1922
- 7 Holy Days of Obligation + School Holidays, January 1923
- 8 Papal Encyclicals; Lenten Alms; Palm Sunday; Special Faculty; Supervisors of Religious Instruction; Society of the Holy Childhood, 12 February 1923
- 9 Holy Thursday; Lenten Alms; Collections; Mission Books; 1 March 1923
- 10 Inland Revenue revision (sent to all Deans), typed carbon with pencilled notes, 15 March 1923
- 11 replacement of Mgr. Mottis as U.G.; Clergy Retreats; Annual Requiem for Abp. Macdonald; Religion + Morals; Catechism; 23 April 1923
- 12 to Teachers - "A Catechism of Christian Doctrine" (Watson's, Preston) to be only Elementary Catechism allowed to be taught in the schools of the Archdiocese; 23 April 1923
- 13 Lenten Regulations; Ecclesiastical Students Fund; Whitelill Mansion, Roswell, run by Sisters of Charity for Mentally Defective Catholic Children; Pastoral letter on "Catholic Parents + Education"; 8 February 1924
- 14 Annual Requiem for Abp. Macdonald; Pope Benedict XV, monument in St. Peter's; St. Vincent's school, Tollcross, Glasgow, for Blind or Deaf + Dumb Catholic children; Clergy Retreats; 21 April 1924
- 15 need to extend national seminary at Blair's, Hierarchy Appeal, 20 September 1924
- 16 instruction - law of the church forbids Catholic children, especially prospective teachers, to attend non-Catholic centres, 23 October 1924 (3 July 1927)
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- 17 Pastoral Letter on the Jubilee of the Holy Year; Sacred Congregation of Rites; 25 November 1924
- 18 election of new education authorities, 13 January 1925
- 19 Mission Account at Bank, 20 March 1925
- 20 Regulation for Catholic Representatives on Education Authorities, April 1925
- 21 End of Holy Year 1925; title of bank account; remuneration of priests supplying, 21 December 1925

45 CIRCULARS: Bishop Henry Grey Graham, 10 February 1926 - 30 July 1929

- 1 Dances forbidden in Lent; Protestant teachers in Catholic schools discouraged; Ecclesiastical Students Fund; 10 February 1926, (incomplete, pp 3+4 only, with pencilled note)
- 2 Annual Requiem for Abp. Macdonald; Clergy Retreats; suitable candidates for ecclesiastical colleges; Marriages; Mexico; 22 April 1926
- 3 promoting the singing of plain chant, April 1926
- 4 prayers for the persecuted Catholics of Mexico, October 1926
- 5 Encyclical Letter, + the establishment of the new Feast of Christ the King, October 1926
- 6 establishment of a separate Catholic Education Council for Scotland, 2 November 1926, (with voting form)
- 7 the prayer "A Cunctis"; the Cause of Beatification of the Venerable John Ogilvie, SJ; Deanery Dinner; March 1927
- 8 Annual Requiem for Abp. Macdonald; Clergy Retreats; suitable candidates for ecclesiastical colleges; Immigration Association of Canada; Expositions + Benedictions; 18 April 1927
- 9 revised conditions for the gaining of the indulgence of the Pontifical, 24 June 1927

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- 10 Presbytery grounds + recreative purposes; Re-promulgation of Ecclesiastical Regulations concerning Catholic teachers; Edinburgh Castle National War Memorial, opening of, Requiem Mass in the Cathedral; 24 June 1927
- 11 Missions, + the Association for the Propagation of the Faith, 3 October 1927
- 12 a special new Rosary Indulgence, 16 November 1927
- 13 Lanten Regulations, + Lanten Alms; Religious Instruction of prospective male teachers; Papal encyclical "De vera religionis unitate servanda", 15 February 1928
- 14 Papal Encyclical on Reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, + related instructions, including First Friday Communions; Regulations for Catholic teachers, re-promulgation; 12 June 1928
- 15 his election by the Cathedral Chapter as Vicar-Capitular, 30 November 1928
- 16 Month's Mind Mass for the late Abp. Smith, Christmas 1928
- 17 Collection for the relief of the acute distress in the mining districts, 8 January 1929 - (pencil note: "realised £413").
- 18 Holy Thursday; Lanten Alms; Collections; Lent 1929
- 19 Clergy Retreats; suitable candidates for ecclesiastical colleges; centenary of Catholic Emancipation; Apostolic Constitution "Divini cultus sanctitatem", Liturgy + the restoring of Gregorian Chant + Sacred Music; Pilgrimage to Lona; 4 April 1929
- 20 King's restoration to health; need for more Catholic teachers; Ecclesiastical Regulations concerning teachers; 1 July 1929
- 21 appointment of the abbot of Fort Augustus, [Andrew] Joseph M' Donald, OSB as Abp. of St. Andrew + Edinburgh, 30 July 1929

46 CIRCULARS: various, including Scottish Hierarchy, 7 July 1919-26 October 1928

- 1 D. Mackintosh, Rector, Scots College, Rome - Collection ordered by the Hierarchy on behalf of the College, + details of the College's financial plight, 7 July 1919
- 2 Pope Benedict XV to the Scottish Hierarchy, praise for result of Collection to aid Scots College, Rome, + stressing the College's importance, 25 July 1920 - [ordered to be printed by the Scottish Hierarchy in connection with the new annual collection for the national colleges, 26 October 1920]
- 3 Bp. George Bennett, Secretary to the Hierarchy, to the Clergy - Masses for Deceased Brethren, establishment of a Voluntary Association among the Secular Clergy of Scotland, October 1924
- 4 Constitution of the Voluntary Association of Secular Priests in Scotland for the Celebration of Masses for deceased clergy, (enclosed with 3 above), prog copy
- 5 from the Scottish Hierarchy on the Society of the Holy Childhood, February 1925
- 6 from the Sisters at Downhill - account of the suffering + death of Sister Superior, Sr. Mary of St. Wilgild, 8 May 1926.
- 7 same - the Requiem, funeral procession, + burial, Ascension Day 1926
- 8 Abp. Mackintosh, sermon preached at North's Mind Mass in St. Andrew's Cathedral for Sr. Mary of St. Wilgild, 12 June 1926 (printed)
- 9 Patrick McGiligan, Cathedral Administrator, arrangements for luncheon to follow Hierarchy Golden Jubilee Mass, 26 October 1928

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Circulars, n.d.

1. Rev Patrick Morris, V.G., Clergy retreats, altar stones.
2. Mission loans: blank form
3. Archdiocese of St Andrews + Edinburgh: Approval of Teachers - several candidates; blank form.
4. Blank form as above - one candidate.

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Non-Scottish Items 1841 - c 1881

1. Bishop Don Francis Xavier of Malta against Methodists, Valletta 20 Oct 1841
2. "Appeal of the Rev Patrick O'Moore, Catholic Priest of Croyden, Surrey, --- in consequence of a series of Persecutions --- and of the Sacrilegious Outrage committed on his person while celebrating Mass on --- 15th May 1842" inscribed by O'Moore to Rev John Malcolm
3. The School for Scandal, no 1: "Free Press Portraits - a Roland for an Oliver" Dublin 1864
4. "Syllabus Accusationem" - accusations against Bp. O'Quinn, late of Brisbane and the Irish clergy [c 1881]