Descriptive Summary

Creator: Underwood Memorial United Methodist Church (Atlanta, Ga.).
Title: Underwood Memorial United Methodist Church (Atlanta, Ga.) records, 1915-2009
Call Number: Record Group No. 069
Extent: 5 cubic feet (5 boxes)
Abstract: Contains the records (mainly memberships, baptisms, and financials) for Underwood Memorial United Methodist Church in Atlanta.
Language: Materials entirely in English.

Administrative Information

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Collection Description

Administrative History
Underwood Memorial United Methodist Church was founded in 1915 as the Center Street Mission, a mission of Center Street Methodist Church. Under the guidance of the North Georgia Conference and Rev. M. L. Underwood, the official church building was erected in 1920 at 1671 Howell Mill Rd N.W. and was given the name Underwood Methodist Episcopal Church, for the pastor who led the establishment process. The church continued to grow and expand in the following decades with the addition of an annex and parsonage. Underwood Memorial merged with Tenth Street United Methodist Church in 2010, forming Tenth Street Underwood Memorial United Methodist Church.

Scope and Content Note
This collection contains general records produced by Underwood Memorial UMC such as plans, board minutes, and materials related to the Women's Society of Christian Service. The bulk of the collection fits into the following three groups: membership and baptism records, conference records, and financials. The collection spans the age of the church, although most of the materials are from the latter half of the twentieth century.
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