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**Records of the German
Lutheran Church in Hull**

1867-1990

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Historical Background:

The Early German Lutheran Community in Hull

The existence of a German congregation in Hull can be traced to the early 19th century when in 1807 an existing German congregation ceased its meetings. In the 1840s, prior to the establishment of an official German Lutheran Church in Hull, a committee of English merchants and clergymen was formed for the purposes of providing devine services in the German Language. The committee initially appointed a lay preacher, then, following the promise of the King of Prussia to provide an annual subscription, the committee in 1848 decided to appoint a German speaking minister who had been ordained in the Anglican church to provide regular ministry to the German speaking population of Hull.

The Founding of the German Lutheran Church in Hull

Whilst the work of the committee noted above proved adequate for a time, the expanding German population of residents and seamen trading at Hull desired the establishment of services conducted in accordance with the rites of the German Lutheran Church. With this in mind a pastor, ordained in the Lutheran Church, was appointed by the German community and the first service according to the Creed and Rites of the German Lutheran Church was held on the 9 April 1848 by Reverend Mr Brecht. Consul F. Helmsing was elected President in 1849 which office he held until 1883 and the German Lutheran Church in Hull was established, this being the second oldest of the German Churches in England outside London. In 1869 the Hull Church became attached to the United Protestant State Church of the Kingdom of Prussia and henceforth fell under the supervision of the Supreme Church Council (Oberkirchenrat) in Berlin.

Early pastors serving the Hull Church included Brecht, Raben, Sattler, Becker, Bobertag, Linde, Pfeiffer, Horst, Zander, Goetz and Pfalzgraf. Later pastors included C.O.H. Werner and Ernst Schnellbacher. A number of prominent local civic personalities and businessmen can be found amongst the early and founding members of the German Lutheran Church including E.F. Hohenrein, Oswald Hillerns, and Jonas Ellerman a prominent businessman and father of Sir John Ellerman of the famous shipping company.

The congregation initially held its services at the Bethesda Chapel, Osborne Street (the site of the current Danish Church of St Nicholas). In 1859 a chapel was acquired in Nile Street and the German Lutheran Church removed to this location. The Nile Street building was added to in 1884 when a schoolhouse was constructed following an appeal for funds to undertake this work. At the turn of the century the Nile Street Church building was in disrepair and in 1910 a bazaar was held and a donation sent by the Oberkirchenrat towards the building of a new church. This appeal was administered by Oswald Hillerns, Esquire, who had been Treasurer for almost 27 years. A new building was designed by Mr Oswald Hillerns Junior of London, Architect. The building was to be constructed on the same site as the old church in Nile Street, and the contract for the building work was given to Mark Harper of Hull.

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During the Second World War the old church on Nile Street was closed, its pastor was interned and the church was used as a store by a local dairy. It was opened again in 1947 with Pastor Werner as the first post-war Minister. The congregation remained in Nile Street until the 1960s when a compulsory purchase order was issued by Hull Corporation. Following this order the congregation found a new home in Cottingham Road and the first service in the new German Lutheran Church was held in April 1968. The congregation of the Church is known to have co-operated closely with the Committee of the German Evangelical Seamen's Mission (Humber District) founded in 1886. The Mission operated a Seamen's Home at 12 Charlotte Street, Hull, which opened in 1890. The two bodies appear to have formed closer links in 1968 when the German Lutheran Church Centre and Seamen's Mission was opened at 78 Sunny Bank.

The congregation continued at these premises for the next 24 years but in August 1992 due to decreasing numbers and financial pressures the Cottingham Road buildings were sold to 'Hull Community Church'. At this time the congregation's belongings including its silverware, alter bible, and records were removed from the buildings, although a bell donated to the congregation in 1910 remained in the bell tower until sold in 2005 to Holy Trinity Church where it is now in active use. The alter bible, which had been a gift of the Empress Augusta Victoria in 1911, went missing from the possessions of the congregation after 1992. Whilst an arrangement had been made to continue to hold services at the church for the next 50 years, this agreement was terminated and the congregation instead held its services at the Danish Church, Osborne Street.

Over the years the congregation has held many events including Christmas bazaars and dinners, concerts, and special services. It has also celebrated various significant occasions in the Hull Church's history with services, receptions and dinners, including the 50th anniversary in 1898, 100th anniversary in 1948, 125th anniversary in 1973, and 150th anniversary in April 1998. Unfortunately this was to be the last major anniversary of the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Due to diminishing congregation numbers the Church was dissolved in 2010 and a final meeting was held at the Danish Church, Osborne Street, on the 18 November 2010. It was agreed that the Church's assets should be given away, and so some of its silverware was sent to a needy church in Germany whilst the rest was donated to the Hull Museums Service.

Custodial History: Deposited in two parts, half by Mr. Maynard, Council for German Work in July 2010 on the instructions of Mrs H. Storey a member of the German Lutheran Church, and half by Mrs Storey. Further deposits followed in 2013, 2014 and 2016, all made by Mrs Storey.

Description: Records created by members and officers of the Hull German Lutheran Church in Hull. Contains the following: Correspondence, 1915-2005 [C DCGL/1]; Registers and Ledgers, 1953-1996 [C DCGL/2]; Annual Reports, 1867-1974 [C DCGL/3]; Constitutions, 1884-1998 [C DCGL/4]; Deeds, 1887-2007 [C DCGL/5]; Plans, 1878-1910 [C DCGL/6]; Photographs, 1910-2010 [C DCGL/7]; Press Cuttings, 1956-1973 [C DCGL/8]; Publicity Material, 1910-1980s [C DCGL/9]; Articles and History Writing, 1898-1998 [C DCGL/10]; Appeal Funds and Donation Lists, 1869-1884 [C DCGL/11]; Printing Blocks and Stamps, 19th-20th cent. [C DCGL/12]; Invoices and Receipts, 1915-1938 [C DCGL/13]; Certificates of Registration: Places of Worship, 1949-1969 [C DCGL/14]; Orders of Service, 1968-1998 [C DCGL/15]; Minutes, 1971-2010 [C DCGL/16]; Miscellaneous, 1910-2011 [C DCGL/17]. Note that records within this collection are written largely in German with some being written in English.

Arrangement: Collection has been arranged into the following 17 series:

- C DCGL/1 Correspondence, 1915-2005
- C DCGL/2 Registers and Ledgers, 1953-1996
- C DCGL/3 Annual Reports, 1867-1974
- C DCGL/4 Constitutions, 1884-1998
- C DCGL/5 Deeds, 1887-2007
- C DCGL/6 Plans, 1878-1910
- C DCGL/7 Photographs, 1910-2010
- C DCGL/8 Press Cuttings, 1956-1973
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- C DCGL/10 Articles and History Writing, 1898-1998
- C DCGL/11 Appeal Funds and Donation Lists, 1869-1884
- C DCGL/12 Printing Blocks and Stamps, 19th-20th cent.
- C DCGL/13 Invoices and Receipts, 1915-1938
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- C DCGL/15 Orders of Service, 1968-1998
- C DCGL/16 Minutes, 1951-2010
- C DCGL/17 Miscellaneous, 1910-2011

Extent: 0.0375m³; 3 boxes

Related Materials: Related material held at Hull History Centre:

- SRL/T/37 An alphabetical extraction of the registers of the German Church, Hull. Includes Births and Baptisms 1881-1990; Marriages 1879-1989 and Burials 1848-1872. n.d. by Len Metzner, hon. Member Anglo-German Family History Society [Transcriptions Box 6];
- SRL/T/Roll 90 Microfilms of the birth, marriage, and death registers of the German Lutheran Church in Hull [Searchroom Cabinet E7];
- L DBHR Papers of the Hohenrein Family, c.1873-1998;
- C DIMJ Items relating to the Hohenrein and Ross family, 1864-1957;
- C TCC/2/121 Petition for the proposal to appoint public house inspectors, c.1890s, Petition of 71 clergy, giving degree, address and denomination (includes clergy of the German Lutheran Church).

Access Conditions: Access will be granted to any accredited reader, except for those items closed at the request of the depositor

Language: German and English

C DCGL/1	Correspondence Correspondence of various members and officers the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Language: German and English. Note that some items within this series have been closed at the request of the depositor. 8 items	1915-2005
C DCGL/1/1	Correspondence File: Newcastle Lutheran Conference Letters sent to Reverend C.O.H. Werner in relation to the organisation of a 'Laymen's Conference' by the Lutheran Council of Great Britain. The conference is arranged to be held at the Danish Mission Church, 4 Eslington Road, Jesmond, Newcastle, on 19 Jul 1952. Werner is requested to 'advise his people in Newcastle' and invite them to attend. He is also requested to ask 'one of the most gifted laymen' in Newcastle to give a talk at the conference. Language: German and English. 1 file (14 pieces)	23 Jun 1952- 13 Oct 1952
C DCGL/1/2	Correspondence File: Compulsory Purchase of the German Lutheran Church, Nile Street Relates to compulsory purchase by Hull Corporation of the German Lutheran Church and associated dwelling house in Nile Street in 1964. Note that a redevelopment plan for the Nile Street/Osborne Street area was discussed in 1960 at which time the Church were informed of the possible compulsory purchase of the Nile Street site. Includes secretary's letters and some papers, the later of which relate to the new church building and seamen's mission property at 72 Sunny Bank, Cottingham Road. Language: German and English. 1 file	1 Aug 1960- 18 Jan 1965
C DCGL/1/3	Correspondence File: Dedication of New German Lutheran Church in Hull Relates to service of dedication and a dinner at the Royal Station Hotel on 25 May 1968 to mark the dedication of the new church building at Cottingham Road. Letters sent to Pastor E.H. Schaar and Herr. Pfarrer from various persons including Norman S. Helmsing, John C. Helmsing, Herman and Fran Werner, Paster Hansen and Paster Boeckheler, Ernst Meyer-Herman, Language: German and English. 1 file (6 pieces)	28 Apr 1968- 22 Dec 1968

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| C DCGL/1/4 | <p>Correspondence File: 150th Anniversary of the German Lutheran Church in Hull</p> <p>Relates to attendance at a service held to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the foundation of the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Letters sent to F.H. Grewe as Honorary Secretary of the church from various persons including Bernd Wondrak of Kassel, the office of the Deputy Prime Minister John Prescott, the Synodalrat at the German YMCA in London, Reverend Paul Flowers of the Methodist Church Bridlington Circuit, H.F. Clarke, and David Hylton of Hull Community Church.</p> <p>Language: German and English.</p> <p>1 file (7 pieces)</p> | <p>2 Mar 1998-
5 Jul 1998</p> |
| C DCGL/1/5 | <p>Correspondence File: Bell of the German Lutheran Church in Hull</p> <p>Relates to the purchase of a bell belonging to the German Lutheran Church in Hull by David Stipetic, the steeple keeper of Holy Trinity Church in Hull. Note that the bell was originally given to the German Lutheran congregation by the Heirrich Schneider family on 22 Mar 1911 and was used at both the Nile Street and Cottingham Road churches before being sold. Letters refer to the purchase of the bell, the restoration of the bell paid for by a donation from the congregation, a dedication ceremony at Holy Trinity Church following the installation of the restored bell, the naming of the bell the Lady Eleanor Anne Rollit on 16 May 2004,</p> <p>Language: English.</p> <p>1 file (7 pieces)</p> | <p>7 Dec 2003-
12 Aug 2005</p> |
| C DCGL/1/6 | <p>Correspondence File: Sale of the German Lutheran Church at Cottingham Road</p> <p>Relates to the sale of the church and seamen's mission buildings at Cottingham Road to Hull Community Church in 1992 and to the termination of an agreement that the German Lutheran congregation would rent the building for the next 50 years. Includes a log of proceedings and negotiations in the run up to the sale.</p> <p>Language: German and English.</p> <p>Closed at the depositor's request for 30 years until Jan 2043</p> <p>1 file</p> | <p>28 Feb 1990-
1 Dec 1998</p> |

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C DCGL/1/7	<p>Correspondence File: Break with the Synod Council in London</p> <p>Relates to strained relations amongst the between the German Lutheran Church in Hull and to a break with the Synod Council of the German Church in London.</p> <p>Language: German and English.</p> <p>Closed at the depositor's request for 30 years until Jan 2043</p> <p>1 file</p>	Sep 1996- 6 Sep 1998
C DCGL/1/8	<p>File: Miscellaneous Correspondence</p> <p>Contains loose correspondence found amongst the collection.</p> <p>Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">i) Photocopy of a letter written in English sent to the German Lutheran Church in Hull by Geo. W. Richardson, Secretary of the Hull Master Butchers' Association, Richardson requests that all German and Austrian born members of the Association resign owing to 'the pressure of public opinion'. Note that the letterhead identifies Mr C.H. Hohenrein, a member of the church, as the vice-president of the Association, 20 May 1915;ii) Photocopy of a letter written in German sent by D.M. Niemoller as President of the Kirchliches Aukenamt der Ev. Kirche in Deutschland, to G. Dalheim of Hull, 28 Jun 1949;iii) Photocopy of a letter written in German sent by Dr W. Melchers of the Bundeskanzleramt Organisationsbuero fuer die Konsularisch-Wirtschaftlichen Vertretungen in Ausland, to T.G. Dalheim of Hull, 13 Mar 1950;iv) Postcard written in German sent from Germany to the Reverend Hermann Weiner at Anlaby Park, 12 Feb 1953;v) Copy letters written in German sent by Pastor E.H. Schaar of Hull to the Pastor of Sheffield and Manchester G. Meyer, 27 Aug 1968-19 Dec 1968;vi) Letter written in English sent by Eleanor Richardson, great granddaughter of a former pastor [John Kruger?] of the German Lutheran Church whilst at Nile Street, to Pastor Schnellbacher, Richardson informs him of a piece of pottery in her possession which she believes belonged to her great granddfather whilst Pastor, 14 Apr 1972;vii) Letter written in English sent by Ernst L. Schnellbacher informing the Chief Constable of Humberside that the Parsonage building attached to the church in Cottingham Road will be vacant from 25 Aug 1982-Feb 1983, 16 Aug 1982;	1915-2004

viii) Letter in English sent by Hjordis Kjaergaard as Pastor of the Danish Church in Hull to Ms Dalheim informing her of an increase in costs relating to the use of the Danish Church, Osborne Street, by the German Lutheran congregation, 2004.

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C DCGL/2	Registers and Ledgers Registers and ledgers recording the activities and business of the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Includes a Sacristy Book and a Confirmation Register. Language: German and English. 3 items	1951-1996
C DCGL/2/1	Confirmation Register Small hardbound notebook kept by various pastors of the German Lutheran Church in Hull as a 'Verzeichnis det Konfirmauden' (Confirmation Register) to record confirmations taking place at various places including Hull, Lincoln, Wolverhampton, Nottingham. The register was begun by Reverend C.O.H. Werner and the first entry is recorded on 23 Aug 1953, his final entry takes place on the 21 May 1961 and after this the register is used by subsequent pastors. Confirmations of the following persons are recorded: Kathleen Whitehead, 23 Aug 1953; Melani Bock, Erna Bock, H. Sobecki, Eva Sablowski, 28 Nov 1953; Brigitte Hille, Erika Agnes Elizabeth Dalheim, Annegold Rademacher, Juliane Maria Liepelt, 29 Sep 1955; Heidiren Braatz, 24 Nov 1956; Flora Mildred Scauffe nee Stoddard, 28 Jun 1959; Eileen Frost nee Wilcocks, 10 Apr 1960; Dr B. Isserlin, 29 May 1960; Beonhard Dieter Griga, Hans Joachim Walter Richard Horuk, Manfred Frank Pittman, Syliva Watson, Barbel Norton, D. Norton, Christine Smith, 25 May 1961; Marina K., 20 Oct 1961; Moniker Hanna Elizabeth Fakesch, 14 May 1961; Valda Jhara Karklins, Voldemar Raimonds Karklins, 12 May 1974; Thomas Schnellbacher, Judith Schnellbacher, 12 Jun 1977; Katrin Freeman, 26 Jun 1977; Sabina Britta Elizabeth Furey, 1 Apr 1979; Anita Jean Eileen Herron, Katharina Schnellbacher, 25 May 1980; Ute Margarete Reusch, 2 Oct 1983; Tania Storey, 10 Jun 1984; Thomas Reusch, Stefan Terry, 16 Apr 1989.	23 Aug 1953- 16 Apr 1989

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Enclosed is an order of service for confirmation of 'Kathleen', the first English born and speaking person to be confirmed in the German Lutheran Church in Hull, prepared by Reverend C.O.H. Werner, 23 Aug 1953.
Language: German and English.
1 item

C DCGL/2/2	Sacristy Book 'Sakristeibuch' of the German Lutheran Church in Hull recording ledger entries under the following headings: Name des Tages; Datum; Art des Gottesdienstes; Predigttext; Liturg und Prediger; Ertrag; Bestimmung der Kollekte; Signa der Opfergabenzahler; Anzahl der Teilnehmer; Kommunikanten; Bemerkungen. Language: German. 1 item	1 Jan 1964- 27 Oct 1996
C DCGL/2/3	Sacristy Book 'Sakristeibuch' of the German Lutheran Church in Hull recording numbers in the congregation on given days and the amount of donations made	14 Nov 1951- 24 Jan 1960
C DCGL/3	Annual Reports Annual Reports (Jahresbericht) of the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Note that this is an incomplete series consisting of random survivals and contains many gaps. Language: German. 3 items	1867-1974
C DCGL/3/1	File: Annual Reports Draft 'Jahresbericht' (annual reports) of the pastors of the German Lutheran Church in Hull [sent to Berlin?]. Includes reports of the following pastors: Brecht; Raben; Becker; Zander. Language: German. 1 file	1867-1900
C DCGL/3/2	File: Annual Reports and Accounts File contains printed Annual Reports and Accounts of the German Lutheran Church in Hull for the following years: 1878; 1888; 1889; 1890; 1891; 1911. Language: German. 1 file (6 pieces)	1878-1911
C DCGL/3/3	Annual Report Synod of German Speaking Churches in the UK Annual Report (Jahresbericht) for the clergymen's office of Hull. Provides statistics under various	1974

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headings for Hull and Lincoln.
Language: German.
1 item

C DCGL/4	Constitutions Contains various revisions of the constitution (Verfassung) of the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Language: German and English. 12 items	1884-1998
C DCGL/4/1	Verfassung (Constitution) of the German Lutheran Community in Hull Dated 25 Jun 1868, accepted Feb 1869, and revised Jan 1884. Note that the following names are listed at the end of the document under the revision date: Pfeiffer, Pastor; A. Dreyer; E.F. Hohenrein; O. Hillerns; L. Hermann; W. Schultetus; C. Stephan; J. Holich; J. Schureley; L. Keller; C. Reinhardt; F. Helmsing; H.L. Henrichs. Language: German. 1 item	Jan 1884
C DCGL/4/2	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: German. 1 item	28 Apr 1973
C DCGL/4/3	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: German. 1 item	28 Jun 1981
C DCGL/4/4	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: English. 1 item	28 Jun 1981
C DCGL/4/5	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: German. 1 item	28 Jun 1981
C DCGL/4/6	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: English. 1 item	28 Jun 1981
C DCGL/4/7	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: German. 1 item	27 Jul 1981

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C DCGL/4/8	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Annotated copy. Language: German. 1 item	27 Jul 1981
C DCGL/4/9	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: German. 1 item	10 Feb 1990
C DCGL/4/10	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: German. 1 item	6 Mar 1990
C DCGL/4/11	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: English. 1 item	14 May 1994
C DCGL/4/12	Constitution of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: German. 1 item	15 Mar 1998
C DCGL/5	Deeds Deeds relating to the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Language: English. 7 items	1887-2007
C DCGL/5/1	Copy Conveyance 1. William Schultetus, Merchant and German Consul, Georg Friedrich Hohenrein, Pork Butcher, Charles August Dreyer, Painter and Decorator, Oswald Hillerns, Merchant, all of Kingston upon Hull 2. Henry Saxelbye of Kingston upon Hull, Solicitor 3. William Schultetus, Georg Friedrich Hohenrein, Charles August Dreyer, Oswald Hillerns. Consideration £1.19.0. Conveyance of hereditaments upon trust for the German Lutheran Church at Hull. Language: English. 1 item	20 Jan 1887

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C DCGL/5/2	<p>Copy Trust Deed</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Mrs Helga Stephens of Beverley, Gertrud Olga Anita Dalheim of Kingston upon Hull, Heinz Siedler of Goole, Trustees2. Pastor Ernst Ludwig Schnellbacher of the German Lutheran Church Cottingham Road, Chairman <p>In relation to freehold property known as the German Lutheran Church Cottingham Road. Language: English. 1 item</p>	4 Sep 1979
C DCGL/5/3	<p>Copy Agreement</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Trustees of the North Hull Christian Fellowship (now known as Hull Community Church) to2. Trustees of the German Lutheran Church and Seamans Mission Kingston upon Hull; <p>Rental agreement in relation to No.310 Newland Avenue, Hull, formerly the German Lutheran Church and sold to the Hull Community Church in August 1992. Language: English. 1 item</p>	27 Nov 1992
C DCGL/5/4	<p>Copy Deed of Legal Charge</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Trustees of the North Hull Christian Fellowship (now known as Hull Community Church), the Borrower, to2. Trustees of the German Lutheran Church and Seamans Mission Kingston upon Hull, the Lender; <p>Relates to No.310 Newland Avenue, Hull, formerly the German Lutheran Church and sold to the Hull Community Church in August 1992. Language: English. 1 item</p>	27 Nov 1992
C DCGL/5/5	<p>Copy Transfer</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Trustees of the North Hull Christian Fellowship (now known as Hull Community Church) to2. Trustees of the German Lutheran Church and Seamans Mission Kingston upon Hull; <p>Transfer of No.310 Newland Avenue, Hull, formerly the German Lutheran Church and sold to the Hull Community Church in August 1992. Language: English. 1 item</p>	27 Nov 1992

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C DCGL/5/6	<p>Copy Trust Deed</p> <p>1. Miss J.A.R. Dalheim & Others and 2. Pastorin R. Harrison-Zehelein; Relates to the property of the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Language: English. 1 item</p>	10 Mar 1998
C DCGL/5/7	<p>Copy Deed of Appointment</p> <p>1. R.J.A. Dalheim of Hull, Chairman, and 2. Friedrich Heinz Grewe and Rosemarie Johanna Amelie Dalheim of Hull, and 3. Ingrid Bootyman of Hull; Appointment of Ingrid Bootyman as a new trustee of the the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Language: English. 1 item</p>	20 May 2007
C DCGL/6	<p>Plans</p> <p>Plans relating to buildings owned and associated with the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Language: English. 2 items</p>	1878-1910
C DCGL/6/1	<p>Plan: Nile Street Church Seating</p> <p>Hand drawn plan of the interior seating layout of the old German Lutheran Church in Nile Street, Hull. Note that seats are numbered and a key denoting names assigned to seats is present on the plan. 1 item</p>	1878
C DCGL/6/2	<p>Plan: Proposed New Nile Street Church</p> <p>Copy of a hand drawn plan of proposed church to be built in Nile Street, Hull, for the German Lutheran Congregation. Shows floor plans and section elevations, and was prepared by Oswald Hillerns, Architect, and copied at the City Treasurers Department on the 29 Dec 1954. Language: English. 1 item</p>	Mar 1910
C DCGL/7	<p>Photographs</p> <p>Photographs associated with the German Lutheran Church in Hull 28 items</p>	1910-2010
C DCGL/7/1	<p>Photographs: Interior of Nile Street Church</p> <p>Black and white mounted photographs showing the alter and benches, lecturn, and font inside the German Lutheran Church, Nile Street 1 file (3 pieces)</p>	c.1910

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C DCGL/7/2	<p>Photograph: Exterior of Nile Street Church Sepia postcard showing the building belonging to the German Lutheran Church in Hull 1 item</p>	c.1910
C DCGL/7/3	<p>Photograph: Exterior of Nile Street Church Black and white photograph showing a man stood in the entrance of the church, to the right of the entrance can be seen a large window under which is the foundation stone of the building 1 item</p>	c.1910
C DCGL/7/4	<p>Photograph: Alter in the Nile Street Church Black and white photograph showing the alter of the Nile Street Church on which is place the alter bible, silverware, and crucifix belonging to the German Lutheran Church in Hull 1 item</p>	c.1960s
C DCGL/7/5	<p>Photograph: Congregation Members Outside 78 Sunny Bank Colour photograph of a large group of members standing in front of the German Lutheran Church Centre and Seamen's Mission building at 78 Sunny Bank 1 item</p>	1962
C DCGL/7/6	<p>Photograph: Opening and consecration of the German Lutheran Church Centre and Seamen's Mission, Sunny Bank Black and white photograph showing Paster Hafermann the senior of the Synod of German Speaking Churches in the UK, Pastor Haamann associated with the Seamen's Mission, Pastor Gafert of Hull, Pastor Weiler of Liverpool stood in front of the German Lutheran Church Centre and Seamen's Mission at 78 Sunny Bank, Hull 1 item</p>	12 Jul 1962
C DCGL/7/7	<p>Photograph: Opening and consecration of the German Lutheran Church Centre and Seamen's Mission, Sunny Bank Black and white photograph showing two clergymen stood in the doorway to the German Lutheran Church Centre and Seamen's Mission, 78 Sunny Bank, Hull 1 item</p>	12 Jul 1962
C DCGL/7/8	<p>Photograph: Interior of 78 Sunny Bank Black and white photograph showing the living room of a house occupied by Pastor Gafert 1 item</p>	12 Jul 1962

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C DCGL/7/9	<p>Photograph: Exterior of Cottingham Road Church and Seamen's Mission</p> <p>Black and white postcard showing the exterior of the German Lutheran Church on Cottingham Road opening in 1968, photograph taken from Hardy Street side</p> <p>1 item</p>	1968
C DCGL/7/10	<p>Photographs: Chistmas Bazaar and Dinner</p> <p>Black and white reproduction photographs taken during a Christmas Bazaar and Dinner held by the German Lutheran Church at Cottingham Road</p> <p>1 file (3 pieces)</p>	c.1970s
C DCGL/7/11	<p>Photograph: 125th Anniversary</p> <p>Black and white reproduction photograph of the Congregation of the German Lutheran Church in Hull stood outside the Church on Cottingham Road, taken on the occasion of a service celebrating the 125th anniversary of the Church in Hull</p> <p>1 item</p>	1973
C DCGL/7/12	<p>Photograph: Visit of the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress of Hull</p> <p>Black and white reproduction photograph of Pastor Schnellbacher, Heinz Sieder of Goole Christian Mariner's Association, and the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress of Hull, taken during a visit of the two civic dignitaries to the German Lutheran Church in Hull on Cottingham Road</p> <p>1 item</p>	1974
C DCGL/7/13	<p>Photographs: Event at the German Lutheran Church on Cottingham Road</p> <p>Colour photographs taken during an event held by the German Lutheran Church at the church and Seamen's Mission on Cottingham Road</p> <p>1 file (2 pieces)</p>	20 May 1976
C DCGL/7/14	<p>Photograph: Christmas Dinner</p> <p>Colour reproduction photograph taken during a Christmas dinner held by the German Lutheran Church at Cottingham Road</p> <p>1 item</p>	Dec 1979
C DCGL/7/15	<p>Photographs: Meeting</p> <p>Colour photographs of members of the German Lutheran Church in Hull taken during a meeting [at the German Lutheran Church and Seamen's Mission on Cottingham Road?]</p> <p>1 file (2 pieces)</p>	c.1990s

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C DCGL/7/16	<p>Photographs: Exterior of the German Lutheran Church and Seamen's Mission on Cottingham Road</p> <p>Colour photographs of the exterior of the building showing scaffolding on one wall and the notice board standing in the grounds, taken by Dorothea Puzey during alteration work to the building. Note that the building was sold to 'Community Church' in Aug 1992.</p> <p>1 file (3 pieces)</p>	21 Mar 1993
C DCGL/7/17	<p>Photographs: Advent 1996</p> <p>Colour photographs of members of the German Lutheran Church at the Cottingham Road German Lutheran Church Centre and Seamen's Mission</p> <p>1 file (3 pieces)</p>	1996
C DCGL/7/18	<p>Photograph: Danish Church, Osborne Street</p> <p>Colour photograph of members of the German Lutheran Church in Hull taken in the summer of 1998 by 'Anita' in front of the alter inside the Danish Church, Osborne Street. The following persons are shown: Mrs Puzey; Mr Scotney; Mrs Hees; Mrs Duddles; Mr Crewe; Mr Foster; Mrs Robinson; H. Haberton; Fr. Haberton; Rosie.</p> <p>1 item</p>	1998
C DCGL/7/19	<p>Photographs: 150th Anniversary</p> <p>Colour photographs of members of the German Lutheran Church in Hull on the occasion of their 150th anniversary celebrations, taken at the Danish Church, Osborne Street, Hull</p> <p>1 file (3 pieces)</p>	19 Apr 1998
C DCGL/7/20	<p>Photograph: Meeting</p> <p>Colour photograph of a meeting of the German Lutheran Church in Hull, taken at the Danish Church, Osborne Street</p> <p>1 item</p>	1 May 2002
C DCGL/7/21	<p>Photograph: Meeting</p> <p>Colour photograph two members of the German Lutheran Church in Hull, taken during a meeting at the Danish Church, Osborne Street</p> <p>1 item</p>	19 Dec 2004
C DCGL/7/22	<p>Photograph: Meeting</p> <p>Colour photograph of Fran Puzey, a member of the German Lutheran Church in Hull, talking to an elderly gentleman, taken at the Danish Church, Osborne Street</p> <p>1 item</p>	c.2005

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C DCGL/7/23	<p>Photographs: Bell belonging to the German Lutheran Church</p> <p>Colour photographs showing the bell formerly belonging to the German Lutheran Church in Hull being lifted into the tower of Holy Trinity Church, from where it was first rung on 2 Aug 2005. The bell had been given to the German Lutheran Church in Hull by the Heirrich Schneider family on 22 Mar 1911 and was used at both the Nile Street and Cottingham Road churches. In 2003 it was purchased by David Stipetick of Holy Trinity Church and its restoration prior to installation at Holy Trinity was paid for by money donated by members of the German Lutheran Church.</p> <p>1 file (3 pieces)</p>	16 Jul 2005
C DCGL/7/24	<p>Photograph: Outing to Goathland</p> <p>Colour photograph of three members of the German Lutheran Church in Hull in front of the entrance to a public house, taken whilst on an outing to Goathland</p> <p>1 item</p>	7 Aug 2005
C DCGL/7/25	<p>Photographs: Silverware</p> <p>Colour photographs of a ciborium, candlesticks, and a dish belonging to the German Lutheran Church Hull</p> <p>1 file (6 pieces)</p>	11 Jan 2008
C DCGL/7/26	<p>Photographs: Silverware</p> <p>Colour photographs of a plate, chalice, and dish belonging to the German Lutheran Church Hull</p> <p>1 file (3 pieces)</p>	11 Apr 2010
C DCGL/7/27	<p>Photograph: Dedication Plaque</p> <p>Colour photograph of a white marble dedication plaque originally set in the Nile Street Church building. Note that the dedication is in German which in literal translation reads 'For the lasting memory and the honoured appreciation of the commendable, richly blessed effectiveness of the long-standing Chairman, current honorary member of the parish church council Mr Consul F. Helmsing Dedicated from the Parish of the German Lutheran Church in Kingston upon Hull 17th October 1884'. Note that when the church was dissolved in 2010 the plaque was in the possession of a Mr Graham Slight who was allowed to keep it with the consent of the remaining former church members by an agreement made 4 Jul 2011.</p> <p>1 item</p>	20 Nov 2010

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C DCGL/7/28	Photographs: Miscellaneous Negatives Negatives of photographs associated with members of and events held by the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Includes negatives of the following: Holborn Street; Erika Dalheim; German Lutheran Church meetings at the Danish Church, Osborne Street; German Lutheran Church meetings at Cottingham Road 1 file	1976-2010
C DCGL/8	Press Cuttings Press cuttings relating to the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: English. 15 items	1956-1973
C DCGL/8/1	Press Cutting: Hull to Have New Lutheran Church Move of the congregation's church from a location in Nile Street Church to Cottingham Road following a compulsory purchase order on the building in Nile Street by the Hull Corporation Language: English. 1 item	n.d.
C DCGL/8/2	Press Cutting: New Church Sees First Wedding First wedding in the Cottingham Road church, wedding of Mr Michael Key and Miss Magrit Cornall Language: English. 1 item	n.d.
C DCGL/8/3	Press Cutting: Festive Bazaar at Mission German Christmas Bazaar at the Cottingham Road church opened by Pastor Ernst Schnellbacher, includes photograph of Anne Marie Norton an 11 year old helper at the bazaar Language: English. 1 item	n.d.
C DCGL/8/4	Press Cutting: Germans Come to Lincoln Service Service held by Pastor C.O.H. Werner at St Mary Magdalene Church in Lincoln. Language: English. 1 item	16 Sep 1956
C DCGL/8/4a	Press Cutting: 'Schubert had more real rhythm than a dozen hepcats' Article written by Barbara Duncanson concerning a concert held at the Nile Street German Lutheran Church. Language: English. 1 item	c.1959

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C DCGL/8/5	Press Cutting: Newcomer Sings at Hull Concert Concert at the Nile Street German Church involving artists including Eric Wright, Stanley Ashforth, Sybil Dunn, and Gordon Davidson Language: English. 1 item	22 Mar 1960
C DCGL/8/6	Press Cutting: Was Hull 'father' of German Community Death of Mr Theodor Gustav Dalheim Language: English. 1 item	20 Oct 1969
C DCGL/8/7	Press Cutting: Lutheran Pastor to Preach in St John's Pastor Schnellbacher to preach at a service conducted by Rev Michael Vickers at St Johns, Newland Language: English. 1 item	7 May 1971
C DCGL/8/8	Press Cutting: Bringing the Alps to Hull Slide show given at church by Pastor E.L. Schnellbacher Language: English. 1 item	30 Sep 1971
C DCGL/8/9	Press Cutting: Pastor Ernst Likes to Play his Guitar Biography of Pastor Ernst Schnellbacher Language: English. 1 item	28 Nov 1971
C DCGL/8/10	Press Cutting: Ladybird Ladybird Note in the Hull German Lutheran Church newsletter relating to Pastor E.L. Schnellbaecher's interest in ladybirds Language: English. 1 item	7 Dec 1971
C DCGL/8/11	Press Cutting: Good Questions Stories appearing in the Hull German Lutheran Church newsletter Language: English. 1 item	15 Mar 1972
C DCGL/8/12	Press Cutting: No Gift of Tongues Speech given by Captain I.E. Allison on the occasion of the 125th anniversary celebrations of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: English. 1 item	28 May 1973

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C DCGL/8/13	<p>Press Cutting: Lutherans Celebrate 125 Years Worship in Hull Special service marking 125th anniversary and the 5th anniversary of the Cottingham Road Church Language: English. 1 item</p>	28 May 1973
C DCGL/8/14	<p>Press Cutting: German Lutheran Church Celebrates Celebrations relating to the 125th anniversary of the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: English. 1 item</p>	28 May 1973
C DCGL/9	<p>Publicity Material Brochures, pamphlets, programmes etc relating to events associated with the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Language: English. 4 items</p>	1907-1980s
C DCGL/9/1	<p>Programme Programme relating to a 'Weihnachtsfeier' at the Hull New Corn Exchange. Language: German. 1 item</p>	2 Jan 1907
C DCGL/9/2	<p>Bazaar Festchrift Bazaar brochure produced in 1910 to raise funds towards the building of a new church for the German Lutheran Congregation in Hull on the site of their old church in Nile Street which building required financially prohibitive renovations. The Brochure gives a brief history of the beginnings of the German Lutheran Church in Hull and its development to 1910. The Bazaar was held in the Central Hall, Pryme Street. Please note that a photocopy is present also. Language: English. 1 item (2 pieces)</p>	1910
C DCGL/9/3	<p>Programme Relates to the laying of the foundation stone of a new church centre and Seamen's Mission at Cottingham Road, Newland, on 22 Jul 1967. Foundation stone laid by H.G. Rosenstein aided by T.G. Dalheim, R.H. Rosner, and J. Mather. Language: English. 1 item</p>	22 Jul 1967

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| C DCGL/9/4 | <p>Pamphlet
Welcome leaflet prepared by Goole Christian Mariners Association Club, Bridge Street, Goole, issued to seamen arriving at Goole. Provides details of church service times for various denominations, gives the name and address of the port chaplain, and shows a map of Goole.
Language: English.
1 item</p> | c.1980s |
| C DCGL/10 | <p>Articles and History Writing
Articles, summaries and notes relating to the history of the German Lutheran Church in Hull.
Language: German and English.
4 items</p> | 1898-1998 |
| C DCGL/10/1 | <p>Pamphlet: 'Ein Bild aus der Diaspora des Auslandes - Die Deutsch-Lutherische Kirche in Hull (England) 1848-1898'
Written by Pastor Zander and sent to the German Lutheran Church headquarters in Germany, written on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the foundation of the Church in Hull.
Language: German.
1 item</p> | c.1898 |
| C DCGL/10/2 | <p>Summary Article: Important information and events in the history of the German Lutheran Church Community of Hull
Written by T.S. Dalheim and covers the period 1848-1951. Note that the title in German is 'Wichtige Daten und Vorgaenge in der Geschichte der Deutschen Lutherischen Kirchengemeinde zu Hull'.
Language: German.
1 item</p> | c.1950s |
| C DCGL/10/3 | <p>Draft Article: '125th Anniversary of the German Lutheran Church in Hull'
Article/statement relating to the anniversary celebrations of the Congregation to be held 26 May 1973 and to include a special service followed by a reception in the church hall and a supper. Note that the celebrations also commemorate the opening of the new Cottingham Road Church on the 25 May 1968.
Language: German.
1 item</p> | 1973 |

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C DCGL/10/4	<p>Article: 'Between Common Wealth and Common Market'</p> <p>Article by Ernst L. Schnellbacher written on the occasion of the 150th Anniversary of the foundation of the German Lutheran Church, Hull, in 1848.</p> <p>Language: English.</p> <p>1 item</p>	1998
C DCGL/11	<p>Appeal Funds and Donation Lists</p> <p>Appeals and lists of donations made by individuals to appeals made by the German Lutheran Church in Hull.</p> <p>Language: German and English.</p> <p>2 items</p>	1869-1884
C DCGL/11/1	<p>Donations List</p> <p>List of donors and their contributions towards the conversion of a school house in Nile Street belonging to the German Lutheran Community in Hull. Total donations: £208.17.0.</p> <p>Language: German.</p> <p>1 item</p>	c.1884
C DCGL/11/2	<p>Appeal Fund Account</p> <p>Appeal for funds to redress the balance on a mortgage owing due to the purchase of the Nile Street Church in 1859 and list of individual subscriptions to said appeal. Note that on the reverse of the appeal is an undated manuscript list of donations made towards the building of a school room and alterations to 'the house'.</p> <p>Language: English.</p> <p>1 item</p>	1869
C DCGL/12	<p>Printing Blocks and Stamps</p> <p>Printing blocks and stamps used by the German Lutheran Church in Hull to authenticate documents and reproduce images on publicity material produced</p> <p>2 items</p>	19th-20th cent.
C DCGL/12/1	<p>Printing Plate</p> <p>Brass printing plate mounted on wooden block showing image of a church building with several persons in the grounds outside, possibly the old German Lutheran Church in Hull</p> <p>1 item</p>	19th cent.

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C DCGL/12/2	<p>Printing Plate</p> <p>Metal printing plate mounted on wooden block showing image of a church building, possibly the new German Lutheran Church in Hull</p> <p>1 item</p>	20th cent.
C DCGL/12/3	<p>Stamp</p> <p>Mounted metal stamp with wooden handle. Stamp is circular and features the insignia of the German Lutheran Church of Hull in the centre with text around edge of circle. Text reads 'Hull Deutsche Lutherische Kirche und Seemannsmission'.</p> <p>Language: German.</p> <p>1 item</p>	20th cent.
C DCGL/13	<p>Invoices and Receipts</p> <p>Invoices and receipts relating to the financial activities of the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Includes files relating to the following: Building and maintenance work; Income Tax; Highway, District and Water Rates; Insurance policies; Electricity supply; Poor Rate contributions within the parish of Holy Trinity and St Mary; Gas supply.</p> <p>Language: English.</p> <p>7 files</p>	1914-1938
C DCGL/13/1	<p>File: Building and Maintenance Work Invoices and Receipts</p> <p>Relating to the German Lutheran Church in Hull, Nile Street Church</p> <p>1 file (49 pieces)</p>	22 May 1914- 7 Jul 1938
C DCGL/13/2	<p>File: Income Tax Invoices and Receipts</p> <p>Relating to the German Lutheran Church in Hull, Nile Street Church</p> <p>1 file (23 pieces)</p>	1 Jan 1916- 30 Jan 1929
C DCGL/13/3	<p>File: Highway, District and Water Rates Invoices and Receipts</p> <p>Relating to the German Lutheran Church in Hull, Nile Street Church</p> <p>1 file (27 pieces)</p>	23 Jun 1915- 19 Oct 1926
C DCGL/13/4	<p>File: Insurance Policies Invoices and Receipts</p> <p>Relating to the German Lutheran Church in Hull, Nile Street Church</p> <p>1 file (23 pieces)</p>	21 Mar 1915- 16 Mar 1929
C DCGL/13/5	<p>File: Electricity Supply Invoices and Receipts</p> <p>Relating to the German Lutheran Church in Hull, Nile Street Church</p> <p>1 file (36 pieces)</p>	11 Feb 1915- 14 May 1919

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C DCGL/13/6	File: Gass Supply Invoices and Receipts Relating to the German Lutheran Church in Hull, Nile Street Church 1 file (29 pieces)	31 Dec 1914- 3 May 1919
C DCGL/13/7	File: Poor Rate Invoices and Receipts Relating to the German Lutheran Church in Hull, Nile Street Church, contributions made to the parish of Holy Trinity and St Mary, Hull 1 file (35 pieces)	4 Jun 1915- 8 Dec 1926
C DCGL/14	Certificates of Registration: Places of Worship Relating to places of worship used by the German Lutheran Church in Hull Language: English. 2 items	27 Jul 1949- 28 Apr 1969
C DCGL/14/1	Copy Certificate of Registration: Place for Religious Worship Relates to the German Lutheran Church, 1 Nile Street, Hull. Certificate applied for by T.G. Dalheim, a trustee of the Church, on 27 Jul 1949. Language: English. 1 item	27 Jul 1949
C DCGL/14/2	Copy Certificate of Registration: Place for Religious Worship Relates to the German Lutheran Church, 65 Cottingham Road, Hull. Certificate applied for by Pastor Ernst Herman Schaar on 23 Apr 1969. Language: English. 1 item	28 Apr 1969
C DCGL/15	Orders of Service Relating to services held by the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Language: German and English. 4 items	25 May 1968- 18 Oct 1998
C DCGL/15/1	Order of Service: Dedication of New Lutheran Church in Hull 'Gottesdienstordnung' relating to service held by the German Lutheran Church to mark the dedication of the new church building on Cottingham Road. Language: German and English. 1 item	25 May 1968

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C DCGL/15/2	Order of Service: 150th Anniversary Service held by the German Lutheran Church on the occasion of the 150th anniversary since the foundation of the Church in Hull. Language: German and English. 1 item	19 Apr 1998
C DCGL/15/3	Order of Service: Farewell Service for Minister Ruth Harrison-Zehelein Service held by German Lutheran Church in Hull at the Danish Church, Osborne Street, to mark the departure of the congregation's minister. Language: German and English. 1 item	6 Sep 1998
C DCGL/15/4	Order of Service: Service with Holy Communion 'Gottesdienstordnung' relating to service with Holy Communion being the first service planned and conducted by the Rev. Tjarda Murray, held by the German Lutheran Church. Language: German and English. 1 item	18 Oct 1998
C DCGL/16	Minutes Contains the minutes of the German Lutheran Church in Hull and includes the final minute book Language: German and English. 2 volumes	29 Dec 1951- 19 Dec 2010
C DCGL/16/1	Minute Book Contains minutes of the meetings of the German Lutheran Church in Hull, labelled 'Protokollbuch' Language: German Accession number: 14/33 1 volume	29 Dec 1951- 26 May 1962
C DCGL/16/2	Minute Book Contains minutes of the meetings of the German Lutheran Church in Hull, labelled 'Protokollbuch fur Gemeindeversammlung Deutsche Lutherische Kirche & Seemannsmission Hull'. Includes a report at the end of the volume regarding the dissolution of the Church and noting that the final meeting was held 18 Nov 2010. 1 volume	13 Jun 1971- 19 Dec 2010
C DCGL/17	Miscellaneous Miscellaneous papers relating to the German Lutheran Church in Hull. Language: German and English. 6 items	1910-2011

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C DCGL/17/1	Notes on Religious Subjects Draft of writings on prayers and religious subjects, part of a larger work as pages are numbered Language: German. 1 item	19th cent.
C DCGL/17/2	Certificate Certificate relating to the laying of the foundation stone of the German Evangelical Church in Hull. Signed by various members of the church including the pastor and president Erich Pfalzgraf. Language: German. 1 item	28 Sep 1910
C DCGL/17/3	Rules of the Anglo-German Fellowship Undated German and English translations of the Rules of the Anglo-German Fellowship, attached to which is a notice of a general meeting giving names of officers elected at the meeting held 21 Mar 1950. Objectives are the 'Promotion of social activities by persons interested in the German Language and German Culture'. Language: English. 1 item (3 pieces)	c.1950
C DCGL/17/4	Envelope and Medal Metal medal in the design of the insignia of the German Lutheran Church in Hull sealed in an envelope bearing the following inscription: '[?] Deutsche Lutherische Kirche im Hull 1 Nile Street. [?] 11.2.1968. [?] 19.2.1968 [?] P.' Language: German. 1 item	Feb 1968
C DCGL/17/5	File: Inscription Translations File contains translations of the following: i) Inscription on the bell of the German Lutheran Church noting that the bell was cast in the foundry of Joh. Gg. Pfeifer, Kaiserslautern, Germany, and was given to the Church by the Heirrich Schneider family on 22 Mar 1911, translation prepared by Pastor E.H. Schaar, c.1968; ii) Inscription on a marble dedication plaque to Mr Consul F. Helmsing dated 17 Oct 1884, translation by Mrs H. Storey, Jul 2011. Language: German and English. 1 file (2 pieces)	1968-2011
C DCGL/17/6	File: Celebrations File of miscellaneous notes and papers relating to celebrations held by the German Lutheran Church in Hull since its foundation in 1848. The file was	c.2011

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compiled in three parts by a member of the church after the church was dissolved in 2011. Includes papers re celebrations held 1949, 1968, 1998.
Language: German and English.
1 file (3 pieces)

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| C DCGL/17/7 | File: Post Second World War | c.1930-1968 |
| | File of miscellaneous items relating to the opening of the new German Lutheran Church and Seamen's Mission on Cottingham Road and the re-opening of Nile Street after the Second World War.
Includes undated press cuttings, victory letter from King George and some correspondence in German.
Language: Mostly German, some English.
1 file | |
| C DCGL/17/8 | Piece of paper regarding the London and Yorkshire Bank and £400 worth of Hull Dock Co's debenture stock certificate no. 1181 signed by the church treasurer, O. Hillerns with a compliment slip from the National Provincial Bank Ltd
(2 pieces) | 1885 |