Mt. Zion Baptist Church records
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Summary Information

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<td>In 1892, a group of fourteen Second Baptist Church congregates broke from their church and formed Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Evanston, Illinois. In 1894, Mt. Zion Baptist Church was officially organized and founded. The Mt. Zion Baptist Church records document the organizational and social history of the church, focusing especially on the Reverend John F. Norwood years (1985-2004).</td>
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Historical Note

In 1892, a group of fourteen Second Baptist Church congregates broke from their church and formed Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Evanston, Illinois. In 1894, Mt. Zion Baptist Church was officially organized and founded.

Scope and Contents note

The Mt. Zion Baptist Church records are arranged into three series: “History,” “Publications,” and “Outreach.” The collection spans from 1920 to 2006 and covers the organizational and social history of the church, focusing especially on the Reverend John F. Norwood years.

Administrative Information

Publication Information
Shorefront Legacy Center June 13th, 2012

Processing Information note
Processed by CLIR funded Black Metropolis Research Consortium “Color Curtain Processing Project.”

Related Materials

Related Archival Materials note
Second Baptist Church records, Shorefront Legacy Center; Ebenezer A.M.E. Church records, Shorefront Legacy Center
Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- African American churches.
- African Americans--Illinois--Evanston.
- Suburban African Americans--Illinois--Evanston.

Cited Sources

Collection Inventory

Series I. History, 1985-2004

Scope and Contents note
This series is comprised of material relating to the founding and organizational history of Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

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Organizational History, 1986-2003

Reverend John F. Norwood, 1985-2004

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Series II. Publications, 1920-2009

Scope and Contents note
This series contains pamphlets, programs, and bulletins produced by Mt. Zion Baptist Church for weekly services as well as anniversaries.

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Programs and Bulletins, 1920-2009

Anniversary Programs, 1988-2005

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Series III. Outreach, 1979, undated
## Scope and Contents note

This series is comprised of material relating to community outreach and church events such as camps and guest speakers.

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Events