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## 11.2 Foreign Mission Records, Jamaica Mission / Region Records

**EXTENT:** 33-5" boxes + 4-2.5" boxes = 17.5 linear feet

### **COLLECTION DESCRIPTION, pages 2-6**

#### **SERIES:**

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  - Jesuit Congregations and Meetings: 1-5" box, No. 1
  - Non-Jesuit Jurisdictions and Meetings: 3-5" boxes, No. 2-4
- Consultors: 1-5" box, No. 5 *Restricted*, page 9
- Contracts and other legal documents, example: Land Transfers: 1-5" box, No. 6, pages 10-11
- Correspondence: 15-5" boxes + 2-2.5" boxes = 17 boxes, No. 7-23, pages
  - Frs. General and the Roman Curia: 1-5" box, No. 7
  - Bishops and Dioceses of Jamaica: 1-5" box, No. 8
  - Frs. Provincial and Province Curia: 4-5" boxes, No. 9, 10, 11, 12
  - Fathers' (Missionaries') Letters: 1-2.5" box, No. 13
  - By Location: Mission Station, Parish, Work – Kingston and vicinity: 3-5" boxes, No. 14-16
  - By Location: Mission Station, Parish, Work – outside Kingston: 3-5" + 1-2.5" boxes, No. 17-20
  - Other Correspondence: 2-5" boxes, No. 21-22
  - Circular Letters: 1-5" box, No. 23
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#### **Historical: 3-5" boxes + 1-2.5" = 4 boxes, pages 19-22**

- Pre-NEN Mission: 1-5" box, pages 19-20
- NEN Mission: 1-5" box, pages 21-22
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#### **Personnel: 4-5" boxes, pages 23-25**

- General: 1-5" box, page 23
  - Status Lists, Vow Documents and other
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#### **CHRONOLOGY OF THE SOCIETY OF JESUS IN JAMAICA, 1837-2014, pages 33-35**



**Archives of the New England Province Society of Jesus**  
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**Record Group:** 11, Jesuit Foreign Mission Records

**Name of Collection:** Jamaica Mission / Region Records

**Record Group Number:** 11.2 Jamaica

**Dates of Collection:** Inclusive: 1838-2000. Note: The papers with 1800s dates are facsimile photocopies.  
Bulk: 1950s-1970s

**Size of Collection:** 17.5 linear feet

**Historical Background:**

The English Province of the Society of Jesus had been in charge of missionary work in Jamaica and supplying missionaries to Jamaica from 1837 until 1893. In 1893, Rome entrusted the Jamaican mission to the American Province of Maryland-New York after the English Provincial wrote to Rome requesting the change. Rome had just assigned the English Province the Zambezi, Africa, mission and the English Provincial determined that supplying two foreign mission sites would overextend the resources of the English Province.

In 1895, the Maryland-New York Province requested a clear distinction between the property owned by the Vicariate of Jamaica and that owned by the Society of Jesus. The long-time Bishop, Charles Gordon, S.J. appealed directly to the Sacred Congregation of Propaganda by writing to Cardinal Ledochowski.

In 1906, John J. Collins, S.J. became the Administrator Apostolic upon the retirement of Bishop Gordon. On January 14, 1907, an earthquake hit Jamaica ruining much of the city of Kingston and killing over 1,000 inhabitants. The earthquake toppled the Holy Trinity Cathedral, the main Catholic worship site on the island, where 20,000 Catholics worshipped. On October 13, 1907, Fr. Collins was appointed Vicar Apostolic and two weeks later was consecrated as Bishop. Bishop Collins made building a priority and the newly erected Holy Trinity Cathedral was completed in 1910. From 1908 until 1919, Bishop Collins erected nineteen places of worship throughout the island.

In 1919, William F. O'Hare, S.J. (of Boston) became Vicar Apostolic of Jamaica. The mission was near bankruptcy when he assumed office and within nine months, Bishop O'Hare had reduced the debt to half the original amount. In 1926, the New England Region separated from the Maryland-New York Province to form an independent Province. The Philippines were assigned to the Maryland-New York Province and Jamaica was assigned to the newly formed New England Province, although the New England Province did not assume administration duties of Jamaica until 1929.

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In 1927, Joseph N. Dinand, S.J. was named Vicar Apostolic of Jamaica, leaving his post as President of the College of the Holy Cross in Worcester, MA to assume his new duties. Bishop Dinand was the first Vicar Apostolic from the newly created New England Province. In 1929, Bishop Dinand resigned his post due to ill health, however, he had begun work with Sister Humiliana of the Franciscans to set up a native religious congregation of sisters on the island. The Franciscan Missionary Sisters of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, the native Sisterhood group's new institution, was founded and began its ministry in 1929.

Also in 1929, the New England Province fully assumed the duties of administering the Jamaican mission. In 1930, Thomas A. Emmet, S.J. was named Vicar Apostolic. In 1950, John J. McEleney, S.J. became Vicar Apostolic, in 1956, he became the Bishop of Kingston, and in 1967, he was named Archbishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica. Samuel Carter, S.J. served as Auxiliary Bishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica from 1966 until 1970 when he became Archbishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica and served as such until 1996. Lawrence A. Burke, S.J. was appointed the 4<sup>th</sup> Archbishop of Kingston, Jamaica, in 2004 and served until his retirement in 2008.

Francis J. Kelly, S.J. served as Superior from 1925 until 1931 when Charles F. Arnold, S.J. became Superior, serving until 1934. Francis J. Kelly, S.J. again served as Superior from 1935 until 1939 when Thomas J. Feeney, S.J. assumed the office. In 1945, Walter J. Ballou, S.J. served as Superior and in 1952, Dennis T. Tobin, S.J. became Superior. In 1958, James H. Barry, S.J. served in the position and in 1964, William A. Connelly, S.J. became Superior. In 1970, Robert J. Carr, S.J. assumed the office and in 1973, Lawrence A. Burke, S.J. served as Superior. In 1979, Kenneth J. Hughes, S.J. was Superior and in 1986, John J. Bresnahan, S.J. served. In 1991, Thomas H. Schneider, S.J. became Superior and in 1997, James F. Webb, S.J., of the English Canada Province, assumed the office. In 2006, Peter J. McIsaac, S.J., also of the English Canada Province, became Superior and served until 2012 when Christopher G. Llanos, S.J. of the English Canada Province became Superior.

In 1962, the country of Jamaica became independent from Britain, ending its 300 year colonization. In 1980, the status of the Jamaica Mission was changed to that of a Dependent Region by Father General Pedro Arrupe, S.J.

On November 23, 2014, the Dependent Region of Jamaica was suppressed by decree of Father General Adolfo Nicolas, S.J. and its members and works became an independent community of the New England Province.

On December 3, 2014, the New England and New York Province united to form the USA Northeast Province.

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## Historical Background of Jamaica Mission / Region Collection:

From Rev. Thomas McCoog, SJ book, *A Guide to Jesuit Archives* 122-23.

Rev. Gerard McLaughlin, SJ, Archivist of the Archdiocese of Kingston, Jamaica wrote the text

“It was decided in 1992 to establish formally an archive for the work of the Jesuits in Jamaica since 1837. Records in Jamaica were few and quite scattered. The tradition had remained to file all records at the home office or province or, since the destiny of the local church was both Roman Catholic and Jesuit, to file records in the archdiocesan archives. Thus, the records for the years 1837 to 1894 can be found with the English Jesuits at their archives in London, since the English Jesuits staffed Jamaica during that period. The period 1894 to 1927 has its records with the New York Jesuits. The New England Jesuits have been responsible for the Jamaican records from 1927 to the present. Another source of records is the Jesuit curia in Roma since it is a practice that Jesuits copy many records to the office of Father General in Rome.

The Archdiocese of Kingston maintains its own archives and because the mission was primarily staffed by Jesuits, much of the work of the Jesuits is also documented in the archdiocesan archives. The Jesuit Archives are very thin with very little material: most of the documentation is of recent origin—within the last half century. Except for photocopies made from the English and American archives, little is available for the period 1837 to 1940. Although the history of the Catholic Church in Jamaica was written by Fr. Francis X. Delaney, SJ in 1925, little of the material that he must have collected is still available. Fr. Osborne’s book on the history of Jamaica in 1988 also contains lots of history, but the primary documents on which it was based cannot be easily located.

The records for St. George’s College, which was established in 1850, are extremely sparse and do not contain much of substance until the 1960s. The Jesuit Archives on Jamaica grew out of the research of its archivist and focused mainly on two subjects: the work and career of Fr. Joseph J. Williams, SJ in Jamaica from 1912 until 1918 and the work of Fr. John Peter Sullivan, SJ from 1939 until 1975. These record sets are rich compared to some other archival record areas because the archivist shared his personal research during his years in Jamaica.”

*Additional information:* In 2003, most of the records kept in Jamaica were sent from Jamaica to the Archives of the New England Jesuit Province in Worcester, MA. There are still some materials on the island. The records of Fr. Joseph J. Williams, SJ remain in Jamaica. Also, a small collection of original diaries are still on the island including diaries for the parishes of Savannah-La-Mar, Montego Bay, and Reading for the periods 1940 until 1960. These diaries are kept in the Blessed Sacrament Cathedral Rectory in Montego Bay. Please contact the Archdiocese of Kingston archivist for more information.

## Processing Notes:

In 2003, most of the records kept on Jamaica were sent from Jamaica to the Archives of the New England Jesuit Province. At that time, every attempt was made to maintain the order set up by the Jamaican Archivist, Rev. Gerard McLaughlin, SJ, per his outline in the Rev. Thomas McCoog, SJ book, *A Guide to Jesuit Archives*. In 2011, the Jamaica Mission/Region papers were processed by the standards of the Archives of the New England Province of the Society of Jesus. Files were arranged by provenance of office, as far as could be determined. The Jamaica Mission / Region Records were arranged following schemes already in use by the

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New England Jesuit Archives. The Series arrangement mirrors that of the RG 11.1 Missions Offices Records and RG 1 Records of Fr. Provincial. As a records management process, all general material about a work or place in Jamaica that was transferred to the Archives from either the New England Missions Offices or from Jamaica was consolidated in the RG 11.2 Jamaica Mission / Region, Places / Works series, and any additional material transferred will be filed here. At this time, arrangement and box/folder lists are complete for all series and special collections except Jesuit Social Ministries.

*See:* the Prior Series Description (Crosswalk) for information and references to the current location of that material.

### **Scope and Content:**

The Records of the Mission Region consist of approximately 20 linear feet, dating from 1838-2000. The papers from the 1800s are facsimile photocopies.

The Records of the Mission / Region are arranged into the following series: Superiors Files, Historical, Personnel, Places / Works, and Planning. The Superiors Files Series contain meeting materials from committees, conference, congregations and councils, Consultors records, Contracts and other legal documents, for example, land transfers, correspondence with Frs. General, Bishops, Frs. Provincial, members of the mission/region, mission stations and apostolates, Superiors' circular letters, and a few subject files. The Historical Series are divided into three segments: before the New England Province was assigned the Jamaica Mission, after the New England Province assumed the administration of Jamaica Mission and the Country of Jamaica, mostly files about Roman Catholic activities in Jamaica. The historical files contain reports on the Jamaica Mission, information about the 1907 earthquake, Hurricane Gilbert in 1988, and files related to the Catholic Opinion newspaper. The Personnel Series contains records, such as, annual status assignments and vow documents, and individual files of Jesuits assigned to the Jamaica mission. The personnel files of individuals are restricted. The Places / Works series is divided into two sub-series: Kingston and vicinity and Outside Kingston. This follows the arrangement of the Province catalogs and the Missions Office Photograph Collection. This series contains anniversary or general descriptive material. As a records management process, all general material about a work or place in Jamaica that was transferred from either the New England Mission Offices or from Jamaica has been consolidated in this series. The Planning Series consists of records kept by Fr. Michael D. Linden, S.J., from 1986 through the 1990s.

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### Also see:

RG 14 Publications for the *Catholic Opinion* newspaper, 1896-1999. The *Catholic Opinion* was transferred to the New England Jesuit Archives in 2007. It has been microfilmed. Use microfilm for access, the newspapers are fragile.

### Province Authors Collection:

McLaughlin, Gerard Leo, *Jesuitana Jamaica, Historical Profiles, 1837-1996*. Kingston, Jamaica: Arawak Publications, 2000.

Osborne, Francis J, *History of the Catholic Church in Jamaica*. Chicago: Loyola University Press, 1988.

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**Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections**  
**Superior's Records > Congregations, Conferences, Councils, Committees**

**4-5" boxes**

**1936-1999**

<b>Folder Title</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Box</b>	<b>Folder</b>
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***Congregations, Committees and Meetings—Jesuit***

**Mission Congregations**

Mission Congregation, 1964-1968	1964-1968	1-5" box	1
Mission Congregation, 1970	1970	1	2
Mission Congregation, 1973-74	1973-74	1	3
Region Congregation, 1983	1983	1	4

**Committees**

Jesuit Formation Committee	1974-1983	1	5
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*Also see:* Vocation Survey in Personnel, General Files

**Jesuit Meetings**

Caribbean Jesuit Meeting, 1989 [First Meeting of Jesuit Nationals of Puerto Rico, Jamaica, Guyana, and Belize, June 16-16, 1989, Kingston, Jamaica]	1989	1	6
Caribbean Jesuit Meeting, 1989 [Fr. Linden's file re: finances]	1989	1	7
Caribbean Jesuit Meeting, 1999	1999	1	8

***Committees, Conferences, Councils—other than Jesuit***

Antilles Episcopal Conference	1970-1981	2-5" box	1
Antilles Episcopal Conference	1981-1984	2	2
Arbitration Council / Senate of Priests	1973-1974	2	3
Archdiocesan Pastoral Council (APC), Minutes and Reports	1980-1984	2	4
Archdiocesan Pastoral Council (APC), Pastoral Plan, Policy Booklet and Varia	1980s	2	5
Archdiocesan Vocation Committee	1970-1984	2	6
Bishops' Conference	1962	3-5" box	1
Clergy Conference	1948-1977	3	2
CMSA: Conference of Major Superiors of the Antilles	1968-1976	3	3
CMSA: Conference of Major Superiors of the Antilles	1976-1979	3	4
CMSA: Conference of Major Superiors of the Antilles, Folder 1 of 2	1979-1985	3	5
CMSA: Conference of Major Superiors of the Antilles, Folder 2 of 2	1979-1985	3	6
CMSA: Conference of Major Superiors of the Antilles	1980, April	3	7
CMSA: Conference of Major Superiors of the Antilles	1981	3	8



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4-5" boxes

1936-1999

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
CMSA: Conference of Major Superiors of the Antilles, 1982, Martinique, Religious Life	1981-1982	4 5" box	1
CMSA: Conference of Major Superiors of the Antilles	1983	4	2
CMSA: Conference of Major Superiors of the Antilles	1984	4	3
CMSJ: Conference of Major Superiors of Jamaica	1984-1988	4	4
Conference of Priests and Religious	1966-1974	4	5
Conferences – Caribbean Bishops	1948, 1952, 1955-59	4	6
Conferences – James Barry, S.J., Vicar General	1953-1959	4	7
Proceedings of the Latin American Bishops Conference (CELAM), Puebla, Mexico	1979	4	8
Religious Superiors of Jamaica	1980-1986	4	9
Sodality	1936, 1950s	4	10

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## Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections Superior's Records > Consultors

1-5" box

1915-1986

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
<i><b>RESTRICTED</b></i>		<i><b>RESTRICTED</b></i>	
<b>Minutes</b>			
Mission Consultors Minute Book, 1915-1958	1915-1958	5-5"box	1
Mission Consultors Minute Book, 1959-1973	1959-1973	5	2
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1970-1972 [fragmentary]	1970-1972	5	3
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1974 [complete set] and 1975 [possibly complete]	1974-1975	5	4
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1975 [probably complete set]	1975	5	5
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1976 [complete set]	1976	5	6
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1977 [probably complete set]	1977	5	7
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1978 [probably complete set]	1978	5	8
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1979 [probably complete set]	1979	5	9
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1980 [probably complete set]	1980	5	10
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1981 [probably complete set]	1981	5	11
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1982 [lacking March 1 <sup>st</sup> ]	1982	5	12
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1983 [complete set]	1983	5	13
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1984 [probably incomplete set]	1984	5	14
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1985 [probably complete set]	1985	5	15
Mission Consultors Minutes, 1986 [incomplete set]	1986	5	16
<b>Letters</b>			
Mission Consultors Letters to Fr. General	1959-1969	5	17
Mission Consultors Letters to Fr. Provincial	1960-1967	5	18

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## Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections Superior's Records > Contracts and Legal Documents 1-5" box

1925-1985

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
<i>Contracts and legal documents</i>			
Vicar Apostolic and Superior of the Jamaica Mission, Financial Agreements: Drafts, Copy with original signatures from 1925, and correspondence	1925-1946	6-5" box	1
Law for the Incorporation of the Society of Jesuits in Jamaica, Draft and published copy of enacted Law	1926, 1929	6	2
Diocese of Kingston and Society of Jesus of Jamaica re: Education of the Native Secular Clergy at St. Michael's Seminary, Kingston, Carbon copy with original signature dated 1964 and correspondence	1952-1964	6	3
Vicar Apostolic and Superior of the Jamaica Mission, carbon copy with original signatures and seals	1953	6	4
Passionist Fathers Contract: Agreement between Vicariate of Jamaica and the Congregation of the Most Holy Cross and Passion (unsigned copies) and correspondence	1954-1965	6	5
Diocese of Kingston and the Society of Jesus of Jamaica re: St. Anne Parish, Kingston and Sts. Peter and Paul Parish, Kingston, 2 carbon copies with original signature executed July 17, 1964, valuations 1964, and correspondence 1960	1960-1964	6	6
Archdiocese of Kingston and Diocese of Montego Bay, drafts and correspondence	1970	6	7
Bishop of Montego Bay and the New England Province of the Society of Jesus, signed and sealed copy executed February 19, 1971, drafts and correspondence	1970-1971	6	8
Archbishop of Kingston in Jamaica and the New England Province, photocopy of signed contract	1977	6	9
Archdiocese of Kingston, Society of Jesus in Jamaica and Canadian Jesuits, draft of Memo of understanding and correspondence	1985	6	10
<i>N.B.:</i> The contents of the next 7 folders were all included in the folder with the first title: "6 Land Transfers..."			
Land Transfers from the Society of Jesus to the Diocese of Kingston: Falmouth, Spanish Town, Red Hills, Seville Theatre, Folder 1 of 7	1953-1954	6	11
Land Transfers: Morant Bay – Bustamonte, Survey of Retreat, St. Thomas, Folder 2 of 7	1955	6	12
Land Transfers: Bank Agreements, Manufacturers Trust Company, New York, Folder 3 of 7	1950s	6	13
Land Transfers: Estates, Bequests and Wills, Folder 4 of 7	1914-1955	6	14
Land Transfers: Imports and Exports, Folder 5 of 7	1948	6	15
Land Transfers: Property Tax [doesn't appear to be on any of the properties listed in folders above], Folder 6 of 7	1951-1962	6	16

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## Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections Superior's Records > Contracts and Legal Documents

1-5" box

1925-1985

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
Land Transfers: Society of Jesuits vs. Edwin Reid, Folder 7 of 7	1938-1940	6	17
Land Transfers: 9 Ottawa Avenue, Saint Andrew	1978	6	18
Land Transfers: 107 Old Hope Road (Loyola House), includes renovation expenses	1960-1968	6	19
Land Transfers: Red Hills	1942-1969	6	20
<i>N.B.:</i> Folders and documents regarding land transfers and real estate sales and purchases are also included in Superior's Correspondence by Location sub-series			
Varia		6	21

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## Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections Superior's Records > Correspondence

17 boxes: 14-5" + 3-2.5" boxes

1927-1999

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
<b><i>Frs. General and the Roman Curia</i></b>		7-2.5" box	
Letter to Fr. General (Mission Report)	1928	7	1
Letters from Fr. General and the Roman Curia (mostly responses to <i>Excerpta</i> and <i>Ex Officio</i> Letters)	1946-1958	7	2
Correspondence with Fr. General (Semi-annual, Annual and <i>Ex officio</i> Letters, incomplete set, 1954-1986)	1954-1986	7	3
Letters to Fr. General and the Roman Curia	1965-1987	7	4
Letters to and from Roman Curia	1942-1965	7	5
<b><i>Bishops and Dioceses of Jamaica</i></b>		8-5" box	
Letters from Bishop Joseph Dinand, S.J. to Mission Superior	1927	8	1
Letters to and from Bishop John J. McEleney, S.J. and Mission Superior	1950-1951	8	2
Letters to and from Bishop John J. McEleney, S.J. and Mission Superior	1952-1954	8	3
Letters to and from Bishop John J. McEleney, S.J. and Mission Superior	1955	8	4
Letters to and from Bishop John J. McEleney, S.J. and Mission Superior	1956	8	5
Letters to and from Bishop John J. McEleney, S.J. and Mission Superior	1957-1959	8	6
Letters to and from Bishop John J. McEleney, S.J. and Mission Superior	1960-1965	8	7
Letters to and from Bishop Samuel E. Carter, S.J. and Mission Superior	1971, 1976- 1985	8	8
Chancery Notices, Fr. James H. Barry, S.J., Vicar General	1961-1962	8	9
Diocesan Faculties	1960s	8	10
<b><i>Frs. Provincial and Province Curia</i></b>		4-5" boxes	
Letters from Fr. Provincial	1945-1951	9-5"	1
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1952	9	2
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1953	9	3
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1954	9	4
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1955	9	5
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1956	9	6
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1957	9	7
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1958	9	8

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1927-1999

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1959	9	9
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1960	10-5" box	1
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1961	10	2
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1962	10	3
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1963	10	4
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1964	10	5
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1965	10	6
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1966	10	7
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1967	10	8
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1968	10	9
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial	1969	10	10
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial, International Mission Director, and others	1970	11-5" box	1
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial, International Mission Director, and others	1971	11	2
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial, International Mission Director, and others	1972	11	3
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial, International Mission Director, and others	1973	11	4
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial, International Mission Director, and others	1974-1978	11	5
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial, International Mission Director, and others	1979-1985	11	6
Letters to and from Fr. Provincial, International Mission Director, and others	1988-1989	11	7
<b>Jesuit Foreign Missions Office, Boston</b>			
Letters from Jesuit Foreign Missions Office, Boston	1939-1954	12-5" box	1
Letters to and from Jesuit Foreign Missions Office, Boston	1954-1959	12	2
Letters to and from Jesuit Foreign Missions Office, Boston	1960-1962	12	3
Letters to and from Jesuit Foreign Missions Office, Boston	1979-1982	12	4
<b>Other Correspondence with Boston</b>			
Letters from Province Treasurer's Office	1959-1962	12	5
Letters to and from re: Formation	1977-1985	12	6
<b>Fathers' (Missionaries') Letters</b>			
Letters to Fathers	1959-1960	13-2.5" box	1
Letters from Fathers	1960	13	2
Letters to Fathers	1961-1962	13	3
Letters from Fathers	1961-1962	13	4
Letters from Fathers	1965-1970	13	5

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Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
<b>By Location: Mission Station, Parish, Work – Kingston and vicinity</b>		3-5" boxes	
Campion College, Correspondence and other documents	1959-1962	14-5" box	1
Campion College, Correspondence and other documents	1965-1973	14	2
Campion College, Correspondence and other documents	1965-1979	14	3
Campion College – General	1960-1985	14	4
Campion College [Financial]	1963-1979	14	5
Campion College – Junior College	1971	14	6
Gordon Town [Financial Statements]	1970s	14	7
Holy Cross, Half-way Tree	1942-1968	14	8
Holy Name, Greenwich Town		14	9
Holy Rosary	1939-1972	14	10
Holy Trinity Cathedral	1963	14	11
Holy Trinity Cathedral [Financial Statement]	1978	14	12
Manresa Sale [2 Olivier Road, Fr. Michael Linden's File]	1989	14	13
<i>Also see: Special Collection: Fr. Linden and Jesuit Social Ministries for electronic files related to the Manresa Sale.</i>			
Social Action Center (S.A.C.), includes Misereor Applications	1958-1963	15-5" box	1
Social Action Center (S.A.C.), general	1964-1971, 1974-1981	15	2
Social Action Center (S.A.C.)	1965-1974	15	3
Social Action Center (S.A.C.), Family Counseling Centre	1969	15	4
Social Action Center (S.A.C.), Letters from Fr. Arthur Kane to Fr. Superior	1970-1973	15	5
Social Action Center (S.A.C.), Separate Incorporation – includes Lease and Articles of Organization	1975-1978	15	6
St. Anne's	1940-1980	16-5" box	1
St. Anne's [Financial Statements]	1970s	16	2
St. Anne's [Financial]	1989-1991	16	3
St. Michael's Seminary	1950-1964	16	4
St. Michael's Seminary	1965-1973	16	5
St. Michael's Seminary	1973-1982	16	6
St. Michael's Seminary, <b>also see</b> Board of Directors Meeting Minutes, 1971-1977, RG 11.1 Missions Offices, New England Jesuit Foreign Missions – Jamaica, Places / Works, Kingston and vicinity			
St. Patrick's	1963-1971	16	7
St. Patrick's [Financial Statements]	1970s	16	8
Sts. Peter & Paul	1952-1965	16	9
Sts. Peter & Paul [Financial Statements]	1970s	16	10
Sts. Peter & Paul – Servite Convent, Visitation	1966	16	11

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## Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections Superior's Records > Correspondence

17 boxes: 14-5" + 3-2.5" boxes

1927-1999

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
St. Pius X [Financial Statements]	1970s	16	12
St. Richard's	1967-1968	16	13
St. Theresa's, Vineyard Town	1961-1965	16	14
St. Thomas Aquinas, Whitehall	1963	16	15
Stella Maris [Financial Statements]	1970s	16	16
West Kingston Community, 12 Tobias St.	1970-1972	16	17
<b>By Location: Mission Station, Parish, Work – outside Kingston</b> 3-5" + 1-2.5" boxes			
N.B.: Financial and other documents were also filed with correspondence.			
Above Rocks Mission Station [St. Mary's College, Rock Hills School, principal correspondent Fr. Edmund Cheney, S.J.]	1948-1957	17-5" box	1
Above Rocks Mission Station [St. Mary's College, principal correspondent Fr. Edmund Cheney, S.J.]	1957-1959	17	2
Alva [principal correspondent Fr. Ray Sullivan, S.J.]	1947-1964	17	3
Annotto Bay	1959-1964	17	4
Bamboo [Financial Statements]	1970s	17	5
Brown's Town [Correspondents: Frs. Ray Sullivan and Fr. Charles Judah]	1941-1964	17	6
Brown's Town, Servite Convent [Correspondents: Fr. Charles Judah, Bishop John McEleney, Mother Superior]	1952-59, 1965, 1973	17	7
Brown's Town [Financial Statements]	1970s	17	8
Cayman Islands	1955-1963	17	9
Cayman Islands [Financial Statements]	1970s	17	10
Chapelton [principal correspondent Fr. James D. Loeffler]	1969-1970	17	11
Falmouth	1965-1970	17	12
Falmouth [Financial Statements]	1970s	17	13
Highgate [principal correspondent Fr. Robert I. Burke]	1939-1973	17	14
Holy Name Homestead [correspondents: Fr. Provincial and Bishop McEleney]	1943-1957	18-5" box	1
Holy Name Homestead – Fr. Harry Ball, S.J.	1953-1955	18	2
Holy Name Homestead [Fr. Ray Sullivan, S.J.]	1946-1955	18	3
Holy Name Homestead [Fr. Ray Sullivan, S.J.]	1964	18	4
Holy Name Homestead – Canonical Opinion	1952	18	5
Holy Name Homestead – Documents	1940s-1954	18	6
Holy Name Homestead – Fr. Barry's Notes	1953-1964	18	7
Holy Name Homestead – Property	1962-1981	18	8
Linstead Missions	1935-1999	18	9
Lucea [Financial Statements]	1974-1979	18	10
Mammee Bay ["Lido", mostly financial]	1960-1980	18	11



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Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
Mammee Bay – Villa Loyola [Fr. Michael Linden's reports] <i>Also see: Special Collection: Fr. Linden and Jesuit Social Ministries for electronic files related to Villa Loyola.</i>	1991-1992	18	12
Mandeville	1939-1964	19-5" box	1
May Pen [correspondents: Frs. James D. Loeffler, S.J. and Theodore Lobo]	1942-1973	19	2
May Pen [Financial Statements]	1970s	19	3
Montego Bay	1943-1964	19	4
Montego Bay	1965-1977	19	5
Morant Bay	1939-1964	19	6
Morant Bay	1966-1970	19	7
Port Antonio	1942-1965	19	8
Reading	1967-1978	19	9
Reading [Financial Statements]	1970s	19	10
Savanna-la-mar [principal correspondent Fr. Sydney Judah, S.J.]	1942-1950	19	11
Savanna-la-mar [principal correspondent Fr. William Pashby, S.J.]	1955-1966	19	12
Savanna-la-mar	1966-1978	19	13
Seaford Town	1934-1964	19	14
Seaford Town	1965-1975	19	15
Spanish Town [principal correspondent Fr. Francis J. Gilday, S.J.]	1939-1945	20-2.5" box	1
Spanish Town	1957-1977	20	2
Spanish Town [Financial Statement]	1977	20	3
Stony Hill	1942-1969	20	4
St. Ann's Bay [principal correspondent Fr. Neil Donohue, S.J.]	1958-1970	20	5
St. Ann's Bay [Financial Statement]	1975	20	6
<b><i>Other Correspondence</i></b>		2-5" boxes	
Alpha Sisters, R.S.M.	1954-1961	21-5" box	1
Belize Jesuit Mission, Letters to and from, Circular Letters from	1979-1984	21	2
Canadian Jesuits, Letters from Fr. James Webb, S.J.	1981-1981, 1989	21	3
Canadian Jesuits, Prison Chaplaincy	1992	21	4
Catholic Relief Services	1954, 1972	21	5
Gill Workshop	1981-1982	21	6
Governor of Jamaica, Letters to and from	1935-1943	21	7

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Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
Guyana Jesuits, Letters to and from 1954, 1977-1986, Circular Letters 1995-1997	1954, 1977-1986, 1995-1997	21	8
Horizons for Justice	1977	21	9
Jesuit International Volunteers, Letters to and from	1984-1985	21	10
Jesuit Missions, New York, Letters from	1947-1954	21	11
Jesuit Missions, New York, Letters from	1956-1960	21	12
Jesuit Missions, New York, Letters to and from	1964-1965	21	13
Lay Missionary Program, Letters from	1961-1966	21	14
Seismology Station	1964, 1995	21	15
Other, Letters to	1943-1959	22-5" box	1
Other, Letters from	1958-1959	22	2
Other Correspondence	1975-1979	22	3
Other Correspondence	1980	22	4
Other Correspondence	1981	22	5
Other Correspondence	1982	22	6
Other Correspondence	1983-1989	22	7
Varia	1953-1987	22	8
<i>Circular Letters</i>		1-5" box	
Circular Letters	1958-1969	23-5" box	1
Circular Letters – Superior's Newsletter	1970-1974	23	2
Circular Letters – Superior's Newsletter	1975-1979	23	3
Circular Letters – Superior's Newsletter	1980-1984	23	4
Circular Letters – Superior's Newsletter	1985-1986	23	5
Circular Letters – Superior's Newsletter, incomplete sets	1987-1989	23	6
Circular Letters – Superior's Newsletter	1990	23	7
Circular Letters – Superior's Newsletter, incomplete set	1991-	23	8
Jesuit Jamaica and JSJNews, Jamaica Region Newsletters, <i>see</i> RG 11.2, Historical, Box 2, Folder 13	1991-1996		

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## Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections Superior's Records > Other Files

1-5" box

1940-1985

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
<i>Other Files</i>			
Education	1940-1959	24	1
Education Self-Study	1967-1968	24	2
Jamaica Rural Statements	1955-1959	24	3
Mass Media, Jamaica Report	1973	24	4
Mass Stipends, Jesuit Missions	1981-1985	24	5
Shipment of Goods, Jesuit Foreign Missions	1954-1960	24	6
Scholarships	1940s	24	7
<i>Status Instituti</i> , Chancery Office	1960-1972	24	8
Provincial Visitations to Jamaica: Memorial 1958, 1963; Notice 1971. <b>RESTRICTED</b>	1958-1971	24	9
Superior, Jamaica [James H. Barry, S.J.]: S.J. Exhortations	1960-1964	24	10
Superior's Visitations <b>RESTRICTED</b>	1953, 1956- 1959	24	11
Youth		24	12

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## Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections Historical

4 boxes: 3-5" + 1-2.5"

1838-2000

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
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### *Pre-dates Assignment to New England Province*

*1-5" box*

*Also see SC Osborne for photocopies of materials pertaining to the Jamaica Mission in the 1) Archives of Fr. General: 1-5" box and 2) Archives of English Province: 1-5" box and 1-partial 5" box. Then in Osborne cross reference similar documents in NEN FM Offices, Jamaica, Historical series.*

Decree of Congregation of Propaganda re: Jamaica, photocopy	1836	1 - 5" box	1
Fr. Emmanuel Gil, S.J. (Columbia), Jamaica 1850-1853, print of pencil sketch	n.d.	1	2
"Arrival of the Jesuits in Kingston," photocopy of typescript of 1858 article from The Falmouth Post and Jamaica General Advertiser	n.d.	1	3
"History of Catholic Church in Jamaica, 1494-1877," manuscript of same "history" as printed in the Woodstock Letters, Vol. XXIII, No. 2, 1894 [p. 201-250. N.B. A photocopy of the Woodstock Letters article is included in the folder. The article is attributed to Bishop Gordon.]	1890, circa	1	4
Speech of William Fogarty Welcoming the Fr. Provincial of New York, William Pardon, S.J. to Jamaica, a synopsis of our work in Jamaica, photocopy of original in Georgetown University Library, Special Collections	1894	1	5
Letter of Fr. Frank Barnum, S.J., Visitor to Jamaica re: Bishop Charles Gordon, S.J., photocopy of original in Georgetown University Library, Special Collections	n.d.	1	6
Gleaner, Special Issue Four Days After Earthquake, January 18, 1907, photocopy	1907	1	7
Letter of Bishop O'Hare to Fr. Provincial re: Conditions following Earthquake [probably a typed copy]	1907	1	8
Letter of Fr. Frank Barnum, S.J. re 1907 Earthquake, photocopy and typescript of original in Georgetown University Library, Special Collections	1907	1	9
The Earthquake: A Disaster to the Catholic Mission in Jamaica [original brochure]	1907, circa	1	10
Anniversary of the Earthquake	1908	1	11

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Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
"The Earthquake in Jamaica" Letter to Fr. Provincial, English Province, photocopy of letter published in <i>Letters and Notices... English Province</i>	1908, circa	1	12
Recollections of the 1907 Earthquake, photocopies of various publications		1	13
Letters to Jamaica from Fr. Provincial Joseph Hanselman, S.J., New York Province, 1907-1911, photocopies	1907-1911	1	14
Letters to Fr. Provincial [originals, includes St. George's Founding Day material]	1908-1915	1	15
Jamaica Mission Reports	1905-1909	1	16
Jamaica Mission Report	1909	1	17
<i>Memoriale Visitationis Missionis Jamicensis</i> , A.R.P. Noberto de Boynes, 1922	1922	1	18

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**Folder Title** **Dates** **Box** **Folder**

### *New England Province—Jamaica Mission/Region* *1-5" box + partial box*

Brief History of Jamaica Mission: <i>Missio Jamaicensis Patrum Societatis Jesu. Brevis Missionis Historia.</i>	1927, circa	1	19
Report of Vicariate of Jamaica	1930	1	20
Centenary Celebrations, Vicariate of Jamaica, 1837-1937, photocopy of original at the Institute of Jamaica	1937	1	21
"Jamaica Triumphant," National Pageant for 100 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Vicariate Apostolic, program	1937	1	22
Chronological Summary of the Jamaican Mission (including the lists of Pastors), 1830s-1943, digital copy available	1945, circa	2 – 5" box	1
Jamaica Mission Histories: <i>Historia Missionis Jamaicensis</i>	1946-1962	2	2
Baptism statistics, 1906-1950s	1950s	2	3
Report of Vicariate of Jamaica	1951, 1955, circa	2	4
Report of Superior of the Jamaica Mission ... to the Congregation of Procurators	1961, 1962	2	5
Survey of the Charitable Activities of the Roman Catholic Church in Jamaica, 1969	1969	2	6
Events & Attitudes Affecting the Jamaica Mission [Chronology, circulated with Mission Superior Fr. Larry Burke's Newsletter 76/13, Dec. 18, 1976]	1976	2	7
Relator for Jamaica Mission	1978	2	8
The Mission of the Society of Jesus in Jamaica [also known as "Mammee Bay Papers I-IV"]	1980, circa	2	9
Establishments in Kingston, Jamaica, [excerpt of Houses, Parishes, Schools, compiled by Bro. Italo Parnoff, S.J.], 1893-1984	1985, circa	2	10
1988 Hurricane Gilbert	1988, circa	2	11
"Jamaica Jottings" Articles for <i>New England Province News</i> by Fr. Joseph F. Keaney, S.J.	1990-1994	2	12
Newsletters: Jesuit Jamaica and JSJ News (incomplete set)	1991-1996	2	13
Regional Newsletter, Society of Jesus in Jamaica	2000	2	14
Canonical issues identified by Fr. Maurice Walsh, S.J.	1999	2	15
Varia		2	16

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Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
<b><i>Catholic Opinion, Newspaper</i></b>			
<i>Catholic Opinion</i> , newspaper clippings and Francis Casserly correspondence	1924-1935	2	17
<i>Catholic Opinion</i> , newspaper clippings	1941-1943	2	18
<i>Catholic Opinion</i> , Letters to	1948, 1963	2	19
<i>Catholic Opinion</i> , Birth Control Controversy, 1955-59	1955-1959	2	20
<i>Catholic Opinion</i> , Building Supplement correspondence and photographs N.B. It appears that some of the historical material included in the Places/Works series may have been separated from this file at some time prior to arrival at the New England Jesuit Archives.	1961	2	21
<i>Catholic Opinion</i> , Proposed replacement newspaper	1968	2	22
<i>Catholic Opinion</i> , Income and Expense Reports	1955-1961	2	23
<b><i>Also see:</i></b> RG12 Audiovisual—CDS and DVDS/ MSS and Personal Papers, for interviews with Frs. Maurice Walsh, S.J. and Joseph F. Brennan, S.J. regarding the history of the Roman Catholic Church in Jamaica and the New England Jesuit Mission in Jamaica.			

## ***Country of Jamaica***

***2 boxes: 1-5" box + 1-2.5" box***

"Ginger" newspaper clippings—conditions in Jamaica	1941	3 – 5" box	1
Catholic Relief Services (CRS) in Jamaica	1950-1982	3	2
Catholic Schools of Jamaica	1940s	3	3
<i>Daily Gleaner</i> , Varia	1941-1943	3	4
Education in Jamaica: Correspondence, Reports, newspaper clippings	1940s-1962	3	5
ICM Sisters (Missionary Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary)	1973	3	6
Issacs, Wills O.	1943-1965	3	7
Jamaica Association of Catholic Doctors (JACD)	1980s	3	8
Jamaica Catholic Educational Association	1950s-1960s	3	9
Rastafarians [course study material?]	1970s, circa	3	10
Religious Census	1945, circa	3	11
RSM Sisters (Sisters of Mercy)	1952-1960	3	12
Universal Catechism, Jamaica's Comments, Pre-publication	1990	4 – 2.5" box	1

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## Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections Personnel, General Files

1-5" box

1955-1990s

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### *General Files*

*1-5" box*

#### **Lists**

Status Announcements, 1955-1962	1955-1963, 1968	1-5"	1
Alphabetical List of Native Jamaican New England Province Jesuits, as of 1989	1989	1	2
Jesuits Assigned to Jamaica Mission	1990, circa	1	3
Various Lists	1979-1990	1	4

#### **Other files**

Cemeteries: Calvary Cemetery, Jesuit Section, 1881-1984, (Brother Italo Parnoff's Directory)	1984	1	5
Cemeteries: Old Catholic Cemetery, Duke Street, newspaper clipping	1967	1	6
Jesuit Vows: Correspondence	1955-1983	1	7
Jesuit Vows: Vow Documents (reverse chronological order)	1959-1979	1	8
Jubilees, programs, 1983-1993	1983-1992	1	9
Policies: Alcoholism, ca. 1970, Holiday and Renewal Leave, 1989	1970, 1989	1	10
Vocation Survey, 1979 (Fr. Donald Larkin's file)	1979	1	11



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## Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections

### Personnel, Individual's Files

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<i>Individuals</i>	<i>RESTRICTED</i>	<i>3-5" boxes</i>
Alexander, John J. G.	1916-1986	2-5"
Ball, Harry W.*	1911-2002	2
Ballou, Walter J.	1899-1987	2
Barry, James H.	1911-2000	2
Becker, James J.	1890-1965	2
Bowman, Gerard W.*	1915-1992	2
Brannon, Philip J.	1898-1970	2
Brodley, Thomas J.	1941-1999	2
Brown, Charles A.	1892-1918	2
Burke, Lawrence A.	1932-2010	2
Burns, Robert I.	1914-1970	2
Campbell, Roy	1919-1977	2
Cardenal, Fernando (Central America and Panama)		2
Carter, Samuel E.	1919-2002	2
Caskin, John	1927-2007	2
Cheney, Edmund*	1910-2003	2
Clark, William A.	1958-	2
Colman, William F.	1906-1990	2
Connolly, Bro. John	1910-1971	2
Connolly, Vincent F.*	1930-2005	2
Connolly, William A.	1916-2001	2
Deshaies, Richard A.	1955-	2
Donahue, Neil H.	1908-1987	2
Duffy, Brian S.	1928-1987	2
Emmett, Bishop Thomas A.	1873-1950	3-5"
Farrell, George V.	1927-1990	3
Fitzgerald, John F.*	1910-1992	3
Garavaglia, Silvio C.	1907-1982	3
Gibson, Gardiner Scudder	1918-1971	3
Glavin, Thomas D.*	1909-1992	3
Grenier, Louis	1918-	3
Harry, Alwyn	1915-2007	3
Helmick, Raymond G.	1931-	3
Hills, Clive Alexander	1962-ex	3
Hinchey, John A.*	1907-1995	3
HoLung, Richard	1939-ex	3
Hosie, James J.	1932-	3
Howard, Edward F.	1932-	3
Iandoli, Richard	1947-ex	3

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### Personnel, Individual's Files

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Folder Title: Last name, First name	Life Dates, as of Nov. 2011	Box	Folder
Judah, Charles L.	1903-1988	3	
Judah, Sydney J., Folder 1 of 2	1901-1980	3	
Judah, Sydney J., Folder 2 of 2, Correspondence with Bishops and Chancery, 1938-1950	1901-1980	3	
Keaney, Joseph F.*	1917-1997	3	
Kerdiejus, John B.	1923-2010	3	
Kiley, Phillip J.	1938-	3	
Lynch, John J.	1915-1923	3	
Maxwell, Joseph R. N.	1899-1971	3	
McEleney, Archbishop John J.	1895-1986	3	
McFadden, Andrew	1913-1999	3	
McKeon, Gerard R.	1954-	3	
McLaughlin, Gerard L.	1925-	3	
Moo Young, Harry	1944-ex	3	
Mulvey, Daniel P. (NYK)	1919-	3	
Murphy, Patrick L. (WIS)	1932-	3	
Nolan, George W.	1921-2005	4-5"	
O'Hare, Bishop	1870-1926	4	
Pieters, Ronald M. (English Province, Guyana Mission)	(1954-1993/4?)	4	
Quinlan, Leo	1915-2008	4	
Roy, Richard G.	1945-ex	4	
Ruddy, John J.	1913-1984	4	
Schade, Martin	1953-ex	4	
Schecher, James M.	1931-ex	4	
Semmes, M. Oliver (NOR)	1868-1949	4	
Sheehan, William J.	1932-2000	4	
Stewart, Robert J.	1944-ex	4	
Sullivan, Francis Patrick	1929-1996	4	
Sullivan, Ray R.	1895-1978	4	
Sullivan, John P.	1904-1975	4	
Surette, John E.	1961-	4	
Tobin, Denis T.	1904-1989	4	
Walsh, Maurice B.	1916-2003	4	
Welch, Phillip C.	1927-1981	4	
Williams, Thomas G. (ORE)	1925-	4	
Wilmot, Swithin R. (ex)	1951-ex	4	
Wilson, Msgr. Gladstone O. (not-SJ)		4	
Woolcock, Brother Joseph A. (ex)	1946-ex	4	

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## Record Group 11.2, Jamaica Mission/Region Records and Special Collections Places / Works – Kingston and vicinity

2-5" boxes

1911-2011

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
<b><i>By Location of Mission Station, Parish, Work – Kingston and vicinity</i></b>			
<b>Also see:</b> Superior's Correspondence by Location			
<b><i>Antilles Pastoral Institute</i></b>			
Antilles Pastoral Institute Fr. John E. Surette, S.J.	1973-1974	1-5" box	1
<b><i>Campion College, see Special Collection</i></b>			
<b><i>Campion Hall Preparatory School, see Special Collection</i></b>			
<b><i>Catechetical Centre</i></b>			
Catechetical Centre and Task Force, Fr. John E. Surette, S.J.	1969	1	2
<b><i>Centre for Religious Education (CRE)</i></b>			
Centre for Religious Education – Reports	1971-1974	1	3
<b><i>Centre of Concern (follows Social Action Centre)</i></b>			
Centre of Concern – Reports and Newsletters, Fr. G.L. McLaughlin, S.J.	1980-1981	1	4
<b><i>Holy Cross Church, Half-way Tree</i></b>			
Holy Cross Church, Half-way Tree – 50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Magazine	1979	1	5
Holy Cross Church, Half-way Tree – 8 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Feature	2009	1	6
<b><i>Holy Rosary</i></b>			
Holy Rosary – Historical and Pictorial Review, 1910-1946	1946	1	7
<b><i>Holy Trinity Cathedral</i></b>			
Holy Trinity Cathedral – Newsletters by James Healy, S.J.	1948-1949	1	8
Holy Trinity Cathedral – Children of Mary Sodality (C.M.S.) Vernoica Aaarons Scholarship Fund Raffle	1954	1	9
Holy Trinity Cathedral – The Roper Center, Activities Report	1965-66, 1972	1	10
Holy Trinity Cathedral – Detailed Report of Opening Ceremony	1911	1	11
Holy Trinity Cathedral – Brief Description	1950	1	12
Holy Trinity Cathedral – 50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary material, includes sermon by Richard Cardinal Cushing	1961	1	13
Holy Trinity Cathedral – 75 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Article in <i>The Catholic Opinion</i> , Vol. 8, no. 2, February 1986	1986	1	14
Holy Trinity Cathedral – 100 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Program, 2 copies, includes description of restoration of artwork	2011	1	14a

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Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
<b><i>Jamaica Center for Religious Development (JCRD)</i></b>			
Jamaica Center for Religious Development – Description and Newsletters	1976-1991	1	15
Jamaica Center for Religious Development – <i>ex officio</i> letter	1985	1	16
Jamaica Center for Religious Development – Task Forces and Restructuring	1985-1992	1	17
Jamaica Center for Religious Development – Varia	1982	1	18
<b><i>Rural [Lay Leadership Training] Team</i></b>			
Rural [Lay Leadership Training] Team Newsletters	1975-1980	1	19
<b><i>Social Action Centre, see Special Collection</i></b>			
<b><i>St. Anne's</i></b>			
St. Anne's – Rectory Newsletters by Fr. C.J. Eberle, S.J. and John J. Caskin, S.J.	1955-1968	1	20
St. Anne's – Golden Jubilee Broadsheet [photos] and booklet	1964	1	21
St. Anne's – 70 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Souvenir Programme, 1914-1984	1984	1	22
St. Anne's – Varia	1970s-	1	23
<b>See:</b> RG 11.2 Special Collections: Jesuit Social Ministries, Rev. Michael D. Linden, S.J. for records of St. Anne's in the 1990s in electronic format	1990s		
<b><i>St. George's College, see Special Collection</i></b>			
<b><i>St. George's College Extension School, see St. George's College Special Collection</i></b>			
<b><i>St. Joseph's Hospital</i></b>			
St. Joseph's Hospital – Building	1960, circa	1	24
<b><i>St. Joseph's Teachers College</i></b>			
Report by William J. Sheehan, S.J., 1973-1993	1993, circa	1	25
<i>The Challenger</i> , yearbook	1992	1	26
<b><i>St. Jude's</i></b>			
St. Jude's Mission – Publicity	1966-1967	1	27
St. Jude's – Rectory Newsletter by Fr. C.J. Eberle, S.J.	1968-1974	1	28

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Places / Works – Kingston and vicinity

2-5" boxes

1911-2011

Folder Title	Dates	Box	Folder
<b><i>St. Michael's Seminary</i></b>			
St. Michael's Seminary – Historical Sketches	1975, 1992	2-5" box	1
St. Michael's Seminary – Manual of Community Devotions, 3 copies	1953	2	2
St. Michael's Seminary – Rule Book, 2 copies	1953	2	3
St. Michael's Seminary – Angelus, newsletters, Nos. 1 and 3	1958, 1960	2	4
St. Michael's Seminary – Programmes	1952-1972	2	5
<b>See: RG 11.1 Missions Offices, New England Jesuit Foreign Missions, Jamaica Places / Works for Board of Governors Meeting Minutes 1971-1977</b>			
<b><i>St. Peter Claver</i></b>			
St. Peter Claver – Free Zone Workers Report by Patricia Anderson, 2 copies	1988	2	6
<b><i>SS. Peter and Paul</i></b>			
SS. Peter and Paul – 100 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Souvenir Booklet, 3 copies	1950	2	7
SS. Peter and Paul – Dedication Program	1952	2	8
SS. Peter and Paul – Newsclippings	1971	2	9
SS. Peter and Paul – Alvernia Prep School, building programme report	1962	2	10
<b><i>St. Richard's</i></b>			
St. Richard's – Varia	1966-1970	2	11
<b><i>St. Thomas Aquinas Parish</i></b>			
St. Thomas Aquinas Parish – Varia	1961-1977	2	12
<b><i>Stella Maris</i></b>			
Stella Maris – Dedication Programme	1974	2	13
Stella Maris – Newsletters by Fr. Ray Sullivan, S.J.	1974-1976	2	14
<b><i>Winchester Park</i></b>			
Winchester Park – House Diary, 1898-1908	1898-1908	2	15
Winchester Park – Pageant Program for the 75 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of the Sodality of Mary	1983	2	16
Winchester Park – Varia	1943	2	17

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<b><i>Above Rocks</i></b>			
Above Rocks Missions – Advisory Health Committee, 1944	1944	3-5” box	1
Above Rocks – Mission Diary, 1932-1935	1932-1935	3	2
Above Rocks Missions – House Diary, Sept.-Nov. 1945, June-Sept, 1948	1945, 1948	3	3
Above Rocks – Newsletter from Fr. Edmund Cheney, S.J.	1950	3	4
Above Rocks – St. Catherine's Newsletters from Fr. Silvio Garavaglia, S.J.	1963-1980	3	5
Above Rocks – St. Mary's College Board, 1957-1960	1957-1960	3	6
Above Rocks – St. Mary's College, “The Rocky View”, Vol. 1, No. 1, July 6, 1960	1960	3	7
Above Rocks – St. Mary's College, “Grapple” magazine, [photocopy of first issue with history of school]	1979	3	8
Above Rocks – St. Mary's College, histories 1965, 1981	1965, 1981	3	9
Above Rocks – Fr. Leo Quinlan, S.J. correspondence and article about history of	1993-1995	3	10
Above Rocks – St. Mary's Church, 150 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary material	1997	3	11
Above Rocks – Camp Lewis brochure	1975, circa	3	12
<b><i>Alva</i></b>			
Alva – Alva and Murray Mount Schools, Fr. Raymond Sullivan, S.J.	1935-1945	3	13
Alva – St. Boniface School, Golden Jubilee Booklet, 1905-1955	1955	3	14
Alva Mission – Mass Stipends, Fr. Harry Ball, S.J.	1965-1975, 1988	3	15
<b><i>Annotto Bay</i></b>			
Annotto Bay – Fr. Keller (Callahan) Memorial Church [Little Flower Missionary Society]	1966-1970	3	16
Annotto Bay – Missions Chit Chat newsletter by Fr. Richard Drea, S.J.	1966-1967	3	17
<b><i>Brown's Town</i></b>			
Brown's Town – Servite Convent, history and building	1952-1961	4-5” box	1
<b>Also see:</b> Special Collection, Raymond Sullivan S.J. and Brown's Town Mission and Holy Name Homestead			

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Cayman Islands – General information	1972	4	3
<b><i>Highgate</i></b>			
Highgate – Sacred Heart Church 50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary book	1983	4	4
<b><i>Holy Name Parish, Bamboo</i></b>			
Holy Name Parish, Bamboo – Farewell Program and Newsletter of Fr. Robert J. Carr, S.J.	1987	4	5
Holy Name Parish, Bamboo – Agreements re: land around Holy Name	1983-1986	4	6
<b>Also see:</b> Special Collection, Raymond Sullivan S.J. and Brown’s Town Mission and Holy Name Homestead			
<b><i>Linstead</i></b>			
Linstead, St. Helen’s Church – Jamaica Chit Chat Newsletter by Fr. Richard Drea, S.J.	1968-1970	4	7
Linstead, St. Helen’s Church – 70 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Booklet	1984	4	8
<b><i>Ocho Rios</i></b>			
Ocho Rios, Our Lady of Fatima – 25 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Booklet, 2 copies	2000	4	8a
<b><i>Mandeville</i></b>			
Mandeville, St. Luke’s – Varia	1940s	4	9
Mandeville, Mt. St. Joseph Academy – Silver Jubilee booklet	1959	4	10
<b><i>May Pen</i></b>			
May Pen – Rural Lay Ministry Training Team Newsletters	1978	4	11
<b><i>Montego Bay</i></b>			
Montego Bay – Blessed Sacrament Church Fundraising Brochure	1959	4	12
Montego Bay – Chronology of Catholic Church in Montego Bay, 1841-1972	1972	4	13
<b><i>Morant Bay</i></b>			
Morant Bay, St. Thomas Missions – Fr. John Anderson, S.J., newsletters	1967-1968	4	14

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Savanna-la-mar – Varia	1968-1976	4	16
<i><b>Seaford Town</b></i>			
Seaford Town – History and transcript of immigration records from 1934-1843		4	17
Seaford Town – Letters to Fr. Kemple, S.J.	1933	4	18
Seaford Town – Report on the German Colony at Seaford Town by the District Medical Office, 1910	1940	4	19
Seaford Town – Cooperative Report, 1950	1950, circa	4	20
<i><b>Spanish Town</b></i>			
Spanish Town – Reports on St. Joseph Mission	1928, 1950	4	21
Spanish Town – Newsletters from Fr. Louis Grenier, S.J.	1947-1951	4	22
<i><b>St. Ann's Bay</b></i>			
St. Ann's Bay – Seville	1940-1941	4	23
St. Ann's Bay – National Shrine, construction of, Fr. Raymond Sullivan, S.J.	1943	4	24



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*Also see:*

- *RG 11.1 Missions Offices > New England Jesuit Foreign Missions > Jamaica Mission / Region, Province Planning for additional planning files, 1969-1994, 1-5" box*
- *RG 11.2 Jamaica Mission/Region Records, Special Collection: Rev. Michael D. Linden, S.J. and Jesuit Social Ministries for electronic files related to Planning.*

### *Fr. Michael Linden's Planning Files, arranged chronologically*

[Jamaica Jesuits Background Material]	1976-1985	1	1
Planning, 1986	1986	1	2
Planning, 1987	1987	1	3
Planning, 1988-1989	1988-1989	1	4
Planning, 1990s	1990s	1	5

### *Other Planning Files*

Planning, Varia, 1990s	1990s	1	6
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## **Chronology of the Society of Jesus in Jamaica, 1837-2014**

- 1837 The English Province of the Society of Jesus supplied missionaries to Jamaica.
- 1893 Rome entrusted the Jamaican mission to the American Province of Maryland-New York after the English Provincial wrote to Rome requesting the change. Rome had just given the English Province the Zambezi, Africa mission. Jamaica still remained a British colony, however.
- 1896 Province of Maryland-New York requested a clear distinction between the property owned by the Vicariate of Jamaica and that owned by the Society of Jesus. The long-time Vicar Apostolic of Jamaica was Charles Gordon.
- 1907-1918 John J. Collins, S.J. became the Administrator Apostolate upon the retirement of Charles Gordon.
- 1907 An earthquake hit Jamaica on January 14, ruining much of the city of Kingston and killing over 1,000 inhabitants. The earthquake toppled the Holy Trinity Church where 20,000 Catholics worshipped.
- 1910 A newly erected Holy Trinity Church was completed.
- 1908-1919 Fr. Collins erected nineteen chapels throughout the island.
- 1919-1926 William F. O'Hare, S.J. became Vicar Apostolic of Jamaica. The mission was near bankruptcy when he assumed office and within nine months, the debt had been reduced to half the original.
- 1925 There were 98 Jesuit scholastic novices in the Maryland-New York Province and 53 in the Vice Province of New England.
- 1926 The New England Vice-Province separated from the Maryland-New York Province to form an independent Province. The Philippines were assigned to the Maryland-New York Province and Jamaica was assigned to the newly formed New England Province.
- 1927 Joseph N. Dinand, S.J. was named Vicar Apostolic of Jamaica, who left his post as President of the College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, MA to assume his new duties. Fr. Dinand was the first Vicar Apostolic chosen by the newly formed New England Province, although the New England Province did not assume control of Jamaica until 1929.
- 1929 Joseph N. Dinand, S.J. had to resign as Vicar Apostolic of Jamaica due to ill health, however, he had worked to set up a native religious congregation on the island. He helped found a native Sisterhood with a Franciscan Sister on the island, Sister Humiliana.
- 1929 Franciscan Missionary Sisters of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, the native Sisterhood movement's new institution, began.

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1926-1929	Jamaica Missions were overseen by the Maryland-New York Province	
1928	Joseph N. Dinand, S.J., Francis J. Kelly, S.J.,	Vicar Apostolic Superior
1930	Thomas A. Emmet, S.J., Francis J. Kelly, S.J.,	Vicar Apostolic Superior
1932	Thomas A. Emmet, S.J. Carolus F. Arnold	Vicar Apostolic Superior
1935	Thomas A. Emmet, S.J. Francis J. Kelly, S.J.	Vicar Apostolic Superior
1939	Thomas A. Emmet, S.J. Thomas J. Feeney, S.J.	Vicar Apostolic Superior
1945	Thomas A. Emmet, S.J. Walter J. Ballou	Vicar Apostolic Superior
1950	John J. McEleney, S.J. Walter J. Ballou	Vicar Apostolic of Jamaica Superior
1952	John J. McEleney, S.J. Dennis T. Tobin, S.J.	Vicar Apostolic Superior
1956	John J. McEleney, S.J. Dennis T. Tobin, S.J.	Bishop of Kingston Superior
1958	John J. McEleney, S.J. James H. Barry, S.J.	Bishop of Kingston Superior
1962	Jamaica became independent from Britain	
1964	John J. McEleney, S.J. William A. Connolly, S.J.	Bishop of Kingston Superior
1966	John J. McEleney, S.J. Samuel E. Carter, S.J. William A. Connelly, S.J.	Archbishop of Kingston Auxiliary Bishop of Kingston Superior
1969	John J. McEleney, S.J. Samuel E. Carter, S.J. William A. Connelly, S.J.	Archbishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica Auxiliary Bishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica Superior
1970	Samuel E. Carter, S.J. Robert J. Carr, S.J.	Archbishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica Superior

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1973	Samuel E. Carter, S.J. Lawrence A. Burke, S.J.	Archbishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica Superior
1979	Samuel E. Carter, S.J. Kenneth J. Hughes, S.J.	Archbishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica Superior
1980	Jamaica Mission considered to be a Dependent Region from this year.	
1983	Jamaica listed in the New England Catalog as a "Regio."	
1986	Upper Canada Province (English speaking) participation begins.	
1986	Samuel E. Carter, S.J. John J. Bresnahan, S.J.	Archbishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica Superior
1991	Samuel E. Carter, S.J. [Retired 1994] Thomas H. Schneider, S.J.	Archbishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica  Superior
1997	James F. Webb, S.J. [Canada]	Superior
2005	Lawrence A. Burke, S.J. [Retired 2008]	Archbishop of Kingston-in-Jamaica
2006	Peter J. McIsaac, S.J. [CDA]	Superior
2012	Christopher G. Llanos, S.J. [CDA]Superior	
2014, Nov. 23	The Dependent Region of Jamaica was suppressed by decree of Father General Adolfo Nicolas and its members and works became an independent community of the New England Province.	
2014, Dec. 3	The New England and New York Provinces united to form the Northeast Province.	