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BUNBURY DIOCESE

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3520A/1	1846 –1946 List of cemeteries and burial grounds within the Diocese of Bunbury. Shows the name of the bishop under which each is consecrated	manuscript & typed copies
3520A/2	21 June 1952 – 27 March 1973 “Springhill” near Bunbury	
3520A/3	8 May 1961 – 22 May 1961 Narrogin	
3520A/4	23 October 1959 – 17 September 1963 - Bunbury	
3520A/5	15 September 1966 – 5 October 1966 - Busselton	
3520A/6	16 November 1965 - Pingrup	
3520A/7	22 December 1964 – 16 March 1965 - Kendenup	
3520A/8	12 December 1961 – 9 January 1964 -Lake Grace	
3520A/9	9 September 1946 – 10 December 1959 - Harvey	
3520A/10	9 September 1957 - Muradup	
3520A/11	2 October 1929 – 10 November 1929 - Kulin	
3520A/12	25 October 1934 – 6 January 1941 - Cranbrook	
3520A/13	21 June 1921 – 29 June 1925 - Fairbridge	
3520A/14	22 June 1937 – 6 May 1938 - Denmark	
3520A/15	16 June 1925 - Dinninup	
3520A/16	6 October 1933 - Dunsborough	
3520A/17	10 March 1931 - Nyabing	
3520A/18	11 July 1930 – 17 July 1930 - Busselton	
3520A/19	9 November 1912 - Nannup	
3520A/20	25 March 1931 – 31 March 1931 - Newdegate	
3520A/21	12 August 1931 – 30 September 1931 - Katanning	
3520A/22	21 May 1934 – 5 June 1934 - Tenterden	
3520A/23	20 June 1935 - Moodiarrup	
3520A/24	10 October 1904 - Capel	
3520A/25	6 October 1930 - Wickepin	
3520A/26	Blank forms	
	CEMETERY LISTS	
3543A/1	1 January 1911 – 31 June 1914	
	6 January 1911 – 25 March 1925 (Burials in older portion of the cemetery)	
	A photocopy of this register has been placed in PR 2640/Bunbury	
	CLERGY LISTS	
3529A/1	1901-1968 List of clergy of the Bunbury Diocese	
	CORRESPONDENCE	

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3529A/8		24 March 1927 Letter from Rev John Foley-Whaling to Rev Canon John re visit of Sisters to St David's at Easter 1928	
3529A/12		23 December 1952 Letter re land at Picton Junction, Plan at 3529A/11	
3529A/13		11 March 1952 Concerning same block and search at Title Office	
3529A/36		22 June 1954 Letter re stained glass window payment	
3529A/39		15 February 1953 John Money to Rev Bertram Somner re stained glass windows at Burekup	
3529A/40		21 October 1952 WH Mathieson to Rev Bertram Somner re stained glass windows at Burekup	
3529A/41		Faculty for the above stained glass windows	
3529A/42		Application for approval of a new church at Roelands (no plan attached)	
3529A/43		24 March 1953 Faculty for the above church	
3529A/44		Application for approval of secondhand jarrah pews (St Andrews, Subiaco) for St David's Church, South Bunbury	
3529A/45		23 March 1954 Faculty for the pews	
3529A/46		Application for approval of a brass altar cross and a statue of Mary (no sketches) for St John the Divine, Burekup	
3529A/47		Faculty for the above altar cross but not the statue of Mary	
7255A/2		27 September 1904 - 23 July 1905	
7255A/3		2 July 1905 - 21 March 1906	
7255A/4		20 December 1906 - 17 May 1907	
7255A/5		17 May 1907 - 18 October 1907	
7255A/6		20 August 1908 - 23 January 1909	
7255A/7		24 August 1912 - 25 July 1913	
7255A/8		3 December 1915 - 13 July 1917	
7255A/9		6 July 1913 - October 1913	
7255A/10		15 October 1923 - 8 April 1924	
7255A/11		20 August 1923 - 14 April 1924	
7255A/12		14 April 1924 - 12 June 1924	
7255A/13		10 May 1921 - 1 June 1922	
		FILES	

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7255A/46	AUSTRALIND CEMETERY 29 January 1901-10 September 1901 Re Consecration of Australian Cemetery, Wellington Location 17, by the late Bishop Short. Includes statutory declaration by Elinor Katharine Clifton
7255A/47	BRUNSWICK 15 August 1903-23 August 1905 Purchase of Brunswick town lots 34 and 35
7255A/48	BUNBURY CEMETERY 24 February 1898-29 July 1898 Bunbury Cemetery, Lot 318. Correspondence and newspaper clippings re closure of the cemetery and establishment of a public cemetery
7255A/49	BUNBURY GLEBE LANDS 1879-1901 Correspondence re various lots, fencing of lots 239, 240, lease of lands, includes a letter re notice that 'certain church lands, upon which is a fig tree, must be registered'
7255A/50	BUNBURY LOCATION 295 (town lot 349) 21 August 1901-January 1902 Correspondence re permission to sell the land. Original use was granted for a church and no other purpose. Includes opinion from Stone & Burt, solicitors.
7255A/51	BUNBURY PARISH HALL (proposed) 16 January 1903-5 October 1903 Correspondence, newspaper cuttings, site plan of the proposed hall
7255A/52	BUNBURY SOUTH January 1900-8 July [1901] Petition re establishment of a district to be known as 'South Bunbury and Picton'. Includes signed petitions and correspondence
7255A/53	COOKERNUP 5 August 1898-14 December 1909 Correspondence re land at Cookernup. Includes town plan showing church and cemetery lots
7255A/54	CUBALLING 6 September 1906; 2 January 1907; 31 July 1913 Cuballing town lot 19, section 221, town lot 245
7255A/55	KOJONUP 15 July 1901-12 March 1902 Kojonup Location C, correspondence re defining the boundaries. Includes sketch of Location C

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7255A/56		<p>PICTON 5 February 1861 Surrender of Picton Church land to Bishop Hale February-August 1899 Correspondence re church land at Picton</p>	
7255A/57		<p>PICTION CEMETERY 2 August 1902-16 March 1903 Closure of the cemetery. Includes town plans</p>	
7255A/58		<p>WELLINGTON 3 March 1898-29 January [1902] Correspondence re use of land at location 558 at Wellington</p>	
7255A/59		<p>WELLINGTON Correspondence re sale of land at Wellington location 1359</p>	
		FINANCIAL RECORDS	
7255A/1		29 April 1906 - 29 March 1907	
		HISTORIES	
3550A/1	MICROFILM	<p>A record of the personnel and progress of the Diocese of Bunbury from its inception in 1904 by Warwick Bastion, Bishop of Bunbury 1968-1977. An alphabetical listing by place within the Diocese giving a brief outline of the history and listing incumbents</p>	
3551A	MICROFILM	<p>As above but including a full history of the Diocese plus family histories, pedigrees and memoirs of John Ramsden Wollaston and of his wife Mary Amelia Gledstones</p>	
		LEGAL DOCUMENTS	
7265A/57		<p>25 May 1842 Land grant to Thomas Walter Thompson</p>	
7265A/58		<p>6 August 1907 Memorial of Real Estate vested in the Diocese of Bunbury</p>	
7265A/59		<p>25 March 1908 Indenture between the Diocesan Trustees of Bunbury Inc and the Diocesan Trustees of the Church of England in W A</p>	
7265A/60		<p>23 July 1908 Indenture between the Diocesan Trustees of Bunbury Inc and the Diocesan Trustees of the Church of England in W A</p>	

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7265A/61		8 April 1909 Declaration of Trust between the Colonial Bishopricks Fund Society and the Diocesan Trustees of the Church of England in W A	
7265A/62		8 April 1909 Appointment of Diocesan Trustees of Bunbury Inc to be trustees of a mortgage debt donated by Walter Padbury (deceased)	
7265A/63		8 April 1909 Declaration of Trust by the Diocesan Trustees of Bunbury Inc concerning - Endowment Funds of the Diocese of Bunbury Two sums of £1000 contributed towards the Endowment of the Diocese of Bunbury towards an Assistant Bishopric Fund	
7265A/64		8 April 1909 Release by the Bishop of Bunbury to the Bishop of Perth and William Thorley Loton and release by the Bishop of Bunbury to the Diocesan Trustees of the Church of England in Western Australia	
7265A/65		8 April 1909 Receipt of £669.5.10d from the Diocesan Trustees of the Church of England in W A by the Diocesan Trustees of Bunbury Inc	
7265A/66		15 April 1909 Receipt of documents by the Bunbury Diocesan Secretary - Fire Insurance policies and valuation	
7265A/67		14 April 1909 Transfer of mortgages to the Diocesan Trustee of Bunbury	
7265A/68		19 October 1958 A H Stone's Bill of Costs to E K Clifton and the Trustees of Church property	
7265A/69		4 July 1910 North-West Diocese Episcopal Charge - Release	
		LETTERBOOKS	
7265A/1		14 May 1906 - 19 December 1906	
7265A/2		17 October 1907 - 19 August 1908	
		Letters by the Diocesan Secretary	
7265A/3		24 June 1909 - 16 April 1910	
7265A/4		16 April 1910 - 27 October 1910. Contains some letters dated 1912 at the rear of the book.	
7265A/5		27 October 1910 - 3 November 1911	
7265A/6		3 November 1911 - 23 August 1912	
7265A/7		25 July 1913 - 18 August 1914	

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7265A/8	18 August 1914 - 1 January 1916	
	Letters from the Diocesan Secretary	
7265A/9	2 September 1914 - 15 February 1917	
7265A/10	15 February 1916 - 18 February 1918	
	Letters from Hales & Teede, Estate Administrators	
7265A/11	18 July 1917 - 4 April 1919	
7265A/12	4 April 1919 - 27 July 1920	
7265A/13	28 July 1920 - 7 March 1922	
	Letters from the Diocesan Secretary	
7265A/14	24 November 1920 - 7 May 1921	
	Letters from Hales & Teede, Estate Administrators	
7265A/15	7 March 1922 - 20 August 1922	
	Letters from the Diocesan Secretary	
	MINUTES & MINUTES BOOKS	
3529A/2	26 October 1906 – 15 March 1921	
	Board of Education	
3529A/3	Committee for proposed Girls Grammar School at Bunbury	
7255A/14	29 April 1913 - 21 May 1914	
	Fifth Synod	
7255A/15	7 September 1915	
	Fifth and Sixth Synods	
7255A/16	11 September 1916 - 23 August 1917	
	Sixth Synod	
7255A/17	9 September 1918 - 10 September 1918	
	Sixth Synod	
7255A/18	22 September 1919 - 24 September 1919	
	Seventh Synod	
7255A/19	4 September 1921 - 6 September 1921	
	Seventh Synod	
7255A/20	3 September 1922 - 5 September 1922	
	Eighth Synod	
7255A/21	13 June 1923	
	Special Session of Synod	
7255A/22	21 September 1924 - 27 September 1924	
	Eighth Synod	
7255A/23	27 September 1925 - 29 September 1925	
	Ninth Synod	
7255A/24	19 September 1926 - 20 September 1926	
	Ninth Synod	
7255A/25	16 October 1927 - 19 October 1927	
	Special Session of Synod	

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7255A/26		27 September 1929 - 28 October 1929 Tenth Synod	
7255A/27		21 September 1930 - 23 September 1930 Tenth Synod	
7255A/28 A		21 August 1932 - 22 August 1932 Eleventh Synod	
7255A/28 B		Loose papers associated with 7225/28A	
7255A/29		9 September 1934 - 11 September 1934 Twelfth Synod	
7255A/30		20 September 1936 - 22 September 1936 Twelfth Synod	
7255A/31		22 September 1937	
7255A/32		8 October 1946 - 10 October 1946 Sixteenth Synod	
7255A/33		23 September 1947 - 24 September 1947 Sixteenth Synod	
7255A/34		27 September 1949 - 28 September June 1949 Seventeenth Synod	
7255A/35		26 September 1950 - 13 June 1951 Seventeenth Synod	
7255A/36		23 September 1952 - 25 September 1952 Eighteenth Synod	
7255A/37		21 September 1953 - 23 September 1953 Eighteenth Synod	
7255A/38		26 September 1954 - 27 September 1954 Eighteenth Synod	
7255A/39		22 September 1963 - 24 September 1963 Twenty-first Synod	
7255A/40		1 November 1964 - 2 November 1964 Twenty-second Synod	
7255A/41 A		5 September 1965 - 6 September 1965 Twenty-second Synod	
7255A/41 B		Loose papers associated with 7255A/41A	
7255A/42		17 September 1967 - 21 September 1967 Twenty-third Synod	
7255A/43		9 June 1968 - 12 June 1968 Twenty-third Synod	
7255A/44		10 August 1969 Twenty-third Synod	
7255A/45		20 September 1970 Twenty-fourth Synod	
7265A/16	OSM	6 December 1906 - 14 March 1911	
7265A/17		11 September 1911 - 18 April 1921	
7265A/18		13 May 1921 - 18 August 1923	
7265A/19		13 May 1922 - 31 January 1936	

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7265A/20		20 February 1936 - 8 July 1958 Bunbury Diocesan Trustees	
7265A/21	OSM	15 November 1904 - 12 October 1907 Bunbury District Committee of the Diocesan Council	
7265A/22	OSM	23 September 1904 - 15 July 1911	
7265A/23		11 September 1911 - 31 August 1916	
7265A/24		26 September 1916 - 30 October 1924	
7265A/25		19 February 1925 - 24 September 1935	
7265A/26	OSM	22 October 1935 - 8 July 1958 Bunbury Diocesan Council	
7265A/27		20 September 1909 - 21 September 1936 Cathedral Building Fund	
7265A/28	OSM	21 September 1904 - 20 September 1906 First Session of Synod	
7265A/29	OSM	22 September 1907 - 22 August 1910 Third Synod	
7265A/30		11 September 1911 - 13 February 1913 Fourth Synod	
7265A/31		16 August 1955 - 6 September 1955	
7265A/32		24 September 1956 - 26 September 1956	
7265A/33		12 March 1957	
7265A/34		23 September 1957 - 25 September 1957 Nineteenth Synod	
7265A/35		22 September 1958 - 25 September 1958	
7265A/36		21 September 1959 - 32 September 1959 Twentieth Synod	
7265A/37		2 August 1961 - 3 August 1961	
7265A/38		14 October 1962 Twenty-first Synod	
7265A/39		20 June 1971	
7265A/40		24 September 1972 Twenty-fourth Synod	
7265A/41		24 February 1974	
7265A/42		17 August 1975 Twenty-fifth Synod	
7265A/43		16 April 1978	
7265A/44		5 June 1977 Twenty-sixth Synod	

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7265A/45		17 July 1983 Twenty-eighth Synod	
7265A/46		29 August 1938 - 22 September 1938	
7265A/47		29 August 1939 Thirteenth Synod	
7265A/48		27 August 1940	
7265A/49		8 September 1942 Fourteenth Synod	
7265A/50		1 September 1943	
7265A/51		5 September 1944	
7265A/52		9 October 1945 Fifteenth Synod	
7265A/53		5 December 1927 - 14 December 1960 Clergy Widows and Orphans Pension Fund	
7265A/54		5 December 1965 - 5 March 1966 Ordination Candidates Committee	
		NEWSLETTERS	
7265A/55		17 January 1899 - 21 December 1900 Western Australian Church News	
		NOTE BOOKS	
3529A/4		Note book containing notes on directions to places of worship and key parishioners	
		PHOTOGRAPHS	
6852A		Collection of photographs and copies of newspaper pictures used in the publication, "The More Excellent Connection" collated by E.W. Doncaster (a copy of this publication is held in the Battye Library). Some of the images were transferred to the Pictorial Collection	
		PLANS	
3529A/11		Plan of Wellington Location showing location of church on block of AC Clifton	
		RECEIPTS	
3529A/9		12 August 1915 For part purchase price Wellington Location 1 volume 621 folio 96	
3529A/10		12 October 1915 fee on Nannup Congregational Church	

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3529A/36		22 June 1954 Brooks, Robinson for stained glass windows	
3529A37		20 April 1954 Brooks, Robinson for stained glass windows payment at Burekup	
		REGISTERS	
		<i>Baptisms</i>	
3523A/1	microfilm	10 May 1873 – 3 July 1877 Wellington District. Note. This Register of Baptisms, consisting of loose sheets, unbound begins 10 May 1873. The first entry is numbered 619. It was kept by Joseph Withers, down to 20 September 1876. A few entries follow (Dec 17 to 3 July 1877, unsigned. Then there is a blank till 28 February 1889, when RR Furnell continues it, till 28 February 1889. John Brand follows (3 March 1889 to 21 October 1889) when Withers continues again till March 22, 1891. Joseph Withers was Rector of Bunbury and Colonial Chaplain from 1864 to 1892. From 1880 to 1889, Purnell was Priest in charge of Bunbury, while Withers carried on work at The Williams. The Wellington District covered Bunbury, Picton, Australind, Capel, Collie, Brunswick, Williams, Blackwood, Ferguson, Minninup, The Warren, Boyanup, Preston, Wokalup, Harvey, Roelands, Bridgetown	original + photocopy
3523A/1	microfilm	8 February 1880 –22 March 1898	orig & m/f
3523A/4		1 November 1921 – 14 March 1928 Bunbury Cathedral, Boddington, Boyup Brook, Dumbleyung, Kondinin, Lake Grace, Tambellup, Williams and other centres	
3528A/23		15 January 1887 – 5 June 1922 Brotherhood of St Boniface, Williams	
3528A/24		20 November 1921 – 14 March 1929 Brotherhood of St Boniface, Williams	
		<i>Marriages</i>	
3523A/2	microfilm	18 November 1874 – 4 august 1876 Two sides of one page in very poor condition	orig & m/f
3523A/1	microfilm	1890-1891 Two sides of one page in very poor condition	orig & m/f
3523A/3	microfilm	29 March 1893 – 9 November 1904 17 Marriages only in outlying centres of Arthur River, Bannister, Marradong, Narrogin, Williams and Williams River	orig & m/f
3523A/4	microfilm	18 April 1938 – 9 March 1946 Lake Bidy Hall, Rosa Brook, Donnybrook, Dumbelyung and Wagin	orig & m/f

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3523A/5	microfilm	7 September 1968 - Wongan Hills 21 March 1970 - Wongan Hills 21 December 1968 – Calingiri 15 December 1973 - Wagin 14 June 1975 - Dumbleyung	
3529A/5		12 December 1981 Dwellingup. Note regarding the removal of this certificate from the register	
3529A/6		29 March 1942 – 10 October 1950 Eastern districts service register	
7265A/56		REPORTS	
		21 September 1904 - 11 October 1982 Reports and Sermons of the Bishop of Bunbury	
		SPECIFICATIONS AND FACULTIES	
3529A/7		n.d. Minimum requirement for any rectory within the Diocese of Bunbury	
3529A/14		Application for approval of a sanctuary lamp and a brass alms dish for St John the Divine Church at Burekup	
3529A/15		Sketch for brass alms dish	
3529A/16		Sketch for sanctuary lamp	
3529A/17		Faculty for the above items 28 August 1950	
3529A/18		Application for approval of wall tablet in memory of Rev Arnold Fryer in St Mark's Church, Picton	
3529A/19		13 August 1950 Faculty for wall tablet	
3529A/20		Application for approval of new altar rails, jarrah pillar and brass vases at St David's Church, South Bunbury	
3529A/21		Sketch of altar rails	
3529A/22		Sketch of brass vase and position in the church	
3529A/23		Sketch of jarrah pillar	
3529A/24		Sketch of altar rails	
3529A/25		13 August 1950 Faculty for the above items	
3529A/26		Application for approval of copper altar vases for St Nicholas, Australind	
		Sketch of copper altar vases is loosely attached to the back of application 3529A/26	
3529A/27		24 April 1951 Faculty for the above vase	
3529A/28		Application for approval of a new pulpit, prayer desk and priests seat at St David's Church, South Bunbury	

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3529A/29		Sketch of jarrah pulpit	
3529A/30		Sketch of prayer desk	
3529A/31		Sketch of jarrah chair	
3529A/32		17 January 1952 Faculty for the above furniture	
3529A/33		Application for approval of the removal of Parish Hall from the Rectory Garden to be rebuilt along the north side of the St David's church	
3529A/34		Sketch of hall	
3529A/35		29 January 1953 Faculty for the above alterations	
3529A/38		Application for the approval of three new stained glass windows for St John the Divine Church, Burekup (no sketch attached). See also under	
		VALUATIONS	
3529A/48		20 September 1954 Lot 14 on plan 2718 – CT Vol. 1043	
		Corner of Oakley and Cross Streets, Bunbury. Includes house plan and proposed alterations	
3529A/49		Valuation of: Lots 241 and 242 Princep Street Lots 239 and 240 Arthur Street Bound in with this is plan entitled Bedford Hall	