

## GLAMORGAN RECORD OFFICE/ARCHIFDY MORGANNWG

**Reference code(s):** GB 0214 P205CW

**Title:** Pontyclun and Talygarn Ecclesiastical Parish records

**Creation date(s):** 1908-1993

**Level of description:** Fonds

**Extent:** 0.20 cubic metres

**Name of creator(s):** Pontyclun Ecclesiastical Parish

### CONTEXT

**Administrative/Biographical history:** St. Paul's church, Pontyclun was erected in 1895 as a district church within the parish of Llantrisant. St. Anne's church, Talygarn, was erected in 1889 by George Thomas Clark of Talygarn House as a perpetual curacy, held first by the headmaster of Cowbridge Grammar school, later by the vicar of Llantrisant, and from 1923 by the curate-in-charge of St. Paul's. In 1924, the new parish of Pontyclun and Talygarn was constituted from the parish of Llantrisant

### CONTENT

**Scope and content/abstract:** Pontyclun Ecclesiastical Parish records including registers of St Pauls church, Pontyclun and St Annes church, Talygarn of baptisms, 1916-1957; marriages, 1908-1987; burials, 1903-1984; banns, 1908-1988; services, 1895-1988; licences, 1889-1908; terriers, 1908; records relating to: churchwardens, 1927-1966; vestry, 1901-1929; parochial church council, 1923-1989; church affairs, 1924-1964; civil and miscellaneous records, 1907-1993

### ACCESS AND USE

**Language/scripts of material:** English

**System of arrangement:** Pontyclun Ecclesiastical Parish records arranged by item

**Conditions governing access:** No Restrictions

**Conditions governing reproduction:** Normal Glamorgan Record Office conditions apply

**Finding aids:** Handlist available at the Glamorgan Record Office

### ARCHIVAL INFORMATION

**Appraisal, destruction and scheduling information:** All records offered have been accepted and listed

**Accruals:** Accruals are possible

**Archival history:**

**Immediate source of acquisition:** Deposited by the incumbent, 1985-1994

### **ALLIED MATERIALS**

**Existence and location of originals:** Originals held at the Glamorgan Record Office

### **DESCRIPTION NOTES**

**Archivist's note:** Compiled by Annabel Wickham for the ANW Project; Sources used: Glamorgan Record Office finding aids; Williams and Watts-Williams, *Confrestri Plwyf Cymru/Parish Registers of Wales*, (Aberystwyth, 2000); [www.churchinwales.org.uk](http://www.churchinwales.org.uk)

**Rules or conventions:** Description follows Archives Network Wales guidelines based on ISAD(G) second edition; AACR2 and LCSH.

**Date(s) of descriptions:** February 2006

**ECCLESIASTICAL****Church affairs****Archbishop's and Bishop's Statements**

	<u>Statements concerning marriage</u>	
<b>P205CW1/1</b>	Statement issued by the Bishops of the Church in Wales to the Clergy, for the guidance of church members on mixed marriages between members of different denominations [1 paper, printed]	<i>Mid</i> 20 <sup>th</sup> century
<b>P205CW1/2</b>	Letter from the Archbishop and Bishops of the Church in Wales to the clergy, concerning marriage, divorce and adultery [1 paper, printed]	29 January 1938
<b>P205CW1/3</b>	Letter from the Diocesan Registrar, Llandaff, to the clergy, concerning the issue of marriage licences to members of HM forces [1 paper, printed]	June 1940
<b>P205CW1/4</b>	Letter from the Registrar of the Archbishop of Wales to the Clergy, concerning the marriage of persons serving within the U.S. and Canadian armed forces in this country [1 paper, printed]	2 February 1943
<b>P205CW1/5/1-2</b>	Letter from the Bishop of Llandaff to Rural Deans, concerning the marriage of British subjects and German subjects in this country  Attached: memorandum from the Archbishop of Canterbury to Diocesan Bishops, concerning marriage with foreigners [2 papers, multi-reproduces]	9 March 1948
<b>P205CW1/6</b>	Letter from the Archbishop and Bishops of the Church in Wales to the Clergy, concerning divorce and re-marriage, nullity, admission and Holy Communion, etc. [1 paper, printed]	18 July 1951
	<u>Statements concerning displaced persons</u>	
<b>P205CW1/7</b>	Letter from the Archbishop of Llandaff to the clergy, reciting letter, 8 May 1947, from the Archbishop of Canterbury to Bishops, concerning care for displaced persons arriving in Britain on account of the war	July 1947

Attached: letter from the Archbishop of Canterbury to Moderators of the General Assembly of Church of Scotland and of the Free Church Federal Council, entitled 'A Christian Welcome to our Visitors from Displaced Persons' Camps'  
[2 papers, multi-reproduced]

## INCUMBENT

### Registers

<b>P205CW2</b>	<u>St. Paul</u> Marriages [1 volume]	1908-1924
<b>P205CW3</b>	Marriages [1 volume]	1924-1938
<b>P205CW4</b>	Marriages [1 volume]	1938-1948
<b>P205CW5</b>	Marriages [1 volume]	1948-1960
<b>P205CW6</b>	Marriages [1 volume]	1960-1971

<b>P205CW7</b>	<u>St. Anne</u> Marriages	1963-1965
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Described as dummy register compiled from the records of the General Register Office; each entry gives the name, age and marital status of Bride and Groom, and date of marriage only  
[1 volume]

<b>P205CW8</b>	Marriages [1 volume]	1966-1970
<b>P205CW9</b>	Marriages [1 volume]	1971-1977
<b>P205CW10</b>	Burials [1 volume]	1903-1953
<b>P205CW11</b>	Burials	1903-1953

Duplicate of P205CW10, but there are discrepancies between the two registers, and three entries are omitted altogether from this duplicate register  
[1 volume]

<b>P205CW12</b>	<u>St. Paul and St. Anne</u> Banns [1 volume]	1908-1922
<b>P205CW13</b>	Banns [1 volume]	1922-1971
	<u>Service registers</u>	
<b>P205CW14</b>	<u>St. Paul</u> Offertory register	1895-1904
	Including inventory of church furniture and books [1 volume]	
<b>P205CW15</b>	Preachers book [1 volume]	1915-1924
<b>P205CW16</b>	Service register [1 volume]	1924-1935
<b>P205CW17</b>	Service register [1 volume]	1935-1954
<b>P205CW18</b>	Service register [1 volume]	1954-1971
<b>P205CW19</b>	Service register [1 volume]	1971-1979
<b>P205CW20</b>	<u>St. Anne</u> Service register [1 volume]	1913-1932
<b>P205CW21</b>	Service register [1 volume]	1932-1964
<b>P205CW22</b>	<u>Orders of services</u> Form of service for the consecration of the parish church, Pontyclun [1 booklet, printed]	15 July 1926
<b>P205CW23</b>	Poster announcing services to celebrate the jubilee of St. Paul's church [1 paper, printed]	24 June 1945

<b>P205CW24</b>	Poster announcing the consecration service of Talgarn churchyard [1 paper, printed]	1 August 1950
<b>P205CW25</b>	Order of service for the unveiling of the Pontyclun and District War Memorial [1 paper, printed]	3 September 1950
<b>P205CW26</b>	Leaflet announcing the dedication and unveiling service of the restored organ [1 paper, printed]	20 July 1952
<b>P205CW27/1-2</b>	<u>Licences</u> Licence to perform divine service and administer Holy Communion in the new church erected at Talgarn  Also: covering letter to the Reverend M.P. Williams, Cowbridge Grammar School, 28 May 1889 [2 papers]	27 May 1889
<b>P205CW28</b>	Licence for the solemnisation of marriages in St. Pauls', Pontyclun  Including plan showing the boundary of the ecclesiastical district of St. Paul's [1 paper; 1 plan attached]	25 March 1908
<b>P205CW29</b>	<u>Terrier</u> Terrier for the perpetual curacy of Talgarn [1 booklet]	1908
<b>P205CW30</b>	Account of moneys held by the Governors of Queen Anne's Bounty for the perpetual curacy of Talgarn [1 paper]	1908
<b><u>Churchwardens</u></b>		
<b>P205CW31</b>	<u>Churchyard</u> Sentence of Consecration of Talgarn churchyard and an adjoining piece of land as a burial ground  Including plan showing the burial ground [1 paper, 1 plan attached]	1 August 1950
<b>P205CW32/1-2</b>	Circular from the Imperial War Graves Commission concerning the supply and erection of headstones	1945

Including illustration of headstone  
[2 papers]

**Ecclesiastical vestry**

**P205CW33** Minutes  
Minutes  
[1 volume] 1901-1928

**P205CW34** Treasurer  
Accounts  
[1 volume, the pages of which are loose and many seem to be out of order] 1901-1929

**Parochial Church Council and Easter Vestry**

**P205CW35** Minutes  
Minutes  
[1 volume] 1944-1947

**P205CW36** Notice for meeting of Annual Parochial Electors meeting and Easter Vestry  
[1 paper] April 1961

**P205CW37** Treasurer  
Bank account credit book  
[1 volume] 1950

**P205CW89/1** Accounts (originally St. Paul's church; combined from 1979)  
[1 volume] 1978-1980

**P205CW89/2** Accounts  
[1 volume] 1978-1983

**P205CW89/3** Accounts  
[1 volume] 1983-1985

**P205CW89/4** Accounts  
[1 volume] 1985-1987

**P205CW89/5** Accounts  
[1 volume] 1987-1989

**P205CW38** New Organ Fund Committee  
Minutes  
[1 volume] 1944-1947

**Church affairs**

**P205CW39** Diocesan order  
Order of the Bishop of Llandaff constituting the New parish of Pontyclun and Talygarn 31 March 1924

Including plan showing new parish boundary  
[1 paper; 1 plan attached]

**P205CW40** Miscellaneous  
Programme for the observance of the 14<sup>th</sup> Century of the coming of Christianity 1961  
[1 paper, printed]

**CIVIL****School**Pontyclun National Schools

**P205CW41/1-4** Accounts  
Maintenance accounts 1921-1925  
[4 papers]

**P205CW42** File containing receipts, invoices and correspondence relating to maintenance of the schools 1907-1924  
[1 bundle]

**P205CW88** Correspondence on de-requisitioning and building work at National Schools 1945-1946  
[4 papers]

**Miscellaneous**

**P205CW43** Account book, from which used pages have been torn, leaving only blank pages and the edges of the removed pages n.d.  
[1 volume, blank]

**ECCLESIASTICAL****Registers**

**P205CW44** Baptisms (draft) 1916-1921  
[1 volume]



Service registers

**P205CW45** St. Paul  
Offertory register  
[1 volume] 1904-1915

**P205CW46** Personal papers  
The Reverend J. Jones-Davies deposit account book  
[1 booklet] 1953-1955

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**P205CW47** St. Paul  
New heating and lighting  
[1 paper] 12 August  
1927

**P205CW48** Mothers' Union banner and tablet  
[1 paper] 29 March  
1930

**P205CW49** Brass Eagle lectern  
[1 paper] 11 August  
1944

**P205CW50** Form of Faculty for replacement of altar rails  
[1 paper] 25 June  
1946

**P205CW51** St. Anne  
Installation of electric lighting  
[1 paper] 17 October  
1929

**P205CW52** Replacement of stoves  
[1 paper] 17 March  
1932

**P205CW53** Form of Faculty for memorial tablet to Everid Viviane  
Gurney  
[1 paper] 25 April 1957

**P205CW54** Churchyard (St. Anne)  
Register of graves  
[1 booklet] c.1940

**P205CW55** Bank account book  
[1 booklet] 1929-1950

<b>P205CW56/1-3</b>	Letter from the Imperial War Graves Commission on the erection of a headstone [3 papers]	1949
<b>P205CW57</b>	<u>New Organ Fund</u> Collector's book [1 booklet]	1944-1946
<b>P205CW58</b>	Account [1 booklet, 1 paper enclosed]	1945-1951
<b>P205CW59</b>	<u>Inventories</u> St. Paul [1 file]	1939
<b>P205CW60</b>	St. Anne [1 file]	1935
<b><u>Charities</u></b>		
<b>P205CW61/1-3</b>	<u>Lisle's Charity</u> Bank deposit account books [3 booklets]	1923-1952
<b>P205CW97</b>	Accounts [1 volume, loose papers enclosed]	1911-1960
<b><u>Registers</u></b>		
<b>P205CW62</b>	<u>St. Anne</u> Burials [1 volume]	1953-1984
<b>P205CW63</b>	Banns (St. Anne) [1 volume]	1963-1983
<b>P205CW64</b>	Banns (St. Paul) [1 volume]	1971-1988
<b>P205CW65</b>	<u>Service registers</u> Register of Services (St. Anne) [1 volume]	1965-1988
<b>P205CW66</b>	Register of Services (St. Paul) [1 volume]	1979-1988

<b>P205CW67</b>	Order of united church service for One World Week [1 file, multi-reproduced]	17 October 1982
<b>P205CW68/1-2</b>	Letters from the Bishop of Llandaff on the New Churches Fund, and copying of parish registers [2 papers, multi-reproduced]	1959-1960
<b>P205CW69</b>	Identity card of the Reverend J. Jones Davies [1 card, 1 paper, in envelope]	1943
<b>P205CW70</b>	Card for ordination of Martin Reynolds as deacon, Llandaff Cathedral [1 card, printed]	1977

### **Churchwardens**

<b>P205CW71</b>	<u>Accounts</u> Statement of account (St. Paul's) [2 papers]	1960
<b>P205CW72</b>	Account of Representative Body Fund for St. Anne's [1 paper]	1961
<b>P205CW73/1-3</b>	Rate demands [3 papers]	1957-1959
<b>P205CW74</b>	Statement of charity accounts (blank) [1 bundle]	n.d.
<b>P205CW75/1-5</b>	<u>Churchyard</u> Statements of account [1 file, 4 papers]	1929-1939
<b>P205CW76/1-3</b>	Account and correspondence on cleaning churchyard [1 file, 2 papers]	1943-1961
<b>P205CW77</b>	Licences and correspondence on exhumations [5 papers]	1944-1949
<b>P205CW78/1-2</b>	Correspondence on Graves [2 papers]	1927-1946
<b>P205CW79</b>	<u>Furnishings</u> Design for memorial tablet to Everid Viviane Gurney, died 1956	c.1956

[1 paper]

<b>P205CW80</b>	Archdeacon's certificate authorising minor alterations (also covering letter) [2 papers]	1963
<b>P205CW81/1-2</b>	Accounts, correspondence [2 papers]	1949-1950
<b>P205CW82</b>	<u>Insurance</u> Correspondence [5 papers]	1929-1932
<b><u>Parochial Church Council</u></b>		
<b>P205CW83</b>	Minutes [1 volume]	1980-1984
<b><u>Church affairs</u></b>		
<b>P205CW84</b>	Church assembly electoral roll [1 volume]	1920-c.1957
<b><u>Miscellaneous</u></b>		
<b>P205CW85</b>	Diocesan film strip library circulars [4 papers]	1954
<b>P205CW86</b>	Diocesan Council for Social Responsibility Annual Report [1 booklet, printed]	1984
<b>P205CW87</b>	Miscellaneous correspondence, cards, etc. [3 papers, 5 cards]	1944-1962
<b><u>Registers</u></b>		
<b>P205CW90</b>	<u>St. Anne's</u> Baptisms [1 volume]	1903-1957
<b>P205CW91</b>	Marriages [1 volume]	1986-1987

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	<u>Inventories</u>	
<b>P205CW92/1-2</b>	Inventory and evaluation of moveable fittings (St. Anne and St. Paul) [2 files]	1942
<b>P205CW93-1-2</b>	Inventory (St. Anne and St. Paul) [2 files]	1966

**Parochial Church Council**

<b>P205CW94</b>	Attendance book [1 booklet]	1974-1981
<b>P205CW95/1-2</b>	Draft minutes [2 volumes]	1981-1983
<b>P205CW96/1-5</b>	Secretaries' correspondence [5 files]	1951-1987

**Miscellaneous**

<b>P205CW98/1-2</b>	'All our Yesterdays. A pictorial history of Llantrisant and Pontyclun', volumes one and two [2 volumes, printed]	1992-1993
<b>P205CW99</b>	Copies of original photographs used in 'All our Yesterdays', volume one [141 photographs]	c.1992