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**Spring Garden Evangelical Lutheran Church. Records of Spring  
Garden Evangelical Lutheran Church, Cannon Falls, Minnesota,  
1930-1984.**

**LCA Collection 207**

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**ABSTRACT:**

The Records of Spring Garden Evangelical Lutheran Church Collection of Cannon Falls, Minnesota, contains a variety of materials, including reports, bulletins, a directory containing photographs of members, yearbooks, photographs, anniversary booklets, and newsletters in addition to by-laws and articles. The church was established in 1858 by Swedish settlers in the area, and the Reverend Eric Norelius provided assistance to the community as the church formed.

Historical information obtained on 1 May 2014 from the Spring Garden Evangelical Lutheran Church website at <http://www.spring-garden.org/ourhistory.html>.

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**ACQUISITION:**

Darlene Schroeder donated this collection during July 2013.

**PROCESSED BY:**

Libby Larson, student worker, processed this collection and developed the finding aid during May 2014.

**RELATED COLLECTIONS IN THE ARCHIVES:**

Compilation Collections of Church Congregations in the Minnesota Synod, Red River Valley Synod, and Northwest Synod, 1842-2008. LCA Collection 16.

**SUBJECT HEADINGS:**

Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church (Cannon Falls, Minnesota).  
Protestant Churches – Minnesota – Goodhue County.  
Swedish Americans – Minnesota – Cannon Falls.  
Protestant Churches – United States.  
Church records and registers -- Minnesota -- Cannon Falls.

<b>LCA Collection 207</b>	<b>Box</b>	<b>Folder</b>
Album Directory, 1968	1	1
Anniversaries, 1933, 1938, 1951, 1953, 1958	1	2
Sunday Service Bulletins, 1939, 1941, 1960-63, 1966, 1968-69, 1972, 1976-77	1	3
By-laws of the Spring Garden Cemetery Association, 1930	1	4
Convention of Lutheran Church Men of the Minnesota Synod, 1975	1	5
G. Hulstrand involvement in the Spring Garden Lutheran Church, 1938-80	1	6
List of names, undated	1	7
Newspaper articles, 1984 and undated	1	8
Photographs and proposed building addition, 1973 and undated	1	9
Reports, 1940, 1941, 1943, 1947-49, and undated	1	10
Yearbooks, 1950-60	1	11
Newsletters, 1946, 1959-62, and 1971-76	1	12
Newsletters, 1977-78	1	13
Newsletters, 1979-81	1	14