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Granger E. Westberg Papers

Addendum 1

Dates: 1950-1998, Undated (bulk 1950-1970)

Creator: Westberg, Granger E. (1911-1999)

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See Also: Granger E. Westberg Papers, 1935-2000.

Biographical Sketch

Rev. Dr. Granger E. Westberg, born in Illinois on July 11, 1911, graduated from Augustana College in 1935 and Augustana Theological Seminary in 1939. He served as pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church in Bloomington, Illinois, and as chaplain for Augustana Hospital. Dr. Westberg taught at the University of Chicago Divinity and Medical Schools, the Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago, McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago, the Institute of Religion at Texas Medical Center, Baylor University Medical School, Wittenberg University's Hamma School of Theology, and the University of Illinois College of Medicine, Chicago—the last a position held from 1971 until his retirement in 1981. He published several books and numerous articles including, *Good Grief: A Constructive Approach to the Problem of Loss* and *The Parish Nurse*. He is often credited as a pioneer in the concept of “wholistic health” which combines care for the body and care of the religious spirit, and as the founder of the national parish nurse movement—a concept that combined the function of the church parish with institutional health care systems (hospitals, care centers, retirement homes, home visits)—begun at Lutheran General Hospital in Park Ridge, Illinois in 1984. The Parish nurse movement has since spread internationally and encompasses an International Parish Nurse Resource Center as well as the annual Granger Westberg Nurse Symposium. Granger Westberg passed away on February 16, 1999.

Scope and Content

Addendum 1 of the Granger E. Westberg Papers consists of 1.5 linear feet spanning the years 1951 to 1998 and includes articles, sermons, research notes, and photographs. Subjects include Parish Nursing. Arrangement is chronological where possible.

Series

Series 1: Biographical, 1952-1997, Undated, Box 1

Contains one photograph of Granger E. Westberg, biographical material, correspondence, and listings of his public appearances.

Series 2: Research, 1951-1992, Undated, Box 1

Contains materials used for research including articles, notes, and news clippings.

Series 3: Professional Materials, 1951-1988, Undated, Box 2

Contains lecture notes, addresses, articles, abstracts, and sermons.

Series 4: General Materials, 1953-1998, Undated, Box 3

Includes notes and reference materials for Parish nursing, holistic healing, the Lutheran Church of America, and faith and healing projects.

Subjects:

Westberg, Granger
Wholistic Health
Parish Nursing—Illinois
Parish Nursing—United States

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<u>Box</u>	<u>Folder</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Dates</u>
<u>Series 1: Biographical, 1952-1997, Undated</u>			
1	1	Photograph. Receiving Doctorate of Divinity, Augustana College	Undated
1	2	Biographical, Appointments	1955-1957
1	3	Biographical and Miscellaneous	1952-1988, Undated
1	4	Correspondence	1953-1997
1	5	Public Appearances	1956
<u>Series 2: Research, 1951-1992, Undated</u>			
<i>Research Notes</i>			
1	6	Research and Reference Materials	Undated
1	7	Research and Reference Materials	1954-1959
1	8	Research and Reference Materials	1960-1961
1	9	Research and Reference Materials	1970-1979
1	10	Research and Reference Materials	1980-1989
1	11	Research and Reference Materials	1990-1995
<i>Articles by Others</i>			
1	12	Stendahl, Krister, "The Theological Context of Health and Healing in the Lutheran Tradition and Experience"	Undated
1	13	Howland, Elihu. Multiple Articles	Undated
1	14	Carlson, David. "Toward a Theology of Pastoral Care"	Undated
1	15	Townes, Charles. "Convergence of Science and Religion"	1964
1	16	Nehus, Marianne. "Spiritual Needs of Patients,"	1992
1	17	Nehus, Marianne. "An Examination of Two Leadership Concepts in Parish Nursing"	1992
<i>Newspaper Clippings</i>			
1	18	Newspaper Clippings	Undated
1	19	Newspaper Clippings	1951-1994
1	20	Newspaper Clippings	1954-1982
1	21	Newspaper Clippings	1980-1989
<u>Series 3: Professional Materials, 1951-1988, Undated</u>			
<i>Public Addresses</i>			
2	1	"Frontiers in Religion and Health"	Undated

2	2	"The Physicians Role"	Undated
2	3	"A Clergyman Comments on the Doctor's Role in the Community"	1956
2	4	"Religious Aspects of Medical Teachings"	1956
2	5	"Social and Emotional Factors in the Care of the Cancer Patient"	1962
2	6	"Why a Baccalaureate Service?"	1963

Articles, Proposals, and Sermons

2	7	Bibliography, "The Relationship of Health and Religion"	Undated
2	8	Notes	Undated
2	9	Article "Neighborhood Church-Clinics Project"	Undated
2	10	Article "The Church in a Scientific Age"	Undated
2	11	Article "Fellowships for Post-Graduates in the Dialogue Between the Christian Faith and the University"	Undated
2	12	Article "Problems Related to Medicine and Religion"	Undated
2	13	Article "The Pastor Reassesses his Role in the Preventative Psychiatry"	Undated
2	14	Article "Scientific Medicine and Spirituality"	Undated
2	15	Article "The Teacher as Counselor"	Undated
2	16	Pamphlet, "How to Start a Church Based Health Clinic"	Undated
2	17	Pamphlet, "Questions on Religious Emphasis"	Undated
2	18	Proposal "A Joint Program in Clinical Pastoral Education in Hospital and Parish"	Undated
2	19	Sermon, "Pastoral Care to the Terminal Patient,"	Undated
2	20	Sermon, "Pastor's Concern for the Whole Man,"	Undated
2	21	Article "Is Your Sunday School Hurting your Church?"	1952
2	22	Article "Catholics are Christians Too!"	1954
2	23	Article "The Cancer Patient and his Spiritual Needs,"	1954
2	24	Article "Musings of a Hospital Chaplain"	1955
2	25	Sermon Ideas, General	1954, 1984, 1988, Undated
2	26	Article "What is the Role of the Minister in Telling a Parishioner that his Illness is Hopeless and Death is Imminent?"	1955
2	27	Article "Should the Patient know the Truth?"	1955
2	28	Sermon, "Prayer for Publication"	1956
2	29	Article "The Interrelationship of the Ministry and Medicine"	1957
2	30	Article "The New Field of Religion and Medicine"	1958
2	31	Article "Advice to the Family on Being Given Diagnosis of Cancer"	1958

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2	32	Article "The 'New' Field of Religion and Medicine"	1958
2	33	Article "Das Zusammenwirken Von Arzt und Pfarrer in Amerika"	1958
2	34	Article "The Hospital Chaplain's Contribution to the Physician-Clergy Cooperation"	1959
2	35	Article "Preachers, Teachers, or Pastors?"	1959
2	36	Article "Frontiers in Religion and Health"	1959
2	37	Article "A Radical Change in Theological Education"	1960
2	38	Article "Pastoral Care"	1960
2	39	Article "Go, Preach, Heal"	1960
2	40	Article "The Need for Radical Changes in Theological Education," Harvard Symposium	1960
2	41	Article "The Role of the Clergyman in Mental Health"	1960
2	42	Article "What the Cancer Patient Should be Told About His Diagnosis and Prognosis"	1961
2	43	Article "Minister and Doctor Meet,"	1961
2	44	Article "Good Grief is Growth Toward Maturity"	1962
2	45	Article "Meeting of the Sacred and Secular"	1963
2	46	Article "How do We Reach the Other Half?"	1963
2	47	Article "Making Our Ministry Relevant,"	1963
2	48	Sermon "In Search of the Way of Salvation"	1963
2	49	Article "Let's Be Specific: Ideas from Hospitals Volunteers,"	1964
2	50	Article "A Medical Setting for Clergy and Education"	1964
2	51	Article "Comments Regarding the Chaplain"	1964
2	52	Pamphlet "Specific Jobs for Laymen"	1964
2	53	Article "Running Through the Thistles: Terminating a Ministerial Relationship with Parish" Preface by Granger Westberg	1978
2	54	Article "Commentary on the Lutheran/Roman Catholic Covenant"	1988

Series 4: General Materials, 1953-1998, Undated

3	1	Church Health Centers, Inc.	Undated
3	2	Lutheran Church of America	Undated
3	3	Lutheran Church Doctrine Reference	Undated
3	4	Ministry, General	Undated
3	5	Parish Nurse Resource Center	Undated
3	6	Religion & Sweden	Undated
3	7	St. Paul's Lutheran Church	Undated
3	8	Westberg Institute	Undated
3	9	Wholistic Health Network, Inc.	Undated
3	10	Pastoral Psychology	1953-1959
3	11	University of Chicago—Rockefeller Memorial Chapel	1953
3	12	Pre-Marital Counseling Guides	1957-1958
3	13	Faith and Healing	1960-1998

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3	14	Notes and News Book Review Pages	1962-1964
3	15	Neighborhood Church Clinic	1971
3	16	Good Shepard Clinic	1971
3	17	Experts from Published Work: Others	1973-1980
3	18	Wholistic Health Centers	1977-1985
3	19	“Interesting Ideas”	1981
3	20	Affiliated Wholistic Health Centers	1982
3	21	Schuller, Robert	1984
3	22	“Churches are in Health Care & Don’t Know It” Dr. F. Dean Lueking	1985
3	23	Lutheran General Hospital Congregation Project File	1985
3	24	School Health Clinics	1986
3	25	Healthcare, General	1993, Undated
3	26	Worship/Faith	1994
3	27	Parish Nursing, General Reference	1998