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### **Appendix A**

Repositories where materials on the Evangelical United Brethren Church and its Predecessor denominations may be found:

***General Commission on Archives and History  
United Methodist Archives and History Center  
Drew University  
36 Madison Ave.  
P.O. Box 127  
Madison, NJ 07940***

When the merger of 1968 created the United Methodist Church, the official papers of the former churches were eventually combined in the collections of the General Commission on Archives and History. Papers of official boards and agencies of the previous Evangelical United Brethren Church were included in these collections. Official minutes and correspondence of the Missionary Boards, Boards of Church Extension, etc., are now housed in the collection at the General Commission on Archives and History. In addition, the few remaining papers of Philip William Otterbein are there, as well as other important leaders such as the Funkhousers.

Website: [www.gc ah.org](http://www.gc ah.org)  
Email: [gc ah@gc ah.org](mailto:gc ah@gc ah.org)  
Phone: 973-408-3189

***Otterbein College  
138 West Main Street  
Westerville, OH 43081***

Otterbein College was the first school founded by the Church of the United Brethren in Christ. The Otterbein Room at Courtright Memorial Library houses some materials from the United Brethren in Christ, but primarily materials that relate to the College.

Website: [www.otterbein.edu/resources/library/libpages/archives.htm](http://www.otterbein.edu/resources/library/libpages/archives.htm)  
Archivist: Stephen D. Grinch  
Email: [SGrinch@Otterbein.edu](mailto:SGrinch@Otterbein.edu)  
Phone: 614-823-1761

***Shenandoah University******Libraries******1460 University Dr.******Winchester, VA 22601***

Shenandoah University stems from Shenandoah Seminary, founded in 1875. Information on this history may be found on the website [www.su.edu/pr/SU\\_history.asp](http://www.su.edu/pr/SU_history.asp). The Smith Library houses an archive of the Virginia Conference of the Evangelical United Brethren /United Brethren collection, primarily Conference level material. Materials available appear in the library's online catalog.

Website: [www.su.edu/library/facguide.html#18](http://www.su.edu/library/facguide.html#18)

Contact: Christopher Bean, Director of the Libraries

Email: [CBean@su.edu](mailto:CBean@su.edu)

Phone: 540-665-4553

***North Central College Archives******Oesterle Library******320 E. School St.******Naperville, IL 60540***

The Evangelical Association organized Plainfield College in Plainfield, IL, in 1861. In 1864, it was renamed North-Western College, which relocated to Naperville, IL, in 1870. In 1924, its name became North Central College. The Evangelical Association also founded Union Biblical Institute (incorporated 1873, classes in 1876) to train ministers and other church workers. In 1909, this school was renamed Evangelical Theological Seminary. With the merger creating the United Methodist Church in 1968, ETS in 1974 was consolidated with Garrett Biblical Institute to form Garrett-Evangelical Seminary. The early archives of the college and the seminary are interwoven with materials on the local conferences of the Evangelical Association (later Church). On the Archives webpage <http://library.noctrl.edu/archives/exhibits/Fall06/introa.htm> an exhibit on the Evangelical Theological Seminary (Fall 2006) gives history and pictures.

Website: [library.noctrl.edu/archives/](http://library.noctrl.edu/archives/)

Archivist: Kim Butler

Email: [kjbutler@noctrl.edu](mailto:kjbutler@noctrl.edu)

Phone: 630-637-5714

***United Library******Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary******2121 Sheridan Rd.******Evanston, IL 60201***

Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary is the united school of Garrett Biblical Institute and Evangelical Theological Seminary. Collections from Evangelical were transferred to the United Library. Of special interest is Bishop John Seybert's

personal library in the Keen Bible Room. Other materials are available in the Methodist Collection.

Website: [www.garrett.edu/library/Special.htm](http://www.garrett.edu/library/Special.htm)  
Archivist: No archivist listed; contact Reference  
Email: [Elaine.Caldbeck@Garrett.edu](mailto:Elaine.Caldbeck@Garrett.edu)  
Phone: 847-866-3913

***Center for the Evangelical United Brethren Heritage  
United Theological Seminary Archives  
4501 Denlinger Rd.  
Dayton, OH 45426***

The Center for the Evangelical United Brethren Heritage was founded in 1979 at United Theological Seminary in Dayton, OH. It does not have official papers of the denomination, but rather a substantial book collection from the Evangelical United Brethren Church and its predecessor denominations. Missionary papers and artifacts, manuscripts from bishops, ministers, educators, and other church workers, and a large oral history collection of both denominational officials and “Grassroots Voices” are housed here.

Website: [www.united.edu/eubcenter](http://www.united.edu/eubcenter)  
Archivist: Timothy Binkley  
Email: [tbinkley@united.edu](mailto:tbinkley@united.edu)  
Phone: 937-529-2201 ext. 3402

***Huntington University  
RichLyn Library  
2303 College Avenue  
Huntington, IN 46750***

The United Brethren Historical Center housed in the RichLyn Library at Huntington University has materials from the beginnings of the United Brethren in Christ. It also specifically holds materials after the 1889 split that belong to the United Brethren in Christ (cataloged as “Old Constitution”). Materials of Bishop Milton Wright are found here, as well as the continuing archives of the denomination.

Website: [www.huntington.edu/ubhc/](http://www.huntington.edu/ubhc/)  
Archivist: Randy Neuman, Director of the United Brethren Historical Center  
Email: [rneuman@huntington.edu](mailto:rneuman@huntington.edu)  
Phone: 260-359-4064

Many Annual Conference Archives in the areas where EUB churches were located have significant information on churches in that area. For information on conference and jurisdictional archives, see the listing on the General Commission on Archives and History website, [www.gcah.org/site/c.ghKJI0PHIoE/b.3839179/](http://www.gcah.org/site/c.ghKJI0PHIoE/b.3839179/).

### Appendix B

#### Bishops of the Evangelical Association

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Elected</u>
Jacob Albright (1759-1808)	1807
John Seybert (1791-1860)	1839
Joseph Long (1800-1869)	1843
William W. Orwig (1810-1889)	1859
John Jacob Esher (1823-1901)	1863
Reuben Yeakel (1824-1904)	1871
Rudolph Dubs (1837-1915)	1875
Thomas Bowman (1836-1923)	1875
Sylvanus C. Breyfogel (1851-1934)	1891
William Horn (1839-1917)	1891
Samuel P. Spreng (1853-1946)	1907
Gottlieb Heinmiller (1853-1922)	1915
Lawrence Hoover Seager (1860-1937)	1915

#### Bishops of the United Evangelical Church

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Elect</u>
Christian S. Haman (1832-1916)	1891*
Wesley Matthias Stanford (1846-1923)	1891* and 1894
Rudolph Dubs (1837-1915)	1894
Henry Burns Hartzler (1840-1920)	1902
William Franklin Heil (1857-1930)	1902
William Hargrave Fouke (1851-1923)	1910
Uriah Frantz Swengel (1846-1921)	1910
Matthew T. Maze (1857-1940)	1918

\* *Elected Bishop at conference level of the United Evangelical Church before formal organization in 1894.*

#### Bishops of the Evangelical Church

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Elected</u>
John Francis Dunlap (1865-1941)	1922
John S. Stamm (1878-1956)	1926
Samuel J. Umbreit (1871-1945)	1926
George Edward Epp (1886-1970)	1930
Elmer Wesley Praetorius (1882-1966)	1934
Charles Henry Stauffacher (1879-1956)	1934

**Bishops of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Elected</u>
Philip William Otterbein (1726-1813)	1800
Martin Boehm (1725-1812)	1800
Christian Newcomer (1749-1830)	1813
Andrew Zeller (1755-1839)	1817
Joseph Hoffman (1780-1856)	1821
Henry Kumler, Sr. (1775-1854)	1825
Samuel Heistand (1781-1838)	1833
William Brown (1796-1868)	1833
Jacob Erb (1804-1883)	1837
Henry Kumler, Jr. (1801-1882)	1841
John Coons (1797-1869)	1841
John Russel (1799-1870)	1845
Jacob John Glossbrenner (1812-1887)	1845
William Hanby (1808-1880)	1845
David Edwards (1816-1876)	1849
Lewis Davis (1814-1890)	1853
Jacob Markwood (1815-1873)	1861
Daniel Shuck (1827-1900)	1861
Jonathan Weaver (1824-1901)	1865
John Dickson (1820-1907)	1869
Nicholas Castle (1837-1922)	1877
Milton Wright (1828-1917)	1877
Ezekiel Boring Kephart (1834-1906)	1881
Daniel Kumler Flickinger (1824-1911)	1885
James W. Hott (1844-1902)	1889
Job S. Mills (1848-1909)	1893
George Martin Mathews (1848-1921)	1902
William Marion Weekley (1851-1926)	1905
William Melvin Bell (1860-1933)	1905
Thomas Coke Carter (1851-1916)	1905
Henry Harness Fout (1861-1947)	1913
Cyrus Jeffries Kephart (1852-1932)	1913
Alfred Taylor Howard (1868-1948)	1913
William H. Washinger (1862-1928)	1917
Arthur Raymond Clippinger (1878-1958)	1921
Arthur Biggs Statton (1870-1937)	1925
Grant D. Batdorf (1874-1954)	1929
Ira David Warner (1886-1964)	1929
Victor Otterbein Weidler (1887-1950)	1938
Fred L. Dennis (1890-1958)	1941
John Balmer Showers (1879-1962)	1945

**Bishops of the Evangelical United Brethren Church**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Elected</u>
David Thomas Gregory (1889-1956)	1950
Reuben Herbert Mueller (1897-1982)	1954
Harold Rickel Heininger (1895-1983)	1954
Lyle Lynden Baughman (1899-1960)	1954
Paul E. V. Shannon (1898-1957)	1957
John Gordon Howard (1899-1974)	1957
Herman W. Kaebnick (1898-1987)	1958
W. Maynard Sparks (1906-1999)	1958
Paul M. Herrick (1898-1972)	1958
Paul William Milhouse (1910-2005)	1960
Paul Arthur Washburn (1911-1989)	1968

**Appendix C****Some important dates in the history of the Evangelical United Brethren Church and its predecessor bodies**

Codes: UB = Church of the United Brethren in Christ (1800-1946)  
 EA = Evangelical Association (1800-1922)  
 UE = United Evangelical Church (1891-1922)  
 EC = Evangelical Church (1922-1946)  
 EUB = Evangelical United Brethren Church (1946-1968)

1725—UB: Martin Boehm is born in Lancaster County, PA.

1726—UB: Philip William Otterbein is born in Germany.

1752—UB: Otterbein comes to America as a missionary.

1758—EA: Jacob Albright is born near Pottstown, PA.

1766—UB: Great Meeting at the Isaac Long barn near Neffsville, PA. Otterbein embraces Boehm proclaiming: "*Wir sind Brüder!*" ("We are Brethren!").

1792—EA: Conversion of Jacob Albright.

1796—EA: Albright's first preaching tour.

1800—UB: The Church of the United Brethren in Christ officially organizes; Otterbein and Boehm are chosen the denomination's first bishops.

1800—EA: With the organizing of its first classes, the Evangelical Association is founded.

1808—EA: Albright dies.

1809—EA: Printing of the first *Discipline* and the first *Catechism*.

1812—UB: Boehm dies.

1813—UB: First ordination service; also Otterbein dies.

1814 and 1817—The UB and EA consider merger.

1815—UB: First General Conference, Mt. Pleasant, PA; Confession of Faith revised and formally adopted.

1816—EA: First general conference, Union County, PA.

1817—EA: First church building and first printing plant, New Berlin, PA.

1820—UB: First Sunday School organized, Corydon, IN.

- 1829—UB: General Conference considers a proposal to merge with the Methodist Protestant Church.
- 1832—EA: First Sunday School organized, Lebanon, PA; First printing of the *Discipline* in English.
- 1834—UB: Publishing House established, Circleville, OH.
- 1837—UB: First Constitution adopted.
- 1838—EA: First missionary society forms.
- 1839—EA: John Seybert elected second bishop of the EA.
- 1841—UB: Second Constitution adopted.
- 1847—UB: Otterbein University founded, Westerville, OH.
- 1850—EA: First foreign mission begun in Germany.
- 1851—UB: Lydia Sexton is granted a Quarterly Conference license to preach.
- 1853—UB: Home, Frontier, and Foreign Missionary Society organized; denominational publishing house moves to Dayton, OH.
- 1854—EA: Publishing operation moves to Cleveland, OH.
- 1855—UB: Missionary work begins in West Africa.
- 1856—EA: Union Seminary founded, New Berlin, PA.
- 1856—UB: Western College founded, Toledo, IA.
- 1862—EA: North Central College founded, Plainfield, IL.
- 1865—UB: Sunday School Association organized; Lane University founded in Leocompton, KS; Philomath College founded in Philomath, OR.
- 1865—EA: Missionary work begins in Switzerland.
- 1866—UB: Lebanon Valley College founded, Annville, PA.
- 1868—EA: Missionary work begins in France.
- 1869—UB: Avalon Academy founded, Avalon, MO.
- 1870—UB: Missionary work begins in Germany.
- 1871—UB: Union Biblical Seminary founded, Dayton, OH.
- 1871—EA: General Conference votes on merger with the Methodist Episcopal Church.
- 1873—EA: Union Biblical Institute founded, Naperville, IL.
- 1875—UB: Woman's Missionary Association organized.
- 1875—EA: Missionary work begins in Japan.
- 1876—UB: Shenandoah Institute founded, Dayton, VA.
- 1877—UB: Edwards Academy founded, White Pine, TN.
- 1877—EA: Reutlingen Theological Seminary founded, Reutlingen, Germany.
- 1878—UB: San Joaquin Valley College founded, Woodbridge, CA.
- 1882—UB: Missionary work begins among Chinese on the Pacific coast.
- 1883—UB: Union Academy founded, Buckhannon, WV.
- 1884—UB: Erie Conference Seminary founded, Sugar Grove, PA.
- 1884—EA: Schuylkill Seminary founded, Reading, PA.
- 1886—EA: Deaconess Society organized in Germany.
- 1887—UB: Training School founded in Shaingay, West Africa (now Sierra Leone).
- 1889—UB: First missionary work in China; Ella Niswonger becomes the first woman ordained an Elder in the UB Church; General Conference amends Constitution and adopts revised Confession of Faith; "Radical" United Brethren withdraw and form the Church of the United Brethren in Christ (Old Constitution).
- 1890—UB: York College founded, York, NE.
- 1891—EA: The denomination divides, on a practical level, EA and UE.

- 1894—UE: Formal organization of the United Evangelical Church.
- 1895—UB: Missionary work begins in Japan.
- 1900—EA: Missionary work begins in China.
- 1900—UE: Western Union College founded, Le Mars, IA.
- 1902—UB: Indiana Central University (now University of Indianapolis) founded, Indianapolis, IN.
- 1905—EA: Evangelical School of Theology founded, Reading, PA.
- 1908—EA: Missionary work begins in Riga, Latvia.
- 1912—UB: Missionary work begins in New Mexico (named McCurdy School in 1915).
- 1921—EA: Red Bird Mission founded in KY.
- 1922—EA & UE: The Evangelical Association and the United Evangelical Church re-unite to form The Evangelical Church. Formation of the Evangelical Congregational Church.
- 1938—EC: First denomination to join the World Council of Churches.
- 1946—EC & UB merge to form the EUB Church, Johnstown, PA.
- 1950—EUB: The National Council of Churches forms. EUB Church joins promptly.
- 1954—EUB: Westmar College and York College merge; Bonebrake Theological Seminary and Evangelical School of Theology merge in Dayton, OH, forming United Theological Seminary.
- 1960—EUB: New denominational office building dedicated in Dayton, OH.
- 1966—EUB: General Conference, meeting in Chicago, votes in favor of church union. A specially called General Conference of the Methodist Church also approves the Plan of Union.
- 1968—EUB and Methodist Church merge, creating the United Methodist Church. Canada Conference EUB joins the United Church of Canada. Northwest Canada Conference EUB forms the Evangelical Church of Canada.
- 1974—Evangelical Theological Seminary merges with Garrett Theological Seminary creating Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, Evanston, IL.
- 1979—The Center for the Evangelical United Brethren Heritage founded at United Theological Seminary, Dayton, OH.