

Methodist Church of New Zealand Archives Canterbury District Baptism Registers

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The Methodist Church of New Zealand Archives is the approved repository for Methodist baptism registers once completed by parishes. They are part of the parish and church records held.

Registers can date from the first Wesleyan missionaries time in New Zealand during the 1830s, through to the present day.

They include all branches of Methodism in New Zealand: Primitive Methodist, Wesleyan, United Free Methodist, and Bible Christian.

Some registers, particularly those still in use, are held by parishes. Details of how to contact parishes are on the Methodist Church website www.methodist.org.nz

In the case of union or combined parishes, registers containing Methodist baptisms may be held by other repositories such as the Presbyterian Archives and Anglican Archives.

The format of baptism registers varied over the years. Early registers often only contained the name of the person being baptised, the date of baptism, the district they lived in and the name of the minister performing the baptism.

Later on, when standard baptism registers were printed and distributed by the Methodist Church, more information was added, such as birth date, names of parents, their address and the parish or circuit in which the baptism was taking place.

This information varies from register to register – the most basic register is a notebook ruled with lines and often these registers carried on being used until they were full.

In most cases, there is no name index to baptism registers, and to find information, requires reading carefully through registers.

While access to registers held at the Methodist Archives in Christchurch is free, a research fee is charged if researchers are unable to visit in person and Archives staff are requested to search through registers on their behalf. Fees and charges are outlined on our website, along with our opening hours and contact details. See www.methodist.org.nz

Please note that most of these registers are fragile and require careful supervised handling. To ensure their long term preservation, we do not photocopy from baptism registers. A verified transcript of an entry can be provided for a fee.

This list is arranged in code number order, which is loosely geographic. These numbers uniquely identify each Church. A catalogue number, also uniquely identifies each register.

Canterbury District Baptism Registers – other holdings

Several indexing projects have taken place on Canterbury District registers, and it is recommended that the following repositories are contacted for baptism information before laboriously reading through registers:

Christchurch and environs – see Christchurch City Libraries Aotearoa New Zealand Centre Church Register Index. See website www.library.christchurch.org.nz for contact details.

Mid Canterbury – see New Zealand Society of Genealogists Mid Canterbury Branch. See www.genealogy.org.nz for contact details.

Kowai-Sefton area – see Kowai Archives. See www.nzmuseums.co.nz for contact details.

Waimate – see Waimate District and Historical Society Archives. See www.nzmuseums.co.nz for contact details

| Name | Date | Description | Quantity | Catalogue number | Code numbers | Notes |
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| North Canterbury District | 1885-1896 | Baptism register of Rev Samuel Macfarlane. Includes Auckland United Free Methodist Church Circuit and Canterbury United Free Methodist Church Circuit | 1 volume | B149 | 8000 | United Methodist Free Church. See earlier baptisms in B133. Photocopy of original register. Original register held by Nicole Macfarlane |
| North Canterbury District | 1942-1972 | Baptism register of Sister Eleanor Dobby | 1 volume | B148 | 8000 | Sister Eleanor Dobby was a deaconess |
| North Canterbury District | 1852-1855 | Baptism register, Canterbury Circuit including Lyttelton | 1 volume | B150 | 8000 | Photocopy available. |
| North Canterbury District | 1871-1893 | Baptism register of Rev John Aldred. Includes Canterbury Circuit and St Albans Parish | 1 volume | B144 | 8000 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 250. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. |
| North Canterbury District | 1873-1886 | Baptism register of Rev T Fisher. United Methodist Free Church Canterbury Circuit | 1 volume | B145 | 8000 | United Methodist Free Church, their ref. 253B. Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Transcript bound together with B196 and B166. 1914/1 |
| North Canterbury District | 1851-1865 | Baptism register, United Free Methodist Church Canterbury Circuit. 1851, 1854-1865. | 1 volume | B151 | 8000 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 251a. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index Index. A copy from Wellington 1851 Baptismal Register by Rev Watkins, copied by Rev M Rugby Pratt, included with Rev Pratt's personal papers, includes handwritten additions. See also B305 for early Canterbury baptisms |

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| St Asaph Street Church | 1866-1904 | Baptism register, United Methodist Free Church Christchurch Circuit including St Asaph Street Church, Addington Church, Bingsland Church | 1 volume | B154 | 8010-2 | United Methodist Free Church, their ref. 292. Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. |
| Durham Street Church | 1865-1884 | Baptism register, Durham Street Circuit | 1 volume | B152 | 8012 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 251b. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index . Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. Large format |
| Durham Street Church | 1884-1912 | Baptism register, Durham Street Circuit | 1 volume | B158 | 8012 | |
| Durham Street Church | 1912-1974 | Baptism register, Durham Street Circuit | 1 volume | B155 | 8012 | |
| Cambridge Terrace Church | 1872-1913 | Baptism register Primitive Methodist Church Cambridge Terrace Church | 1 volume | B153 | 8013 | Primitive Methodist Church. Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 264A. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. |
| Cambridge Terrace Church | 1913-1970 | Baptism register Cambridge Terrace Church and Central Mission Christchurch | 1 volume | B156 | 8013 | |
| Cambridge Terrace Church | 1966 | Baptism register Cambridge Terrace Church | 1 volume | B157 | 8013 | 1 entry only |
| Durham Street South Church | 1906-1918 | Baptism register Christchurch Mission and Durham Street South Church | 1 volume | B159 | 8014 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 253c. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Not to be confused with Christchurch Central Mission. |
| St James Church, Cashmere Hills | 1925-1974 | Baptism register St James Church | 1 volume | B160 | 8021 | Also known as Cashmere Hills Church; St James, Cashmere Hills; Durham Street Circuit, Somerfield Street. |
| St Marks Church, Somerfield | 1961-1974 | Baptism register, St Marks Church Somerfield | 1 volume | B161 | 8022 | |

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| Addington Church, Selwyn Street (St Johns) | 1878-1911 | Baptism register, United Methodist Free Church Addington Parish, Upper Spreydon Parish, Halswell Parish | 1 volume | B182 | 8024 | United Methodist Free Church 1878-1896, Methodist Church of Australia and New Zealand 1896-1911. Use with B183 (8100) 1886-1898. Previously code number 8101, See Parish Records 8100. |
| Addington Church, Selwyn Street, (St Johns) | 1886-1898 | Baptism register, United Methodist Free Church Addington Parish | 1 volume | B183 | 8024 | United Methodist Free Church. Use with B182, 1878-1911. Previously code number 8101, See Parish Records 8100. |
| Addington Church, Selwyn Street, (St Johns) | 1888-1930 | Baptism register, Addington Church (St Johns) 1888-1891; 1911-1930 | 1 volume | B184 | 8024 | Previously code number 8101. See Parish Records 8100. |
| Addington Church, Selwyn Street, (St Johns) | 1930-1973 | Baptism register, Addington Church (St Johns) 1888-1891; 1911-1930 | 1 volume | B185 | 8024 | Previously code number 8101. See Parish Records 8100. |
| Addington Church, Selwyn Street, (St Johns) | 1930-1973 | Baptism register, Addington Church (St Johns) 1888-1891; 1911-1930 | 1 volume | B185 | 8024 | Previously code number 8101. See Parish Records 8100. |
| Christchurch East Parish | 1926-1978; 2004 | Baptism register, Christchurch East Circuit including Richmond Church 1926-1978, Wainoni Church 2004, Marshland Church 1920-1938 | 1 volume | B311 | 8030 | This register was presumably borrowed from the Methodist Archives in the 1980s and was returned 10 February 2009. It appears to have been used while borrowed, to record a baptism in 2004. |
| Hills Road Church (St Phillips) | 1952-1967 | Baptism register St Phillips Church | 1 volume | B170 | 8030-1 | |
| East Belt Church, Fitzgerald Avenue | 1884-1907 | Baptism register, East Belt Church. | 1 volume | B162 | 8031 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 252A. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index |
| East Belt Church, Fitzgerald Avenue | 1907-1970 | Baptism register East Belt Church | 1 volume | B163 | 8031 | Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. Also known as Wesley Church, East Belt or Fitzgerald Avenue |

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| Linwood Church | 1913-1971 | Baptism register Linwood Church | 1 volume | B171 | 8032 | Prior to 1913 see Durham Street Church. Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| Linwood Church | 1972-1978 | Baptism register Linwood Church | 1 volume | B173 | 8032 | Photocopy of original. Original in membership roll 1971. |
| Wainoni Church | 1963-1971 | Baptism register, Wainoni Church. | 1 volume | B164 | 8033 | |
| Shirley Church | 1914-1971 | Baptism register, East Belt Church | 1 volume | B172 | 8034 | Typed transcript by Dulcie Innes, 12 May 1994. Prior to 1914 see Durham Street Church registers. Previously called Windsor Church, Christchurch East |
| North Beach Church | 1970-1989 | Baptism register, North Beach Church | 1 volume | B165 | 8035 | |
| Richmond Church | 1902-1926 | Baptism register, Richmond Church. | 1 volume | B166 | 8036 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 253B. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Transcript bound together with B145 and B196. Previously called Bingsland Church |
| Richmond Church | 1926-1978; 1993 | Baptism register, Christchurch East Circuit and Richmond Church 1926-1978, Wainoni Church 1993, Marshland Church 1920-1938 | 1 volume | B311 | 8036 | This register was presumably borrowed from the Methodist Archives in the 1980s and was returned 10 February 2009. It appears to have been used while borrowed to record a baptism in 2004 |
| New Brighton Union Parish | 1912-1972 | Baptism register, New Brighton Union Parish | 1 volume | B167 | 8040 | Christchurch East (New Brighton). Union 1974 |

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| Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish | 1920-2000 | Baptism Register, Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish including St Johns Union Church, Redcliffs, St Pauls Union Church Sumner, Presbyterian Church Redcliffs, Presbyterian Church Sumner, and private residences. | 1 volume | B314 | 8050 | Presbyterian Baptismal Register up until 1 February 1972 when it joined with the Methodist Church and became the Sumner-Redcliffs Union Parish. Copy sent to Presbyterian Archives. |
| Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish | 1925-August 1972 | Baptism Register, Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish . | 1 volume | B315 | 8050 | Previously known as Woolston Circuit which included Sumner Church, Redcliffs Church and Heathcote Church. |
| Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish | April 1960-November 1962, November 1972-October 1979 | Baptism Register, Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish including Redcliffs Church in Woolston-Lyttelton Circuit, 1960-1962 | 1 volume | B316 | 8050 | Woolston-Lyttelton Circuit (Redcliffs Church) in front of Register - 4 entries. |
| Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish | July 1972-2001 | Baptism Register, Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish including St Johns Church Lyttelton, Lyttelton Union Church, St Cuthbert's Church Governors Bay, St Andrews Church Diamond Harbour, and Princess Margaret Hospital. | 1 volume | B317 | 8050 | Lyttelton Church became part of Union in 1972 |
| Woolston Church | 1896-1929 | Baptism register, Woolston Church | 1 volume | B168 | 8061 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 263. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index |
| Woolston Church | 1929-1988 | Baptism register, Woolston Church | 1 volume | B169 | 8061 | |

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| Lyttelton Union Parish | 1861-1883 | Baptism register, Lyttelton Parish including list of baptisms by Rev J Watkin in 1851. Also includes Heathcote Parish baptism | 1 volume | B174 | 8070 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 254A. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Also includes list of baptisms by Rev J Watkins in 1851. Heathcote Parish and Lyttelton parish combined then became part of Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish. Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| Lyttelton Union Parish | 1883-1908 | Baptism register, Lyttelton Parish | 1 volume | B175 | 8070 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 254B. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index . Heathcote Parish and Lyttelton Parish combined and then became part of Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish. |
| Lyttelton Union Parish | 1908-1971 | Baptism register, Lyttelton Parish. | 1 volume | B176 | 8070 | Heathcote Parish and Lyttelton Parish combined and then became part of Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish. |
| Heathcote Union Parish | 1954-1967 | Baptism register, Heathcote Parish. | 1 volume | B177 | 8070-1 | Heathcote Parish and Lyttelton Parish combined and then became part of Sumner Redcliffs Union Parish. |
| Rapaki Church | 1863-1895 | Baptism register, Rapaki Church. Register originally used by Rev Wiremu Te Koti Te Rato | 1 volume | B178 | 8070-3 | A photocopy of the original is filed with his personal papers. Rev Wiremu Te Koti Te Rato's register |
| Beckenham-Sydenham Parish | 1875-1895 | Baptism register, Sydenham Parish including Colombo Road Church | 1 volume | B179 | 8090 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 280. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Includes Battersea Street property. Annotated "2nd ministers copy". Some entries included in "Baptism of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| Beckenham-Sydenham Parish | 1897-1935 | Baptism register, Sydenham Parish | 1 volume | B181 | 8090 | Includes Battersea Street Property. |

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| Beckenham-Sydenham Parish | 1935-1971 | Baptism register, Sydenham and Beckenham parishes | 1 volume | B180 | 8090 | Includes Battersea Street Property. Some entries included in "Baptism of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| Halswell Union Parish | 1938-1975 | Baptism register, includes Lincoln Road Church, 1938-1975, Halswell Church, 1938-1962, Sockburn Church 1951-1961. | 1 volume | B186 | 8110 | Lincoln Road Church - in Riccarton Parish 1951 then returned to Spreydon Parish, 1962. Previous Sockburn baptisms are in Halswell Union Parish - Union 1973. |
| Riccarton Parish | 1917-1969 | Baptism register, Riccarton Circuit | 1 volume | B187 | 8120 | Uniting Parish 1996 |
| Riccarton Parish | 1969-1980 | Baptism register, Riccarton Circuit | 1 volume | B188 | 8120 | Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. Uniting Parish 1996 |
| St Albans Parish | 1871-1885 | Baptism register, St Albans Parish | 1 volume | B189 | 8130 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 255A. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Also known as Merivale Church |
| St Albans Parish | 1884-1905 | Baptism register, St Albans Parish | 1 volume | B190 | 8130 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 255B. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. Also known as Merivale Church |
| St Albans Church, Rugby Street | 1905-1947 | Baptism register, St Albans Church, Rugby Street | 1 volume | B191 | 8131 | Previously code number 8135. Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| St Albans Church, Rugby Street | 1948-1982 | Baptism register, St Albans Church, Rugby Street | 1 volume | B192 | 8131 | Previously code number 8135 |
| Edgeware Road Church/Aldred Church, Nancy Avenue | 1913-1971 | Baptism register St Albans Church, 1913-1971; Aldred Church 1956-1960 | 1 volume | B193 | 8132, 8133 | Area also known as Knightstown. Now owned by the Coptic Church. Previously known as Bryndwyr Church |

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| Aldred Church, Nancy Avenue | 1956-1995 | Baptism register Aldred Church | 1 volume | B195 | 8133 | Previously called Papanui Parish |
| St Johns Church, Fendalton | 1929-1972 | Baptism register, St Johns Church | 1 volume | B194 | 8134 | Previously called Papanui Parish |
| Christchurch North Parish | 1888-1947 | Baptism register, Papanui portion of St Albans Circuit. 1888-1893 and 1946-1947 | 1 volume | B196 | 8140 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 253B. Information included in ANZC Church Records. Transcript bound together with B145 and B166. |
| Christchurch North Parish | 1901-1973 | Baptism register Christchurch North Parish. Includes Riccarton Church and Sockburn Church | 1 volume | B197 | 8140 | See 4 entries in B196 |
| St Davids Church Wairakei Road | 1959-1978 | Baptism register, St Davids Church. Includes Islington Church, Templeton Church, Springston Church | 1 volume | B198 | 8142 | |
| Sockburn Church | 1969-1972 | Baptism register Sockburn Church | 1 volume | B199 | 8151 | Photocopy 1945-1961 from Lincoln Road Register. |
| Islington Church | 1956-1972 | Baptism register, Islington Church. Includes Templeton Church and Springston Church | 1 volume | B200 | 8152 | Previously code number 8153. Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. Previously called Springston Parish. Union 1972. |
| Templeton Church | 1898-1903 | Baptism register, Templeton Church. | 1 volume | B201 | 8155 | Previously called Springston Parish. Union 1972. Property sold. |
| Lincoln Union Parish | 1870-1904 | Baptism register, Springston Circuit | 1 volume | B202 | 8160 | |
| Lincoln Union Parish | 1904-1972 | Baptism register, Lincoln Parish. Includes Springston Parish | 1 volume | B203 | 8160 | Previously called Leeston Parish |
| Tai Tapu Church | 1906-1948 | Baptism register, Tai Tapu Church. | 1 volume | B204 | 8162 | Previously called Leeston Parish. Property sold, file closed. |

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| Ellesmere Co-op Parish | 1873-1891 | Baptism register, Springston Church and Ellesmere Church. Includes Leeston Circuit | 1 volume | B205 | 8170 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 281. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. |
| Ellesmere Co-op Parish | 1891-1918 | Baptism register, Leeston Circuit. Includes Springston Church and Ellesmere Church | 1 volume | B208 | 8170 | Previously called Leeston Parish |
| Ellesmere Co-op Parish | 1918-1974 | Baptism register, Leeston Circuit. Includes Springston Church and Ellesmere Church | 1 volume | B207 | 8170 | |
| Ellesmere Co-op Parish | 1974-1994 | Baptism register, Leeston Parish | 1 volume | B206 | 8170 | |
| Kaiapoi Co-op Parish | 1868-1918 | Baptism register, Kaiapoi Circuit. Includes Ohoka Church, Swannanoa Church, East Eyreton, Horrelville Church | 1 volume | B209 | 8180 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 288. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Handwritten transcription made. Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| Kaiapoi Co-op Parish/Trinity Church | 1905-1970 | Baptism register, Kaiapoi 1918-1970, Trinity Church, Dunedin, 1905-1909 | 1 volume | B210 | 8180, 9038 | Handwritten transcription made. Trinity Church section copied, included in Dunedin baptisms. Kaiapoi section included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| Ohoka Church | 1905-1916 | Baptism register, Kaiapoi Circuit including Ohoka Church, Swannanoa Church, East Eyreton Church, Horrelville Church | 1 volume | B211 | 8182 | |
| Ohoka Church | 1914-1956 | Baptism register, Ohoka Church. Includes entries for Hawarden Church, Glenmark Church and Rangiora Church | 1 volume | B213 | 8182 | |

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| Rangiora Parish | 1896-1902 | Baptism register, Amberley Home Mission Station | 1 volume | B219 | 8190 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 285. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Transcript also includes marriages, 1884-1920 |
| Rangiora Parish | 1912-1966 | Baptism register, Amberley Circuit, Hawarden Circuit and Rangiora Parish | 1 volume | B212 | 8190 | |
| Rangiora Parish | 1866-1894 | Baptism register, United Methodist Free Church Rangiora Circuit | 1 volume | B216 | 8190 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 294. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| Rangiora Parish | 1874-1889 | Baptism register, Rangiora Circuit | 1 volume | B214 | 8190 | Typed transcript from Christchurch City Library, their ref. 286. Information included in ANZC Church Register Index. Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| Rangiora Parish | 1889-1904 | Baptism register, Rangiora Circuit | 1 volume | B215 | 8190 | Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| Rangiora Parish | 1906-1972 | Baptism register, Rangiora Parish | 1 volume | B217 | 8190 | Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. First known as Gibbs Town |
| Cheviot Church | 1897 | Baptism register, Cheviot Church, May to August 1897 | 1 volume | B218 | 8190-1 | 1 page only |
| Woodend Church | 1880-1921 | Baptism register, Woodend Circuit | 1 volume | B222 | 8192 | Do not use - Fragile condition, Photocopy available. Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |
| Woodend Church | 1921-1972 | Baptism register | 1 volume | B220 | 8192 | Some entries included in "Baptisms of people living in the Kowai-Sefton area" taken from various registers. |

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| Malvern Co-op Parish | 1881-1904 | Baptism register Malvern Parish | 1 volume | B223 | 8200 | |
| Malvern Co-op Parish; Oxford District Union Parish | 1903-1958 | Baptism register, Malvern Church, Oxford church, Oxford-Malvern Circuit, Greendale-Malvern Circuit, and Waddington Circuit 1903-04 | 1 volume | B224 | 8200 | Use with Oxford District Union Parish 1912-1971, B225. |
| Malvern Co-op Parish | 1876-1971 | Baptism register, Greendale Circuit | 1 volume | B226 | 8200 | |
| Malvern Co-op Parish | 1935-1995 | Baptism register, Malvern Circuit | 1 volume | B227 | 8200 | |
| Oxford District Union Parish | 1912-1971 | Baptism register for Oxford Church, 1903-1904, Malvern Church, Waddington Church, and Greendale Church 1905-1958 | 1 volume | B225 | 8210 | Use with B224 Malvern Co-op Parish. |
| Timaru-Temuka Methodist Parish | 1865-1866 | Baptism register, Timaru Circuit | 1 volume | B293 | 8310 | Photocopy. Location of original register unknown. Previously Timaru Parish, see 8370 Temuka Parish and 8371 Temuka Church. Handwritten transcription made |
| Timaru -Temuka Methodist Parish | 1867-1878 | Baptism register, Timaru Circuit. | 1 volume | B229 | 8310 | Also Includes register of members 1867-1872, and circuit schedules 1869-1872. |
| Timaru-Temuka Methodist Parish | 1878-1897 | Baptism register, Timaru Circuit and Bank Street Church | 1 volume | B230 | 8310 | |
| Timaru -Temuka Methodist Parish | 1897-1914 | Baptism register, Timaru Circuit | 1 volume | B228 | 8310 | See 8370 Temuka Parish and 8371 Temuka Church. Large format. |
| Bank Street Church | 1914-1971 | Baptism register, Timaru Circuit and Bank Street Church | 1 volume | B231 | 8311 | |
| Waimate Parish | 1877-1885 | Baptism register, Waimate Circuit | 1 volume | B232 | 8350 | Handwritten transcription made. Copy to Waimate. |

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| Waimate Parish | 1885-1905 | Baptism register, Waimate Parish | 1 volume | B233 | 8350 | Handwritten transcription made. Copy to Waimate. |
| Waimate Parish | 1905-1971 | Baptism register Waimate Parish | 1 volume | B235 | 8350 | Handwritten transcription made. Copy to Waimate. |
| Waimate Parish/Oamaru Union Parish | 1895-1913 | Baptism register, Waimate and Oamaru Primitive Methodist Church Circuits | 1 volume | B234 | 8350, 8400 | Handwritten transcription made. Copy to Waimate. |
| Geraldine Co-operating Parish | 1881-1913 | Baptism register, Geraldine Parish | 1 volume | B236 | 8360 | |
| Geraldine Co-operating Parish | 1914-1975 | Baptism register, Geraldine Parish | 1 volume | B237 | 8360 | Later includes Temuka. |
| Temuka Parish | 1875-1905 | Baptism register, Temuka Circuit, including Geraldine | 1 volume | B238 | 8370 | Becomes 8310 Timaru-Temuka Parish. Temuka Circuit. Wesleyan |
| Temuka Parish | 1905-1971 | Baptism register, Temuka Parish | 1 volume | B239 | 8370 | Becomes 8310 Timaru-Temuka Parish. Temuka. Wesleyan |
| Ashburton Parish | 1877-1911 | Baptism register, Ashburton Primitive Methodist Church Circuit | 1 volume | B241 | 8380 | Typed transcript bound with B246, B247, B248, B249, B250, B240, and B243 by Mid-Canterbury Family History Group. |
| Ashburton Parish | 1912-1917 | Baptism register, Ashburton Primitive Methodist Church Circuit | 1 volume | B243 | 8380 | Typed transcript bound with B246, B247, B248, B249, B250, B240, and B241 by Mid-Canterbury Family History Group. |
| Ashburton Parish | 1905-1913 | Baptism register, Ashburton Circuit, 1905-1907, 1911-1913. | 1 volume | B242 | 8380 | Typed transcript bound with B242 and B245 by Mid-Canterbury Family History Group. |
| Ashburton Parish | 1914-1971 | Baptism register, Ashburton Parish | 1 volume | B245 | 8380 | Typed transcript bound with B244 and B242 by Mid-Canterbury Family History Group. |
| Ashburton Parish | 1877-1911 | Baptism register, Ashburton Circuit. Bound volume 1877-1892, loose pages 1892-1911 | 1 volume | B244 | 8380 | Typed transcript bound with B244 and B245 by Mid-Canterbury Family History Group. |
| Ashburton Parish | 1919-1929 | Baptism register for Mayfield Home Mission Station | 1 volume | B240 | 8380 | Very small volume. Typed transcript bound with B246, B247, B248, B249, B250, B241, B243. |

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| Willowby Church | 1890-1914 | Baptism register, Willowby Circuit | 1 volume | B246 | 8382 | Typed transcript bound with B247, B248, B249, B250, B240, B241, B243, by Mid-Canterbury Family History Group. |
| Willowby Church | 1914-1972 | Baptism register, Willowby Circuit | 1 volume | B247 | 8382 | Typed transcript bound with B246, B248, B249, B250, B240, B241, B243 by Mid-Canterbury Family History Group. |
| Methven Church | 1890-1905 | Baptism register, Wesleyan Mission Circuit, Methven | 1 volume | B248 | 8385 | Typed transcript bound with B246, B247, B249, B250, B240, B241, B243, by Mid-Canterbury Family History Group. |
| Methven Church | 1906-1944 | Baptism register, Ashburton, Methven and Rakaia Circuit | 1 volume | B249 | 8385 | Handwritten transcript bound with B246, B247, B248. B250, B240, B241 and B243 by Mid-Canterbury Family History Group. |
| Methven Church | 1957-1975 | Baptism register, Allerton Church, Rakaia Church, and Methven Church | 1 volume | B250 | 8385 | Typed transcription bound with B246, B247, B248, B240, B241, B243 by Mid-Canterbury Family History Group. |
| Oamaru Union Parish | 1867-1897 | Baptism register, Oamaru Circuit 1867-1872, 1874-1897. Also includes class numbers 1867-1874 and financial statistics 1869-1874 | 1 volume | B251 | 8400 | |
| Oamaru Union Parish | 1897-1905 | Baptism register Oamaru Circuit | 1 volume | B252 | 8400 | See also Waimate registers B234. |
| Oamaru Union Parish | 1905-1994 | Baptism register, Oamaru Church and Oamaru Parish | 1 volume | B253 | 8400 | |