

## Church/Parish Records - Other Records

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### 1 Introduction

This document describes the dataset known as South Australian Church Records – Other Records, also known as Church/Parish Records - Other.

### 2 Church/Parish Records – Other

#### 2.1 Summary

This dataset holds a collection of records from a variety of sources which are not suitable for inclusion in any of the existing Church/Parish datasets. The records have been transcribed by SAGHS volunteers.

This is a brand new database with previously published Certificate records being moved into their own standalone database called *Certificates – Australia and Overseas*.

Each group of related records is assigned to a ‘set’ as indicated in the field Event Type, e.g. "Confirmations" or "Sunday School Attendance".

Below is a list of the current record set. You can find more information about each set in Appendix A.

- Confirmations
- Sunday Schools

#### 2.2 Coverage

Overall coverage of the dataset is 1863 to 2023 but varies as per each set of records which can be found in Appendix A.

#### 2.3 Sources

Data in this dataset comes from various sources. You can find more information for each set in Appendix A.

#### 2.4 Volume

There are a total of 29,846 records in this version of the database [version 20260414].

#### 2.5 Additional information

Provided in Appendix A, at the end of this document, you will find additional documentation relating to each of the subsets of records. It does not attempt to describe each set, but singles out those which may require further clarification, source and coverage and meaning of some fields.

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### 3 Versions

The Church/Parish - Other Records dataset is a brand new dataset and will be updated during 2026. Details of the most recent update is outlined below, and the action taken, where available, is provided for each update.

#### 3.1 Version M-20260414

- Setup of new database.
- Added 29,846 records relating to Confirmations and Sunday School Attendances.

### 4 Appendix A – Subset Information

#### Confirmations

There are 3,142 records in the group of Confirmation records sourced from registers of 8 different church or parishes.

Overall coverage is 1900 to 2023 inclusive. See the list below for the church/parish and coverage years.

Church/Parishes by year:

1. Cornerstone Uniting Church Davoren Park Confirmations 2004 to 2007
2. Glen Osmond St Saviours Anglican Confirmations 1944 - 2023
3. Glenunga Uniting Church Confirmation Group
4. Hindmarsh RC Confirmations - Single
5. Longwood Christ Church Anglican Confirmation candidates c1900
6. Mt Barker Anglican Parish Confirmation - 1981 - 2015
7. Mylor St Johns Confirmation Candidate c1920 & c1932
8. St Bedes Semaphore Confirmations 1936 - 2014

#### Sunday Schools

There are 26,704 records in the group of Sunday School Attendance records sourced from registers of 36 different church or parishes.

Overall coverage is 1863 to 2016 inclusive. See the list below for the church/parish and coverage years.

Location	From	To
Bangor Sunday School	1945	1964
Black Forest Uniting Church Sunday School and Kid Club	1996	1999
Blackwood Park Congregational Sunday School	1958	1970
Booleroo Centre Methodist Sunday School	1879	1934
Broadview Methodist Sunday School	1957	1957
Broken Hill Nicholls Street Methodist Sunday School	1912	1912
Brukung Methodist Sunday School	1962	1965
Christies Beach Sunday School	1964	1989
Clayton Congregational Church Sunday School	1942	1943
Eastwood Methodist Church Sunday School	1905	1907
Elizabeth West Methodist Church Sunday School	1974	1976
Elizabeth West Uniting Church Sunday School	1977	1993
Gawler Methodist Church Sunday School	1904	1931
Gawler Methodist Tod Street Sunday School	1863	1968

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Geranium Church of England Church Sunday School	1969	1980
Gladstone Methodist Church Sunday School	Unk	Unk
Glenelg Methodist Church Bath Street Sunday School	1960	1962
Henley Beach Congregational Church Sunday School	1907	1947
Melbourne Street Methodist Church Sunday School	1905	1968
Melbourne Street Wesleyan Church Sunday School	1893	1905
Mylor Methodist Church Sunday School	1913	1914
Nangkita (Mount Compass) Methodist Church Sunday School	1974	1974
Nangkita (Mount Compass) Uniting Church Sunday School	1983	1983
Napperby South Methodist Church Sunday School	1913	1957
Ovingham Methodist Sunday School	1961	1978
Ovingham Wesleyan Sunday School	1884	1898
Parkside Methodist Church Sunday School	1908	1964
Port Adelaide Presbyterian (Semaphore Branch) Sunday School	1863	1878
Port Adelaide Presbyterian Sunday School	1912	1938
Port Pirie Congregational Sunday School	1918	1939
Rose Park Gartrell	1925	1925
Wallaroo Mines Methodist Sunday School	1914	1923
Wallaroo Mines Sunday School	1893	2016
Warnertown Methodist Church Sunday School	1958	1985
Williamstown Methodist Sunday School	1874	1952