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1. AD CLERUMS 1731 - 1762 manuscript

1. Bishop Gordon: mandate concerning the weeks, + requirements to qualify for, the Jubilee, [19 Nov] 1731,
2. Copy of above.
3. Bishops Gordon and Smith: mandate about Propaganda's decree that all Scots priests subscribe again the formula of 1733, with the additional condemnation of Mr Hackett's catechism, 16 Dec 1736., Latin, incomplete
4. Another copy of above, complete.
5. Bishops Gordon, Smith and MacDonald commanding obedience to the 1733 formula and the avoidance of heresies, 16 Dec 1738, Latin, fair copy. This mandate arises from the Pilgrims' attempt to introduce scapularities into Scotland;
6. Draft of above.
7. Bishop Gordon: mandate for Jubilee, 6 April 1741.
8. Draft of above.
9. Bishop Smith "Abstractum Brevis Jubilaei" with orders that it be published by all priests, 10 May 1751, Latin + English.
10. same: "Abstractum Brevis Jubilaei" with instructions for publication slightly differently worded from above, 10 May 1751, Latin + English.
11. Bishop Smith: mandate regarding Pope Benedict 14th's briefs for a more exact observance of Church fasts, particularly Lent, 20 Feb 1754.
12. Bishop Smith: about Catechisms, 1760, Latin.
13. Bishop Smith: mandate on Plenary Indulgences.
- 14-17. Bishop Smith: "mandate about publishing a brief destroying the Judices Conservatores and asserts the Jura Episcopalia", 22 Sept 1762. 4 copies in different hands.

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AD CLERUMS 1770-94

1. Bps Hugh MacDonald and James Grant: mandate about subscribing the Formula, 1770
2. Bp James Grant: publication of Jubilee, 1770; copy made by Alexander Gordon, 1770
3. Draft or copy of above, 1770
4. Conditions of the Jubilee, 1770
5. Bp Grant: plenary indulgence, 1773
6. Bp Grant: Jubilee of the Holy Year, 1776
7. Bps Grant + Hay: publication of the Jubilee, 1776 (copy)
8. Bps Grant + Hay: The proposed Catholic Relief Bill; advice on publishing banns + keeping registers; 1778 (draft)
9. Bp Hay: announcing a general fast, giving the words for a prayer for the king. With a covering letter to Mr Nathison, Auchinhalrig, 1780
- 10-11. Copies of above, one signed by Hay
12. Bp Hay: regulations for the feast of the purification, 1780.  
Addressed to Robert Menzies + James Cameron, Edinburgh.
13. Bps Hay, Geddes + Chisholm: written after the meeting in Oct 1794:-  
The Relief Act, etc, 1794 (printed)

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3. AD CLERUMS: BPS CAMERON + PATERSON, c 1808-28

1. Bp Cameron: recommending the promotion of vaccination, nd. (draft)
- 2-3. Bp Cameron: keeping of baptismal + other registers; request for detailed status animarum, and inventory of everything, for each mission, nd [c 1808] (two different drafts)
- 4-5. As above, but summarised in list form, (two different drafts). One draft has a memorandum re Mr MacLachlan and the Bang Mission. nd.
6. James Kyle, Aquharties, enclosing a copy of Bp Cameron's instructions for Lent, 1818
- 7-8. Bps Cameron + Paterson announcing a general Jubilee, 1826 (printed) Copies addressed to James Gordon, Tombae, + James Sharp, Aquharties.
- 9-10. Bp Cameron: questionnaire on the proposed division of the mission into 3 Districts, 1827. Copies addressed to Andrew Scott + Joe Sharp.
- 11-12. Bps Paterson, MacDonald, Kyle + Scott: the division into 3 Vicariates, 1828, Latin (publisher's proof and printed copy)
13. Ms draft of above
- 14-15. Bps Paterson, MacDonald, Kyle + Scott: The Papal Decree regarding the three Vicariates, 1828, draft and final ms version

4. AD CLERUMS: GENERAL, 1832

1. Bps Kyle + Scott on the cholera epidemic, 1832, ms, English.
2. " " " " " " " " " " " " " " 1832, printed, Latin.

5. AD CLERUMS: EASTERN DISTRICT, 1850-69

1. Bp Carruthers: collections for Association for Propagation of Faith, 1850 (print)
2. Bp Gillis: public prayer for Bp Carruthers' recovery, 1852 (printed)
3. Bp Gillis: provisional division of District into Provestries, 1852 (printed) with ms letter by Gillis added at the end dated 1853
4. Bp Gillis: St Andrew's Society, 1853 (printed)
5. Bp Gillis: Pope's Easter blessing, covering letter from Cardinal Wiseman, 1860
6. Bp Gillis: clergy instructed to read pastoral to congregations, 1860 (duplicated sheet)
7. Bp Strain: asking for collections to be made in chapels to help defray his expenses when he goes to the General Council in Rome, 1869, (printed)

6 WESTERN DISTRICT, 1839-50, PRINTED

1. Bps Scott + Murdoch: forms of service, clerical dress, etc, 1839
2. Bps Murdoch + Smith: conditions for gaining of Jubilee, 1850

7. NORTHERN DISTRICT, 1829-67

- 1-3 Bp Kyle: announcing a plenary indulgence by way of Jubilee, 1829  
original in Kyle's hand, plus ms copies sent to Alex Grant,  
Portsoy, and Wm Caven, Auchinhalny
4. Bp Kyle: announcing a Jubilee; conditions attached, 1854
- 5 " " " " " 1858 (draft)
- 6 " " " " " 1865 (printed)
- 7 Bp Kyle: asking public prayers because of the oppression of Italy  
by the Sardinian Court, and because of the persecution of  
Catholic Poland by the Emperor of Russia, 1867 (printed)