

**Archives Service Center**  
**Guide to Selective Polish and Polish American Resources**

**Organizations**

- ❑ American Polish Union-Brotherhood of St. Joseph, Pittsburgh, 1925-1937, 1947-1955
- ❑ Ascension Roman Catholic Church, Pittsburgh, Microfilm, 1960-1962
- ❑ Polish Arts League of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Records, 1948-
- ❑ Polish Falcons of America, National Office, Pittsburgh, 1913-1980
- ❑ Polish Falcons of America, Nest 159, Ford City, Pa., Records, 1919-1975
- ❑ Polish National Alliance, Group 1013, Ambridge, Pa., Records, [1912-1965]
- ❑ Polish National Alliance, Group 841, Monaca, Pa., 1907-1979
- ❑ Polish Women's Club, Pittsburgh, Records, 1932-1985
- ❑ Sacred Heart of Jesus Polish National Catholic Church, Cannonsburg, Pa., 1918-1980
- ❑ St. Michael's Young Men's Society, Sharpsburg, Pa., 1913-1953
- ❑ St. Stanislaus Society (Group 17, Polish American Union Brotherhood of St. Joseph), Mammoth, Pa
- ❑ Ksiega Kasowa,, 1901-1956
- ❑ Thaddeus Kosciuszko Beneficial Society, Mt. Pleasant, PA Microfilm, 1915-1974

**Social Welfare Agencies**

- ❑ Brashear Association, Pittsburgh, PA  
Served Pittsburgh's South Side ethnic communities inclusive of the Polish community  
[1931-1944], 1961-1962

**Personal Papers**

- ❑ Blair Gunther Papers. President of the National Confederation of American Ethnic Groups, candidate for Pennsylvania State Senate. [1941-1959]

**Manuscript Studies -- Selective**

Poles in Ambridge, Pa. United Polish Societies , 1955  
Poles in Pittsburgh, Polish Historical Committee, 1948  
Exploring the Dimensions of Ethnicity: A Case Study of Status Culture and Identity Among Polish Americans, 1975

**Seminar Papers**

A Community in Transition Pittsburgh's South Side 1880-1920  
Poles in Western Pennsylvania  
Alliance College Collection of Polish American Essays, 1977  
A Brief History of the first Polish Settlers in Johnstown Pennsylvania and their Activities (N.D.)

## **Oral History Collections**

Interviews with Polish-Americans in:

- ❑ Ethnic Fraternal Organizations Oral History Project, 1975-76
- ❑ Homestead Album Oral History Project, 1976-77
- ❑ National Council of Jewish Women Oral History Project. #1, 1968-1975
- ❑ Woman and Mental Health: A Comparative Oral History Project; Italian, Jewish, and Slavic Women in the Pittsburgh Area, 1975-1977

## **Related Collections**

- ❑ Ethnic Groups in Western Pennsylvania
- ❑ Poles in Western Pennsylvania Collection. Collected and Donated by Joseph Borkowski.
- ❑ Collections focus on Polish history, Polish life in Pittsburgh, Polish life in Western Pennsylvania, Polish culture and education. {1919-1970}

## **Periodical Collection**

Palette. Official Publication of the Polish Arts League, 1949-1976

Pittsburghzanin. Microfilm, 1924-1956, 1958-1976

Polish-American Patriot. September 1976-

Sokol Polski. Publication of the Polish Falcons, Feb. 1968-

The Cluck. June 1948-Dec, 1948, Feb. 1974- June 1974

## **Other Related Collections**

- ❑ American Service Institute, Pittsburgh, Pa  
Established to obtain an appreciation for cultural diversities through: social agencies, schools, churches, and civic groups, etc. Materials pertaining to Polish life and culture in the Pittsburgh area, 1941-1961
- ❑ City of Pittsburgh, Department of Public Health. Birth Records, 1875-1900
- ❑ City of Pittsburgh, Voter Registration Records, 1934-1960

## **University Archives**

- ❑ Vice Chancellor for Public Affairs. Visit of Polish Secretary Edward Gierek, October 11, 1974
- ❑ Polish Nationality Room. Cathedral of Learning, Dedicated February 16, 1940 (Papers for Polish Nationality Room are housed in the room)
- ❑ University Center for International Studies. Polish Studies Workshop, January 3, 1974