



*The following is the finding aid for the Called Anew by the Spirit collection located at the Archdiocese of Milwaukee Archives. A finding aid is a catalog tool used in archives that briefly describes the material found in a collection. These records are not available digitally unless otherwise noted.*

*[Researchers must make an appointment with an archivist to view the material.](#)*

**Office for Religious**  
***Called Anew by the Spirit, 1992-1995***  
**AS 147**

**Volume**  
0.35 cubic feet.

**Access**  
Unrestricted.

**Administrative Note**

The Office for Religious provided pastoral services to the Institutes of Consecrated Life and Societies of Apostolic Life ministering in the Archdiocese as well as to individuals of Institutes or Societies.

**Scope and Content Note**

Early in 1992, Archbishop Rembert Weakland proposed the writing of a pastoral letter, titled *Called Anew by the Spirit*, to highlight the service of religious congregations within the Archdiocese of Milwaukee and in the context of its 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary. From 1992 through 1993, a steering committee in concert with diverse groups of parishioners, members of the business community, ethnic communities, members of religious communities, and university students shaped the document authored by Weakland et al. This collection includes questionnaires, surveys, correspondence, and meeting minutes concerning the development of the pastoral letter. Also included are the final publication of *Called Anew by the Spirit*, a companion piece summarizing the history of religious in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee, the first four drafts of the letter, and a Spanish edition.

**Box and Folder List** *This is a list of folders names within the collection. The folders have been arranged alphabetically. "B" is an abbreviation for box and "F" is an abbreviation for folder. This list will help the researcher narrow down exactly what folder they want to look at.*

Box	Folder	Folder Title
B 1	F 1	"Called Anew by the Spirit" Pastoral Letter, 1994
B 1	F 2	Correspondence, 1992-1995
B 1	F 3	Directories, 1993
B 1	F 4	Floppy Disks
B 1	F 5	Meeting Minutes, 1992-1994
B 1	F 6	Pastoral Letter Drafts
B 1	F 7	Publications, 1992-1993
B 1	F 8	"Religious in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee: A Look at History," 1994
B 1	F 9	Surveys and Questionnaires, 1993-1994