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**Richard Aiken, 1942-
Photo Slides, 1966-2005
MC 268**

Access

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Arrangement

Original order of slide carousels was retained. Arranged in the finding aid alphabetically.

Biographical

Rev. Richard Aiken was ordained for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee on May 23, 1970. He served parishes in the Milwaukee county area from June 1970 until his retirement on June 27, 2014.

Scope and Content Note

This collection contains photo slides documenting the priesthood of Rev. Richard Aiken. The slides begin during his seminary formation in the 1960s and document seminary life at St. Francis de Sales Seminary, St. Francis, Wis., in the mid-late 1960s. Also documented are Rev. Aiken's various travels throughout Europe, Canada, Israel, and the United States. Parish life is shown in the many slides from Rev. Aiken's time serving the following parishes: St. Margaret Mary Parish, Milwaukee (1970-1975), Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee (1975-1983), St. Nicholas Parish, Milwaukee (1983-1991), Holy Redeemer Parish, Milwaukee (1987-1991), and St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale (1993-2005). Included in the collection are memorabilia and souvenirs that correlate with the carousels. Parish bulletins in the collection from Holy Angels, St. Nicholas, and Holy Redeemer may also give context to some of the slides.

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.*

<i>Series 1: Slides</i>			
Box	Slide Box	Carousel	Title
B 1	B 14	34	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1975-1977
B 1	B 14-15	35	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1977
B 1	B 15	36	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1977
B 1	B 15-16	37	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1977-1978
B 2	B 16	38	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1978
B 2	B 16	39	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1978-1979
B 2	B 16-17	40	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1979 March-June
B 2	B 17	41	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1979 June-November
B 2	B 17	42	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1979 November – 1980 April

Box	Slide Box	Carousel	Title
B 2	B 18	43	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1980 April-December
B 2	B 18	44	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1980 December – 1980 February
B 2	B 18	45	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1981 February-June
B 2	B 19	46	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1981 June-December
B 2	B 19	47	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1981 December – 1982 August
B 2	B 19	48	Holy Angels Parish, Milwaukee, 1982 September – 1983 June
B 1	B 5	12	Priesthood I, Tonsure, Minor Orders, Sub, Diaconate, Priesthood, 1967-1970
B 1	B 5	13	Priesthood II, Home, Dinner, Mass, Reception, 1970
B 1	B 6	16	Retreat trip to Baton Rouge and Canadian Vacation, 1971
B 1	B 11	29	Sabbatical, 1998-1999
B 2	B 31	87	Sabbatical, 1998 September
B 2	B 31	88	Sabbatical, 1998 September-October
B 2	B 31	89	Sabbatical, 1998 October
B 2	B 32	90	Sabbatical, 1998 October-November
B 2	B 32	91	Sabbatical, 1998 November
B 2	B 32	92	Sabbatical, 1998 November-December
B 2	B 33	93	Sabbatical, 1998 December
B 2	B 25	65	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1992-1993
B 2	B 25	66	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1993 January-1994 January
B 2	B 25	67	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1994 January-June
B 2	B 26	68	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1994 June-August
B 2	B 26	69	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1994 October-1995 April
B 2	B 26	70	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1995 April-1996 January
B 2	B 26	71	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1996 January-June
B 2	B 27	72	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1996 June-1997 April
B 2	B 27	73	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1997 April-November
B 2	B 27	74	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1997 November-1998 May
B 2	B 27	75	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1998 May-1999 May
B 2	B 28	76	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 1999 May-2000 January
B 2	B 28	77	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 2000 January-April
B 2	B 28	78	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 2000 May-September
B 2	B 28	79	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 2000 September-2001 April
B 2	B 28	80	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 2001 April-December
B 2	B 29	81	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 2001 December-2002 December
B 2	B 29	82	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 2002 December-2003 November
B 2	B 29	83	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 2003 November-2004 April
B 2	B 30	84	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 2004 April-2005 January
B 2	B 30	85	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, 2005 January-June
B 2	B 30	86	St. Alphonsus Parish, Greendale, Building, 2001-2002
B 1	B 2	5	St. Francis Seminary, 1966-1968
B 1	B 12	30	St. Margaret Mary Parish, Milwaukee, 1970-1972
B 1	B 12-13	31	St. Margaret Mary Parish, Milwaukee, 1972-1973
B 1	B 13	32	St. Margaret Mary Parish, Milwaukee, 1973-1974
B 1	B 13	33	St. Margaret Mary Parish, Milwaukee, 1974-1975
B 2	B 20	49	St. Nicholas Parish, Milwaukee, 1983 June-December
B 2	B 20	50	St. Nicholas Parish, Milwaukee, 1983 December – 1984 April
B 2	B 20	51	St. Nicholas Parish, Milwaukee, 1984 April-September
B 2	B 21	52	St. Nicholas Parish, Milwaukee, 1984 September – 1985 March

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B 2	B 21	53	St. Nicholas Parish, Milwaukee, 1984 April-October
B 2	B 21	54	St. Nicholas Parish, Milwaukee, 1985 October – 1986 May
B 2	B 22	55	St. Nicholas Parish, Milwaukee, 1986 Mary – 1987 January
B 2	B 22	56	St. Nicholas Parish, Milwaukee, 1987 January – May
B 2	B 22	57	St. Nicholas & Holy Redeemer Parishes, Milwaukee, 1987 May-1988 Jan.
B 2	B 23	58	St. Nicholas & Holy Redeemer Parishes, Milwaukee, 1988 Jan.-Aug.
B 2	B 23	59	St. Nicholas & Holy Redeemer Parishes, Milwaukee, 1988 Aug.-1989 Mar.
B 2	B 23	60	St. Nicholas & Holy Redeemer Parishes, Milwaukee, 1989 Mar.-Oct.
B 2	B 24	61	St. Nicholas & Holy Redeemer Parishes, Milwaukee, 1989 Oct.-1990 May
B 2	B 24	62	St. Nicholas & Holy Redeemer Parishes, Milwaukee, 1990 May- Oct.
B 2	B 24	63	St. Nicholas & Holy Redeemer Parishes, Milwaukee, 1990 Oct.- 1991 May
B 2	B 25	64	St. Nicholas, Holy Redeemer, St. Alphonsus Parishes, 1991
B 1	B 1	2	Summer, 1967, St. Boniface Villa, “Riot,” Open Housing
B 1	B 2	6	Summer and Fall, 1969
B 1	B 1-2	3	Trip to Atlanta, GA, 1967; Washington, DC, 1968
B 1	B 7-8	19	Trip to Banff, Alberta, 1974
B 1	B 5-6	14	Trip to Boston and St. Louis, 1970
B 1	B 9	22	Trip to California, 1980 – 01
B 1	B 9	23	Trip to California, 1980 – 02
B 1	B 6	17	Trip to Canadian Vacation, Kansas City, Chicago, Eagle River, 1971-1972
B 1	B 7	18	Trip to Camp Nesbit, Notre Dame, New York City, Road America, 1973
B 1	B 11	28	Trip to Dominican Republic, La Sagrada Familia, 1996
B 1	B 8	20	Trip to England I, 1978
B 1	B 9	21	Trip to England II, 1978
B 1	B 3	7	Trip to Europe I, Airplane, Rome, Assisi, Coliseum, Pope Paul VI, 1969
B 1	B 3	8	Trip to Europe II, Ordination, St. Peter’s, Florence, 1969
B 1	B 3-4	9	Trip to Europe III, Venice, Innsbruck, Road to Germany, 1969
B 1	B 4	10	Trip to Europe IV, Munich, Paris, 1969
B 1	B 4	11	Trip to Europe V, Paris, London, 1969-1970
B 1	B 10	24-27	Trip to Israel, 1981
B 1	B 1	1	Trip to New Orleans, 1966-1967
<i>Series 2: Memorabilia & Identification</i>			
B 3	Memorabilia, souvenirs, and identification cards for Carousels 1-18		
B 4	Memorabilia, souvenirs, and identification cards for Carousels 19-54		
<i>Series 3: Parish Bulletins</i>			
B 5	Holy Angels Parish Bulletins, 1975-1983		
B 5	St. Nicholas Parish Bulletins, 1983-1987		
B 5-6	St. Nicholas & Holy Redeemer Parish Bulletins, 1987-1991		