

FALKIRK ARCHIVES

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Church of Scotland Guild. Falkirk Presbyterial Council

The Church of Scotland Guild is a movement within the Church of Scotland which invites and encourages both women and men to commit their lives to Jesus Christ and enables them to express their faith in worship, prayer and action." It was founded in 1886 by the Rev A H Charteris as the Woman's Guild of the Church of Scotland and was opened to men as well as women from 1997. The Guild structure consists of local branches within Church of Scotland congregations and an elected Presbyterial Council, whose bounds are the same as that of the local Presbytery. The National Leadership Team is elected from delegates from Presbyterial Councils. Earlier structures mirrored the Committee and Board structure of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

Falkirk Presbyterial Council is elected from the membership of the Church of Scotland Guilds in congregations within Falkirk Presbytery.

<i>Reference Code</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Brief Description</i>
A1481.001	1929-1952	Minutes
A1481.002	1952-1969	Minutes
A1481.003	1974-1984	Minutes
A1481.004	1984-1991	Minutes
A1481.005	1991-1994	Minutes
A1481.006	1939-1966	Lists of office-bearers in branch guilds in congregations and schedules and returns for branch guilds
A1481.007	1967-1984	Lists of office-bearers in branch guilds in congregations and schedules and returns for branch guilds
A1481.008	1984-1997	Lists of office-bearers in branch guilds in congregations and schedules and returns for branch guilds
A1481.009	1989-1994	Attendances at Council meetings
A1481.010	1989-1994	File. Secretary's ephemera
A1340.001	1843-1844	Facsimile copy of signatures of Deed of Demission at Disruption of the Church of Scotland