Box 8. Rev. James J. Ruddick, S.J. papers  
Nuclear Waste and Earthquake, ca. 1946 and 1966 (3 folders)

Scope note: The information gathered on the Niagara Falls, New York 1946 Earthquake include the locations of area responses as well as completed questionnaires that were handed out the citizens of Niagara Fall, New York. The gathered data on the New Year’s Day Earthquake of 1966 includes articles as well as handwritten notes about the event. The records gathered on the West Valley Nuclear Waste Project are mostly correspondence between Ruddick and others, as well as an article about the event.

Folder 8/1 - Questionnaires. Earthquake, Niagara Falls (NY), USA  
September 20, 1946
Summary. Four city list of responses to earthquake.  
Map. Locates area of responses, ca. autumn 1946.  
Questionnaires (blank). For Niagara Falls, NY area earthquake, 9/24/46  
Completed questionnaires (43).

Folder 8/2-Western New York Earthquakes. New Year’s Day, 1966 
Articles (3) re: New Year’s earthquake  
    Buffalo Evening News. 1/24/66  
    Democrat and Chronicle, Rochester, NY. 1/2/66  
    Courier Express, Buffalo, NY. 1/2/66  
Article (copy). Courier Express, Buffalo NY, Part 2. 1/3/66  
Article (copy) “More Quakes May Follow”, Buffalo Evening News. 1/3/66  
Article (2 copies). “No. 5 shake” Syracuse Herald-American 1/2/66  
Article (copy) “Tremor Shakes Western N.Y.” [n.d.]  
Handwritten note. [n.d.]  
Article. Courier Express, re: Quake, 8/28/65  
Article. NY Times, “A Light Earth Tremor Is Felt in Upstate Area” 1/3/65  
Handwritten notes . Re: Quake, 1/1/66

Folder 8/3 – West Valley Nuclear Waste Project 
Editor’s Note. From West Valley Area People  
Correspondence. From K. Schweickert to J. Ruddick, re: West Valley, 4/7/94.  
Correspondence. From K. Schweickert to N. O’Connell, re: protests4/3/92. 
Correspondence. From J. Ruddick to J. Nagle. re: response to WNY Catholic  
4/11/94 
Correspondences. To the Editor, WNY Catholic April 1994 (2)  
Article. “Commission speaks on nuclear waste at West Valley.” WNY Catholic,  
Correspondence (copy). From Bishop Edward J. Head re: West Valley
controversy. [n.d.]
Fax. From J. Nagle to J. Ruddick with Peace & Justice Committee , re: West
Valley nuclear waste, 2/21/94
Correspondence. From J. Ruddick to M. Gangloff , re: response to Peace &
Justice statement, 2/26/94.