

#### OPENING:

The regular monthly meeting of our Church Council, held at the United Evangelical Church (Friendship Hall), was called to order on Tuesday, March 3rd, 1964 at 8:25 PM by our President Mr. F. Long and opened with prayer by Pastor Rasche.

The following officers were present:

Messrs F. Long, G. Sauer, E. Myers, E. Jones and R. Single

Members present were:

Messrs W. Bark, A. Block, K. Burmeister, N. Fritze, G. Hoffmann, W. Single and E. Weidel

Church School Liaison Member - Mr. E. Schwartz

#### SECRETARY REPORT:

The reading of the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday, February 4th, 1964 were read and approved.

#### TREASURER REPORT:

The report of receipts and expenditures were read, discussed and approved.

#### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES:

Property - Chairman Mr. G. Sauer

Fire damage in Church School Building - All bids in and are in the hands of the Insurance company. Additional \$500.00 added for personal property damage. A revised bid to be requested of Eyring to include replacing entire floor and ceiling in Fellowship Hall. Mr. Schwartz requested use of the Fellowship Hall. Eyring to be contacted to see if they can put a temporary covering around the exposed pipe in order to comply with Mr. Schwartz's request from the Church School officers.

The Ladies Aid & Young Women's Guild requested need for the following kitchen and dining room supplies:

- 2 bolts tableclothing at \$1.69 per yard (approx. 60 yards to make 18 tablecloths)
- 18 milk pitchers (Optional)
- 18 sugar bowls (Optional)
- 1 dozen carafe pitchers for coffee
- 2 dozen dish cloths
- 2 bolts toweling (100 yards will make about 70 towels) at 29¢ per yard.

Prices quoted by Epsteins - less 10%

The United Men's Club have donated \$25.00 towards the purchase of above. A motion was made by Mr. A. Block and seconded by Mr. R. Single authorizing the purchase of the above supplies.

Auditorium floor - Mr. L. Mueller to be contacted to look into the condition of the floor and advise us of his findings.

Paint Church Fund - Posters to be obtain and placed thru-out the Church and Church School.

Mr. Long reported that he should receive information very shortly from Mr. Gross with regards to boiler service contract.

Finance - Mr. R. Single

To have a meeting very shortly to try to determine why there is a difference of \$1,000.00 between this year and last year for a two month period. Also why the budget is short \$4,000.00



Membership - Chairman Mr. K. Burmeister  
Regular weekly meetings postponed until after Easter.

Altar - Chairman Mr. G. Sauer  
Progress (Work)

Pastor Rasche brought up about the Easter Lilly Fund. After a discussion on the matter it was suggested to handle same as previous year.

Church Fellowship - Chairman Mr. G. Hoffmann  
Progress

Christian Education - Chairman Mr. E. Myers  
Waiting for final word from Monumental Motor Tours with regards to trip to Silver Spring Md. and sightseeing afterwards.

Calendar - Chairman Mr. F. Long  
Progress

Ushering - Chairman Mr. N. Fritze  
Senior Council - Progress

Junior Council - Chairman Mr. R. Single  
A very nice turn-out for their meeting. Membership application outlined to members and form in the process of being drawn up. More boys are needed for Junior Council.

Mr. F. Long requested that all Council members, both Junior and Senior, be seated in the last two (both sides) of the Church and the head usher be the only man in the Northex and Mr. E. Myers to remain in the Friendship Hall.

Communion Service - Mr. Block - The new set-up of taking everybody from one side of the Church and then the other side worked out very fine. A few minor adjustments recommended and will use the new procedure from now on.

Music - Chairman Mr. G. Hoffmann  
Choir robes in the process of being cleaned.

Men needed in Choir

Chorb choir in need of a director inasmuch as Mr. M. Haas is not longer available. Mrs. N. Binko to be contacted to see if she would be interested in keeping this part of the choir active again.

Auditing - Chairman Mr. R. Single  
Progress

Spiritual - Chairman Mr. W. Bark  
Read out a list of names of those persons to be deleted from the active Church membership rolls. A motion was made by Mr. E. Jones and seconded by Mr. E. Myers to remove the inactive members from our rolls.

Pastor Rasche reported that Miss Koppelman accepted position in Penna. Inasmuch as we were not able to obtain Miss Koppelman, Pastor Rasche wrote a letter to Eden Seminary regarding status of an Intern Minister.



COMMUNICATIONS:

Letter received from Dr. Lehmann - Essence: Appreciation of gift, and decorations in sanctuary honoring their 50th wedding anniversary.

Letter received from The Girls Guild - Essence: Appreciation for donation.

OLD BUSINESS:

Bishop Players - Housing and meals to be arranged for the three players at the Holiday Inn, dinner September 18th and breakfast September 19th, 1964.

Cape purchased for Pastor Rasche, costing being \$75.00

NEW BUSINESS:

Pastor Rasche requested August 26th thru September 26th, 1964 (five Sundays) as his vacation.

Mr. E. West requested July 7th thru July 14th, 1964 as his vacation.  
Permission granted on the above.

Envelopes 1965 - Mr. R. Single made a motion and seconded by Mr. W. Single authorizing Mr. Jones to place order for the 1965 Church envelopes.

CLOSING:

There being no further business to come before the Church Council at this time, the meeting was adjourned at 11:00 PM and was closed with Lords Prayer lead by Pastor Rasche.

Respectfully submitted,

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Recording Secretary

cc: Mr. P. Long  
Rev P A Rasche