

December 6, 1992

The semi-annual congregation meeting of the United Evangelical Church was held on Sunday, December 6, 1992. There were 64 people in attendance.

Clarence Rowell, president of the Church Council, called the meeting to order.

Grace Fader gave her report on the Sour Beef and Dumpling Luncheon and Dinner which was held on October 21st. and 22nd. 1992. Her report is as follows:

\$12,592.00	Income
<u>4,046.58</u>	Expenses
8,185.65	Profit
3,681.00	Raffel Tickets
<u>1,338.00</u>	Ad Book
\$12,604.65	Profit

A \$5.00 donation was received and Sam Jones donated 35¢ to make a grand total of \$12,610.00 profit. Grace continued with her report giving "Special Thank You's" to the many people who volunteered to make this such a huge success.

Harvey Jacob, our financial secretary, gave his report on the budget for 1992. We are \$1639.00 under budget for the month of November. Harvey feels if we do as well in December, as we have done in the past with our income, we will go into 1993 with a surplus.

Harvey presented the new budget for 1993(See attached.) He presented a new format for this year. He thought this up do to the suggestion Mark Stovel made at our last meeting. He has re-arranged some accounts and added others. This will be a trial system and we will see how well it works through the year.

Harvey also feels more money should come through our regular envelopes.

A 3.1% increase was added to the salaries, due to the cost of living, in this year's budget.

Carol Rowell made a remark about the bulletins having too many repeated inserts in them.

Dennis Cole suggested running more paper work through the computer.

Harvey Jacob agreed on the fact there is too much paper work and said the Council will look into this matter in 1993.

Edward Myers made a motion and Will Myrick seconded that the proposed budget for 1993 be accepted. The Congregation agreed.

Clarence Rowell thanked everyone who are leaving the Council for serving their terms.

The election of new Council members took place. Eight persons ran on the ballot and six were elected. Fifty-eight ballots and fifteen absentee ballots were cast. One ballot was void because of not being properly filled out. The new Council members are as follows: Ruth Beckwith, George Hammerbacker, Harvey Jacob, Wayne Schafer, James Tallagsen, and William Voelker.

CONGRATULATIONS!

New members will be installed at 10:30 p.m. service on December 20, 1992.

Marty Craig, from the United Travel Group, presented a check for \$1222.00 to the church.

Helen Winaker brought to our attention the new proposal of children taking communion. Clarence Rowell informed her this will be handled by the Spirtual Committee and they in turn will report back to the Congregation on their proposal.

Carol Rowell made a motion for the meeting to adjourn and Edward Myers seconded. Congregation were all in agreement.

Pastor Armstrong, due to his hospitalization, did not attend this meeting.

We adjourned at 1:40 p.m.