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Dear Members and Friends of United Church:

One hundred years ago our beloved church was founded. Many thousands have worshipped within its walls. During these years the church has known sadness, it has known great joy, and steadily it has gone forward.

Today, as we plan our Centennial celebration there are a number of concerns we wish to bring to your attention. In previous letters to you we have asked that you participate in the various phases of our Anniversary program. The response has been good, but there are still many persons from whom we have not heard. We ask you to review the Anniversary notes listed below and with God's church in your thoughts we ask that you participate in the ongoing life of our beloved church.

1 - PATRON ADS - These cost \$1.00 per name. The official program book will list the names of all patrons. We want your name to be among those listed. Deadline, July 15th. Mail in your 'ads' today.

2 - BUSINESS ADS AND FAMILY ADS - There is still time to get business 'ads' and family 'ads' into our program book. Cost is \$40.00-full page; \$25.00-½ page; \$15.00-¼ page; \$8.00-1/8 page. Endeavor to get one or more 'ads.' Deadline is July 15th.

3 - 100TH ANNIVERSARY BANQUET AND DANCE - To be held on Saturday, September 29, 1973 at The Eastwind, 9000 Pulaski Highway. Cocktails, 6:00 p.m.; dinner, 7:00 p.m.; dancing, 9:00 p.m. 'till 1:00 a.m. Reservations, \$12.50 per person. Tables seat 10 persons. Please make your reservations NOW with Mrs. Dorothy Long, 1302 Walters Avenue, 21212; telephone, 433-0390. You don't want to miss this outstanding event.

4 - 100TH ANNIVERSARY PLATES - A lovely memento. \$3.00 per plate. Available now in church office or see Mr. J. Edwin Myers.

5 - WERE YOU CONFIRMED HERE? - If so, get this date to Mr. Albert Witzke NOW. A chart of confirmands is now on display in Friendship Hall. Be among those listed. Send information to Mr. Albert Witzke, 607 S. Eaton Street, 21224; telephone, 276-6955.

6 - DO YOU HAVE MEMENTOES OF FORMER YEARS IN CHURCH HISTORY. We want old programs, announcements, pictures of groups (classes, organizations, etc.) tokens from Sunday School to put on display in September. Phone Mr. William Voelker, 342-2875, and let him know you have something to loan the church. We are very anxious to have a large, attractive display.

7 - LOVE GIFT ENVELOPES - Become a member of our \$100.00 100th Anniversary Organization (envelope mailed you last month.) Every family or individual who contributes \$100.00 or more will have their name placed on the Anniversary Fund board in the narthex. For families or individuals who cannot contribute \$100.00 we say whatever you can contribute will be greatly appreciated.

8 - ANNIVERSARY QUARTER FOLDERS - (Folder mailed you last month). An added Love Gift to the church. Deposit in narthex when you come to church anytime this summer or through November.

Our Centennial celebration will not be successful in its many facets unless you folk make it so. Therefore, will you help by doing your part to make it a success? Thank you.

The Anniversary Committee