

September 16, 1984

A special Congregational meeting of the United Evangelical Church was held on Sunday, September 16, 1984. President, George Tuerk presiding. The meeting was called to order after the 8 a.m. church service. It was held in Friendship Hall.

Pastor Fair gave the opening prayer.

With no objections the reading of the minutes from the last Congregational meeting were dispensed with.

The Agenda:

To vote, by secret ballot, to call the Rev. John Stephen Fair as full time minister of United Evangelical Church.

The ballots were distributed by Mr. Carrigan, Mr. Graddy, and Mr. Gundlach.

The members were told by Mr. Tuerk if you vote after the early service you cannot vote again after the second service.

After the ballots had been marked they were deposited in the voting box.

The meeting suspended until after the 10:30 a.m. church service.

The meeting reconvened at 11:30 a.m. Mr. Tuerk stated anyone 18 years or older, in good standing as a member, had a vote.

The ballots were distributed by Mr. Myers, Mr. Voelker and M/s. Beckwith. These persons counted the ballots.

The vote:

159 Ballots were cast.

154 votes for Calling the Rev. John Stephen Fair  
5 votes opposed.

Mr. Tuerk informed Pastor Fair "You were called to be Pastor of our Church." Pastor Fair thanked Mr. Tuerk and said he will be here no later than December 14th, perhaps sooner.

Pastor Fair thanked the Congregation for everything.

The meeting adjourned with a prayer by Pastor Fair, at 11:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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