

# TO MARK FOUNDING OF GERMAN CHURCH

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Congregation Of United  
Evangelical To Celebrate  
60th Year Next Week

The sixtieth anniversary of the founding of the German United Evangelical Church, East avenue and Dillon street, will be celebrated by the congregation next week. Religious services and social functions will be held every day, starting next Sunday morning and ending the following Sunday night.

The church was organized in 1873 as the German United Evangelical Church of Canton, which at that time was a sparsely settled community. The cornerstone was laid October 19, 1873. An anniversary year book is being prepared containing pictures of past and present scenes about the church.

#### To Open Sunday

The celebration will be opened at 10.30 o'clock Sunday morning by the Rev. Paul Menzel, the only living former pastor of the church, who will deliver a special sermon in German. At 7.45 P. M., the Rev. F. C. Rueggeburg, president of the Atlantic district of the Evangelical Synod of North America, will preach a sermon in English.

Monday night will be known as organization night with the Rev. Paul Schmidt, pastor of Huber Memorial Evangelical Church, the principal speaker.

Community night will be observed Tuesday and the Rev. Dr. Oscar F. Blackwelder, former pastor of Christ Lutheran Church, will speak. At 6.30 P. M. Wednesday a banquet will be held in the church hall. Only German will be spoken on the occasion, and the Rev. E. J. F. Dettbarn, pastor of St. John's Concordia Evangelical Church, will address the gathering.

#### Banquet On Friday

Another banquet will be held Friday night and Charles E. Moylan, judge of the Appeals Tax Court, will be the principal speaker.

The celebration will close on Sunday. The Rev. F. W. Schaefer, pastor of the church observing the anniversary, will preach a sermon in German at the morning service at 10.30 o'clock, and at night he will officiate at a candlelight consecration service to be conducted in English.