

Article 3 - Section 1. - Page 1.

Strike out entire section and substitute the following:

(1) ("This congregation is or shall become a member of the Evangelical ^{+ Reformed Church} Synod of North America. Withdrawal from said ~~Synod~~ ^{Church} can only take place after the entire membership shall have been duly notified by mail and after two-thirds votes of members present favoring withdrawal.")

Article 4 - Section 6 - Page 3.

Strike out entire paragraph "B."

Insert as paragraph "B" the following:

(2) ("A member in good standing shall be deemed to be one who has been duly admitted ^{into} membership ^{in accordance with section 12 of Art 4} and who has given financial support to the church either by the quarterly dues or envelope systems at some time during the six month period immediately preceding the taking of the vote or the installation into office of said person.") -

The following to be known as paragraph "C."

(3) ("A member who has failed to contribute to the financial support of the church in accordance with paragraph B. of this article without satisfactory explanation shall not be privileged to vote or hold office")

Article 5 - Vacancies - Page 5.

The following to be known as paragraph 2.
(When a vacancy on the board exists, the President shall have the power to appoint a new member to the board from the eligible list of the last election, the man having received the highest number of votes in said election shall be the first one named and if declines the next one shall be placed on the board. In the event all men on the eligible list shall decline, the vacancy shall remain vacant until the next election for members of the board.)

(Paragraph #2 of our constitution to be known as paragraph #3.)

Article #7 - Section 1 - Page 10.

Insert a new paragraph to be known as paragraph "B".

(The salary ^{and expenses} of the Pastor shall be fixed by the congregation ~~on a flat basis~~ at either a regular quarterly meeting or at a special meeting called for the purpose. ~~No expenses of any kind shall be allowed at any time with the exception of conference expenses.~~)

Article 7 - Section 2 - Page 10.

Strike out paragraph B. and insert the following to be known as para. "C"

(A committee of three shall be appointed by the congregation to guide it in its choice. This committee shall take due notice of the candidates' names by the district president. In addition the names of any candidates who may be duly qualified shall also be considered by the congregation. A reasonable number of ministers ^(not less than 3) shall be given an opportunity for trial sermons. The minister receiving the majority vote in the special meeting called for the purpose shall be declared elected.)

Strike out paragraph "C" and substitute the following:

(The election of a pastor shall take place at a special meeting of the congregation on the Monday following the last trial sermon.)

Article 7 - Section 3 - Page 11.

Eliminate paragraph "A"

Paragraph "B" to be known as paragraph "A"

Paragraph "C" to be known as paragraph "B"

Article 8 - Section 1 - Paragraph A.

Disregard the amendment calling for annual meetings and abide by paragraph "A" as in constitution calling for quarterly

meetings.

Article 8 - Section 3 - (Quorums.)

① Strike out the word "fifteen" and insert the word "twenty-five".

Article 9 - Paragraph 9. - Page 14.

① Strike out entire paragraph as useless.

Article 10 - Paragraph A - Page 15.

- Amendments -

Strike out the entire paragraph and insert the following:

① Amendments and By-laws to this constitution shall be submitted to the President in writing signed by three members of in good standing. The President shall present these at the next congregational meeting, unless an emergency shall exist where upon the President shall immediately call the congregation into special session. The presentation of any amendments or by-laws shall be considered the first reading. Action on the proposed amendments or by-laws shall be taken at the next meeting following the one at which they were presented. However, in the event of an emergency, immediate action can be had on the day the amendments or by-laws are presented by special motion and

carried by two-third votes of ~~meeting~~ members
present to set aside rules governing this
paragraph. A two-third vote of the ^{voting} members pre-
sent is required for the adoption of any and
all amendments or by-laws to this consti-
tution.

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