

GERMAN UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH
EAST AVENUE and DILLON STREET
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

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September 11, 1934

Dear Members and Friends of United Church:

All of you are interested in your church. In order that we might bring various items of interest before you we are sending out this letter upon request of the Church Council. Will you note the various matters before you and back them up to the best of your ability? The first important event in the life of the church is:

RALLY DAY

Sunday, September 30th is the BIG day in which we want to gather again after the summer's let-up and get ready for the fall and winter work. A special program centering about the theme: "Building the Church" is to be carried out in Sunday School (9 A. M. and in the church service (10.30 A. M.). The different departments will build a part of this church and it will be completed in the service in the sanctuary. In the service in church the Sunday School workers will be recognized and re-consecrated to the great and important task of religious education. We are asking all folk to fill out an INTEREST FINDER by means of which YOU are going to indicate how YOU wish to serve your church. Be there on RALLY DAY-September 30th.

The next item of interest which we wish to bring before you is one of vital importance to the future of the church:

JUNIOR WORSHIP SERVICES

We want to be a "church minded" congregation, one which goes to church and loves its services. Since the youth of our congregation has no chance to worship in our church on Sunday morning and since we want to build for the future the Church Council after serious deliberation and consultation with the Sunday School workers has decided to arrange a JUNIOR WORSHIP SERVICE. This is to begin on Sunday, October 7th at 9.50 A. M. This service will last half an hour and be over by 10.20 A. M. Sunday School scholars will get special credit for attending and will be marked. Service will be adapted to children. All children from Junior age (9 years on) are included in this. We are asking Sunday School teachers to march in with their pupils and sit with them. In order that this service might be orderly and reverent, we must start Sunday School at 9 A. M. (BE ON TIME!) with a short devotional service and the usual lesson period. At 9.45 A. M. the signal will be given to march over into the church. Older folk who do not understand German are invited to this service as well. It is open to all.

A third item to which we wish to call the special attention of the congregation is:

CHURCH NIGHT

There is need in our church for a meeting which includes SOCIABILITY-STUDY-AND SERVICE and which is to be held during the week. The Church Council is therefore fostering such a meeting on Wednesday nights. It is to begin on Wednesday, October 24th at 7.30 P. M. This gathering is to last an hour. The first part of it is to be of a social nature, with sing-song and

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LOVE AND LOYALTY WILL LIFT THE LOAD

Dear Friends of German United :

You love your old church! We know that you do. Your fathers and you yourself have kept it up all these years. You want it to continue. Therefore you will because of love and loyalty lift the financial load of the church. The finance committee proposes a tentative budget for the year 1935 which is as follows:

Salaries: Ministers	\$ 2200.00	2500	
(That the WORK AND WORD may be spread)			
Miss May Becker, Secretary	225.00	225	
(For proper records and office work)		936	
Mr. John Conrad, Janitor	936.00	2500	
(That church property be kept in order and clean)		4161	
Mr. Leroy Seiler, Organist	500.00	3861	
(That we may worship in music and song)		3861	
Music	50.00		
Gas and Electric	225.00		
Coal (That we may have comfort)	375.00		
Repairs (Things may be decent and orderly)	1000.00		use
Insurance (Protect our church investment)	325.00-		
Water rent and taxes	35.00		
Printing and publicity	350.00		
(That His work and our church might be known)			6500 4161 2339
Telephone	65.00		
(To help greatest business)			
Gasoline (to enable pastor to make calls)	250.00		
Sinking fund and miscellaneous	300.00		
Total	5800.00	6500	100000 1115

BENEVOLENCE BUDGET (For larger work, missionary, district Charity, City Hospital, Federation of Churches, Reformation services, Seaman's Union and other items totaling \$ 1200.00

HOW RAISE THIS MONEY ? LOVE AND LOYALTY WILL LIFT THE LOAD.

If everybody does his share and takes out duplex envelopes and contributes in accord with income we can make it very easily.

If	5 members	give	\$1.00	weekly-	it would amount to	\$ 260.00	yearly
"	"	"	".50	"	"	130.00	"
"	"	"	".25	"	"	1300.00	"
"	"	"	".15	"	"	3900.00	"
"	"	"	".10	"	"	1040.00	"
"	"	"	".05	"	"	520.00	"
"	"	"	\$ 4.00	per year as many do	"	800.00	"

If 1210 MEMBERS GIVE ----- 7950.00

and 10 cents per week for benevolences we will have it. Thank you!

On November 28 we will have Re-Causation Service - get you envelopes then.
On Sunday, Dec. 2 we will have Long March Causation! There are too many people who expect service of the church, but are not willing to assume responsibility.

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Baltimore, Md.
Nov. 1, 1934

BUDGET ALLOTMENT AS PROPOSED BY FINANCE COMMITTEE
FOR YEAR DEC. 1st. 1934 -- NOV. 30th. 1935

GENERAL FUND

REV. TITOS LEMANN	(Salary)	\$ 2200.00
MAY BECKER	(")	225.00
JOHN CONRAD	(")	936.00
LEROY SEILER	(")	500.00
GAS & ELECTRIC		225.00
COAL		375.00
REPAIRS TO BUILDINGS		1000.00
WATER RENT & TAXES		35.00
INSURANCE		325.00
STATIONERY		350.00
MUSIC		50.00
TELEPHONE		65.00
GASOLINE		250.00
MISCELLANEOUS		150.00
SINKING FUND		150.00
	Total	<u>6836.00</u>

Rev. Titos

180.00

Approximate Receipts Year 1934

5800.00

Signed:-

Charles Wm. Lee Chairman

William H. Galt

Wm. J. Green

George F. Schumann

FINANCE COMMITTEE

APPROVED:-

BENEVOLENCE FUND

REV. F.A. KECK	(Synod)	\$ 600.00
ATLANTIC DISTRICT CONFERENCE		25.00
CHARITY COMMITTEE		500.00
CITY HOSPITALS		75.00
FEDERATION OF CHURCHES		10.00
REFORMATION SERVICES		10.00
REV. GEISE	(Seaman's Union)	50.00
MISCELLANEOUS		100.00

Thanksgiving and Xmas Baskets

770.00
125.00
895.00

Approximate Receipts Year 1934

1165.00

1650
150
1800