

Baltimore, Maryland  
December 12, 1927

The congregational meeting of the last quarter of the year 1927, held by the German United Evangelical Church, was called to order at 8:15 by the president, Mr. Adam Trautner and opened with prayer by the pastor, Rev. F. W. Schaefer.

Reading of the minutes of all previous meetings of the third <sup>quarter</sup> was read by the former secretary, Mr. Fred Musch; were approved and accepted by the congregation.

The president, Mr. Adam Trautner, asked for reports of all committees, which reports were given and accepted by the congregation as follows:

Auditing Committee: reported that books had been examined and found to be correct.

Charity Committee: Reported that they had taken care of different families during the year.

Envelope Committee: Progress.

Finance Committee: Mr. J. Elmer Berl, chairman, reported that the books of the past years had been gone over, report given on <sup>six</sup> same which report was accepted and approved by the congregation.

Church Property Committee: Progress.

Committee On "United Endeavor": Progress.

Calendar Committee: Progress. (Henry Brendel; Fred Musch).

Memorial Committee: Progress. Balance on hand \$340.96.

Proposal of new members-none.

Unfinished business-none.

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Mr. J. Elmer Berl--1200 S. Linwood Avenue

Mr. George Trautner-613 S. Potomac Street

Mr. Wm. Dochterman--608 N. Clinton Street

Charity Committee: For one year:

Miss Frances Schmeiser

Miss Anna Brendel

Mr. Fred Scheufel

Envelope Committee for one year:

Mr. George Zirkler, Chairman

Mr. Henry Brendel

Mr. Edward Feeney

Mr. Henry Bien--2616 E. Madison Street

Finance Committee for one year:

Mr. J. Bauersfeld, Chairman

Mr. J. Elmer Berl

Mr. George Betkey

Mr. Fred Musch

Canvass Committee for one year:

Mr. Adam Trautner, Chairman

Mr. Howard Zimmerman

Miss Augusta Orf

Mrs. Schmidt; Mr. Bernard Musch

Property Committee for one year:

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Mr. Bernard Musch, Chairman  
Mr. George Betkey  
Mr. Fred Scheufel  
Mr. George Zirkler

Music Committee:

Mr. Howard Zimmerman  
Mrs. Mary Trautner  
Mr. Herbert Borleis

United Endeavor for one year:

Mr. William Gross, Chairman  
Mr. Howard Zimmerman  
Mr. G. Mack--3508 Elliott Street

Committee on Religious Education

Mr. Fred Schumann 2 years  
Sister Lena Nos  
Miss Barbara Sahlman  
Miss Louise Leimbach

There being no other business, the meeting adjourned at 10:00 P.M.  
with prayer by our pastor.

Your Secretary,  
George F. Schumann

Christmas Morning, December 25th, 1927

The board had a short meeting in reference to present for the Pastor; ion  
our president suggested that we furnish the house with draperies. The suggest  
was accepted by the attending trustees and the motion was carried.

Your Secretary,  
George F. Schumann