

820 S. Conkling Street
Baltimore, Maryland
January 10, 1934

Reverend Chas. F. Kesting
56 Linwood Avenue
Buffalo, New York

Dear Rev. Kesting,

I have referred your letter of January fifth the committee in charge of selecting the minister for the congregation of the United Church to act upon. This committee consists of the Messrs. George Trautner, Fred Schuman, and William Schmidt.

As the constitution of the church now stands only one minister is to be considered at one time. If he proves to be satisfactory to the congregation he will be accepted without looking further for others.

The above committee have already gotten in touch with Reverend Titus Layman of Indianapolis, Indiana, who is to be a guest of the church on Sunday, January fourteenth. The congregation will vote for or against him on Tuesday, January sixteenth.

In case of the latter decision it is then up to the aforesaid committee to select another minister from the list submitted to it by Reverend Rueggeberg. If your name has been placed on this list by Rev. Rueggeberg the committee will consider your name with the others.

Sincerely,