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The regular monthly meeting of the Church Council was called to order by the President, Mr. J. Albert Fader, and opened by a word of prayer by Rev. Lehmann. Those in attendance were:-

J. Albert Fader,	Norman Fritze
Ernest Jones	Marcus Strovel
John Will	Maxim Hoffmann
George Hammerbacher	George Hoffmann
	Louis Mueller
	William Bark
	William Koehler
	Fred Long and
	Rudy Diamond - Representative
	of the Sundayschool

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Financial Report was read and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

- ENVELOPE - Mr. Ernest Jones is to contact the Scout Master, Mr. Howard Jenkins, to ask if the Boy Scouts will deliver the envelopes in the surrounding areas. Mr. Jones stated the balance of envelopes will be mailed.
- Mr. Fader has received sample envelopes from Globe Envelope with various markings for a new envelope to take the place of the Building Fund envelope. The Council discussed the matter but it was not decided as to which envelope would be used to the best advantage.
- CHARITY - Rev. Lehmann reported that quite a few Christmas baskets were given out to the needy.
- CALENDAR - The following dates have been requested for the month of February:

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Young Women's Guild - Gas Company Demonstration -
February 14th

United Youth League - Bake Sale - February 15th

Young Women's Guild - Gas Company Demonstration -
February 16th and 17th

Sundayschool Banquet - February 20th

Boy Scouts - Bake Sale - February 22nd

Young Women's Guild - Codfish Sales - every Thursday
and Friday during Lent

CANVAS

- Mr. Maxim Hoffmann has requested a list of active and inactive members of the Church.

MUSIC

- Mr. Norman Fritze reported that after making quite a few contacts and quite a bit of checking for good references, it has been decided that Mrs. Naomi Binko has been chosen as the new Organist and Choir Director.

FELLOWSHIP

- Mr. Mueller and Mr. Hammerbacher are to work out order of collection.

RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION

- Pastor Lehmann is working out report for Annual Report for Potomac Synod.

The Church Council has approved the work of renovating the new room in the Fellowship Hall for the Men's Bible Class. Pastor Lehmann reported that the Confirmation Class is doing very well.

PROPERTY

- Mr. Maxim Hoffmann is to make contacts to obtain a steel gate.

Mrs. Frink has requested an increase in salary through the Church Council. A motion was made by Mr. Marcus Strovel and seconded by Mr. George Hoffmann to increase Mrs. Frink's salary from \$45.00 per week to \$50.00 per week, an

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- increase of \$5.00 per week. Motion carried.

Mr. George Hammerbacher is to contact Mr. Howard Jenkins as to the possibility of the Boy Scouts cleaning the pavement of the Sundayschool and Church after a snow storm.

FINANCE

- Mr. Bark commented that the Church mortgage would be paid off by Easter.

Mr. Fader requested Pastor Lehmann to announce to the congregation that the burning of the Church mortgage will **BE THE** be on the 1st Sunday after Easter.

Goal

PULPIT

- On January 8, 1961, Messrs. William Bark, Norman Fritze, Albert Fader, Marcus Strovel and Maxim Hoffmann motored to York, Pennsylvania to attend the Hayshire United Church of Christ for the purpose of considering Pastor Roland F. F. Roehner, as a prospect for being the Pastor of the United Evangelical & Reformed Church. In their report to the Church Council, Mr. Bark stated that Pastor Roehner was a fine man and that he had a very fine sermon. Mr. Bark is to contact Pastor Roehner.

COMMUNICATIONS

- A communication was received from Pastor Lawrence N. Strunk, Pastor of Christ Reformed Church, asking for a contribution to the Eyster Educational Fund. A motion was made by Mr. William Koehler and seconded by Mr. Marcust Strovel to contribute \$100.00 to the Eyster Educational Fund. Motion carried.

A communication was received from the Baltimore Federation of the United Church of Christ for the purpose of soliciting the United Evangelical Church name in a block add to publish the Church Services in the Sunpaper. A motion was made by

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Mr. Marcus Strovel and seconded by Mr. William Bark that the Church Council sign the contract for publishing the Church name in a block add in the Sunpaper at the cost of \$90.00 for 45 issues and this is the only cost that is to be assessed to the United Evangelical Church. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS - Mr. John Will reported that as of January 10, 1961, the Oyster-Supper has given us a profit of \$1736.63.

NEW BUSINESS - It was reported that Mrs. Sarah Kellner was injured in the Upper Room of Church Building. Mr. William Bark - ~~At~~
~~for the Church~~ - has notified the Great American Insurance Company and an agent was sent to Mrs. Kellner's home for full particulars.

There was no further business to come before the Church Council at this time; therefore, a motion was made by Mr. Ernest Jones and seconded by Mr. George Hoffmann that the meeting be adjourned. The meeting was closed with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred Long,
Recording Secretary.