

Good morning ladies and gentlemen

It is indeed an honor and pleasure for me to talk to you this morning as
Chairman of the 100th Anniversary Committee.

Your committee has been working diligently over the past several months and
I would like to read the names of the Committee Chairmen to you so that you
will know who to contact for a specific thing:

Program - Mr. Block

Activity - Mr. Long

Music - Organist Mr. Bankett, Jr.

Speakers - Mr. Bark

Youth - Mr. Parker, Jr.

Banquet - Mrs. Long

Decorations - Mr. Parker, Sr.

Budget - Mr. Jones

Fund Raising - Mr. Myers (Myself)

History Book - Mrs. Getz

Exhibits - Mr. Voelker

Photography - Mr. Logue

Publicity - Mr. Single, III

This year, 1973 will be known as our 100th Anniversary Year and September,
as our Anniversary of Celebration Month.

There are great things in store for you and I would like to elaborate a little on each:

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Sunday September 9th - Communion at both Services

Friday September 14th - Mardi Gras Night

Sunday September 16th - 1st Anniversary Sunday k/a Past or

Homecoming & Confirmation Reunion - Tentative

Guest Speaker - Dr. Ernest Press

Sunday September 23rd - 2nd Anniversary Sunday k/a Present or

Main Anniversary Celebration Sunday - Tentative

Guest Speaker - Dr. James D. Glasse

President Lancaster Theological Seminary

Saturday September 29th - Banquet and Dance - Tentative

Guest Speaker - Dr. Nevin Smith

Sunday September 30th - 3rd Anniversary Sunday k/a Future

Chancel Drama to be presented by our Youth - Tentative

Guest Speaker - Rev. Edward Werner

In addition there is a community night in the making, inviting ministers of the various Churches in our vicinity and other dignitaries

HISTORY BOOK

An Anniversary ~~or~~ History Book is in the making under the direction of Mrs. May Getz

PROGRAM BOOK

A program book is being put together which will outline the activities that will take place during our Anniversary Month. In addition to this will also be patrons at the cost of \$1.00 per ~~line~~ ^{name} ~~//single//~~ ~~double//or//family~~. Mr. Arthur Block is the man to contact on this.

MUSIC

There will be special music during the month, under the direction of our organist Mr. John ~~Bankett~~, Jr.

PICTURES AND DISPLAYS

If you have your confirmation picture available or know someone that does, we would like to borrow same as we are endeavoring to have one from each class as far back as possible.

In addition, if you should have anything that could be displayed, we would appreciate your loaning it to us.

A program has been set-up where you give us a picture or etc., we will, in turn, give you a receipt ~~for~~ each article and after our celebration is over, present this receipt and your article will be returned to you. Mr. William Voelker is the man to contact on this.

CHANGING OF CHURCH SERVICES

With the permission of the Church Council, the 8:00 A.M. Services will be discontinued on the Sundays of September 16th, 23rd, and 30th. The 10:15 A.M. Services will be moved up to 10:00 A.M., so that we all can join in the fellowship of the Services.

Following each of these three services will be a coffee hour and this will give you an opportunity to renew old acquaintances from your confirmation class.

In addition you will be able to look over the exhibits that will be on display either in the Friendship Hall or Auditorium.

BANQUET AND DANCE

The month long observance of our Anniversary will be climaxed by a celebration at Eudowood Gardens. This will be a banquet and dance (refreshments included) and the cost will be \$12.50 per person over 18 years of age and \$6.50 per person under 18 years of age. The person to contact on this will be Mrs. Dorothy Long.

~~MEMORY~~ PLATE

This Memory ^{or Anniversary} Plate which shows the various buildings and Pastors of our Church from origination to present will be on display in the Northex of the Church. The cost for this plate will be \$3.00 and you can obtain same after the Church Service in the Friendship Hall.

SURVEY SHEET

Inserted in the Church program today you will find this "Launch Sunday Survey Sheet"

We are endeavoring to get you, as lay people, involved in the Centennial celebration.

Look over this sheet carefully and check off which committee you would like to serve on - sign your name, address zip code and phone number - turn same over to one of the Council members after the Service.

Remember, this is your Centennial Celebration and offering your service will be a rewarding experience - So please do not let us down.

CLOSING

I am sorry if I took more time then was allotted to me, but there was a lot to be said in such a short space of time.

Watch the monthly Endeavor as each issue will contain an article pertaining to the Anniversary

Thank you for giving me your attention and I hope this coming Anniversary Celebration will be one that will long be remembered.