

ANNOUNCEMENT:

(6:45 P.M.) The bar will close in fifteen minutes (7:00 P.M.) and will remain closed during dinner and program following. Will open again and will remain open for the balance of the evening.

WELCOME:

Good Evening Ladies and Gentlemen!

Welcome to the 100th Anniversary Celebration Dinner-Dance of the United Evangelical Church. I want to add my personal thanks to all of you who came tonight to join us in this gala event. I also take this opportunity to thank my entire committee for their help in putting together the plans for our Centennial Celebration.

Listed on the back page of your program are the committee members who worked so diligently to make this evening a success. As I call their names, will they please stand and remain standing until everyone is introduced. Please hold your applause until all the introductions have been made. Dorothy Long, Chairman; Mini Block; Girlie Block; Myrtle DeVaughn; Miriam Long; Emma and Bill Koehler . . . the people responsible for our favors this evening are: Connie and Phil Hewitt; Susan and Bill Long; Evelyn and Charles Huber. To each of you, I extend my sincere thanks for a job well done. APPLAUSE

I would like now to recognize the present and past presidents of our Church Council and again please withhold your applause until all are introduced: Otts Block, Al Fader, Fred Long, Fred Gross and Lou Mueller. APPLAUSE

Now is the time for me to bow-out as your General Chairman of the 100th Anniversary Committee. In spite of a few pitfalls here and there, it has been a pleasure for me to head this committee. To this group of men and women, 60 in all, I would like to express my sincere thanks for their cooperation and the time and effort put forth in formulating a fine program.

We will now have the invocation by Pastor Rasche and will you all please stand.