

YOUNG WOMEN'S GUILD REPORT FOR 1967

The Young Women's Guild begins each year by installing its newly elected officers at a candlelight ceremony. The officers elected to serve this past year were:

Chairman.....Ann Kazarian
Vice-Chairman.....Helen Nahabedian
Recording Secretary.....Pearl Aznavoorian
Corresponding Secretary..Rose Zakarian
Treasurer.....Rose Paklaian
Asst. Treasurer.....Rose Tootooian
Reporter.....Mary Kalenian
Historian.....Rose La Rocco

The guild has just completed its 10th year and now has 23 members. Our meetings are held the 3rd Friday of each month.

On January 6th, 1967 the Young Women's Guild sponsor the annual Sunday School Christmas Program. After the Sunday School Children performed, the guild served a buffet refreshment table and presenting gifts to the childrens, teachers and to Father Sarkis Kashikjian. The Sunday School Children indidvially lite candles and donated to a Happy Birthday Jesus cake and the profits were over 100 dollars.

In March we gave \$25.00 to the Catherdal Project. Also in March we had our annual Palm Sunday Dinner which was a real big sucess, we make a profit of \$200.00 dollars

On April 28th we sponsor a Bunco Party in the small hall which proofed to be quite successful, consider for a new venture.

On May 11th the guild held its annual spring rummage sale in the church hall and was quite profitable \$107.00
Also on May 21st the Young Women's Guild gave a Farewell Dinner in honor of Deacon Kasparian and presenting him with a T.V.

June 18th the guild had a Father Day Breakfast.
In june we donated \$25.00 to the Sahigian College Fund.

Thus far, we have outlined only social and money making affairs, but the guild serves her church in many others ways. We have continued the "Coffee And" hour after church services, our altar has fresh flowers when needed.
We participated in the annual bazaar. We donated \$100 to the Building Fund.

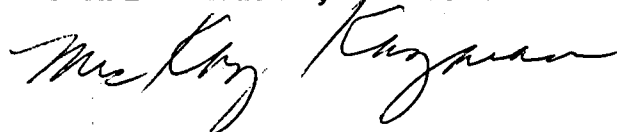
This past year proud to be an good year for us and the fruits of our labor resulted in presenting to the parish council a check for \$614.00 60% of our total income.

In ~~conclusion~~ conclusion, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to Father Sarkis Kashikjian for their spiritual guidance to the parish council and other organizations for their support in our endeavors. In all humility, as members of the Young Women's Guild, we hope to have fulfilled our obligations by dedicating our services to our church.

This past year we observed our 10th anniversary and to commemorate this event, the guild purchased a censor at the cost of \$250.00 for the new Cathedral Altar. This might appear to be a small gift, but we feel quite proud as the complete amount was individually donated by each member and we are the first auxiliary organization of any church in our Diocese to present a gift of this nature to the Cathedral. The censor will serve as a lasting reminder of our anniversary and is engraved "Young Women's Guild, St. Gregory the Illuminator Armenian Church of Chicago- 10th Anniversary 1967.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mrs Kaz Kazarian, Chairman

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mrs. Kaz Kazarian".