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**INVITATION
TO THE ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY OF
ST. JOHN'S ARMENIAN CHURCH OF GREATERDETROIT**

Southfield, Michigan

Friday

February 13, 1976

8:00 P.M.

AT THE ARMENIAN CULTURAL BUILDING
22001 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, Michigan

AGENDA

1. Invocation and Call to Order
2. Verification of the Eligibility of Members and Quorum
3. Election of Parish Assembly Officers - Chairman and Secretary
4. Minutes of the 1975 Annual Parish Assembly
5. Elections
 - a. Partial election of Parish Council (6)
 - b. Partial election of Auditor (1)
 - c. Election of Nominating Committee for 1977 (3)
6. 1975 Annual Report - Questions and Answers

Note: No oral reports will be given at this meeting by the Pastor, Parish Council, Church Auxiliary Organizations or on Financial Reports for 1975. However, parish members are encouraged to come prepared to ask questions on any section of this Annual Report.
7. Review and Approval of 1976 Budget.
8. New Business
9. Election Results
10. Pastor's Closing Message and Benediction
11. Adjournment and Refreshments

THE VERY REV. FATHER PAREN AVEDIKIAN

President

Harry Terzian
Parish Council Chairman

Richard Norsigian
Parish Council Secretary

RULES AND REGULATIONS CONCERNING MEMBERSHIP

"5. All persons who have been baptized and confirmed in the Armenian Church, who accept its doctrine, canons and rites, and who fulfill their obligations to the church and community, shall be members in good standing of the Parish Church and shall constitute the Parish Assembly.

"6. Every member of the Parish, 18 years of age or over, shall pay to his (or her) church an annual due, the amount of which shall be determined by the Diocesan Assembly. Such amount may be increased, but not decreased, by the Parish Assembly.

"7. Members in good standing of a Parish Church, who are 18 years of age or over, may participate in the assemblies of the same parish and may vote, provided that at least six months have elapsed since the date of their registration as members of the parish and their dues have been paid. They may be eligible for office one year after becoming members.

"8. Members who fail to pay their dues for one or more years, automatically forfeit their right to vote at Parish Assemblies or to hold elective office within the parish. Such members may reinstate these rights by payment of their dues in arrears for at least the previous two years."

RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING PARISH ASSEMBLY

"16. The Agenda of the Parish Assembly shall be prepared by the Parish Priest and the Parish Council. Other matters of new business may be added by majority vote of the Parish Assembly.

"17. At the Parish Assemblies the presence of a minimum of one-third of the eligible voting membership or fifty members shall constitute a quorum, and decisions shall be rendered by majority vote of the members present and voting.

"22. In a Parish Assembly each member shall be entitled to one vote which is not transferable and must be cast in person. In case of a tie vote, the presiding officer shall cast the deciding vote or he shall authorize a second balloting upon the same question."

Excerpted from the BY-LAWS OF THE
ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA
(Eastern Diocese)1968

THE VERY REV. FATHER PARSY AVETISYAN
President

Richard Hovhannissian
Parish Council Chairman

Harry Terzian
Parish Council Chairman

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St. John's Armenian Church
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PASTOR'S REPORT

Dear Parishioners,

With the grace and mercy of God, we, the members of St. John's Armenian Church Community have spent another year under the shadow of our Holy Mother Church. I stand before God, before you and myself in judgment, and with a clear conscience I declare that I did my human utmost in providing pastoral care and guidance to this Church and her members. I am grateful to God for the opportunity to serve the St. John's Church for another year without sparing the graces which He has bestowed upon me.

Pastoral Staff

For the first time in some years 1975 was the year for our Church to operate with an adequate pastoral staff together with the Rev. Fr. Michael Buttero, Assistant Pastor, and The Very Rev. Fr. Baret Yeretzian, Resident Graduate School student at Wayne State University, we have attempted to serve the needs of our Church and Community.

Acknowledgements of Services,

During the past year, The Most Rev. Archbishop Sion Manoogian has continued to enhance the solemnity of our Church by celebrating the Divine Liturgy and by preaching on the Major Feast Days of our Church, by his monthly sermons, as well as by presiding at various ceremonies and Church functions. The following clergymen celebrated The Divine Liturgy and preached, or were present at our Church services in connection with their visit to Detroit in 1975. The Very Rev. Fr. Arshag Khatchadourian, the Pastor of the Holy Resurrection Armenian Church in S. Milwaukee, Wisconsin; the Rev. Fr. Terenig Kondralian, the Pastor of St. Gregory the Illuminator Armenian Church in Haverhill, Mass.; His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, the Primate of the Armenian Church of North America; and the Rev. Fr. Artoon Sempadian, the Executive Secretary of the Armenian Church Endowment Fund of New York. On behalf of our Church I extend my gratitude and appreciation to our Church dignitaries and her dedicated servants for the opportunity of praying and exalting God together at St. John's.

In connection with the worship service conducted in our Church, it is my duty and privilege to thank each and every member of our Komitas Choir, including the Deacons of our Church, for their dedication and service to our Church and her worshipping congregation. At this time, I would like to acknowledge specifically two individuals from our Choir who worked diligently during the past year to make our services dignified and inspiring; Deacon Ara Haig, Choirmaster, and Miss Michele Menoian, Organist. In connection with our Church Services, I feel a deep gratitude towards Deacon Harry Ekizian for his capable assistance during the officiation of the sacraments of our Church.

Worship Services

Divine Liturgy was celebrated, and Armenian and English sermons were delivered every Sunday and at all other occasions of the Church calendar. Services were also offered during the week according to the requirements of our Church traditions. The Saturday afternoon Vespers have been continued regularly. Our hope is that our congregation will make a point of attending these Saturday services for a quiet moment of prayer and meditation.

Sacraments and Rites

During 1975 the following Sacraments and Rites were officiated: Baptism and Confirmation for infants and adults, 59; Engagement services, 6; Holy Matrimony, 29; Funeral services, 61.

Pastoral Visitations

Hospital visitations, Nursing Home visitations to the sick and the elderly, Home visitations to the shut-ins, Home visitations for consolation and counseling, Home Blessings, Visitations with the families of the Parish, in connection with Sacraments and for various other reasons, have been attended to by myself and Fr. Michael conscientiously and to the utmost of our ability. Since Fr. Baret is a Priest-in-Residence, with no specific Pastoral responsibilities, and assists the Pastors on the weekends, he should not be expected to take part in these visitations. The Pastoral responsibilities of this Parish are of such magnitude that the services of a third full-time Pastor are needed. I would like at this point to remind our parishioners to inform the Church Office directly when the services of a clergyman are needed.

Administrative Duties

Office work and management, Parish Council and Church Auxiliary Organizations' general body and committee meetings, attendance and participation in organizational functions, promotion of religious, cultural and educational programs, coordination of Church organizations, involvement and direction in renovational, fund raising and social concern projects, have been my administrative responsibilities this year.

Publications and Public Relations

During the past year I have continued to follow closely and to offer my time and advice to the Editor of our Church Monthly Publication. I take this opportunity to thank the Editorial Staff and particularly the Editor of the *Torch Bearer*, Mrs. Gloria Mikaelian for her commendable service she renders to our Church in connection with this publication.

My public relations during the past year was confined to occasional presence at, and offering of invocations and giving lectures to various religious, civic and fraternal Armenian and non-Armenian organizations, conducting Church tours for religious, educational and youth groups to introduce the Armenian Church, history and cultural heritage. Time has not yet been available for other types of public relations and involvement.

My feeling is that because of the taxing pastoral responsibilities of our pastoral staff, our public relations in other areas must be limited so that we may be able to provide for the needs of our parish and our own community.

Recommendations and Acknowledgments

At this time I would like specifically to recommend and praise three committees and their chairmen for the outstanding service they have rendered to our Church. Without their services our Church budget would have fallen some \$150,000 short. They are the Building Committee Chairman, Mr. Armen Hovnanian; Bazaar '75 Committee Chairman, Mr. Martin Cholakian; and the Bingo Committee Chairman, Mr. Vahe Papelian. These committees and their chairmen have sacrificed "above and beyond the call of duty" in their respective functions. I extend to them my personal gratitude as the Pastor of St. John's.

As we enter 1976 I see ahead of us three important projects with which we must concern ourselves. We are all aware of the situation in Lebanon and the plight of the Armenian community. The Supreme Patriarch of our Church, His Holiness Vasken I, was the first to address himself to that cause. In this country both our Primate, Archbishop Torkom Manoogian and the Life President of the Armenian General Benevolent Union, Mr. Alex Manoogian, have made appeals in regard to this tragic situation. We, as members of this affluent society, must heed to the appeal of our beloved Leaders and open our hearts as well as our purses widely to make at least the financial losses of that community bearable.

The year 1976 should also be the year for this community to give generously to our Church for her renovational needs. Our facilities are inadequate in some areas, while in some other areas they are deplorable. Ten years have passed since we have looked to the physical needs of our Church complex. Ten years have passed since we opened our pocketbooks to expand and to provide for the new needs of our Church facilities. We must be prepared to give generously when called upon.

1976 also marks the Bicentennial of this blessed country of ours. Both as individual Armenians and as a community we must bring our share to the celebration of this most glorious anniversary of this country. We must make others in this country as aware of our own culture and contributions as we have made them aware of our financial power, thus helping America and this City to recognize themselves as they take an inward look to find themselves.

Appreciation and Conclusion

I take this opportunity to express my heartfelt gratitude and appreciation to Fr. Michael Butero, Fr. Baret Yeretzian, the members of the Parish Council, our Church Bodies, Organizations, Standing Committees, as well as to individual parishioners for their cooperation, services, and sacrifices which enabled our Church to conclude another fruitful year. The accomplishments and the success of our Church are their pride and fulfillment. I pray that God bless each and every one abundantly, both in their homes and business. And may the Lord God also give us guidance and perseverance to continue our good works.

With blessings and prayers,

Fr. Paren Avedikian

Father Paren Avedikian
PASTOR



PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

Dear Parishioners,

The 1975 year has been a culturally and financially productive one for St. John's. We have completed many successful ventures with the help of countless parishioners. Among these ventures are the musical series sponsored by our Pro Musica Committee and the outstandingly successful Bazaar '75 which enlisted the help of literally hundreds of parishioners. Another of our successes has been the Bingo program. The success of these programs is due largely to the capable leadership of their respective chairmen.

The Building Committee of St. John's has done a marvelous job in putting the operation of the Cultural Building into order. In view of the inflationary costs encountered in the pure physical operation of the Church and Cultural Building, the Building Committee has attempted to reduce the pressures which otherwise would have been placed on parishioners - through increased dues - by maximizing the income from our greatest revenue producer, the Cultural Building, so that it can support the many purposes it serves.

Our Church complex serves many purposes in addition to its primary function of being a place of worship, such as, offering Christian Education, Armenian Language Education, being a place for social get-togethers, it also meets requirements of Church-affiliated organizations, and other Community Organizations. Contained within the Annual Report you will find a table indicating the use of our building during 1975. Although the table is not complete, because record-keeping was initiated during the year, it affords an idea of the extensive use the building receives and how useful it is to the Armenian Community of Greater Detroit.

On occasion we have encountered some difficulties in communicating to individuals that the Parish Council's prime duty is to serve the Church. In their well meaning intention to aid a particular organization, individuals sometimes seem to forget that the Parish Council is elected by the parish specifically with the function and duty to look after the welfare of the Church. We ask that our parishioners consider our responsibility and loyalty to our Church.

It is appropriate when reflecting on those who give service to their Church to remember and thank the outgoing members of the Parish Council, Mr. Souren Aprahamian, Mr. Stephen Boyajian, and Mr. Leo Zamanigian who have given six consecutive years of service to St. John's Armenian Church. Those of you that have served the Church know that although much time and effort are expended and often frustrations are encountered, service to the Church is a labor of love.

One of the Parish Council's specific plans for the immediate future is the expansion of our building to provide for meeting rooms, additional office space, and a reception room. We expect to have plans prepared within the next few months and can hopefully begin the project during the second half of 1976.

As we look further into the future we must establish long-range goals and objectives. What are we as a community going to do for ourselves and our people? What will we leave as a legacy of the Armenian Community of Greater Detroit? What should those that read about us in the future say we did for our people? Some potential areas are in Art, Music and Armenian Artifacts.

It is important for us to consider that the key to the future is in the hands of our youth. The coming generations will determine whether or how long our Church will live. It is imperative that we continue and reinforce the programs that keep the youth active in our community. We also need to keep them aware of their rich heritage and culture. This can be accomplished through education and by tangible evidence. You will note that we have included in this year's budget an item labeled "Artifacts". This monetary provision is being requested to allow St. John's to obtain Armenian Artifacts as the obviously limited number of them become available for purchase. As we are able to obtain these items, we will have available for our community in general, and our youth in particular, the visual evidence of the creativity of our forefathers. If through obtaining items of this type we are able to maintain them within the hands of Armenians we will also have contributed - as a community - something to the Armenian people. This could perhaps be one of the things for which St. John's Armenian Church of Greater Detroit will be remembered.

On another level we should continue to support and encourage Diocesan programs, principally the Endowment Fund and the Stewardship project. We know that you are all concerned with the welfare of the Armenian Church. That is why we are certain that as members of this parish you stand ready to help when called upon.

Under the capable guidance of our devoted Pastor, Very Reverend Father Paren Avedikian we expect to continue to make St. John's Church of Greater Detroit the most dynamic Parish in the Diocese.

Sincerely,



Harry Terzian
Parish Council Chairman



PARISH COUNCIL REPORT

EXECUTIVE BODY ELECTIONS

On March 15, 1975 under the Presidency of The Very Rev. Father Paren Avedikian, a joint meeting was held in the Armenian Cultural Building, with the outgoing and incoming members of the Parish Council to elect the officers of the newly constituted Parish Council, who would assume their duties following ratification by the Primate and the Diocesan Council and Initiation in Church. The following were elected to serve as the 1975-76 Officers:

Chairman.....	*Harry Terzian
Vice Chairman.....	Anoush Papelian
Secretary.....	*Richard Norsigian
Treasurer.....	Souren Keolelian
Advisors.....	Richard Apkarian
	*Souren Aprahamian
	*Stephen Boyajian
	*Armen Hovnanian
	Mary Ann Karakashian
	Arthur Mardigian
	*Leo Zamanigian

*Terms expire February 1976

APPOINTMENTS OF COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN AND LIAISON OFFICERS

The following members of the Parish Council were appointed to serve as the 1975-76 Standing Committee Chairmen and Liaison Officers to our respective Church auxiliary organizations:

STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN:

Pledge, Membership and Visitation.....	Anoush Papelian
Building Management.....	Armen Hovnanian
	Richard Apkarian
	Arthur Mardigian
	Anoush Papelian
In Lieu of Flowers, Sacraments, Gifts.....	Souren Aprahamian
Plates and Candles.....	Leo Zamanigian
Social Concern.....	Father Paren Avedikian
	Harry Terzian
	Parish Council
Policy Steering.....	Parish Council
Calendar of Events Coordination.....	Mary Ann Karakashian
Wayne State University.....	Richard Norsigian
Hospitality and Friendship.....	Mary Ann Karakashian
Cultural.....	Parish Council Tivan
Budget and Finance.....	Souren Keolelian
	Arthur Mardigian
	Harry Terzian
Bequests.....	Parish Council Tivan
Public Relations.....	Richard Norsigian
Bingo.....	Arthur Mardigian
Parliamentarian.....	Father Paren Avedikian

LIAISON OFFICERS:

Armenian Apostolic Society	Harry Terzian
Armenian Cooperative Nursery School	Anoush Papelian
Armenian School	Stephen Boyajian
Church School	Richard Apkarian
ACYOA Seniors	Mary Ann Karakashian
ACYO Project Youth	Souren Keolelian
Armenian American Veterans	Arthur Mardigian
Ladies Auxiliary	Anoush Papelian
Women's Guild	Anoush Papelian
Men's Society	Leo Zamanigian
Mr. and Mrs. Society	Richard Norsigian
Komitas Choir	Arthur Mardigian
Library Guild	Souren Aprahamian
Torch Bearer	Mary Ann Karakashian
Senior Citizens	Leo Zamanigian

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

During 1975, the Parish Council held 24 regular meetings and four special meetings: one with Archbishop Torkom Manogian and Diocesan Delegates pertaining to Diocesan issues, one with Diocesan Delegates, one to discuss an urgent matter, and one to elect the executive committee of the Parish Council. In addition, during the regular meetings, representatives from the following groups were invited to attend: Knights of Vartan, Diocesan Delegates and Alternates, Golden Touch Catering, Men's Society, and Auditor.

PLEDGE AND MEMBERSHIP

In addition to the customary duties of this committee a concentrated Pledge and Membership drive was conducted. Each member was mailed a new pledge card and a letter from Father Paren containing a plea to reconsider their current pledge. While the minimum annual pledge remained \$130.00 per couple and \$65.00 per individual, our members were encouraged by Father Paren to increase their pledges if possible.

The drive proved successful since 700 pledge cards were signed and returned by parishioners. Of these 700 pledges, 106 pledges were increased. The increases ranged from \$3.00 to \$280.00. An additional income of \$4,000.00 was realized as a result of this drive. This re-pledging will be repeated on an annual basis. In 1975 our pledge membership was increased by 68 new members. As of December 31, 1975, our Church has 961 pledge units.

In 1976, we will initiate the computerization of our pledge system. The Parish Council feels that by employing modern methods available to us, we will free our staff from tedious time-consuming chores.

Our pledge members will continue to receive pledge envelope packages also quarterly statements which will be less complicated than the one we have been using. Simply speaking, our accounts will be stored in the computer center rather than in the Church Office, therefore they will be available to us only quarterly. For this reason it will be important to present your most recent statement when inquiring about your pledge payment position.

BUILDING REPORT 1975

The Cultural Building continued to receive increased utilization in 1975. Hall rentals were increased as indicated by the financial report. Some of the major improvements for the year 1975 were: Parking lot resurfacing; installing new church dome and grounds lighting; landscaping the courtyard of the hall lobby; installing security system; repairing and installing lights in the vestry and baptismal chapels; remodeling of the baptismal chapel; repairing the ceiling of the chapel; painting the outside of the building; cleaning of hall and lobby carpeting and drapes; repairing the roof of the Cultural Hall; painting of the outside columns and doors; painting the kitchen; painting of the restrooms; repairing the cooling tower of the air conditioner; complete foundation caulking around the church and hall.

The following is the alphabetical listing of church-affiliated and non-church affiliated Armenian organizations and committees who used the church building facilities on a regular basis for meetings, dinners, programs, and fund-raising activities during the calendar year of 1975:

Organization	No. of times used	Organization	No. of times used
ACYO Jrs. Project Youth	13	Knights of Vartan	
ACYOA Seniors	25	-Nareg Lodge	19
AGBU Manoogian Fund radio hour	15	-Shavarshan Lodge	28
AGBU School	9	Komitas Choir	7
AGBU Women's Chapter	15	Ladies' Auxiliary	23
AGBU Various Chapters' Activities	8	Library Guild	8
Armenian Language Class	36	Manoogian Dance Committee	11
Armenian Co-op Nursery School	96	Men's Society	9
Bazaar	30	Mr. and Mrs. Society	3
Bible Study	16	Parish Council	28
Bingo	48	Picnic Committee	6
Calouste Gulbenkian Armenian School	30	Pro Musica Committee	6
Church School	46	Torch Bearer	15
Daughters of Vartan - Zabel Otyag	15	Women's Guild	21
Garage Sale	5		

As the above information indicates, the church Cultural Building has been the hub of the Detroit Armenian community life, and it had lived up to the expectations of the leaders of our community who planned its construction with foresight, generosity and idealism. The task of the Parish Council of St. John's Armenian Church is the proper maintenance of these facilities, so that it continues to render these services to the community in future years.

The Parish Council needs sufficient funds in order to provide these services to the community, and instead of asking for a new increase of the pledges of our church members, the Building Committee of the Parish Council has attempted to minimize the deficit which is incurred in the operation of the church Cultural Hall, at the present level of usage, by passing the bulk of the burden of the church Cultural Building operation to the renters of the church hall.

The following is the statistical study of the church hall rental usage for 1975.

Month	No. of		WEEKEND USE				WEEKDAY USE		
	Fri Sat	No. of weekend days not used	Parishioners	Armenian Organ.	Church and Church Organ.	Non-Armenians	Dinner	Luncheon	Hokejash
Jan	13	0	0	1	0	4	0	2	4
Feb	12	4	0	0	2	6	1	0	1
Mar	14	9	0	0	0	5	0	0	1
Apr	12	0	2	4	1	5	0	0	1
May	14	3	2	0	1	8	0	0	1
Jun	13	6	1	0	1	5	0	0	2
Jul	12	5	0	0	2	5	0	0	1
Aug	15	4	7	0	0	4	0	0	2
Sep	12	3	2	0	0	7	0	0	1
Oct	13	3	0	2	1	7	0	0	2
Nov	14	3	1	2	5	3	1	0	1
Dec	12	4	0	1	1	6	0	0	0
TOTAL	156	52	15	10	14	65	2	2	17

As the above table indicates, there is no basis to the complaint of some people that the Church hall is not available for rent on week-end dates to parishioners and other Armenians. During 1975,

there were 52 such week-end dates, a good number of which were in the so-called "prime months of the year." The next column indicates that our parishioners unfortunately did not use the church hall and preferred to pay higher charges elsewhere. The most important column is the one indicating the church hall usage by non-Armenians which amounted to 65 times during the year. This patronization of our church hall by non-Armenians provided most of the income generated through the rental of the hall. It is appropriate at this point to mention that for parishioners and Armenian organizations using the hall, there is a 33 percent or more discount which should be an incentive for them to use our church hall more frequently.

It is our belief that we managed the hall operation according to the dictates of the 1974 Parish Assembly and according to the wishes of the Building Advisory Committee, which it created, composed of Mr. Harry Kezelian, Mr. Martin Manoogian, and Mr. Vahe Papelian.

In closing, we would like to express our appreciation to Mr. Frank Bartholomew and Mr. Thomas Hendrickson, who together managed the church complex in 1975, as well as their staff, for their fine performance in maintaining our buildings and equipment in excellent condition.

CHURCH BAZAAR

St. John's Church Bazaar was held on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, November 14, 15 and 16, 1975. Mr. Martin Cholakian was General Chairman.

Many Church Organizations and individuals from the parish worked unselfishly to provide manpower and leadership for the numerous Bazaar projects.

Some of the special events of the weekend were, Khurabia Contest, Armenian Solo Dance Contest, and Armenian Artifacts Exhibit.

The financial report is not complete yet, but our Church has already received the sum of \$41,000.00 as partial payment of the total profits.

The Pastors and Parish Council wish to extend their congratulations and appreciation to Mr. Martin Cholakian, General Chairman, and each and every person of the Bazaar Committee who worked so diligently to make this year's Bazaar the most successful ever.

PRO MUSICA

Pro Musica Committee headed by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Paulian was organized by our Parish Council to expose our Armenian community to culture and artistry, thus, giving many artists an opportunity to perform for us in the future.

In 1975, Pro Musica presented three concerts. The first concert was held on Sunday, January 24, featuring the well known Oudist, Mr. George Mgrdichian. Mr. Mgrdichian had guitar accompaniment. Both performers were very well received even though ticket sale response was very poor. This Concert took place at the Groves High School Auditorium. The Project Youth participated in this musical event by selling cold drinks and snacks at intermission time.

The second Concert took place in our Church on Sunday, March 16. The artist was Dr. Haig Mardirosian, organist. Dr. Mardirosian is also from New York, but is presently residing in Washington, D.C. The audience had the opportunity of hearing our Church organ played by a master of the instrument. It was a delight to all those attending, but again the response was poor.

On Friday, November 28, Pro Musica presented a Variety Show, inviting anyone in our Greater Detroit Armenian Community to audition and take part in this program, thus, giving many unknown talents an opportunity to perform. Auditions and casting were very successful, consequently the program was enjoyed by all that attended. The response to this program was very good and the general reaction was to have more of this kind of program in the future.

BINGO COMMITTEE

Bingo at St. John's has been a huge success, both financially and socially. Bingo is held every Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m.

The Pastors and Parish Council would like to thank Mr. Vahe Papelian, Chairman, Committee Members: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barsamian, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boudakian, Mr. and Mrs. David Darakjian, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hanesian, Mrs. Anoush Papelian, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vahratian, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Varadian, and Mr. Sooren Yavruian for their determined and unsparing weekly sacrifice.

GARAGE SALE

The Church sponsored its first "Garage Sale" on May 19 and 20, 1975, under the able chairmanship of Mrs. Harry Reizian. The event was a great financial success.

TAVLOO TOURNAMENT

The weekend of May 31, 1975 marked the First Annual Tavloo Tournament co-sponsored by St. John's Armenian Church, A.G.B.U. Metro Chapter, and the Armenian-American Veterans. Over fifty enthusiastic participants competed for two consecutive days by personal choice in either the Masters or Intermediate divisions. Vahe Papelian served as coordinator on behalf of St. John's.

STATE POP ORCHESTRA

During the first American tour of the renowned State Pop Orchestra of Armenia, St. John's Church and the A.G.B.U. jointly sponsored the group's Detroit performance. The concert was held on June 8, 1975 at the Groves High School Auditorium in the presence of an enthusiastic and large audience. Leo Zamanigian served as coordinator from the Parish Council.

BANQUET FOR ARCHBISHOP TORKOM MANOOGIAN

A Banquet sponsored by the Parish Council, was held in honor of the Primate, Archbishop Torkom Manoogian on Sunday, December 21, 1975. Co-chairmen Alice Derderian and Margie Simonian arranged a very special evening for the Guest of Honor and those who attended, with guest artists Miriam Gargarian, pianist, and Violet Cholakian, soloist.

CHURCH PICNIC

The Sixteenth Annual Picnic of St. John's, for the second time, was held on the Church grounds on July 20, 1975, under the energetic chairmanship of Kenneth MacDonald. More than 1,500 persons enjoyed this well planned and socially and financially successful event.

NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER DANCE

The New Year's Eve gala celebration, under the co-chairmanship of Nancy Hachigian and Carol Hazergian was a huge success with 471 people in attendance.

The cooperative spirit of the various committee members and Mrs. Helen Armodlian, made this an enjoyable New Year's Eve celebration.

60TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE COMMEMORATION OF THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE

The commemoration of the 60th Anniversary of the Armenian Genocide was observed at St. John's on Wednesday, April 23, with a Solemn Divine Liturgy at 6:30 p.m. followed by a Madagh Dinner at the Church Cultural Building. Mrs. Serpouhi Jizmejian was the chairman of the dinner, which was served to 650 people. Assisting the Chairman with various responsibilities were the members of the following Church Auxiliary Organizations; Ladies' Auxiliary, Women's Guild, Men's Society, ACYOA Seniors and ACYO Juniors Project Youth. The representatives of different Armenian regions and cities, "deghatzies" were recognized at the head table. Miss Mary Ann Karakashian served as the coordinator of the Madagh Dinner on behalf of the Parish Council.

ARMENIAN ARTIFACTS

In conjunction with Bazaar '75 an Armenian Artifacts collection was exhibited at our Church Library. The exhibit remained open for visitors throughout the Bazaar and forty-five days following it. The exhibit contained items from the collection of the following: Diocese of the Armenian Church, St. John's Armenian Church, Mr. Alex Manoogian, Fr. Paren Avedikian, Mr. Zareh Arzoumanian and Mrs. Terry Kelch.

For the beautiful displays of these various artifacts we are indebted to the following individuals: Mrs. Sona Yavruian, Miss Arlene Yagoobian, Miss Kathy Mekjian, Miss Mary Ann Karakashian and Mr. Michael Godoshian.

It is appropriate at this point to mention that during 1975 the St. John's collection was increased with sixteen new items.

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY ARMENIAN STUDIES PROGRAM

The Wayne State Armenian Studies Committee held three meetings during 1975. In addition, the Committee hosted a welcoming reception for Professor Kevork Kherlopian, invited from the University of Yerevan for the Wayne Armenian Program, and co-hosted a farewell reception for him. Rev. Puzant Rubyan is the adjunct professor of Armenian Studies at Wayne. Credit hours are given for Armenian in the foreign language department at the University.

THE TORCH BEARER (CHAHAGIR)

Eleven issues of The Torch Bearer, Chahagir, were published during 1975 (combined July-August issue). Special events and activities of both Church and non-Church affiliated organizations were reported when the reporters submitted their articles.

With the cooperation of the reporters we were able to maintain the monthly publication deadline which enabled us to report news and coming events on a current basis.

After two issues put out by the Pastor in 1975, Mrs. Gloria Mikaelian volunteered her services to be the Editor of the Torch Bearer. She has been able to maintain and improve the quality of this respectable church publication.

The Pastors and Parish Council extend their gratitude to the Editor, Gloria Mikaelian, and to her old and new staff members.

YOUTH SPORTS ACTIVITIES

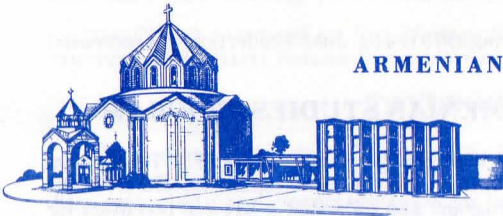
Our Youth Sports Activities covered a broad spectrum last year. The Basketball Program covered boys from 9 to 18 years and girls from 12 to 18 years in our own Basketball League. We had Seniors (18 years and over), Intermediates (16 to 18 years), and Juniors (12 to 15 years), boys teams participate in the Orthodox Youth Athletic Association Regular Season Basketball and Tournament Basketball. Our girls (12 to 18) participated in the Orthodox Youth Athletic Association Regular Season Basketball and Tournament Basketball. We had seniors and Intermediate boys Softball teams participate in the Orthodox Youth Athletic Association Regular Season and Tournament. We had our own girls Softball League and they also participated in the Orthodox Youth Athletic Association Tournament. The ACYOA also participated in various Church sponsored sports activities under the direction of the Diocese of the Armenian Church of America.

We are always open to new ideas to further improve our Youth Sports Activities which is our ultimate goal. The Pastors and Parish Council wish to express their appreciation to all of those who so generously donated their time to make our Youth Sports Activities Program a success. Our special thanks to the Armenian-American Veterans for the unlimited use of their facilities.

IN APPRECIATION

The Pastors and Parish Council extend their heartfelt gratitude to the Apostolic Society, the Diocesan Delegates, the Church Auditors, the Church Organizations and their Executive and Standing Committee members, the entire staff of the Parish Schools, the Church Choir, the Deacons, the Acolytes, the Ushers, the Church Staff, the Church Office Staff, the Church Building Staff, the volunteer workers assisting in the Church office, the Church projects' Committee Chairmen and members, and to all the faithful parishioners who during the past year gave unselfishly of their time and financial resources for the life, the vitality, and the improvement of our Church and community, for the betterment of our people and the Glory of God.

PASTORS AND PARISH COUNCIL



ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC SOCIETY, INC.

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January 16, 1976

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During the calendar year 1975 the Society had a comparatively inactive year inasmuch as the Parish Council is managing and maintaining the Church and the Cultural Hall very efficiently. However, the Society installed air conditioning in the area of the altar which was reported to be unbearably hot during the summer months for the celebrant clergy and choir.

We would like to clarify to you certain amendments to the By Laws of the Society, which were made recently with respect to the voting rights of Members.

As you know, the control of the Society is vested in its members, who by their vote elect a Board of Trustees and who in turn elect its officers. Each member has one vote for each \$10 contributed to the Society. All of the auxiliary organizations of the Church are also members and their right to vote is the same as that of individual members. This concept of voting control was initiated when the Society was organized back in 1939 under the leadership of Mr. Alex Manoogian.

The Amendments to the By Laws of the Society were adopted in 1974 so that in the event an original donor (member) passes away his immediate family could have the right to vote his or her membership rights in addition to what such other member of the family may have. Members of the family of an original contributor consist of: father, mother, husband, wife, son and daughter.

In the event of death of a member, such relatives as are indicated above, should immediately notify our Treasurer, Harry Kezelian, and request that the voting rights of the deceased member be transferred to one of his surviving relatives, and thereafter at all Membership meetings of the Society such relative will have the voting rights of such deceased member in addition to any membership rights he may have because of his personal contribution.


H. S. DERDERIAN
Secretary

STATISTICAL REPORTS OF CHURCH AUXILIARIES

LADIES' AUXILIARY

Chairman: Mrs. Pergroohi Javizian
 Membership: 240
 Meetings: 10
 Main Activities: Armenian Christmas Observance, Vartanantz and Paregentan Celebration, Michink Observance, Maundy Thursday Communion and Luncheon, Ascension Day Celebration, Ladies Auxiliary Picnic, Preparation for Church Bazaar, and Making of Mas.
 Remarks: We have had excellent attendance at each of our general body meetings, averaging 130 members. Aside from our regular functions our organization is preparing to celebrate the 55th Anniversary of its foundation in the year 1976.

WOMEN'S GUILD

Chairman: Mrs. Angela Banerian
 Membership: 179
 Meetings: 9
 Main Activities: Lenten Luncheon, Easter Communion Breakfast, Mother-Daughter Banquet, Church Picnic, Membership Dinner, Bazaar - Continental Bakery and Boutique, Christmas Dinner, Old Age Home, Mas Packaging, Southfield Church Women, Maintaining International Institute Display Booth.
 Future Projects: Lenten Luncheon, Easter Communion Breakfast, Mother-Daughter Banquet, Church Picnic, Membership Dinner, Bazaar - Continental Bakery and Boutique, Christmas Dinner, Old Age Home, Mas Packaging, Southfield Church Women, Maintaining International Institute Display Booth, Bi-Centennial Dinner-Dance.
 Remarks: The Guild By-Laws were reviewed and ratified by the Primate and the Diocesan Council. The revised book of By-Laws was printed and distributed to every member.

MEN'S SOCIETY

Chairman: Mr. Edward Korkoian
 Membership: 106
 Meetings: 10
 Main Activities: New Year's Eve Raffle, Blood Bank Drive, Church Ushers Corps, Cooking for Annual Bazaar and Church Picnic, Church School Christmas Breakfast, Old Age Project - purchased Candle Sticks and Bible. Las Vegas Trip, 10 dinner meetings, 10 speakers for same, and assist to Church Bingo.
 Future Projects: Same plus other yet undetermined future affairs.
 Remarks: For the membership available the organization had a full and very productive year. Hoping to get more members to participate in 1976.

MR. AND MRS. SOCIETY

Chairman: Mrs. Joyce Karamanian
 Membership: 27 Couples
 Meetings: 4
 Main Activities: January - Family outing to Camp Ararat. February - Pancake Breakfast (Fund-Raiser for Chapel Organ), Card Party at Jan and Gary Schack's home. March - St. Patrick's Day Party, a Get-Acquainted Membership Drive Party. April - Evening at the Races. Mother's Day Dinner and Wine Tasting with Wine Lecturer. June - Bowling Fund Night. Family Picnic at Bishop Lake. Participation in Church Picnic. A Summer Day at Fundukian's Cottage. Art Auction (Fund-

- Raiser). Snack Bar at Church Bazaar. Election Eve Dinner Meeting. Christmas Party - Hors d'Oeuvres Potluck at Richard and Arlene Baylerian's home.
- Future Projects:** January Family Outing to Camp Ararat. Mystery Road Rally and continued activities that help young married Armenian couples.
- Remarks:** We wish to extend our appreciation to Very Reverend Father Paren Avedikian for his continued encouragement and guidance, Helen Armoudlian for her patience and to George Mashlakjian for numerous favors. With their kindness and assistance, we have continued our efforts to establish ourselves as a valuable and integral part of Armenian Church life. Our Chapel Organ Project has finally become a reality, and we give it to the Church with our deep appreciation and a great deal of personal satisfaction. Within our small group we have continued to plan family-oriented activities in an Armenian environment, which is a unique and worthwhile objective of our organization. We are developing life-long friendships, Church fellowship and Armenian family unity. It has been a busy and rewarding year for which all our members of the Mr. and Mrs. Society deserve great personal thanks.

ARMENIAN CHURCH YOUTH ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA SENIOR CHAPTER

- Chairman:** Mr. Ron Godoshian
- Membership:** 130
- Meetings:** 12
- Main Activities:** November Dance, Christmas Tree Sale, Christmas Eve Service, Christmas and Membership Parties, Church Beautification Project completed at the sum of \$3,700, Visit Old Age Home, Refreshments at Bingo, Winter and Fall Camping Trips to Camp Ararat, ACYOA National Assembly and Sports Weekend in Miami, Ratification of National Constitution by Primate and Diocesan Council, ACYOA Summer Studies Program, 5 Members subsidized, ACYOA Lamb Roast and Raffle, Summer Bowling League, ACYOA Girls' Softball League, Memorial Day and July 4 Picnics, Annual Church Picnic, Membership Meetings and Programs, Canoe Trip Pine River, Bake Sales, Church Bazaar, Halloween Party.
- Future Projects:** To add programs that interest our membership, continuation and improvement of successful projects, to assist in Church sponsored activities.
- Remarks:** We are in need of a specific area to be used regularly as a meeting place for all youth in our community. We hope that the reorganized A.C.Y.O.A. will bring the youth of our Diocese for a better future for our Church.

ARMENIAN CHURCH YOUTH ORGANIZATION JUNIORS PROJECT YOUTH

- Chairman:** Miss Arlene Paulian
- Membership:** 85
- Meetings:** 10
- Main Activities:** Camp Ararat retreat, Lenten Dinners, Entertainment Books, Candy Sale, participation in Church Bazaar, Membership Dinner with Parents, Easter Trip to Chicago, Serve at Martyrs' Day Dinner, Christmas Membership Dance, Summer Bowling League, Girls' Softball League, Visit to Old Age Home, Bake Sale, Skiing, Horseback Riding.
- Future Projects:** Continue carrying out the successful projects and sell DETROIT ACOYA T-Shirts and Poinsettias.
- Remarks:** ACYOA Project Youth is an important organization, it brings the youth together before they leave the community for college, so when they return they will be eager to get involved with the Church affiliated organizations. It combines fun with work in helping support the Church. The members of the group working or participating in an activity enjoy each others' company and the fellowship created.

KOMITAS CHOIR

Chairman:	Miss Roberta Carman
Membership:	48
Meetings:	3
Main Activities:	Preparation and recording of the Divine Liturgy Album. Choir Christmas Party.
Future Projects:	Finishing of the record album project and distribution. 30th Annual Assembly of the Association of Armenian Church Choirs on November 5, 6, 7, 1976, in Detroit. Preparation of new choir robes.

ALTAR GUILD

Chairman:	Mrs. Lucille Jivelegian
Membership:	6
Main Activities:	Sewing, maintaining and repairing all of the Church vestments.
Remarks:	We express our appreciation to Mr. Harry Kezelian who graciously and dutifully dry cleaned the vestments and the altar cloths of our Church throughout the year.
Future Projects:	Building cabinets to properly store the vestments of the Church and Altar Guild equipment.

LIBRARY GUILD

Chairman:	Mr. Fred Demerjian
Membership:	21
Meetings:	12
Main Activities:	Purchasing and cataloging books for the library. Two Book and Bake Sales.

SENIOR RETIRED MEMBERS

Chairman:	Mr. Armen Jivelegian
Membership:	66
Meeting Days:	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday; 12:00 - 5:00 P.M.
Main Activities:	Christmas Party, Visit Old Age Home, Shish Kebab Party A \$100.00 donation was made to St. John's Armenian Church.

ST. JOHN'S ARMENIAN CHURCH SCHOOL

Superintendent:	Father Paren Avedikian
Enrollment:	432
Board & Staff:	95
Classrooms:	27
School Hours:	11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Church School, Kindergarten and Playroom on Sundays.
Annual Affairs:	Initiation and Installation, Christmas Party for Kindergarten, Christmas Program, Armenian Christmas Jashoo Badarak and Communion, Staff Christmas Dinner, Lenten Offering, Easter Party for Kindergarten, Easter Jashoo Badarak and Communion. Pancake Breakfasts, Church School Picnic, Graduation Exercises.
Curriculum:	The Holy Scripture, Divine Liturgy, Armenian History, Armenian Church History, and Armenian conversation class in Kindergarten.
Remarks:	Reasonable disciplinary measures were introduced regarding attendance and graduation requirements. The results are encouraging. Attendance shows a marked improvement upon last year. The school is in the best situation in the last seven years.

Effective September 1975, we have established a Playroom for children between the ages of 2 through 4, for parents who have Sunday responsibilities or who attend our Church services, and who have children in this age group. The project has been a great success.

Highlights:

The 1975-76 academic year is our 28th year in providing Christian training to our parish children through the Church School.

Father Paren Avedikian is the Superintendent of the Church School. Board members are as follows: Mrs. Rosemary Hoplamazian, Assistant Superintendent; Miss Judy Hovnan, Secretary; Mr. Jerry Dayinian, Treasurer; Mr. Martin Cholakian, Mrs. Mildred Jingoian, and Mr. John Naghosian, Advisors; Mr. Richard Apkarian, Parish Council Liaison; Mr. Harry Derderian, Senior Department Supervisor in charge of teachers; Mrs. Margaret Gozmanian, Senior Department Supervisor in charge of students; Mr. Richard Vahratian, Junior Department Supervisor in charge of teachers; Mrs. Victoria Reizian, Junior Department Supervisor in charge of students; Mrs. Araxie Choukourian, Primary Department Supervisor in charge of teachers; Mrs. Lucy Ardash, Primary Department Supervisor in charge of students; Mrs. Alice Semizian, Kindergarten Department Supervisor in charge of teachers; Mrs. Diane Aginian and Mrs. Yvonne Korkoian, Playroom.

We have continued to benefit from the Senior in-service students in various aspects of our School program. We are indebted to the Council of Religious Education of our Diocese for improving upon the quality of our textbooks and also for providing us with a religious educational program in early October of 1975. In this regard, we must mention that Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mardigian of our church have established an Endowment Fund to take care of the needs of the CRE in the areas of publications, audiovisual aids, and teacher-training programs. On behalf of our Church School staff and students, we express our deepest appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Mardigian for their foresight and generosity. May the Lord God answer their prayers and grant them fulfillment in every venture. To facilitate the administration of the Church School, we again formed special projects committees such as: Pledge Committee to assist the students to assume their financial responsibility to the Church as adults, and the following committees, Acolyte Training, Birthday Cards, Lenten Offering, Hospitality, Christmas Program, Church School Picnic and Pancake Breakfast.

We would like to thank each and every member of our staff for their dedicated service to the Church School. We also thank Mrs. Rose Boudakian for her assistance which she continued to render above and beyond her responsibilities as Church and Church School Secretary. May all who labor in the house of God be blessed a thousandfold.

CALOUSTE GULBENKIAN ARMENIAN SCHOOL

Principal:	Fr. Michael Buttero
Enrollment:	28
Staff Members:	4
Classrooms:	5
School Hours:	Saturday 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Sunday 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.
Curriculum:	Armenian Language, Dancing and Singing
Future Projects:	Armenian School has purchased new material from the Diocese which includes slides, and games, to help develop the students language skills and to create deeper interest on the part of the student. The school can accept more students.

ARMENIAN COOPERATIVE NURSERY SCHOOL

Director:	Mrs. Alice Perreault
Enrollment:	25
Staff Members:	2
Classrooms:	2
School Hours:	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Annual Affairs:	Ice Cream Social, Cookie Bake, Dinner. The Ice Cream Social is in the Fall. The Cookie Bake is always scheduled in early December and the Dinner is held in the Spring.
Curriculum:	To enrich the emotional and social development of the three to five-year-old child and provide exposure to the Armenian language and culture.
Future Projects:	To plan and carry our fund-raising projects and carry out the various responsibilities involved in running the school.

ST. JOHN'S ARMENIAN CHURCH OF GREATER DETROIT
OPERATING FUND - PARISH COUNCIL
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
December 31, 1975

EXHIBIT-A

ASSETS

Cash (including savings accounts of \$160,826)	\$ 209,302
Prepaid expenses	175
Investment, vacant land located in Sterling Township at 12/31/63 value	<u>10,000</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 219,477</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE

LIABILITIES:

Hall rental deposits	\$ 19,261
Due Armenian Apostolic Society	30,745
Payroll taxes	1,445
Service funds	3,567
Trust fund	1,000
Social concern fund	<u>2,403</u>
Total liabilities	<u>\$ 58,421</u>

FUND BALANCE:

Unappropriated fund balance:	
Balance at December 31, 1974	97,138
Excess of receipts over disbursements-year ended December 31, 1975 - Exhibit B	<u>19,755</u>
Balance at December 31, 1975	<u>\$ 116,893</u>
Appropriated for building maintenance:	
Balance at December 31, 1974	28,418
Receipts-in lieu of flowers, less \$15,745 due Armenian Apostolic Society	<u>15,745</u>
Balance at December 31, 1975	<u>\$ 44,163</u>
Total fund balance	<u>\$ 161,056</u>
Total liabilities and fund balance	<u>\$ 219,477</u>

Richard H. Simonian
Auditor

Souren Keolelian
Treasurer

ST. JOHN'S ARMENIAN CHURCH OF GREATER DETROIT
OPERATING FUND
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
Year Ended December 31, 1975

EXHIBIT-B

	<u>Actual</u> 1974	<u>Actual</u> 1975	<u>Budget</u> 1975	<u>Over (Under)</u> <u>Budget 1975</u>	<u>Budget</u> 1976
RECEIPTS:					
Pledges-current year	\$ 77,564	\$ 85,258	\$ 75,000	\$ 10,258	\$ 80,000
Pledges-prior year	16,563	18,653	15,000	3,653	15,000
Bazaar income	23,990	43,514	20,000	23,514	35,000
In lieu of flowers	N/A	N/A	N/A		10,000
Plates and candles	6,767	7,835	6,600	1,235	9,000
Gifts and requiems	8,967	10,178	8,600	1,578	8,500
Baptisms	800	460	500	(40)	500
Weddings	1,050	900	1,000	(100)	500
Funerals	800	1,000	500	500	500
Christmas and Easter offering	2,820	3,100	2,700	400	2,757
Picnic-Net	2,634	5,132	3,000	2,132	4,500
New Year's Eve party	2,788	3,731	4,000	(269)	4,000
Book store-net	140	(339)	1,000	(1,339)	1,970
Contributions-Church Auxiliaries		100	2,000	(1,900)	3,000
Office service	135	-	1,000	(1,000)	1,000
Interest income	4,892	7,245	4,000	3,245	7,000
Rentals-church organizations	5,575	5,500	3,600	1,900	5,500
Rentals-other organizations	2,000	1,250	2,000	(750)	2,000
Building operation-see					
Exhibit C	52,247	79,991	52,000	27,991	95,500
Bingo program-see Exhibit D	10,766	26,359	15,000	11,359	25,000
Special events-net	15,272	1,242	12,000	(10,758)	3,000
Athletic-special fund	-	880	1,000	(120)	1,000
Torch Bearer publication	-	1,570	2,000	(430)	2,000
Clergy service-net	-	971	1,000	(29)	500
Bequests	-	100	-	100	100
Miscellaneous	-	136	-	136	166
Total receipts	<u>\$ 235,770</u>	<u>\$ 304,766</u>	<u>\$ 233,500</u>	<u>\$ 71,266</u>	<u>\$ 317,993</u>

EXPENDITURES:

Administrator	-	-	10,000	(10,000)	20,000
Clergy stipend and allowances	21,990	41,366	36,500	4,866	45,240
Office salaries	15,271	17,758	15,500	2,258	20,532
Building maintenance wages	37,260	39,316	34,900	4,416	48,490
Other church salaries	3,920	3,900	4,700	(800)	4,365
Payroll taxes	4,357	5,046	5,000	46	8,000
Employee benefits	5,749	7,348	8,000	(652)	9,000
Automobile expenses	291	1,292	2,000	(708)	2,200
Torch Bearer publication	642	3,329	3,600	(271)	5,000
Books and publications	2,445	1,561	2,000	(439)	1,000
Church supplies	2,413	4,506	2,500	2,006	2,500
Printing expenses	1,216	1,320	1,500	(180)	2,000
Office supplies	2,260	1,765	1,600	165	1,500
Postage and freight	1,851	2,173	1,800	373	2,500
Telephone and telegraph	1,701	3,566	2,000	1,566	3,000
Advertising	82	(111)	200	(311)	1,000
Contributions and dues	1,352	2,285	900	1,385	1,500
	<u>Actual</u> <u>1974</u>	<u>Actual</u> <u>1975</u>	<u>Budget</u> <u>1975</u>	<u>Over (Under)</u> <u>Budget 1975</u>	<u>Budget</u> <u>1976</u>
Diocesan expenses	23,900	32,312	25,000	7,312	30,066
Etchmiadzin dues	400	1,000	1,000	-	1,000
Visiting clergy expense	3,172	2,559	2,500	59	1,500
Travel expense	851	1,133	1,600	(467)	2,000
Insurance	5,014	6,086	6,000	86	7,000
Armenian School expense	1,875	1,455	2,000	(545)	2,000
Cultural programs	(146)	(956)	-	(956)	2,000
Utilities	22,879	28,419	22,000	6,419	33,000
Building repairs-interior	7,903	2,725	9,000	(6,275)	6,000
Building repairs-exterior	6,809	8,327	5,000	3,327	3,500
Computer services	-	107	-	107	2,600
Building supplies	4,149	6,683	3,500	3,183	6,000
Laundry and linen	4,045	2,136	3,000	(864)	4,000
Kitchen supplies	838	2,361	1,000	1,361	1,500
Hall service supplies	3,675	6,330	-	6,330	5,000
Property tax-vacant land	598	677	600	77	600
Capital improvements	7,257	39,760	3,600	36,160	3,600
Athletics	-	3,076	2,500	576	4,000
Equipment purchases, incl. auto	-	1,725	1,000	725	3,500
Veterans building rental	-	1,000	2,000	(1,000)	6,000
Miscellaneous and unclassified	18,262	1,676	9,500	(7,824)	1,500
Property security	-	-	-	-	2,000
Archbishop in residence	-	-	-	-	1,800
Church artifacts	-	-	-	-	10,000
Total expenditures	<u>\$ 214,281</u>	<u>\$ 285,011</u>	<u>\$ 233,500</u>	<u>\$ 51,511</u>	<u>\$ 317,993</u>
EXCESS OF RECEIPTS OVER EXPENDITURES	<u>\$ 21,489</u>	<u>\$ 19,755</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 19,755</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

ST. JOHN'S ARMENIAN CHURCH OF GREATER DETROIT
OPERATING FUND - BUILDING OPERATIONS
Year Ended December 31, 1975

EXHIBIT-C

REVENUES:

Catering	\$ 118,704
Sales tax	4,528
Rentals	68,373
Bar service	25,908
Glass rental	157
Linen	904
Paper	114
Checkroom	1,592
Extra labor	809
Addressing and mimeographing	661
Postage	216
Telephone	90
Caterer linen	730
Miscellaneous	110
Total revenues	<u>\$ 222,896</u>

EXPENSES:

Catering	\$ 118,704
Sales tax	4,528
Bartenders and bar girls	8,634
Mix	3,055
Ice	2,062
Equipment rentals	296
Hall labor	4,192
Miscellaneous	14
Checkroom labor	870
Office help	550
Total expenses	<u>\$ 142,905</u>

NET REVENUES

\$ 79,991

NOTE: Net derived from hall operations, after allocation of attributable expenses, was a loss of \$17,356 for fiscal year 1975 compared to a loss of \$33,271 for 1974.

ST. JOHN'S ARMENIAN CHURCH OF GREATER DETROIT
OPERATING FUND - BINGO PROGRAM EXHIBIT-D
Year Ended December 31, 1975

REVENUES:	
Admission cards	\$ 7,985
Hard cards	18,975
Special games	52,387
Supplies	<u>561</u>
Total revenues	<u>\$ 79,908</u>
EXPENSES:	
Prizes	\$ 51,845
Supplies	1,286
Advertising	171
Licenses	105
Miscellaneous	<u>142</u>
Total expenses	<u>\$ 53,549</u>
NET REVENUES	<u>\$ 26,359</u>

**ST. JOHN'S ARMENIAN CHURCH OF GREATER DETROIT
IN LIEU OF FLOWERS
Year Ended November 30, 1975**

	<u>Donated To</u>		
	<u>Totals</u>	<u>St. John's</u>	<u>Others</u>
CASH RECEIPTS (Contributions in memory of)			
Anita Kasparian	\$ 747.00	\$ 747.00	\$
Hairabed Mikaelian	10.00	5.00	5.00 A
Brian Sarafian	10.00	5.00	5.00 K
Vartouhy Mashikian	15.00	7.50	7.50 L
Arax Papazian	20.00	5.00	15.00 F
Nishan Stephanian	140.00	35.00	105.00 A-G
Papron Pashian	5.00	5.00	
Hamayak Hachigian	415.00	138.32	276.68 C-D
Agajon Tomasian	419.00	209.50	209.50 B
Marie Simonian	10.00	5.00	5.00 I
Noel Krimian	95.00	95.00	
Asadour Boshnakian	1,208.00	604.00	604.00 E
Tacouhi Manoogian	12,556.00	6,278.00	6,278.00 F
Noan Walton	60.00	60.00	
John Ohanian	681.00	656.00	25.00 M
Steve Stevenson	276.00	276.00	
Mikal Kasparian	145.00	145.00	
Sam Nasar	5.00	5.00	
Khatoon Aramian	53.00	53.00	
Rose Sohigian	1,500.00	1,130.00	370.00 F
Marian Ohanian	540.00	540.00	
Sarkis Khorasanjian	1,201.50	1,201.50	
Mary Kavonian	190.00	190.00	
Martin Torosian	50.00	12.50	37.50 F
Kay Srabian	1,080.00	450.00	630.00 A
Andrew Topalian	3,196.00	1,598.00	1,598.00 K
Elizabeth Argnian	10.00	10.00	
Paris Arutuniantz	10.00	10.00	
Vahan Kazarosian	10.00	10.00	
Surma Kalajian	15.00	15.00	
Kaloust Doumanian	10.00	10.00	
Peter Kevorkian	40.00	40.00	
Virginia Antigian	145.00	145.00	
Takouhy Kevorkian	55.00	55.00	
Hachik Hachikian	2,105.00	1,052.50	1,052.50 F
Ovsana Kasparian	45.00	45.00	
Mary Tashjian Antoian	1,026.00	453.00	573.00 A
Semon Gelloian	580.00	580.00	
Takor Kavlakian	1,704.00	568.02	1,135.98 K-F
Archie Alex	230.00	230.00	
Baghdasar Baghdasarian	345.00	172.50	172.50 F
Marian Mary Sarkisian	150.00	150.00	

Vahan Yarjanian	\$ 75.00	\$ 18.75	\$ 56.25 F-J
Hachig Derderian	408.00	408.00	
Mikayel Artinian	2,043.00	2,043.00	
Rose Annotti	157.00	157.00	
Arsen Betrosian	539.00	539.00	
Gloria Hovey	147.00	147.00	
Hamayak Kalajian	190.00	42.50	147.50 F
Krikor Haibatian	597.00	298.50	298.50 H
Nishan Darboian	853.00	426.50	426.50 N
Marian Kushigian	1,152.00	576.00	576.00 F
Alexan Lafian	464.00	232.00	232.00 A
Marie Arakian	2,055.00	1,027.50	1,027.50 F
Gregory Kelch	1,451.00	725.50	725.50 K
Kapriel Saboonjian	588.00	147.00	441.00 A
Mike Agopian	30.00	30.00	
Dikranouhi Hagenian	344.00	172.00	172.00 F
Sema Hardemian	125.00	125.00	
Shoushanig Serkeian	1,228.00	614.00	614.00 F
John Godoshian	320.00	320.00	
Charles Artin	910.00	455.00	455.00 F
Jordon Besh	645.00	645.00	
Nuvart Ohanian	10.00	10.00	
Armenouhi Apakian	225.00	225.00	
Haigouhi Chimchirian	385.00	192.50	192.50 I
Totals	<u>\$ 46,048.50</u>	<u>\$ 27,579.09</u>	<u>\$ 18,469.41</u>

CODE:

- A Michigan Home for Armenian Aged
- B Pan-Erzinga Union
- C Children's Hospital
- D Michigan Cancer Foundation
- E Pan-Sepastia Union
- F AGBU Alex Manoogian School
- G Everek-Fenesse Society
- H Lraper Press
- I Baikar Association
- J C.S.A.I.
- K Armenian American Veterans
- L Armenian Relief Society
- M Michigan Heart Fund
- N Malatia Association

Audited by: Richard Simonian

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF CHURCH AUXILIARIES

LADIES AUXILIARY STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS Year Ended November 30, 1975

CASH IN BANKS-NOVEMBER 30, 1974		
Savings Account-First Federal Savings	\$5,430.75	
Savings Account-First Federal Savings	5,489.24	
Checking Account-Manufacturers National Bank	<u>2,001.87</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		\$12,921.86
RECEIPTS		
Gifts	\$ 582.00	
Dues	446.00	
Mas	223.00	
Vartanantz	2,141.58	
Crosses	20.00	
Luncheon-Communion	3.99	
Michink Luncheon	1,184.01	
Maundy Thursday	150.00	
Hampartzoom	371.50	
Picnic	309.40	
Christmas Card Sales	41.00	
Apron-Sales	16.20	
Interest Earned from Savings	<u>580.60</u>	
Total Receipts		<u>\$ 6,069.28</u>
Total Cash to be Accounted for		<u>\$18,991.14</u>
DISBURSEMENTS		
Freezer-Contribution	\$2,200.00	
Printing & Postage	231.27	
Flowers	79.60	
Dishwashers	15.00	
Michink Luncheon	321.49	
Crosses	650.00	
Vartanantz	841.11	
Hampartzoom	143.58	
Picnic	149.19	
Building Rental	2,000.00	
Kitchen Baking Pans	153.00	
Miscellaneous	<u>1.30</u>	
Total Disbursements		\$ 6,785.54
Cash in Banks-November 30, 1975		
Savings Account-First Federal Savings	\$11,000.59	
Checking Account-Manufacturers National Bank	<u>1,205.01</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		<u>\$12,205.60</u>
Total Cash to be Accounted for		<u>\$18,991.14</u>
Audited by: John Bahadurian		

WOMEN'S GUILD
STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ended November 30, 1975

CASH IN BANKS-NOVEMBER 30, 1974		
Checking Account-Manufacturers National Bank	\$5,815.09	
Savings Account-Standard Federal Savings	<u>5,980.54</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		\$11,795.63

RECEIPTS

Dues	\$ 867.00	
Gift Contribution	30.00	
Interest Earned	401.55	
Activities:		
Lenten Luncheon (1974)	50.00	
Mother-Daughter Banquet (1974)	20.00	
Church Bazaar (1974)	140.78	
Christmas Dinner (1974)	150.00	
Dinner-Dance (1974)	4,017.02	
Old Age Home Luncheon (1975)	19.88	
Lenten Luncheon (1975)	259.65	
Easter Communion Breakfast (1975)	162.05	
Mother-Daughter Banquet (1975)	3,712.61	
Membership Dinner (1975)	30.85	
Guild Pictures	<u>78.00</u>	
Total Receipts		<u>\$ 9,939.39</u>

Total Cash to be Accounted for	<u>\$21,735.02</u>
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DISBURSEMENTS

Building Rental	\$2,000.00	
Secretarial Expenses	266.11	
Gifts	206.00	
Hostess Circle Expenses	123.58	
Guild Pictures	75.36	
Printing of New Bylaws	145.00	
Membership Award Pins and Bibles	64.43	
Southfield Churchwomen United	28.08	
Printing of New Checks	6.90	
Activities:		
Dinner Dance (1974)	3,550.54	
Old Age Home Luncheon (1975)	150.00	
Lenten Luncheon (1975)	210.12	
Easter Communion Breakfast (1975)	48.35	
Mother-Daughter Banquet (1975)	1,848.45	
Membership Dinner (1975)	150.00	
Church Bazaar (1975)	300.00	
Christmas Dinner (1975)	200.00	
Dinner-Dance (1976)	<u>132.00</u>	
Total Disbursements		<u>\$ 9,504.92</u>

Cash in Banks-November 30, 1975		
Checking Account-Manufacturers National Bank	\$ 848.01	
Savings Account-Standard Federal Savings	<u>11,382.09</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		<u>\$12,230.10</u>

Total Cash to be Accounted for	<u>\$21,735.02</u>
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Audited by: Ronald Keoleian

MEN'S SOCIETY
STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
 Year Ended November 30, 1975

CASH IN BANKS-NOVEMBER 30, 1974

Checking Account-National Bank of Detroit	\$ 211.33	
Savings Account-National Bank of Detroit	<u>2,998.39</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		\$ 3,209.72

RECEIPTS

Dinners	\$ 531.30	
50/50 Raffle	22.00	
New Year's Eve Raffle (1974)	1,576.12	
New Year's Eve Raffle (1975)	470.00	
Las Vegas Trip	480.00	
Membership Dues	315.00	
Pancake Breakfast	52.00	
Key Chain Sales	2.00	
Interest on Savings	<u>153.74</u>	
Total Receipts		<u>\$ 3,602.16</u>

Total Cash to be Accounted for

\$ 6,811.88

DISBURSEMENTS

Dinners	\$ 678.29	
Pancake Breakfast	128.36	
Church Rental	1,000.00	
New Year's Eve Raffle (1974)	400.00	
AGBU Camp Ararat	140.00	
Stamps and Envelopes	115.40	
Dishwasher	75.00	
Blazer (Usher)	43.00	
Blood Drive	21.24	
Books For Church	20.00	
Memorial Fund	<u>15.00</u>	
Total Disbursements		\$ 2,636.29

Cash in Banks-November 30, 1975

Checking Account-National Bank of Detroit	\$1,023.46	
Savings Account-National Bank of Detroit	<u>3,152.13</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		<u>\$ 4,175.59</u>

Total cash to be Accounted for

\$ 6,811.88

Audited by: Ronald Keoleian

MR. AND MRS. SOCIETY
STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ended November 30, 1975

CASH IN BANK-NOVEMBER 30, 1974		
Savings Account-City National Bank	\$2,153.54	
Total Cash in Bank		\$ 2,153.54
RECEIPTS		
Membership dues	\$ 220.00	
Snow Outing	360.00	
Card Party	56.00	
Pancake Breakfast	401.45	
St. Patrick's Day Party	244.60	
Mother's Day Dinner	130.60	
Moonlight Bowling	100.00	
Family Picnic	77.54	
Adult Picnic	82.50	
Art Auction	2,103.39	
Interest on savings	84.71	
Total Receipts		<u>\$ 3,860.79</u>
Total Cash to be Accounted for		<u>\$ 6,014.33</u>
DISBURSEMENTS		
Chapel organ	\$2,400.00	
Election Dinner	48.63	
Christmas Party	51.44	
Snow Outing	358.74	
Card Party	72.57	
Pancake Breakfast	211.32	
St. Patrick's Day Party	152.68	
Mother's Day Dinner	168.87	
Moonlight Bowling	86.00	
Family Picnic	77.63	
Adult Picnic	77.48	
Art Auction	1,420.15	
Election Dinner	59.26	
Postage	38.00	
Sundry	30.64	
Total Disbursements		<u>\$ 5,253.41</u>
Cash in Banks-November 30, 1975		
Checking Account-Manufacturers National Bank	\$ 207.96	
Savings Account-Manufacturers National Bank	552.96	
Total Cash in Banks		<u>\$ 760.92</u>
Total Cash to be Accounted for		<u>\$ 6,014.33</u>
Audited by: Ronald Keoleian		

**ARMENIAN CHURCH YOUTH ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA
SENIORS**

The financial statement for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1975, reporting cash receipts and cash disbursements is incomplete and in the process of an audit by Church Auditors and therefore no report can be submitted.

Edward Carman
Treasurer

Ron Godoshian
Chairman

John Bahadurian
Auditor

Ronald Keolelian
Auditor

The above conclusion and determination meets with the approval of Fr. Paren Avedikian, President.

**ARMENIAN CHURCH YOUTH ORGANIZATION JUNIORS
PROJECT YOUTH
STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ended November 30, 1975**

CASH IN BANKS-NOVEMBER 30, 1974

Checking Account - National Bank of Detroit	\$ 769.21	
Checking Account - National Bank of Detroit	205.87	
Savings Account - Detroit Bank & Trust	331.41	
Savings Account - American Savings & Loan	<u>1,510.98</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		\$ 2,817.47

RECEIPTS

Membership dues	\$ 144.00	
Christmas dance	9.00	
George Mgrdichian Concert	34.77	
Pine Knob ski trip	374.00	
Chicago trip	1,040.00	
Candy sales	1,175.50	
Bowling league	68.45	
Interest earned on savings	107.27	
Camp Ararat retreat	1,040.00	
Lenten dinners	4,305.76	
Entertainment book sales	491.00	
Miscellaneous	<u>20.55</u>	
Total Receipts		<u>\$ 8,810.30</u>

Total Cash to be Accounted for

\$11,627.77

DISBURSEMENTS

Service charges - bank	\$ 24.15	
Christmas dance	165.07	
Luncheons - Sunday meetings	309.37	
Pine Knob ski trip	399.00	
Chicago trip	1,340.90	
Candy purchases	720.00	
Mystery trip	100.00	
Bowling trophies	31.42	
Postage	12.55	
Toronto guests	97.67	
Zoo trip	24.00	
Camp Ararat Retreat	1,911.53	
Lenten dinners	2,619.13	
Gifts	93.38	
T-Shirts purchased	195.80	
Entertainment books purchased	569.50	
Miscellaneous	<u>16.10</u>	
Total Disbursements		\$ 8,629.57

Cash in Banks-November 30, 1975

Checking Account-National Bank of Detroit	\$ 632.67	
Checking Account-National Bank of Detroit	66.37	
Savings Account-Detroit Bank & Trust	708.18	
Savings Account-American Savings & Loan	<u>1,590.98</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		<u>\$ 2,998.20</u>

Total Cash to be Accounted for

\$11,627.77

Audited by: John Bahadurian

KOMITAS CHOIR
STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ended November 30, 1975

CASH IN BANK-NOVEMBER 30, 1974			
Checking Account-Community National Bank		\$2,389.78	
Total Cash in Bank			\$ 2,389.78
RECEIPTS			
Plate collections and donations		\$1,254.84	
Interest on savings account		<u>64.45</u>	
Total Receipts			<u>\$ 1,319.29</u>
Total cash to be Accounted for			<u>\$ 3,709.07</u>
DISBURSEMENTS			
Association of Armenian Church Choirs of America (plate collection)		\$ 315.00	
Choir pictures and tapes		409.00	
Deacons Robes		240.00	
Wardrobe Cabinet		119.00	
Delegate expenses to Choir Assembly		360.00	
Gifts and flowers		139.37	
Miscellaneous		<u>225.10</u>	
Total Disbursements			\$ 1,807.47
Cash in Bank-November 30, 1975			
Checking Account-Community National Bank		\$1,237.15	
Savings Account-Community National Bank		<u>664.45</u>	
Total Cash in Banks			<u>\$ 1,901.60</u>
Total cash to be Accounted for			<u>\$ 3,709.07</u>
Audited by: Ronald Keoleian			

LIBRARY GUILD
STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ended November 30, 1975

CASH IN BANKS-NOVEMBER 30, 1974		
Checking Account-National Bank of Southfield	\$ 526.06	
Savings Account-National Bank of Southfield	<u>1,792.34</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		\$ 2,318.40
RECEIPTS		
Book Sales	\$1,125.95	
Bake Sale	115.35	
Dues	24.00	
Interest on Savings	<u>91.33</u>	
Total Receipts		<u>\$ 1,356.63</u>
Total Cash to be Accounted for		<u>\$ 3,675.03</u>
DISBURSEMENTS		
Book purchases	\$ 70.00	
Book printing costs	508.00	
Library cabinets	132.90	
Office supplies and expenses	<u>21.93</u>	
Total Disbursements		\$ 732.83
Cash in Bank-November 30, 1975		
Checking Account-National Bank of Southfield	\$1,058.53	
Savings Account-National Bank of Southfield	<u>1,883.67</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		<u>\$ 2,942.20</u>
Total Cash to be Accounted for		<u>\$ 3,675.03</u>

Audited by: Ronald Keoleian

ALTAR GUILD
STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ended November 30, 1975

CASH IN BANK-NOVEMBER 30, 1974		
Savings-Metropolitan Savings	\$ 175.72	
Total Cash in Bank		\$ 175.72
RECEIPTS		
Gifts and Donation	\$ 350.00	
Interest Earned	<u>11.21</u>	
Total Receipts		\$ <u>361.21</u>
Total Cash to be Accounted for		<u>\$ 536.93</u>
DISBURSEMENTS		
Altar Cloths		
11 Cross & Bible Holders		
3 Clergy Shirts		
5 Banners for the Holy Cross	\$ 446.91	
Iron-For Sewing Room	16.61	
Scissor Set	<u>15.57</u>	
Total Disbursements		\$ 479.09
Cash in Bank-November 30, 1975		
Savings-Metropolitan Savings	\$ 57.84	
Total Cash in Bank		\$ <u>57.84</u>
Total Cash to be Accounted for		<u>\$ 536.93</u>
Audited by: John Bahadurian		

ST. JOHN'S ARMENIAN CHURCH SCHOOL
STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ended November 30, 1975

CASH IN BANKS-NOVEMBER 30, 1974

Checking Account-Manufacturers National	\$2,122.27	
Savings Account-First Federal Savings	2,492.31	
Savings Account-First Federal Savings	<u>3,472.97</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		\$ 8,087.55

RECEIPTS

Offerings:		
Kindergarten	\$ 253.04	
Primary	494.41	
Junior	793.47	
Senior	1,039.17	
Kindergarten School Consolidation	374.68	
Registration Fee	865.00	
Lenten Offerings	513.01	
Easter Offerings	284.55	
Christmas & Birthday Offerings	299.67	
Pancake Breakfast	174.84	
Picnic	577.25	
Donations	286.00	
Thomassian Fund	100.00	
Christmas Dinner	38.19	
Miscellaneous	145.05	
Interest on Savings	<u>366.27</u>	
Total Receipts		<u>\$ 6,604.60</u>

Total Cash to be Accounted for

\$14,692.15

DISBURSEMENTS

Instructional Materials	\$2,588.88	
Mailings & Postage	359.39	
Staff Education Program	166.64	
Lenten Offering	500.00	
Graduation & Prizes	247.00	
Feet Washing Contest Prizes	100.00	
Christmas Dinner	487.00	
Christmas Program	196.94	
Picnic	510.73	
Pancake Breakfast	16.35	
Lenten Canisters	93.70	
Pledge Envelopes	167.05	
Supplies	185.83	
Miscellaneous	<u>12.42</u>	
Total Disbursements		\$ 5,631.93

Cash in Banks-November 30, 1975

Checking Account-Manufacturers National	\$ 728.67	
Savings Account-First Federal Savings	4,663.59	
Savings Account-First Federal Savings	<u>3,667.96</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		<u>\$ 9,060.22</u>

Total Cash to be Accounted for

\$14,692.15

Audited by: Ronald Keoleian

CALOUSTE GULBENKIAN ARMENIAN SCHOOL
STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ended November 30, 1975

CASH IN BANK-NOVEMBER 30, 1974		
Cash on Hand	\$ 38.32	
Checking Account-Michigan National Bank	<u>299.65</u>	
Total Cash in Bank		\$ 337.97
RECEIPTS		
Church Subsidy	\$1,570.00	
Tuition	<u>280.00</u>	
Total Receipts		<u>\$ 1,850.00</u>
Total Cash to be Accounted for		<u>\$ 2,187.97</u>
DISBURSEMENTS		
Teachers Salary	\$1,500.00	
Text Books	60.00	
Year End Closing Exercises	67.65	
Office Supplies	<u>2.45</u>	
Total Disbursements		\$ 1,630.10
Cash in Bank-November 30, 1975		
Checking Account-Michigan National Bank	\$ 557.87	
Total Cash in Bank		<u>\$ 557.87</u>
Total Cash to be Accounted for		<u>\$ 2,187.97</u>

Audited by: John Bahadurian

ARMENIAN CO-OPERATIVE NURSERY SCHOOL
STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Year Ended November 30, 1975

CASH IN BANKS-NOVEMBER 30, 1974

Checking Account-Manufacturers National Bank	\$ 714.04	
Savings Account-Standard Federal Savings & Loan	<u>525.41</u>	
Total Cash in Banks		\$ 1,239.45

RECEIPTS

Tuition	\$3,721.80	
Registration	280.00	
Insurance	54.00	
Exchange Items	6.00	
Miscellaneous	92.61	
Annual Dinner	144.00	
Cookie Bake	578.55	
Ice Cream Social	582.20	
Interest Earned on Savings	<u>28.13</u>	
Total Receipts		\$ 5,487.29

Total Cash to be Accounted for

\$ 6,726.74

DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries	\$4,033.39	
Groceries	194.76	
New play equipment	303.50	
Petty cash items	55.00	
Dues & Subscriptions	102.00	
Office Supplies	53.86	
Improvements & Repairs	42.43	
Monthly meetings	65.00	
Miscellaneous	48.02	
Annual Dinner	119.00	
Insurance	37.70	
Cookie Bake	123.76	
Ice Cream Social	<u>283.90</u>	
Total Disbursements		\$ 5,462.32

Cash in Bank-November 30, 1975

Checking Account-Manufacturers National Bank	\$ 710.88	
Cash in Bank	<u>553.54</u>	
		<u>\$ 1,264.42</u>

Total Cash to be Accounted for

\$ 6,726.74

Audited by: John Bahadurian

NOMINATING COMMITTEE - 1975

George Keurajian
Edward Sarkisian
Harry Zartarian

CANDIDATES FOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE

(3 to be elected for 1 year term)

George Gargarian
Kora Jamian
Martin Manoogian
Moses Moushmoulian
Charles Neffian
Simon Tashjian

CANDIDATES FOR PARISH COUNCIL

(6 to be elected for 2 year term)

Arthur Barsamian
Martin Cholakian
Noubar Dourjalian
*Armen Hovnanian
Mike Kaysserian
Harry Kezelian
*Richard Norsigian
Armen Safilian
Charles Stamboulian
*Harry Terzian
Robert Thomasian
Ashod Torosian

CANDIDATES FOR AUDITING COMMITTEE

(1 to be elected for 3 year term)

Albert Mardirosian

AUDITING COMMITTEE - 1975

Richard Simonian
(elected in 1975 for 3 year term)
John Bahadurian
(elected in 1974 for 3 year term)
Ronald Keoleian
(elected in 1973 for 3 year term)

NOTE: Nominations may be brought from the floor.

***Incumbent**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Auditors of our Church urge our parishioners to use checks, rather than cash, in making donations, contributions, and payments of dues to our Church, and to Church Auxiliary Organizations.

