

PROFITABLE INVESTMENT

DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVE., NEW YORK

PARISH COUNCIL'S ANNUAL REPORT - FOR THE YEAR 1972

(IMPORTANT: It is necessary to attach to this form a concise but complete report of the Pastor and Parish Council, along with a letter addressed to His Grace the Primate, giving the results of the election for confirmation, enclosing a duplicate list of nominees along with the votes received by each candidate.)

Name of Church ST. THOMAS ARMENIAN CHURCH

Address E. Clinton at 9W Telephone (201) 567-5446

City Tenafly State New Jersey Zip 07670

Pastor Rev. Arnak Kasparian

Approximate Number of Armenians in Area 400 families
families

Number of Church ~~Members~~ 245 Number on General Mailing List 890

Number of Baptisms 23 Weddings 16 Funerals 11

Annual Income 42,653 Disbursements 49,383 Income Bal. 2,381
Accumulated

Number of Parish Council Meetings 24

Annual Affairs Anniversary Celebration

Bazaar

Diocesan Delegates Victor Arzoomanian - 1970

(with year elected) Edward Bashian

Vahan Najarian

Nazar Nazarian, Richard Turnamian

Estimated Income for 1973 42,750 Estimated Disbursements for 1973 42,750

Date of 1972 Annual Parish Assembly February 4, 1973

Number of Members Present 96

Assembly President Rev. Arnak Kasparian

Chairman Arthur Otchy

Secretary Susan Shamamian

Parish Council Members elected in 1973:

Frank Avakian-Stoneson Peter Mason

Edward Fehmian Leon Nigohosian

Ara Jilajian Masis Parseghian

Noubar Kazarian (for one year to complete the term of Ed. Devejian)

Publicity Chairman

Address Susan Shamamian, 301 Mohigan Way, Fort Lee, Zip N.J. 07024

CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS

Information Requested Is For The Year 1972

The Names of Officers Serving in 1973

WOMEN'S GUILD

Chairman Virginia Parseghian
Address 1015 Washington Ave.S. Old Tappa Telephone 666-8156
Number of Members 148 Number of Meetings 8 general 8 Exec.
Annual Income 15,467.90 Disbursements 13,293.34
Sum Transferred to Parish Council 3,000 Income Balance 2,562.46
Annual Affairs Cotillion
Fashion Show
Luau

YOUNG WOMEN'S GUILD

Chairman _____
Address _____ Telephone _____
Number of Members _____ Number of Meetings _____
Annual Income _____ Disbursements _____
Sum Transferred to Parish Council _____ Income Bal. _____
Annual Affairs _____
We don't have Old Women
They are all Women

BOY SCOUTS

Chairman _____
Address _____ Telephone _____
Number of Members _____ Number of Meetings _____
Annual Income _____ Disbursements _____ Income Bal. _____
Annual Affairs _____

ARMENIAN SCHOOL

Name St. Thomas Armenian School

Officers-of-the-School-Committee:

Chairman Mrs. Martha Saraydarian

Address 1072 Fairview Lane Telephone 224-4260

Fort Lee, NJ 07024

Superintendent Sylva der Stepanian

217 - 60th St., West New York, NJ

Address ~~Sylva der Stepanian~~ Telephone

Number-of-Teachers 6 Number-of-Pupils 55

Number-of-Classrooms 5 School-Hours 10-12 Saturdays

Annual Income 2508 Disbursements 1925 Income Bal.

Annual Affairs Cake sales, Booth at Bazaar, Hastes, lectures, Parties

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Chairman

Address Telephone

Superintendent Mrs. Violet Kasparian

Number-of-Teachers 19 Number-of-Pupils 170

Number-of-Classrooms 12 School Hours 10:30-12 noon

Annual Income Disbursements Income Bal.

Annual Affairs No separate account. Parish Council pays all the expenses. Through collections were realized 1077

and were spent 471. Affairs are Palm Sunday luncheon and program, Christmas party & prg.

RESERVE FUND

Chairman

Address Telephone

A.C.Y.O.A.

Chairman Douglas Tashjian

Address 954 Wildwood Rd. Oradell, NJ 07649

Telephone 265-0412

Number of Members 62 Number of Meetings 10

Annual Income 3420

CHOIR

Chairman _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

No. of Members: Male _____ Female _____ Total about 15

Choirmaster Edward Daghlian

Address 20 Colonial Parkway, Dumont, NJ Telephone 384-7012

Annual Income _____ Disbursements _____ Income Bal _____

Annual Affairs _____

CHURCH BULLETIN

Name Bergen Beacon Circulation 890

Editor Rev. Arnak Kasparian

Address Tenafly, NJ Telephone 567-1230

Size 8 pages 5½ by 8½ Income 0 Expenses only for mailing

MEN'S LEAGUE (CLUB)

Chairman Charles Dadaian

Address 30 Harvard St. Cresskill, NJ Telephone 569-5240

Number of Members 20 Number of Meetings 8
gross

Annual Income/ 23,976.96 Disbursements Income net 11,112.53
balance 1/1/73 514.82

Annual Affairs Cadillac Raffle
Memorial Day picnic Post-Labor Day Picnic
Bowling Banquet Fun Monte Carlo

MR. AND MRS. AUXILIARY

Chairman _____

Address _____ Telephone _____

Number of Members _____ Number of Meetings _____

Annual Income _____ Disbursements _____ Income Bal. _____

Annual Affairs _____

DIOCESAN AUXILIARY COMMITTEE BRANCH

Chairman _____

Address _____ Telephone _____

Number of Members _____ Number of Meetings _____

Annual Income _____ Disbursements _____ Income Bal. _____

Annual Affairs _____

OTHER (Fill in Name)

AVAK SOCIETY

Chairman Vahram Parsekian

Address 255 Hickory Ave. Westwood, NJ Telephone 664-7678

Number of Members 35 Number of Meetings every Thursday

Annual Income _____ Disbursements _____ Income Bal. 1-4:30 p.m.

These are retired persons.

Annual Affairs _____

OTHER (Fill in Name)

St. Thomas Chorus

Chairman Susan Shamamian

Address 301 Mohigan Way, Fort Lee, NJ Telephone 947-5966

Number of Members 20 Number of Meetings every Wed. 8-10 p.m.

Annual Income _____ Disbursements _____ Income Bal. _____

Annual Affairs _____

Director is Mr. Raffi Sevadjian

Future Plans of the Parish Council: Expend membership & pledge program
look into the feasibility of hiring a full time caretaker and a part
time secretary.

Signature of the Parish Council:

President Arnak Kasparian, Priest

Chairman Vahram Nazarian

Secretary Ed. Sevejian

Date Feb. 6, 1972