

Annual Parish Assembly Meeting

Jan 26, 1963

Parish Council Report:

The slate of officers for year Ended
Dec 31, 1963 were:

Andrew Sarajian - Chairman
Harry Tashjian - Vice-Chairman
Ray Zetian - Secretary - resigned
John Stambolian - Treasurer
Ed Jevajjian
J. Khachadourian
B. Khachadourian
L. Krikorian
H. Tarpinian } Advisers

The chairman, Mr. Andrew Sarajian, gave
the Parish Council Report to the parish:

Rev. Fr. Sarkis Kaskigjian was highly
commended by the chairman. The fact
that Bridgeport had a full time
clergyman was indeed a great incentive
for many people.

Father Sarkis Kashigian re-organized our Church Choir and re-activated the ACYOA.

He also started an Armenian School and he is having wonderful success with it.—

He has helped me personally many many times and he taught me many things about our Church and procedures that I never knew existed. I felt we have been in the dark for many years and Fr. Sarkis showed us the light.

Our financial report among other things will show the progress of our Church—in the past year.

The results could have been much better if we had a stronger Parish Council.

We had 36 planned meetings called this year and had to cancel 23 of these due to the fact that we had no majority.

The Parish Council sponsored a welcome dinner in honor of Fr. Sarkis.

We also had a successful Church Picnic with a large attendance.

Name Day Dinner & also for Pilgrims.

We cordially thank the following:

1. Sunday School - \$500.- donation
2. Ladies Aid - \$200.- donation

The total \$700 has been deposited in our Savings Book.

3. Mr. Tategian \$2,000.- for painting of the interior of our Church.
4. Mr. D. Najarian \$415.- for a new printing machine -

The Church had a special service in honor of our late Pres. John F. Kennedy.

A more concise report can be gotten by reading Father Kashigian's report.

Respectfully submitted:

Andrew Tavares
Chairman