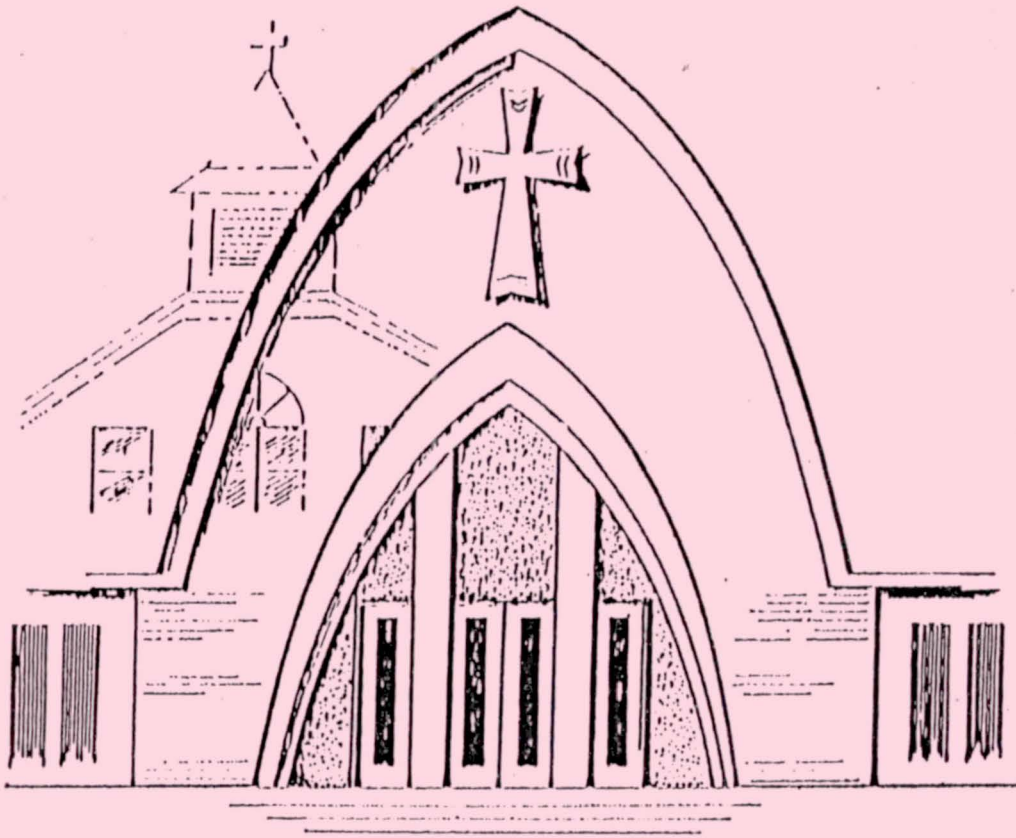


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APOSTOLIC CHURCH**

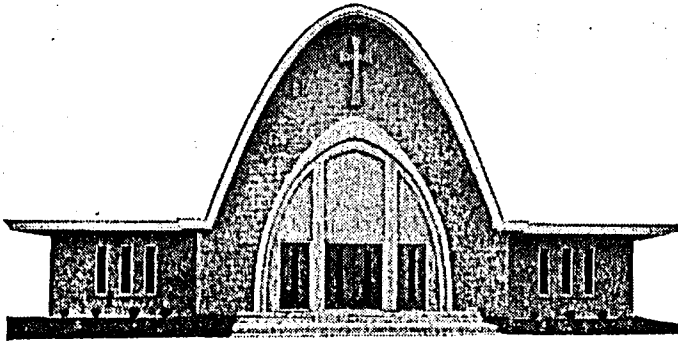
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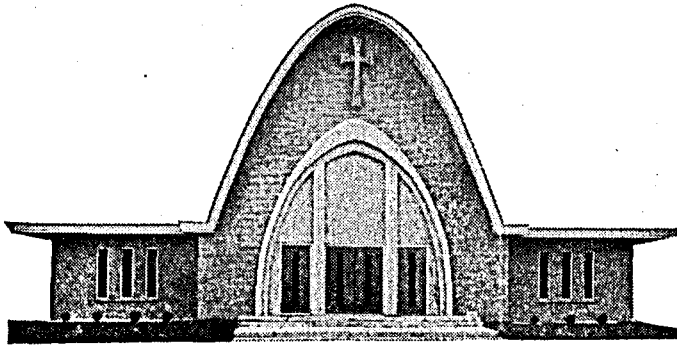
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January 12, 1992

Dear Parishioner,

The Annual General Membership meeting will be held following church services on February 16, 1992. Lunch will be served by the Women's Guild and the meeting will be called to order following lunch.

Elliot Kashian,  
Parish Council Chairman



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## ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY

OF

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1992

### AGENDA

- (1) Opening Assembly with prayer
- (2) Verification of dues paying members
- (3) Election of Officers for Parish Assembly
  - a. Chairman
  - b. Vice-Chairman
  - c. English Secretary
- (4) Reading of the Minutes of last Parish Assembly
- (5) Reports - Church Organizations
- (6) Elections
  - a. Parish Council
  - b. Auditing Committee
  - c. Nominating Committee
  - d. Diocesan Delegate
- (7) Adoption of 1992 Budget
- (8) Old and New Business
- (9) Closing Prayer

IMPORTANT - In accordance with the By-Laws, those who are paid-up members through 1991, are eligible to vote. BALLOTS MUST BE CAST IN PERSON.

IN MEMORY

Margaret Balian

Elmas Bogosian

Alfred Hayalian

Eghsa Kashian

Vartouhi Manashian

Perlanti Panosian

Shahnur Tamuzian



## CHAIRMANS REPORT

### PARISH COUNCIL:

Chairman Elliot Kashian reported the Chairmans goal was to increase the operating capitol of the Parish in 1991 since the depletion of cash in 1990 exceeded the anticipated costs of the 1989 Parish Council. Our 1991 cash position was improved through prudent spending rather than the result of aggressive fund raising. The second goal was to structure the individual groups, and organizations within the capabilities of the exclusiveness of the membership. In this regard, the Women's Guild became the prime concern of structure and protocol and we now have a properly organized Women's Guild. Maintainance and repair have been neglected and procrastination has caused extreme deterioration of the structure of this Church. Work has been started on the stage area which is directly below the front entrance exterior concrete. This project will be completed with consideration to engineering and aesthetic results.

Members of the Parish were regularly invited to Parish Council meetings to insure the fiduciary responsibility of the Council. Specific members were sent letters inviting them to act as advisors to the Council and I must thank those members who accepted the invitation and made magnanimous contribution to the Parish Council members. The ideal structure of the Parish Council is to act as administrators of the Church with the input and approval of the membership. A midterm General Membership meeting was held to strengthen this important part of member, council relationship. As Chairman and President of the Parish, I took it upon myself to attempt contacting former members to return to our Parish. Ideally, they would all return.

Hardship situations in the community were addressed and resolved by this Council. The attitude that all Armenians are well off or wealthy is a myth and being aware of true difficulties of Armenians in our midst is a reality. We can help now and pray their circumstances improve in the future.

A 1992 Schedule of Services was drafted and approved and Father Vahram Hazarian will officiate 24 services in 1992. We

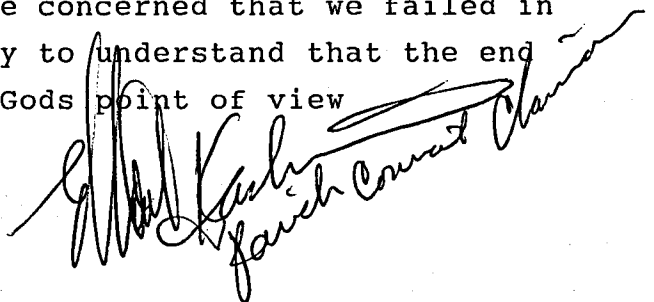
would like to have 100% of our members attend each service rather than the 30% of 1991. This, of course, is entirely up to you. I wish to thank Der Hayr and his son, Raffi for their assistance. My gratitude must also be expressed to Armen Hadjirian and as a congregation, we must always be aware of Armen's dedication and tremendous efforts to benefit his Church. He is the best example of quiet commitment to God, his Church, his community. This is a man who understands the serious aspect of taking an oath and living up to it. We are all blessed by his presence - thank you, Armen.

As for the future, I am optimistic because of my faith in you. You are in charge of where we go from here my fellow members. You are the contributors to each and every success of this Parish. The social, economic and religious responsibility is obviously yours: the members of Holy Resurrection

The Parish Council and I must include as an important part of this report that our organist, Mary Ambrookian has performed a marvelous service to our parishioners each Sunday. She has held together the choir members who by example allows us to observe harmony and working together and also hear it as well. The only request I have is that everyone in attendance is invited to sing the hymns with the choir. Seated in a pew does not mean that you must be silent. Please, you are welcome to participate! If you chose to be silent, that of course is entirely up to you but if, as an experiment, you try to sing along, you will be surprised at how good you will feel and how great we will sound. Try it!

I must specifically bring to your attention that we all owe much gratitude to Namzar Kaprelian and the manner in which she pays attention to detail in respect to our altar. I can invite guests to Gods house on any day, any hour and present a tour of our Church confident that the altar and our Church is ready for company and there is no need to be prepared to apologize.

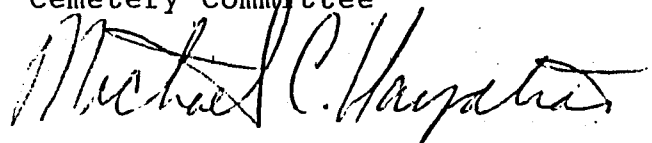
I have been told there are never any failures in Gods work. So, I close by asking you to take pride in the success of our Church. If, for some reason, you are concerned that we failed in an area, allow me to ask that you try to understand that the end result may have been a success from Gods point of view

  
Parish Council Chairman

## CEMETERY REPORT

I'd like to take a moment to look back on 1991 and our accomplishments. Starting in May, we had to make some repairs to our machinery, which by the way is about six years old. This decision to make the needed repairs saved us several thousand dollars from purchasing new equipment. Our continuing effort to fill in the lower level ground of the middle section continues onward and hopefully, will be finished this coming year. The Armenian Golf Open once again supported the Cemetery by donating several hundred dollars to the cause of putting in a surfaced road in our Cemetery. Also many families requested that donations be made to the Cemetery Road on behalf of their beloved ones and this totaled over several thousand dollars this year alone. At this point, I find it very important to thank all those who made the request that these donations be made and to thank all of those who made these donations. I find it very heart warming to know that soon there will be a nice new road in our Cemetery. Both Tony and myself thank everyone in supporting us in our efforts to keep St. Haroutune Armenian Cemetery a very special place.

Respectfully Submitted by  
Cemetery Committee



Michael C. Hayalian, Chairman  
Tony Hadjinian

SGORP HAROUTUNE ARMENIAN CHURCH CEMETERY  
(HOLY RESURRECTION)

1991

Cash on hand as of January 1, 1991. . . . . \$2,470.27

INCOME

Bank Interest. . . . . 153.81

Donations. . . . . 3,105.00

Funerals (Five Members - One Non-member). . . . . 1,025.00

\$6,754.08

EXPENSES

O/C of Graves. . . . . 750.00

Maintenance Repairs, Supplies & Services. . . . . 556.62

Water Department. . . . . 37.14

\$1,343.76

INCOME. . . . . \$6,754.08

EXPENSES. . . . . 1,343.76

\*Cash on Hand as of December 31, 1991. . . . . \$5,410.32

\*NOTE: We presently have \$4,668.81 donated specifically for the Cemetery Road as of December 31, 1991.

Accounts Receivable

One Member Lot 167 Grave 4. . . . . \$ 65.00

One Non-Member Lot 53 Grave 5 Balance Due . . . . . 300.00

TOTAL \$365.00

Respectfully Submitted by  
Cemetery Committee

*Michael C. Hayalian*

Michael C. Hayalian, Chairman  
Tony Hadjinian

*Approved.*  
*Charley Rademian*  
*1-30-1992.*



## 1991 WOMEN'S GUILD REPORT

The Holy Resurrection Armenian Church Women's Guild again played an active role in maintaining the Church. The Women's Guild has contributed their services to six funerals, a dinner for Bishop Khajag Barsamian, Primate in February, and needless to add our fellowships after Church services and baking during the year.

The Women's Guild just had their election of new officers and they are as follows:

Sema Hayalian - Chairwoman  
Elsie Cifaldi - Treasurer  
Mary Lewis  
Yevkine Karian  
Rose Esaian - Sunshine

We look forward to 1992 for much more activities along with the Parish Council for the betterment of our Church.

Sema Hayalian,  
Chairwoman  
WOMEN'S GUILD

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN CHURCH  
WOMEN'S GUILD  
FINANCIAL REPORT \* DECEMBER 31, 1991

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Balance Forwarded December 31, 1990 \$ 547.12

INCOME

Activities	\$ 357.11
Altar Flowers	452.00
Bake Sale	351.00
Donation	10.00
Fellowship	238.50
Funerals	2,107.14
Membership Dues	4.00

TOTAL INCOME \$3,519.75.

SUB-TOTAL \$4,066.87

EXPENSE DISBURSEMENTS

Activities	\$ 357.11
Altar Flowers	199.47
Bake Sale	102.59
Fellowship	28.50
Funerals	1,085.03
Maas	36.00
Parish Council 1990-60%	670.00
Kitchen Supplies	180.52
Postage	17.40

TOTAL EXPENSE DISBURSEMENTS \$2,676.62

CHECKING ACCOUNT ENDING BALANCE AS OF 12-31-91 \$1,390.25

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Respectfully submitted,

Audited and Approved By:

Malina R. Bedrosian  
Women's Guild Treasurer  
Sema Hayalian  
Chairlady - Women's Guild

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

1991 DISBURSEMENTS REPORT

Diocesan Assessment. . . . .	\$ 4,733.11
Stipend-Deacon Serop Aljalian. . . . .	1,447.50
Apt. Cleaning - Deacon Serop Aljalian. . . . .	29.40
Gas Mileage/Bankcard - Deacon Serop Aljalian . . . .	145.78
Electricity - Apt. of Deacon Serop Aljalian. . . . .	13.71
IRA - Deacon Serop Aljalian. . . . .	1,000.00
Wisconsin Electric (Church) . . . . .	1,155.19
Wisconsin Natural Gas (Church). . . . .	3,082.92
Wisconsin Telephone (Church). . . . .	542.82
So. Milw. Water Dept. . . . .	280.85
Heritage Insurance. . . . .	2,701.92
AT&T - Leased Equip. (Answering Machine). . . . .	78.73
Visiting Clergy Church Services. . . . .	6,600.00
Visiting Clergy Parish (St. Mesrob). . . . .	150.00
Visiting Clergy Transportation & Hotel . . . . .	375.55
U. S. Postal Service (Postage). . . . .	216.85
Maintenance (Church). . . . .	46.00
Other Activities, Reimb., etc. . . . .	1,754.41
T. H. Stemper. . . . .	103.00
Office Supplies. . . . .	267.65
Subscriptions. . . . .	115.00
Safety Deposit Box. . . . .	20.00
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TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$24,860.39

Respectfully submitted,

Jan Urick  
 PARISH COUNCIL TREASURER  
 December 31, 1991

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

1991 INCOME RECEIVED REPORT

Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Interest. . . . .	\$12,562.50
Membership Dues. . . . .	8,321.93
Plate Collection. . . . .	668.95
Altar Flowers. . . . .	45.00
Altar Candles (Main Altar). . . . .	298.98
Altar Candles (Side Altar). . . . .	46.50
Baptism. . . . .	150.00
Christmas. . . . .	105.00
Easter. . . . .	210.00
Donations. . . . .	55.00
In Lieu of Flowers - Funerals. . . . .	2,955.00
Women's Guild - 60% Proceeds. . . . .	670.00
Initial Offering. . . . .	6.75
Requiem Services. . . . .	245.00
Vartantntz Day Offering. . . . .	13.00
Endowment Interest. . . . .	80.00
Other (Activities, reimbursement, closing accounts Deacon's Car and Furniture Sales). . . . .	6,245.70
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TOTAL INCOME RECEIVED	\$32,679.31

Jan Urick  
 PARISH COUNCIL TREASURER  
 December 31, 1991

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

BANK ONE CHECKING ACCOUNT REPORT

December 31, 1990 Balance Brought Forward		\$ 4,466.37
Income for 1991	\$32,679.31	<u>32,679.31</u>
		\$37,145.68
Disbursements for 1991	\$24,860.39	
Transfer to Savings	<u>\$ 9,500.00</u>	
	\$34,360.39	- \$34,360.39
December 31, 1991 Check Book Balance		<u>\$ 2,785.29</u>

Respectfully submitted,

Jan Urick

PARISH COUNCIL TREASURER  
December 31, 1991

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

BANK ONE SAVINGS ACCOUNT REPORT

December 31, 1990 Balance Brought Forward. . .	\$ 436.12
Interest Earned 2/27/91. . . . .	5.38
Interest Earned 5/30/91. . . . .	5.56
Transfer from Ckg. to Savings 10/14/91 . . . .	7,000.00
Transfer from Ckg. to Savings 12/18/91 . . . .	2,500.00
Interest Earned 8/30/91. . . . .	5.63
Interest Earned 11/29/91 . . . . .	51.67
Interest Earned 12/31/91. . . . .	36.66
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December 31, 1991 Ending Balance	\$10,041.02

Respectfully submitted,

Jan Urick  
PARISH COUNCIL TREASURER  
December 31, 1991

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

PACIFIC TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH BONDS

Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Bonds - 100 Shares at 9 1/2%

Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Bonds - 35 Shares at 8 3/4%

Interest Earned - 1991

March 15, 1991	\$ 1,531.25
June 1, 1991	\$ 4,750.00
September 15, 1991	\$ 1,531.25
December 1, 1991	\$ 4,750.00

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TOTAL INTEREST EARNED	\$12,562.50
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Value of Bonds at Maturity	\$135,000.00
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Respectfully submitted,

Jan Urick  
PARISH COUNCIL TREASURER  
December 31, 1991

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

1991 ASSESTS

Balance:

Bank One Checking Account 12/31/91	\$ 2,785.29
Bank One Savings Account 12/31/91	\$ 10,041.02
Pacific Telephone & Telegrap Bonds at Maturity	\$135,000.00
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TOTAL	\$147,826.31

Respectfully submitted,

Jan Urick  
PARISH COUNCIL TREASURER  
December 31, 1991



HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

1992 BUDGET

As amended and approved by the General Membership Meeting  
held on February 16, 1992.

INCOME

Membership Dues . . . . .	\$ 6,000.00
Plates & Candles. . . . .	200.00
Weddings, Baptisms, Funerals. . . . .	425.00
Interest . . . . .	12,000.00
Women's Guild . . . . .	350.00
Cemetery . . . . .	300.00
Miscellaneous. . . . .	100.00
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TOTAL	\$19,375.00

EXPENSES

Visiting Clergy. . . . .	\$ 6,000.00
Utilities (Electric, Gas & Water) . . . . .	4,500.00
Telephone. . . . .	300.00
Insurance. . . . .	1,300.00
Diocesan Dues . . . . .	3,800.00
Diocesan Representation . . . . .	775.00
Office Supplies . . . . .	300.00
Postage. . . . .	300.00
Building Maintenance . . . . .	1,900.00
Miscellaneous . . . . .	200.00
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TOTAL	\$19,375.00

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

General Membership Assembly - February 16, 1992

The annual Membership Assembly was called to order by Parish Council Chairman, Elliot Kashian at 12:30 PM and opened with prayers said by Rev. Fr. Vahram Hazarian. Special prayers for all those who deceased in 1991 were also said by Fr. Hazarian, namely:

Margaret Balian  
Elmas Bogosian  
Alfred Hayalian  
Eghsa Kashian  
Vartouhi Manashian  
Perlanti Panosian  
Shahnur Tamuzian

Roll call was taken with twenty-one (21) present (list attached).

Charlie Kademian was elected Chairman for the day and Esahag Haidarian as Vice-Chairman. Sema Hayalian was elected as Recording Secretary.

Esahag Haidarian made a motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the General Assembly Meeting of February 24, 1991. There was no second. The minutes were read by Sema Hayalian and approved.

REPORTS

Parish Council

Elliot Kashian read his report. The 1992 schedule of services specifying that Holy Resurrection will be scheduled for twenty-four (24) dates in 1992. Esahag Haidarian asked why there wasn't any Church Services scheduled on or near holidays, i.e. Easter - Christmas, etc. Margaret Kademian questioned also for same reasons being that our Church has been here since 1924. Elliot said that the Vicar General had discussed and assembled the dates for 1992. Esahag suggested that the Parish Council ask the Vicar General regarding the holiday schedule in writing.

Father Hazarian will speak to the Vicar General and see if we could come to a mutual agreement, and try to get a holiday date scheduled for Holy Resurrection. Another alterant was recommended by Fr. Hazarian was that Holy Resurrection and Waukegan Councils get together to solve this issue.

Women's Guild

Sema Hayalian read her report. A check of \$834 was given to the Parish Council today which represents 60% of the balance for 1991.

General Membership Assembly - February 16, 1992

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Cemetery Report

Chairman Michael Hayalian read his report. Esahag Haidarian asked what it would cost to have the road put in? Michael stated that three years ago, he was quoted at approximately \$5,000. However, this was at the time when he first looked into it; and since, it could differ. He hopes to look into it in the future and hopefully, the funds will increase from donations. As of now, Road Fund is approximately \$4,700.00.

Treasurer's Report

December 31, 1990 Balance	\$ 4,466.37	
Income for 1991	32,679.31	Sub-Total \$37,145.68
Disbursements for 1991	24,860.39	
Transfer to Savings	9,500.00	-34,360.39
December 31, 1991 Balance for Checking Account		\$ 3,785.29

Bank One Savings Account Report

December 31, 1990 Balance	\$ 436.12
December 31, 1991 Balance	\$10,041.02

Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Bonds

1991 Interest Earned	\$ 12,562.50
Value of Bonds at Maturity	\$135,000.00

Outstanding bill - the 1991 Diocese Dues \$3,995.00.

Michael Hayalian made a comment that the disbursements for 1991 is one-half of the disbursements of 1990.

Elliot pointed out that the balance for December 31, 1990 was \$436.12 and for December 31, 1991, \$10,041.02. Elliot also did give the difference from:

1989 as \$146,278.00 )	These figures includes the \$135,00 in Bonds
1990 as \$139,922.00 )	
1991 as \$147,826.31 )	

Proposed Budget

Charley Kademian specifically pointed out that the repair needs of the Church roof. It will definitely be repaired this year. He also mentioned that the Diocese Assessment be paid which is \$3,995 (dues).

Esahag Haidarian made a motion to reduce the 1992 Proposed Parish Budget by \$3,100. Mary Ambrookian second it. It was approved unanimously.

General Membership Assembly - February 16, 1992

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Esahag made a motion to have the Diocesan Assembly agenda be reviewed at a Parish Council Meeting. Parish Council will decide whether to send Delegates. Meyer Jandegian second it and it was passed unanimously with no dissension.

Elliot suggested that a member of the Women's Guild go to the Convention which will be held in Florida because it could be instrumental and helpful. No motion was brought forward.

Charges for Services & Sacraments - Reviewed

Mary Haidarian made a motion to eliminate the \$50 cost for the Church (Wedding) for members. It was a unanimous vote.

Esahag asked if there was a charge for Hall Rental for funerals? And was told that there was now going to be a charge for Hall Rental for funerals. Esahag made a motion not to charge for the use of the hall for members; only for Hokejash and cost of the meal. It was seconded by Meyer Jandegian and passed unanimously.

Parish Council Committee

Because of no response and refusals, Chairman Charlie asked that Meyer Jandegian, Esahag Haidarian, Tony Hadjinian and Rose Huda would volunteer to serve on the Parish Council. The above volunteers agreed. Mary Haidarian made a motion to accept the volunteers to serve on the Parish Council. Namzar Kaprelian second it.

Nominating Committee & Auditing Committee

Being that there was no nomination from the floor, it was decided by unanimous vote to retain the same nominating committee: Helen Barsamian, Kaiser Boyajian and Sema Hayalian. For auditing committee: Charley Kademian, Namzar Kaprelian and Mary Lewis.

Diocese Delegate

Charlie Kademian nominated Michael Hayalian for Diocese Delegate. Mary Haidarian nominated Charley Kademian as alterant. The Parish Assembly voted for the Diocese Delegate and alterant.

In closing, Fr. Vahram Hazarian thanked each and everyone. He specifically designed that that his son, Raffi, when serving on the altar with him, he's known as "Deacon Raffi". Fr Vahram said that he would be available for Blessing of the Homes, so long as he knows in advance. Closing prayers were said by Fr. Vahram.

Meeting was adjourned at 2:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Sema Hayalian, Recording Secretary  
Parish Council Assembly

2-16-42

Roll Call Attendance

1. Eldred Kashuan
2. Rose Huda
3. Helen Baranman,
4. Rose Tanelian
5. Samparzum Karanilyan
6. ~~Raymond & Rosemary Binke~~
7. Mary Lewis.
8. Margaret Kaseman
9. Susan Hallman
10. K. Kademian
11. Mary Ambrokeyan
12. Easha Haidarin
13. Charley Kademian
14. Meyer Jandegian
15. Lemna Hayalin
16. Mitchell C. Haylin
17. Mary Shildarion
18. Renae Kagulin
19. Tony Hadzinian
20. Rose Hadzinian
21. Arott & Chick
22. Jan Chick

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