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ANNUAL REPORT

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St. Mary's Armenian Apostolic Church
4125 Fessenden Street, NW
Washington, DC 20016

January 24, 1996

Invitation to the Parish Assembly

Dear Parishioners:

You are invited to attend the Annual Parish Assembly to be held in the sanctuary on Sunday, February 25, 1996, beginning at 12 noon.

We shall consider the items set forth in the Agenda as appears below. Other items of business or proposals must be submitted to the Parish Council Chairman, Mr. Paul Murad in writing prior to the meeting.

Church services will begin at 10:00 am on February 25 and terminate at approximately 11:30 am.

A combination of light luncheon and refreshments will be served, and the meeting will begin at 12 noon sharp. Please be prompt.

We will be grateful if you will call the church office at 202-363-1923 for luncheon reservations. R.S.V.P. (Mon.-Fri. 10:00am-2:00pm).

It is a privilege to be part of the decision-making process. This is your church; if you do not participate, who will? And, if not on February 25, when?

So, we look forward to seeing you on February 25, 1996.

Pastor and Parish Council

Agenda for Annual Parish Assembly

1. Opening and Memorial Prayer
2. Roll Call
3. Election of Assembly Tivan
4. Minutes of 1995 Assemblies
5. Church Renovation Project
6. Nominating Committee Report
7. Reports:
 - a. Pastor
 - b. Parish Council
 - c. Diocesan Delegates
 - d. Finance Committee
8. Election of Parish Council. Auditing and Nominating Committee members
9. Treasurer's Report and proposed Budget for 1996
10. Reports (continued):
 - e. Women's Guild / Choir
 - f. Shnorhali School / Bookstore / Library
 - g. ACYOA Jrs. / Three M Adult Fellowship
 - h. Ararat Avak Society
 - i. Armenian Church Endowment Fund Parish Committee
11. Auditing Committee Report
12. Announcement of Election Results
13. Old Business
14. New Business - Proposals and Amendments
15. Benediction - Adjournment

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ՅՈՒՆ. 24, 1996

Սիրելի ծխականներ,

Այսու կը հրաւիրենք ձեզ մասնակցելու եկեղեցւոյ Տարեկան Ծխական Անդամական Ժողովին որ տեղի պիտի ունենայ **Կիրակի, Փետրուար 25-ին, կէսօրուայ ժամը 12:00-ին:**

Հարցերը նկատի պիտի առնուին այս էջի վրայ տպուած օրակարգի համաձայն:
Որեւէ նոր հարցեր կամ առաջարկութիւններ պէտք է ժողովէն առաջ գրաւոր կերպով յանձնուին Ծխական Խորհուրդի Ատենապետ՝ Պրն. Փոլ Մուրատին:

Փետրուար 25-ին Սուրբ Պատարագը պիտի սկսի ժամը 10-ին եւ պիտի աւարտի մօտ ժամը 11:30-ին: Թեթեւ չաշ եւ հիւրասիրութիւն տեղի պիտի ունենայ, բայց ձեր նախապէս հեռաձայն ընելը անհրաժեշտ է որպէսզի ըստ այնմ պատրաստուինք:
Հաշեցէք հեռաձայնել (202) 363-1923:

Անդամական Ժողովին մասնակցիլը եւ որոշում առնելը բոլորիս պարտքն է եւ պարտականութիւնը: Ուրեմն կը սպասենք ձեզ տեսնել Փետրուար 25-ին:

Հոգեւոր Հովիւ եւ ծխական Խորհուրդ

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1. Բացման եւ Հոգևոց Աղօթք
2. Անդամներու ներկայութեան ստուգում
3. Դիւանի ընտրութիւն
4. 1995-ի տարեկան ժողովի ատենագրութեան վաւերացում
5. Եկեղեցւոյ նորոգութեան ճրագիր
6. Ընտրողական Յանձնախումբի Տեղեկագրութիւն
7. Տեղեկագրութիւններ
 - ա) Հոգեւոր Հովիւի
 - բ) Ծխական Խորհուրդի
 - գ) Թեմական Պատգամաւորներու
 - դ) Ֆինանսական Յանձնախումբի
8. Ընտրութիւն
 - ա) Ծխական Խորհուրդի
 - բ) Ընտրողական Յանձնախումբի
 - գ) Հաշուեցնելիչ Յանձնախումբի
 - դ) Ֆինանսական Յանձնախումբի
9. Հաշուետուութիւն
 - ա) Ծխական Խորհուրդի 1995-ի պիւտձէի հաշուետուութիւն
 - բ) 1996-ի պիւտձէի վաւերացում
10. Տեղեկագրութիւններ (շարունակութիւն)
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11. Հաշուեցնելիչ Յանձնախումբի Տեղեկագրութիւն
12. Ընտրութեանց արդիւնքներու ծանուցում
13. Հին հարցեր
14. Նոր հարցեր եւ առաջարկութիւններ
15. Փակման Աղօթք եւ Արձակում

SAMPLE BALLOT - 1996

St. Mary's Annual Parish Assembly - February 26, 1996

Parish Assembly Chairman

Elect one

1. Brig. Gen. Albert Kachn

Parish Assembly Secretary

Elect one

1. Linda Ekizian

Parish Council Members

Elect 4

1. Mrs. Anahid Ayrandjian
2. Mr. Raffi Bardizbanian
3. Mr. Harry Derderian
4. Mrs. Susan Ohanian

Nominating Committee

Elect 3

1. Mrs. Rita Bush
2. Mrs. Sandra Riley
3. Mrs. Grace Shahinian
4. Mrs. Valentine Stahl

Auditing Committee

Elect One

1. Mr. Raffi Karahisar
2. Mr. Varoujan Varoujanian

Finance Committee

Elect one

1. Mr. Vartkes Keshishian
2. Dr. Edward Onanian

1995 PARISH COUNCIL

Rev. Fr. Vartanes Kalayjian
Mr. Paul Murad
Mrs. Evelyn Vartabedian
*Mr. Greg Murad
*Mr. David Andonian
Mr. Stephen Evereklian

Pastor-President
Chairman
Vice Chairman
Secretary
Sec. Secretary
Treasurer

Members:

Dr. Ara Avedisian *Mrs. Anahid Ayrandjian
Mr. Arto Hovanesian *Mr. Vartkes Keshishian

Diocesan Delegates:

Dr. Edward Onanian Dean Shahinian, Esq.

Lucy Murad, Alternate

* The Terms expire:

Note: Nominations from the floor will be recognized.
Please secure the prior consent of the nominee.

Minutes of the Parish Assembly of St. Mary's Armenian Apostolic Church February 26, 1995

The Parish Assembly was called to order at 12:40 p.m. on February 26, 1995. Der Hayr opened the meeting with a prayer. Der Hayr asked that our dearly departed and greatly missed parishiners Knar Janigian, Lt. Col. Kenneth Perkins, Astrik Aznavoran, Ebrouhi Brown, Herman Carson and Ogda O'Gulian be remembered. The reading of the roll revealed that 52 of the 224 dues paying members were in attendance which constituted a quorum. David Zenian and Linda Ekizian were elected by secret ballot to serve as Chairman and Recording Secretary of the Assembly, respectively.

1. Minutes of the 1994 Assembly

The minutes of the 1994 Assembly were accepted without comment.

2. Nominating Committee Report

The nominating committee submitted candidates for Parish Council, Auditing Committee, Nominating Committee and Finance Committee as set forth in the Annual Report to the Parish Assembly. Der Hayr expressed his disappointment with the quantity and with the absence of some of Parish Council nominees at the Assembly. Parish Council Chairman Brig. Gen. Albert Kaehn Jr. emphasized that nominees are fully aware of the responsibilities of service on the Parish Council which oversees the daily operations of the Church. A motion was made to close the nominations which was seconded and the nominations were closed. The Nominating Committee submitted the ballots.

3. Pastor's Report

Der Hayr summarized the main points of his report contained in the Annual Report highlighting visitations of distinguished clergy, fundraising efforts as well as continued relief efforts for Armenia. Der Hayr expressed a desire to see that parish members welcome and assist in the acclimation new members of our Church who have arrived from Armenia. Der Hayr stated that fragmentation may result for the lack of effort in this regard. Der Hayr noted the success of the Bible Study sessions and welcomed greater participation. He was grateful for the response given for donations for earthquake victims in Japan. Der Hayr made an appeal to the parish for financial support. He noted that this is the 60th anniversary of St. Mary's and asked that the Parish Council propose ideas to mark this event. In closing, Der Hayr expressed his gratitude to the outstanding services of Yeretgin and Brig. Gen. Albert Kaehn Jr. A discussion followed about the need for a revitalization of a membership drive. Dean Shahinian stated that Der Hayr is a member to the Diocesan Council and thanked Der Hayr and Yeretgin for their guidance.

4. Parish Council Report

Parish Council Chairman Brig. Gen. Albert Kaehn Jr. led the report by expressing his appreciation to the members of the parish council. He summarized the report as submitted in the annual report. He highlighted the success of the joint New Year's Eve Celebration and hoped that this will continue. The Bazaar is a fund raising event that has become increasingly difficult to execute. He stated that the economics and energy expended on the annual Bazaar should be evaluated. A review of the Church renovation project was presented as per the Annual Report.

It was emphasized that no additional work or expenditures will proceed without the consent of the Parish Assembly. The need for the increase of dues paying members was emphasized to support the financial needs of the Church. Special thanks were directed to Beth Tutunjian, Jerry Hekimian and Onnik Sivaslian for their support. In discussion, it was stated that the Parish Council, Renovation Committee and the Finance Committee must review and enter into deliberations on building and renovation expenditures. A motion was made for the acceptance of the report, which was seconded and the report was accepted.

5. **A.C.Y.O.A. Jrs. Report**

Rober Safak read the report as submitted in the Annual Report. He stated that membership has grown to thirty plus members and asked for more parent support. To further emphasize the use of the Library, it was suggested that book reports be part of the Merit Award Program requirements. The report and Financial Report was accepted as read.

6. **Diocesan Report**

Dean Shahinian presented the report which summarized the Assembly meeting which convened during April 28 to May 1 in Houston, Texas. He stated that there was no further progress on unity. He stated that 2.5 million dollars have been spent on Cathedral renovations. The A.C.Y.O.A. participants expressed their desire to receive support from the Diocese. There is friction between the Department of Youth Ministry and the A.C.Y.O.A. and a lack of response to the needs of the youth from the Diocese has caused considerable frustration. A Special Assembly has been called for the election of the Catholicos. Dean Shahinian was elected as a delegate and Der Hayr as an alternate. There has been no progress on the request to publish a guide to Church positions on issues. Dr. Kumkumian raised his concern that we lack guidance from the Diocese to embark on the 21st Century of the Church. Dean Shahinian and Der Hayr expressed disappointment in the Agenda of the Special Diocesan Assembly. Dean Sahinian recommended that we publish our concerns and proposals in Armenian/American newspapers which tend to receive the attention of the Diocese. In conclusion, Dean Shahinian stated that the Diocese is financially secure and is supported with the professional assets of our community offering a future potential that could be tremendous.

Der Hayr noted and thanked Clara Andonian for her services as our Parish Liaison to the St. Nersess Seminary, Mary Perkins and Col. George Juskalian as liaison for the Armenian Church Endowment Fund and Carl Bazarian who serves on the Board of Directors of DFAR and is Chairman of the Armenian Assembly.

A motion was made to accept the report, which was seconded and the report was accepted.

7. **Treasurer's Report**

Beth Ann Tutunjian offered the Treasurer Report and the proposed budget. It was stated that FY94 showed a loss because 1994 Bazaar expenditures were reconciled in 1995. Cost control measures were enacted on telephone service costs by cancelling the long distance service on the phone in the kitchen. Also, SHNORHALI mailings were reduced and the reply cards for donations were a success. Candle shells were donated to cut the cost of the purchase of wax candles for the Sanctuary. A suggestion from the floor was made to review and upgrade the

thermostat system. Collection envelopes were discussed and it was recommended that envelopes be distributed at the Christmas celebration. An emphasis was placed on increasing dues paying members. A motion was presented to accept the report and proposed budget, which was seconded and the reports were accepted.

8. Women's Guild Report

Lucy Murad presented the report on behalf of the Women's Guild. She stated that the Embassy of Armenia has relied on the Guild for many of their affairs and stated that this is labor intensive work. The report was reviewed as submitted. The co-chairs of the Women's Guild for 1995 are Seta Sivaslian and Alice Baker.

9. Choir Report

Clara Andonian read the report as submitted in the Annual Report. Der Hayr recognized Dr. Socrates Boyajian and expressed our deep appreciation for the publication of "Revised Sacred Music of the Armenian Church" in two volumes. The Treasurer's report was distributed at the Assembly. In answer to an inquiry from the floor regarding expenses, Arto Hovanesian offered an explanation that money was spent to celebrate those members of the choir who have offered many years of dedicated service to the Church Choir. He emphasized the desire to have young children participate in the Choir as part of the spiritual growth which is the backbone of our Church.

10. Shnorhali Report - Armenian Program

Jerry Hekimian submitted the report as published in the Annual Report. A motion was made to accept the report, which was seconded, and the report was accepted.

11. 3M Adult Fellowship Report

The report was accepted as published in the Annual Report.

12. Ararat Avak Society

The report was accepted as published in the Annual Report.

13. Shnorhali Report - Christian Education Program

Linda Ekizian offered the report as published and displayed the Shnorhali School book bag. She thanked the new teachers, Teri Tossunian and Janel Moosakhanian for their enthusiasm and Yeretzgin for the tremendous work she has done in educating our students during the half-hour assembly. It was stated that the Department of Religious Education of the Diocese completely supports our efforts as a school, through their publications, workshops and special projects throughout the year.

14. Bookstore and Balian Library Report

The reports were submitted as published in the Annual Report. It was stated that the current location of the library detracts from its use and a consideration is being made to for its relocation in the area of the old bookstore. Supervision of the room is recommended should the library relocate.

15. Armenian Church Endowment Fund

The report was submitted as published in the Annual Report. It was suggested that the specific purposes for each endowment (if any) should be identified in the Annual Report as it was done in the SHNORHALI newsletter.

16. Finance Committee Report

Ed Onanian presented this report by offering a historical overview of the foundation of the committee. It started as a building fund committee in the 1960 which received 50% of Bazaar proceeds for the purpose of building St. Mary's. The Parish Council receives the balance of proceeds. In the 1980's the Committee offered financial support to the renovations of the Church (to include air-conditioning). This was followed by the notion of renovating the Sanctuary. Following the earthquake in Armenia, investments were redirected for the purposes of relief. The proposed Endowment fund is established to meet 50% of Church operating expenses. The renovation project has been rejuvenated and the committee is waiting to see what the financial requirements will be to embark on expenditures and fund-raising campaigns. The Fidelity investment showed a loss for 1994 but the committee determined that since this fund was purchased as a long term investment, a withdrawal would be premature. A revised total expense contribution of The Finance Committee Financial Report was changed to \$77,443 through the funds established to memorialize Mrs. Ebrouhi Brown, Lt. Col. John Kenneth Perkins, Dr. Hovsep Yeni-Komshian and James and Angele Barouyrian. A motion was made to accept the report, which was seconded, and the report was accepted.

17. SHNORHALI Newsletter

Thanks were extended to Grace Sahinian for tremendous work and we offered our prayers for her full recovery.

18. Auditing Committee

Raffi Karahisar offered the report stating that the financial activity of the SHNORHALI is, unlike in other years, reported through the Parish Council's Treasurer's report audit. All active committees were audited and found to be sound. It was stated that the computerization of financial records is a great asset. It was suggested that each organization should be responsible for the monthly reconciliation of their bank statements.

19. Election Results

The election results for the Parish Council, Auditing Committee, Finance Committee and Nominating Committee are set forth below:

PARISH COUNCIL

Ara Avedisian 52
Garabed Grehian 50
Arto Hovanesian 52
Paul Murad 51
Evelyn Vartabedian 52
Greg Murad (one year term) 52

AUDITING COMMITTEE

Harry Derderian 30 John Kavookian (alternate) 22

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Souny Kodjanian 52

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Rita Bush 52 Siran Levonian 52 Janel Moosakhanian 52

20. Old Business

None to report

21. New Business

The Parish Council proposal as printed in the Supplement to the Annual Parish Assembly was read by Gen. Albert Kaehn, Jr. After discussion in support and in opposition to this proposal, it was decided that the Parish Council and the Finance Committee will join in devising a solution to the allocation of funds that are required to meet the fiscal needs of the Church.

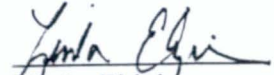
22. Closing of the Meeting

Der Hayr closed the meeting with a prayer.

Respectfully submitted:


Rev. Vertanes Kalayjian
Pastor


David Zeman
Chairman


Linda Ekizian
Secretary

PASTORS REPORT

1995

At the conclusion of the year 1995, I completed the nineteenth year of my service as the pastor of St. Mary's Parish. The following is a summary of my activities of the past year as your parish priest, which I humbly offer to God and to you.

A. SACRAMENTS AND SERVICES

	<u>1993</u>	<u>1994</u>	<u>1995</u>
Baptisms	12	22	30
Weddings	9	7	8
Funerals	5	10	6
Engagements	2	2	2
Confirmations	-	-	--

B. SOCIAL SERVICES, PASTORAL ACTIVITIES & GUEST CLERGY

In addition to the regular Sunday worship, special services were held:

1. Christmas Candlelight Service. On December 24, in honor of the Western Christmas celebration, we held a candlelight service. The spiritual message was delivered by Miss Nairy Ohanian. The participation of the young adults and the Kalusdian Children Trio under the direction of Dr. Socrates Boyajian added special beauty and enjoyment. Those who attended will attest that it was spiritually rewarding and uplifting.

2. Baltimore Community. This is the seventeenth year we have been conducting Christmas Services with our choir participating. I continue to be in touch with the community and administer to it's spiritual and social welfare. Yeretgin and I visited Baltimore on 3 consecutive Saturdays to hold classes. Yeretgin taught the youth and I taught the adults.

3. Counseling and Social Services. The areas covered were hospital; nursing homes; personal, premarital and family counseling; job placement; housing; immigration and naturalization; Armenian heritage research guidance; personal recommendations; scholarship applications; court appearances and translation; educational testing translations; mediation and/or marriage counseling; lectures; social service, etc.

C. OFFICE ACTIVITIES

4. Church Office. During the year we had the services of a part-time secretary. Office hours were 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM. The afternoon and almost all evening hours I personally use to carry on my responsibilities. We welcomed Deacon Hamlet Mehrabian as Pastoral Intern. He has been a great help and we wish him success in his future plans.

5. Publications. The parish newsletter, the SHNORHALI, and full-size special issues were published five times, totaling over 200 pages (8.5 x 7) of information concerning our parish activities. Special thanks and gratitude I extend to Mrs. Grace Shahinian, the Editor of the SHNORHALI. Our general mailing list is over 1300, and the SHNORHALI, was mailed to 750 addresses. The average Sunday Bulletin printing was 130. In addition, numerous flyers, letters, and reminders were mailed for direct and effective communication with the parishioners. Often we had to follow up with extensive phone calls.

D. DIOCESAN AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

6. Annual Diocesan Assembly. In May, I attended The Diocesan Clergy Conference and Annual Assembly held in Chelmsford, Massachusetts. Please read the details in the Diocesan Delegates' report. Prior to the General Assembly the Clergy Annual Conference was held at the same location. As a Diocesan Council member I attended the monthly regular meetings until May of 1995.

7. HAVAD. We continued to work on the Committee for the Propagation of the Faith of the Armenian Church (the Armenian acronym is HAVAD), I as the Vice-Chairman and Yeretzgin as the Secretary. Yeretzgin participated in an evangelical mission in July and I had the opportunity to continue the activities of Children's Christian educated-oriented camps in Armenia in July-August for three weeks, using my vacation time. Unfortunately I had to cut my stay short due to my illness as the group of volunteers who went with me continued the program effectively.

8. Visiting Clergy. We welcomed among us the Very Rev. Abraham Dz. Vartabed Mkrtchian, Diocesan Primate of Siunik, Armenia; who visited us with a special mission. We assisted him to accomplish his various missions. In my absence we also had several guest clergy who celebrated Badarak, delivered sermons and sacraments.

9. Armenian Evangelical Association. For a number of years now, we have welcomed the Armenian Evangelical Association's use to Church facilities for their meetings and worship. We had, in the past, frequently joined our efforts for common Armenian-Christian objectives. We shall continue to do the same.

E. ACTIVITIES RELATED TO ARMENIA

Being in the Nation's Capitol our community is in a special position to do a little more than other parishes.

- We continue to host a regular stream of official delegations from Armenia, with receptions and by providing transportation and escort assistance.
- We have welcomed artists, performers and have provided them with our hospitality.
- A number of visitors as well as those who have settled in this area have received medical, dental and other necessary care. We thank our medical and dental doctors in the area for their gracious and generous help.

We continue to:

- Support the mission of HAVAD
- Support the Diocesan Fund for Armenian's Recovery (FAR)
- Support the Orphan's Fund
- Support the "ARMENIA FUND"
- Support the Diocesan sponsored Sister Sunday School "School Bag" program.
- Act as conduit to help those who have relatives in Armenia.
- Support the Washington based Armenian-American Health Association.
- support the Armenian Embassy here in Washington with volunteers.
- We have helped the Embassy during the commemoration of the 80th Anniversary of the Genocide held on Capitol Hill.

There is a new reality which must not escape our attention and care. In addition, to all the previous "Tzees" (= Kharpertzees, Malatyatzees, Arabgirtzees, Beirut-tzees, Bolsetzees, etc.) now we have the Hayasantzees. We can't compete with California with numbers but we can compete by being hospitable and helpful.

I am happy to inform you that we now have two special classes in the Shnorhali School teaching Eastern Armenian in response to the growing number of Hayasdantzees and Barsgahays (Armenians from Iran).

Last but not least we should also be politically active in support of Armenia and Artzakh. I assure you I am not asking anything that you already are not doing....except we should do it consistently and vigorously - by letters, phone calls, telegrams, faxes etc. - to our Senators, Representatives and to the President of the United States to bring peace to the region.

F. ORGANIZATIONAL

I carried on a direct effort to solicit ideas and suggestions through private and group consultations on a variety of subjects.

10. Parish Council. As the Pastor/President, I presided over and participated in the deliberations of the Parish council at the regular and special meetings, except when I was ill or out of town. It was a productive year and the Parish Council members should be commended for their dedication with the leadership provided by the Chairman Mr. Paul Murad.

11. Auxiliary Organizations. I continued to work closely with the church organizations and presided over their regular and special meetings except when they were held on Sunday after church services or when I had to be away for an emergency. Women's Guild, Choir, Shnorhali School, Jr. ACYOA, Three "M" Adult Fellowship, and Ararat Avak Society continued to function effectively. My special thanks to all the Executive committees and their respective chairmen, principals, teachers and advisors for their diligence and dedication.

I would like to single out the choir because of the increased activism as well a improved performances. Our thanks to all the members as well as to Mr. Arto Hovannessian, Chairman and Dr. S. Boyajian, Choir Director.

G. EDUCATIONAL, CHARITABLE AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

12. I regret for the second time to report that there was none to benefit from the educational experience provided by the St. Vartan Summer Study Conference and St. Vartan Camp this year. Funds to encourage the participation of our youth were available from the Hovanness and Marie Simonian fund, Valentine Bostonian Stahl Fund and the Fr. V. Kalayjian Fund.

13. Lenten Evening Services, lectures and Mediations. By guest speakers and parishioners were offered not only for worship but also for an opportunity to learn and mature in our Christian heritage. the Friday Night Lenten talks were offered along with a traditional light Lenten supper. For Lenten Sundays I invited our parishioners to offer the Sunday Meditations in lieu of the pastor's sermons. We shall continue these inspirational activities.

14. Young Adult's Sunday. Along with the first Sunday of the month being Sunday School Communion Sunday, the third Sunday was observed as Young Adults' Sunday. To complement these Sunday programs a series of lectures were organized by Dean Shahinian under the title "Armenian Life". I have observed that these lectures are received as very informative, educational and inspirational. We thank Dean for his continuous contributions to the spiritual enrichment of our community.

15. St. Mary's Charitable Fund. The Fund continued to be an avenue through which parishioners made contributions to help those in need of assistance. Also, the SHNORHALI School students regularly bring non-perishable food for the homeless of the Metropolitan Area. In addition the

Funds raised for Armenia, other charitable activities included helping to re-locate Armenians from Armenia.

16. Bookstore. We thank Mr. Rostam (Armik) Khatchaturian who has effectively taken the responsibility. We thank him for his dedication.

17. St. Mary's Balian Library. Our thanks to Ms. Elizabeth Kayaian Garabedian, who continued her task with concern and dedication. The library's change of location has not materialized yet. We hope it will happen this year.

H. MISC. CULTURAL EDUCATIONAL AND SOCIAL ACTIVITIES.

18. Church Anniversary. We were hoping to celebrate our community's 60th Anniversary as usual with candle lighting and expressions of appreciation to the members of the Women's Guild. As in the past years "Pastor's Recognition Award" was given this year also. The recipients were: Mr. Jerry Hekimian and Mr. Vartkes Keshishian. The "Volunteer of the Year" award was given to Brig. Gen. Albert Kaehn.

The celebration of the 60th Anniversary with the necessary attention did not materialize. We hope on April 14, 1996 when the Primate visits us we will do better.

19. Armenian Memorial Weekend. (April 24) Art Exhibit and Memorial Services with Madagh was held with area artists and our church youth participating. The Diocesan Cathedral Choir of Children and Students of the Diocesan Khrimian Educational Institute participated in the celebration of Holy Badarak and presented an exciting and beautiful program that made us all feel proud.

- As mentioned earlier On the Hill, The Armenian Embassy hosted a commemorative program and as a church we took part in the planning and execution of it.

20. Cultural Events are being held more frequently. We have given our assistance and encouragement to as many as we can. I ask you to be responsive to them all.

21. 125th Anniversary of Komitas. We thank Mr. Arsen Sayian whose 40 plus year of service to the Armenian culture through Choral music, was recognized by our Community. A special concert celebrated the 125th Anniversary of great Komitas with groups from Richmond, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington area participating, 125 singers strong in the Ani-Knor Choral group.

22. President's Visit. A memorable reception - banquet was held for Mr. Levon Ter Petrosian, President of the Republic of Armenia.

23. The New Year's Eve celebration, with the whole Metropolitan Washington - Baltimore community supporting and participating was another milestone creating goodwill and fellowship. We thank our co- chairman Mr. Paul Murad.

24. Yerezgin and I launched a mini-program for the ACYOA Jrs. which is called "Merit Awards for Armenian Religious & Cultural Education". Through this program our youth will be exposed to the parish life practically in all it's endeavors and receive spiritual and cultural education as well. We thank Dean Shahinian, Esq. and Mr. Vartan Vartanian who graciously accepted to teach approximately 30 of our youth on Sundays alternating each other. The first phase of the program has ended. I have begun to instruct and train approximately 15 of them as acolytes, altar services and choir members.

25. Weekly Bible Studies are now on a regular part of our activities. On Friday from 7-8 we meet to study the scriptures and to pray. We thank Dr. Gregory Kumkumian who spearheaded the effort and to a number of young adult parishioners who take turns in leading these studies. It is open to all, and we welcome all. Along with that, Deacon Hamlet has started Bible Studies for young adults on alternate Sundays.

26. "In House Retreat / Seminars" were organized for the youth, young adults and adults on a variety of subjects and themes; Prayer Life - Understanding / Appreciation and Participation in Holy Badarak - Legal, Real Estate, Insurance and Financial matters.

27. We have even a more action packed and ambitious season ahead of us. As I have said before the challenge is just being there.

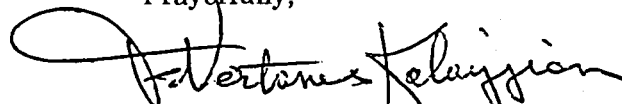
I. ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

30. Altar Care. The list of the ladies helping to give the altar area the necessary care has remained strong. I thank all who made and donated MAS, repaired and made altar covers and vestments. Special thanks to Miss Ann Kavookian who continues to take care of the altar flowers and Christmas Greetings in addition to numerous other tasks she performs so lovingly.

31. The names of the parishioners to whom I feel particularly indebted, both as a person and as the Pastor, are too numerous to list. I am indebted to all the Executive members of the church organizations who, one and all, helped to make 1995 a rewarding year. I take the risk of sounding repetitious and routine by expressing my profound appreciation and gratitude to someone who happens to be, also, my life-partner / colleague / irreplaceable advisor in my pastoral duties and activities. She has also been serving on the Women's Guild Central Council in New York for the 3rd year. She has been the Spiritual and Armenian Education Program Director of Camp Nubar for the last 22 years. She also serves on the Executive Committee of the Armenian Medical Association of Metropolitan Washington. So, on your behalf and mine I thank Yeretzgin Anahid Kalayjian. Lest we take it for granted, we thank Deacons Vartkes Keshishian, Mark Krikorian and Stolebearers Jack and George Guiragosian who continue their services along with the choir members with almost perfect attendance.

As the new year begins, along with some of the visible accomplishments, for which we are proud and thankful to our Lord and grateful to all participating parishioners, we face new challenges. With God's blessing and your cooperation we hope to meet these new challenges during the months ahead.

Prayerfully,



Fr. Vertanes Kalayjian, Pastor

Parish Council 1995 Annual Report

On Sunday, February 25, 1995, we held our Annual Parish Assembly. At that time, the new Parish Council was elected. With confirmation from the Diocese, a Special Parish Council meeting was held in April to elect officers for the calendar year 1995 with a term to last until the next annual Parish Assembly in early 1996.

The 1995 members of the Parish Council were:

Mr. Paul Murad	Chairman
Mrs. Evelyn Vartabedian	Vice Chairman
Mr. Veruir Aghamalian	Treasurer
Mr. Greg Murad	Secretary
Mr. Arto Hovannesian	Member
Mr. Vartkes Keshishian	Member
Dr. Ara Avedisian	Member
Mr. Garabed Grehian	Member
Mr. David Andonian	Member

The Parish Council meet usually twice a month during the year with special sessions to treat unusual events such as the Bazaar. Minutes for these meetings are available for review. Invitations were extended to Mr. Dean Shahinian and Dr. Ed Onanian who were Diocesan Delegates to attend these meetings. In general, the feeling of the new chairman was that many programs were actively underway and that these efforts should continue because they were in the best interest of the church and the Armenian community as a whole; this include a joint New Year's affair with Soorp Khatch. The following provides a list of the accomplishments and issues which are currently under advisement and planned activities.

1. One of the immediate activities undertaken by the Chairman was to discuss pertinent issues with each of the leaders of the various church organizations. These discussions focused upon current problems, issues, and solutions that would be addressed in the near future. Most of the problems identified by the chairman were minor and he felt that the state of the church and these organizations was healthy. Activities to correct some of the problems usually involved maintenance which were completed under Vartkes Keshishian.

2. Parish Council Liaison/Points of Contact for each church activity was assigned as follows:

Women's Guild- Evelyn Vartabedian	3M Adult Fellowship and
Finance Committee- Paul Murad	ACYOA- Greg Murad
Choir- Arto Hovannesian	D.C./Baltimore- David Andonian
Shnorhali School- Arto Hovannesian	

3. Mr. Garabed Grehian had to resign from the council accepting a position in Saudi Arabia. He demonstrated expertise that was extremely helpful especially in areas involving building renovations. We expressed our gratitude and were sorry to see him leave. We wish him much success in his new endeavor.

4. Additionally, Mr. Veruir Aghamalian also left the council due to a change in vocation and time schedules that precluded his activities in supporting the council. The Chairman had to partially accept the responsibilities of Treasurer. Veruir's activities were also missed. On both of the above issues, the Primate was notified about these resignations and recommended to the Parish Council that a special assembly be convened to hold elections and vote for additional members for the council.

5. In keeping with previous Parish Assemblies' wishes, the council accepted Deacon Hamlet Mehrabian to join the St. Mary's staff. Deacon Hamlet's activities would grow from participating in altar and liturgical activities to include functions that included the Shnorhali School and the youth. Funding for the Deacon was provided by funds accumulated over the years for the Youth Advisor as well as from the Diocese. It also enabled the Parish to afford an opportunity of internship upon a future clergyman and prepare him for real-world problems that he would eventually face as a future Der Hayr.

6. During the summer in the absence of Der Hayr Kalayjian who went to Armenia with the HAVAD Mission and subsequent illness, we experienced a few problems in managing the Church's affairs. During that time period we were very fortunate to have the services of several clergymen who celebrated the Holy Badarak. It was during this Baptismal of Fire that Deacon Hamlet also extended himself assisting the Parish Council and the Chairman by daily communicating problems involving the needs of the Parish, and potential solutions that could be implemented during this time. His efforts were very much appreciated.

7. The date of the Picnic was initially moved from the beginning of summer to the end of summer as the new Parish Council grew to understand their responsibilities. This council had lost several members and had a very large turn-over. Five members were newly elected to the council. The Chairman and council decided that the picnic should occur and it proceeded with the help of many Parishioners under the leadership of Vartkes Keshishian and Arto Hovannesian. David Andonian made a donation to cover entertainment costs. The efforts of these individuals as well as others such as George and Jack Guirogossian are appreciated very much. The picnic was not a financial success and with only about 75 people in attendance, the Parish Council barely broke even.

8. We held a special Parish Assembly which had a twofold purpose; this was to elect additional members to the Parish Council as well as to inform the Parish Assembly about planned renovation activities involving the large hall, the front of the church, and the altar area. Members elected to the Parish Council included: Anahid Ayrandjian, Steve Evereklian who accepted the position of treasurer. Based upon these discussions, renovations on the large hall which were planned to be completed within two months for the 60th Anniversary celebration and the Bazaar were delayed.

9. The Docter's will which is a scholarship fund for children having one or both Armenian parents, is currently in probate and completion of probate is expected in January 97. At that time, the P.C. Chairman Paul Murad and Brig. Gen. Al Kaehn will proceed with legal advice as well as consultation from the parish council on establishing the William E. Docter educational fund.

10. Following the lead of the previous Parish Council, we entered into negotiations with Soorp Khatch for a joint New Years Affair. Because of the newness of the Chairman, the Parish Council Chairman of Soorp Khatch agreed to once again chair this event for the second year in a row. The affair took place at the Georgetown Convention Center which had the capacity to entertain 800 individuals.

Unfortunately due to unexpected factors such as the Government shut-down and His Holiness' visit which was not planned for, the event drew approximately 270 people with reservations for dinner for an income of \$18,005.00 and an additional 25 individuals took part in the dance portion of the festivities with an income of \$1,150.00. Additional funds amounting to \$723.00 were a result of

a lottery for a total of \$19,877.80. Expenses to include the hall rental fee, the band, noise makers, cheese and other incremental costs were \$19,877.63. Considering expenses, the net profit of which St. Mary's share was of the order of \$0.20. Despite this, a net profit was realized in that both churches were brought together and a good time was had by all that attended.

11. At the request of our Church Choir under the Chairmanship of Arto Hovannesian, the Choir hosted an affair that honored Mr. Arsen Sayian for his over 40 years of service. This function was quite successful and other choir members were also acknowledged.

12. The Annual Bazaar was a success and a basic source of revenue for St. Mary's. Its success hinged strongly upon contributions from the Women's Guild and the Parish Council. The Council would also like to thank the contributions of the Bazaar Chairman Brig. Gen. Al Kaehn as well as his Assistant Chairman Mr. Onnig Sivaslian for their long hours and excellent contributions in making the event successful.

13. Our rug sale was also successful. Special appreciation and thanks go to Mr. Arut Koseian of Arut Oriental Rugs for his hard work. In addition to donating a beautiful oriental rug for the Bazaar raffle, Arut and his team moved these rugs from the store to St. Mary's for the sale. His time and energy are greatly appreciated by the Parish. Proceeds of \$2,914.00 from the rug sale are included in the Bazaar report.

14. An Anniversary Candle-Lighting Dinner was held. The Church honored recent recipients of the Pastor's Recognition Award. These included awards to Mr. Jerry Hekimian and Mr. Vartkes Keshishian for their dedicated services to the Church and to Brig. Gen. Al Kaehn as the "Volunteer of the Year". The wonderful meal was donated by the Mardirosian Family/The Flaming Pit who provided lamb shanks and by master chef Onnig Janjigian who makes the best fish in the world. Moreover, the Parish Council should also be thanked for their efforts in preparation of the meal, under the guidance of Yeretzgin A. Kalayjian.

15. Meetings were underway during the course of the year regarding the church renovations. This involved special meetings with the Architect and the Renovation Committee and included separate meetings with the finance committee, the Women's Guild as well as major sessions that were blocked-out during Parish Council meetings to discuss details and options.

16. During the course of the year, the Parish Council accepted contributions from the following organizations:

Women's Guild	\$10,000
ACYOA	\$2,000
3 M	\$1,500


These contributions were greatly appreciated and helped the council meet its financial obligations. A loan was also received from the Finance Committee for \$10,000.

17. The Council contacted the Finance Committee to pay \$4,400 to have the sidewalk broken-up, crushed stone put in place, tamped, and repoured around the School building. STM construction performed this task and it included placing rebar and a mesh within the cement sidewalk. Prior to the repair, there was evidence of potential water damage in the basement of the School building and the sidewalk had separated both laterally and away from the building by as much as four inches in places allowing for rain seepage during heavy downpours.

18. The Parish Council recognizes the Chairperson and Executive Committees of our Church's organizations to include: Mrs. Alice Baker and Mrs. Seta Sivaslian of the Women's Guild; Miss Linda Ekizian of the Shnorhali School; Dr. Socrates Boyajian the Choir Director; Mrs Arousiag Kumkumian and Miss Ann Kavookian as Avak Society Coordinators; Mr. Armik Khatchaturian of the bookstore; Mrs. Elizabeth Garabedian for the Library; Mrs Grace Shahinian for the Shnorhali and our unending gratitude to Yeretzgin for her assistance whenever needed. We also offer our thanks to our Diocesan Delegates Mr. Dean Shahinian and Dr. Edward Onanian. We would like to thank the many others that have helped the Church during the past year and appreciate your future assistance as we enter an era of challenge that will eventually renew our faith.

19. The Priest, Deacon, and several members of the Parish Council and Parish were part of the Committee responsible for the Catholicos' visit to Washington. Unfortunately, the visit followed the Blizzard of 96 and despite snow covered streets and a very complex agenda, all events were performed according to schedule. A Herashapar service was performed by his Holiness at Saint Mary's and members from Soorp Khatch were invited to attend. Church service was followed by a question and answer session where his Holiness answered several questions provided by the youth from St. Mary's and Soorp Khatch. A dinner affair, M.C.ed by the Parish Council Chairman, was held at the J. W. Marriott with about three hundred people in attendance. In addition to the Armenian Ambassador, high level members of the Armenian government, the Ecumenical Council of Catholic Bishops which sent representatives as well as his Eminence, Cardinal William Keeler of the Baltimore Diocese, were in attendance. His Eminence Abp. V. Hovsepian, Primate of the Western Diocese, was also present as well as our own Primate. We congratulate Bishop Papken who received the title of Archbishop from His Holiness at the end of the Herashapar Service held at St. Mary. The visit in Washington was completed with a productive twenty minute conversation between His Holiness and President Clinton.


Fr. Vertanes Kalayjian
Pastor, President


Paul A. Murad
Parish Council Chairman


Gregory Murad
Parish Council Secretary

Memorandum of Understanding Between
The Parish Council of St. Mary's Armenian Apostolic Church
of Washington, D.C.
and
Reverend Vertanes Kalayjian

We agree that the following financial and related considerations shall apply to Fr. Kalayjian's services as Pastor of St. Mary's Church during the period set forth herein:

1. *Stipend and Allowances:*

	<u>1994</u>	<u>1995</u>	<u>1996</u>
Basic Stipend	\$20,930.00	\$21,560.00	\$22,050.00
Service Increment	10,465.00	10,780.00	9,880.00
Membership Increment	1,495.00	1,540.00	1,575.00
Mileage Allowance	7,500.00	8,200.00	8,200.00
Life Insurance	<u>1,500.00</u>	<u>1,500.00</u>	<u>1,500.00</u>
TOTAL:	\$41,890.00	\$43,580.00	\$43,205.00

These figures are based upon Diocesan guidelines regarding 1996 Clergy Stipend. In addition to this amount, the Parish Council voted for an additional cost-of-living increment of \$1,375.00 and a bonus of \$2,000. which brings the total to \$46,580. The Parish will also make the required contributions to the Clergy Insurance and IRA accounts which are estimated at \$12,400. The Parish will assume the payment of all utility expenses (heating, electricity, water, sewer and telephone) at the Parish house.

2. *Vacation:* In accordance with the Diocesan vacation schedule, we agree that Fr. Kalayjian is entitled to four weeks of vacation to include four Sundays. Leave may be accrued with the prior consent of the Parish Council. As of 1/1/96, Fr. Kalayjian has no accrued leave from the 1995 calendar year.

As in prior years, except in emergency situations, two weeks notice will be provided by Fr. Kalayjian for extended leave. In addition, Fr. Kalayjian shall not be charged leave on the Sunday of the Diocesan Assembly weekend provided his return to Washington for services proves inconvenient. A similar policy shall apply in the event he chooses to attend the ACYOA and/or Choir Assemblies. An allowance shall be provided by the Parish toward lodging and travel expenses for attendance at the Clergy Conference and at the Diocesan Assembly. In the case of the ACYOA or Choir Assemblies, it is expected that these particular organizations provide lodging and travel expenses.

3. *Duration:* this memorandum of understanding becomes effective on January 1, 1996 and continues through December 31, 1996 provided that it receives the approval of the Annual Parish Assembly.

BAZAAR - 1995

The Church Bazaar was held on 8, 9, 10, 11 of November 1995. Due to a lot of hard work by dedicated and talented people, it was successful, although not as profitable as we would like. The Bazaar yielded revenues of \$ 19,907.13. That compares with a Bazaar profit of \$ 22,111.10 in 994. We conserved on our expenses this year but were hurt badly by the weather on Saturday, 11 November 1995. The rain at noon which turned to snow and wind kept the attendance down on what is usually a good day for the Bazaar.

Special recognition goes to the following individuals and groups of parishioners, whose contributions were particularly noteworthy: Onnik Sivaslian and Al Kaehn, the Co-Chairmen for the event; Jean Sayian, Clara Andonian, Alice Baker and Seta Sivaslian, for their leadership, guidance and toil in every phase of the Bazaar; the Team Chiefs, and all their Women's Guild people for organizing workshops for preparation of the food items which have become so well known; Mary Perkins for her special work in publicity; Ann Kavookian and Queenie Avadikian, who made the White Elephant a success; Valentine Stahl, who wouldn't let the gift table fade away; Jeanette and Leo Trokhanian, who handle the banners and a host of other logistic matters; Jerry Hekimian, the invaluable assistant treasurer; and Parish Council members who were active during various phases of the Bazaar.

We wish it were possible to include everyone's name who worked the Bazaar. Rest assured, that no matter how big or how small your contribution, it is deeply appreciated; with it, the Bazaar could not succeed!

The Parish Council

ST. MARY'S ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

1995 RUG SALE

The Rug Sale at St. Mary's was held on 17, 18, 19 of November 1995. We wish to express our deepest gratitude to Mr. Arut Koseian, owner of Arut Oriental Rugs on Wisconsin Avenue in Bethesda, whose generosity, leadership, resources, and know how were clearly essential to the profitable outcome of the event. We know this is no small effort for Arut; a lot of work goes into this activity. We sincerely appreciate his willingness to take on this fund raiser for St. Mary's. We thank Arut for donating the oriental rug which was the first prize in the Bazaar Raffle.

The Parish Council

St. Mary's Armenian Church
Rug Sale, 17, 18, 19, November, 1995

TOTAL RECEIPTS		\$ 16,895.00
CHURCH SHARE (20%)		\$ 3,379.00
 <u>EXPENSES</u> (paid by Arut)		
Advertising	\$ 3,060.00	
Labot	180.00	
Truck Rental	<u>850.00</u>	
	\$ 4,090.00	
Church Share (50%)		\$ 2,045.00
 <u>EXPENSES</u> (paid by church)		
Flyer (print, fold, bundle	\$ 1,800.00	
Mailing (17,000 Flyers)	<u>1,360.00</u>	
	\$ 3,160.00	
Church Share (50%)		\$ 1,580.00
 <u>NET INCOME TO CHURCH</u>		 \$ 2,914.00
 <u>DISTRIBUTION</u>		
St. Mary's		\$ 2,914.00
Arut Oriental Rug		\$ 13,981.00

Note: Arut already has \$ 2,775.00 in credit card payments..... Check # 1095 for \$ 11,206.00 gave him his balance due.

St. Mary's Armenian Apostolic Church
1995 BAZZAR REPORT

<u>INCOME</u>		<u>EXPENSES</u>	
Luncheons	\$ 8,094.75	Food/related items	\$ 11,509.72
Carry-out	8,202.50	Clean-up	590.00
Bake table	7,059.40	Waste management	374.57
Dinner	5,742.00	Mailing / printing	4,473.76
Mezza	1,632.00	Misc. supplies	125.00
Beverages	1,134.00	Bank charges	0.00
White Elephant	1,110.45	Raffle Prized	750.00
Gift table	872.25	Advertising	<u>72.17</u>
Raffle	3,503.00		
Jewelry	386.00		
Book signing	66.00		
 <u>TOTAL INCOME:</u>	 <u>\$ 37,802.35</u>	 <u>TOTAL EXPENSES:</u>	 <u>\$ 17,895.22</u>

TOTAL INCOME::	\$ 37,802.35	
TOTAL EXPENSE:	17,895.22	
	\$ 19,907.13	BAZZAR PROFIT
	<u>2,914.00</u>	RUG SALE PROFIT
	* \$ 22,821.13	TOTAL PROFIT

* Agrees with bank statement and last entry in check book balance prior to distribution of funds to Parish Council and Finance Committee.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

CALENDAR YEAR 1995

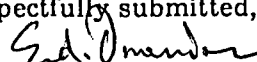
The Committee's activities during 1995 didn't include anything out of the ordinary. We continued to process memorial donations, meet the mortgage payments on the parish house, cover the cost of improvements and repairs at the church, and monitor our long-term investment account. Our interaction with the parish council included a briefing on the Committee's resources and activities which the council requested as it developed plans for the proposed sanctuary renovation. Committee members are Souny Kodjanian, Lucy Murad, Ed Onanian, Michael Sahakian, and Boghos Sivaslian.

Reviewing our financial experience in 1995, bequests (\$33,500) were our principal revenue source: we received \$25,000 in restricted funds from the estate of Philip and Oghda O'Gulian and a partial distribution of \$8,500 from the estate of Hermine O'Reilly. The Committee received its share (\$12,080) of the 1994 Bazaar proceeds in February, and anticipates a distribution from the 1995 Bazaar in early 1996. Donations in lieu of flowers (\$3,150) were at their lowest level since 1990, while interest income (\$4,428) was higher than in 1994. With the exception of a donation (\$100) to the altar fund, other earmarked donations (\$1,160) were for the Armenian Church Endowment Fund (ACEF).

On the disbursement side, the Committee met the cost of replacing the flooring (\$7,277) in the original hall, and provided \$1,150 from an insurance claim to renovate rooms behind the altar. In addition to monthly payments on the parish house mortgage, an advance payment (\$5,000) was made toward reduction of principal which now stands at \$28,800. Distributions of earmarked funds were made to the ACEF (\$1,000) for the Knarig and Dickran Janigian Family Fund and to the Armenian Assembly Tree Project (\$2,700) for a forest of 500 trees in Armenia in memory of Philip and Oghda O'Gulian. (The James and Angele Barouyrian Fund at ACEF was enhanced by \$2,000, but the funds were transferred directly from the donor's account.) In September, the parish council requested and received a transfer of \$10,000 for its operating fund, bringing the amount transferred since 1991 to \$25,000. An advance of \$15,000 to the Bazaar Committee was repaid following the event, and thus does not appear in our financial report.

Through October, we made monthly additions totaling \$10,000 to our long-term investment account. Later in the year, we began to transfer some of our assets from a balanced (stock/bond) mutual fund to a growth fund. With regard to the parish's holdings with ACEF, these amounted to \$81,678 at the end of 1995; the annual income from the ACEF is received directly by the parish council and is used either for operating expenses or the purposes stipulated by the donors.

As we look toward 1996, we find that most of the Committee's present and anticipated cash assets are earmarked for specific purposes and contingencies. Unless we embark on a fund-raising effort to generate additional income, the Committee will find it increasingly difficult to respond as it has since its inception to requests from the parish council for assistance. For several years now, the Committee has deferred such a campaign because of the uncertainty surrounding the proposed sanctuary renovation project. The parish's wishes regarding renovation are still uncertain, but it is very clear that the parish will have to generate additional operating and reserve funds if St. Mary's is to continue to provide the current level of services to its parishioners.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward Onanian

Finance Committee Financial Report

Calendar Year 1995

<u>Income</u>		<u>Expenses</u>	
Lieu of Flowers	\$3,150.00	Mortgage	\$9,684.20
Donations — General	350.00	Church Repairs/ Impvts.	8,427.00
Earmarked	1,260.00	Memorial Funds (ACEF)	1,160.00
Interest	4,428.04	Memorial - Earmarked	2,700.00
Bequests	33,500.00	Transfer to Fidelity	10,000.00
1994 Bazaar	<u>12,080.27</u>	Transfer to ParCouncil	<u>10,000.00</u>
Total	<u>\$54,768.31</u>	Total	<u>\$41,971.20</u>

CASH POSITION

Balance, 1/1/95	\$93,732.94
Income	<u>54,768.31</u>
	148,501.25
Expenses	<u>41,971.20</u>
Balance, 12/31/95	\$106,530.05

Cash Assets and Liabilities

<u>Assets*</u>		<u>Liabilities</u>	
First Union - Checking	\$54,444.26	Mortgage	\$28,798.87
First Union - CD	52,085.79		
Funds with ACEF	81,678.49		
Fidelity Brokerage	65,990.11		

Restricted and/or Reserved Funds

Altar Project	\$4,530
Parish House (contingency)	5,000
Church (contingency)	5,000
Armenian School	3,000
Equipment Replacement	5,000
Giant Screen TV	2,500
Concrete work at church (1995)	3,600
Mortgage Payments (1996)	4,685
Insurance Claims	23,179
Memorial Funds	<u>63,500</u>
Total	\$119,994

* Since 1991, the Committee has transferred \$25,000 to the parish council for operating purposes.



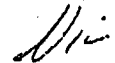
Rev. Fr. Vertanes Kalayjian
 ST. MARY ARMENIAN CHURCH
 4125 Fessenden Street, NW
 Washington, DC 20016

Dear Fr. Vertanes,

We are happy to forward you our check in the amount of \$4,513.74. This represents earnings based on 6 3/4% from donations made to the ACEF for your Church by generous individuals noted on the attached list.

Sincerely yours,

Armenian Church Endowment Fund
 Cumulative Income Allocations By Recipient
 For Year Ended December 31, 1994


 Victor V. Arzooonian
 Executive Director

Recipient & Donors	Total Contribution	Curr Year Income	New Cum. Income
St. Mary's Church Wash. D.C.			
Andonian, Jack Mem. Fund	6,815.00	460.01	902.99
Arakelian, Dr. Ashot Mem. Fund	850.00	43.88	172.88
Arakelian, Karina Mem Fund	700.00	25.31	25.31
Arkoian, Moses Mem Fund	1,985.00	133.99	256.52
Loloyan, Ohannes Mem Fund	2,425.00	163.69	321.31
Babigian, Asadour & Perooz Mem Fund	1,000.00	67.50	414.38
Baghdassarian, Nelly Mem Fund	1,075.60	72.60	217.80
Barouyrian, James & Angel Mem Fund	3,000.00	0.00	0.00
(1) Brown, Artin & Ebrouhi Mem Fund	2,980.00	68.51	276.59
Demirjian, Kohar Mem Fund	1,050.00	70.88	212.63
George, Robert & Doris Fund	1,000.00	67.50	237.50
(2) Hintlian, Manoush & Nishan Mem Fund	6,142.04	414.59	3,563.17
(3) Janigian, Kanarig Dikran & Family	5,389.68	363.80	1,374.37
(4) Kalayjian, Fr. Vertanes Fund	2,625.00	177.19	1,572.24
Khoyan, Rev. Fr. Dikran Memorial	1,000.00	64.55	231.97
Kirazian, Victoria Memorial Fund	4,768.17	321.85	1,048.99
Manouelian, Vartan Mem Fund	1,605.00	108.34	212.67
Manougian, Maritza Memorial Fund	1,250.00	84.38	251.73
Nader, Elizabeth Mem Fund	550.00	37.80	74.20
Ozkayan, Paris Mem Fund	3,055.00	206.21	618.64
Perkins, Lt. Col. John Kenneth Mem. Fund	4,115.00	0.00	0.00
Safak, Vartouhi Memorial Fund	2,966.00	200.21	600.62
Safakian, Pilibos Memorial Fund	2,910.00	196.43	196.43
St. Mary Armenian Church, Wash	10,000.00	675.00	4,143.75
Sakayan, Rose Memorial Fund	2,210.00	149.18	149.18
Sekercan, Apraham & Maryam Mem Fund	1,000.00	67.50	580.13
(5) Simonian, Hovannes & Marie Fund	3,000.00	202.50	2,745.50
Stahl, Valentine Bostonian Fund	1,042.00	70.34	975.09
Yeni-Komshian, Dr. Hovsep Mem Fund	2,000.00	0.00	0.00
Recipient Total	78,518.49	4,513.74	21,376.59

Note: The Funds established in 1995 are not included.

- (1) The income is designated for charitable activities.
- (2) The income is designated for cultural activities.
- (3) The income is designated for altar flowers on Good Friday and on Mother's Day
- (4/5) The income is designated for St. Vartan Camps & St. Nersess summer Program Scholarship to the parish youth.

WOMEN'S GUILD ANNUAL REPORT 1995

EXECUTIVE BOARD

CO - CHAIRLADIES	-	ALICE BAKER
	-	SETA SIVASLIAN
VICE CHAIRLADY	-	ASANET HACIKOGLU
RECORDING SECRETARY	-	JANEL MOOSAKHANIAN
ASSISTANT RECORDING SECRETARY	-	EVELYN VARTABEDIAN

There are 70 dues paying members in the Women's Guild. Our meetings are held on the third Thursday of every month. During food festival our bazaar workshops are sometimes held on meeting day as well as other days of the week. Executive board meetings are held whenever needed. Memorial dinners items are prepared and served at the request of family members of the deceased.

Calendar of Activities for 1995

JANUARY

- ◆ The Annual Armenian Christmas Day Dinner was sponsored and prepared by the Women's Guild. A donation of \$1000.00 was presented to the Armenian School on that occasion.
- ◆ Executive board meeting held to select officers.

FEBRUARY

- ◆ Served a light lunch for the Parish assembly.
- ◆ Scheduled workshops for LENTEN FOOD FESTIVAL which were held on Thursday and Friday, April 6th and 7th, 1995.
- ◆ On February 23, we had a luncheon followed by a seminar given by RENA on taxes and estate planning. There was a follow-up by RENA, on retirement, planned for March.
- ◆ Women's Guild gave Parish Council \$ 5000.00

MARCH

- ◆ Celebrated Women Saints Day during the annual (pot luck) LENTEN LUNCHEON on Sunday March 12, following church services. A portion of the profit from this luncheon is sent to the Women's Guild Central Council. They in turn have it ear marked for a special project.
- ◆ The Cultural Committee of the Women's Guild arranged for a most interesting lecture followed by a slide presentation given by Mr. Shahien Khatchadourian, curator / director of the National Gallery of Yervan.

APRIL

- ◆ A general meeting was held on April 19th at a restaurant. The LENTEN FOOD FESTIVAL was held on Thursday and Friday, April 6th and 7th. From our profit \$1500.00 was sent to HAVAD, the evangelical and educational mission of the Diocese in Armenia.
- ◆ A special coffee fellowship was hosted by the Women's Guild on Easter Sunday.

MAY

- ◆ Helped prepare food for reception on May 2nd on Capital Hill commemorating the Armenian Genocide on it's 80th Anniversary.
- ◆ Armenian Day at the Alexandria Festival was celebrated on May 13, 1995. The gift table was hosted by Grace Shahinian.
- ◆ A fun trip to Atlantic City via chartered bus on May 18th. We did have some winners!

JUNE

- ◆ Women's Guild Day June 15th. A young woman from Armenia with Hodgkin's has been accepted at NIH, a special protocol. The Women's Guild voted \$500.00 for her financial need.

JULY and AUGUST

- ◆ No activities.

SEPTEMBER

- ◆ Our regular membership meeting was on September 14th. The work-shop schedule was made on a large white poster board and posted in the church hall for all to see. We hope that in 1996 we will see some new names added to this white poster. New names and working hands are most welcomed. We also welcome new and fresh ideas! If you have a new idea please present them to the Women' Executive Board.
- ◆ A Video session was held during one of our workshops by Hilda Witherspoon who is working for an independent cable station. She plans to have the tape ready for airing prior at our 1996 Bazaar.

OCTOBER

- ◆ BAZAAR WORKSHOPS

NOVEMBER

- ◆ It's here! Our members and a few volunteers worked from mid-September through the 4 days and two nights of the Bazaar.

DECEMBER

- ◆ The third annual Women's Guild Christmas Party was held at the home of Jean Sayian, over 50 women attended. The Chinese Auction was repeated. It was a huge social success.
- ◆ Prepared questionnaire for the W. G. Central Council as well as the report for the Parish Assembly.
- ◆ We were invited by the Ladies Guild of Soorp Khatch to join them in making of the Green to make Christmas Decorations. All the supplies were provided by the Ladies of Soorp Khatch. An elegant and most scrumptious desert table was prepared as well as a few door prizes. We in turn, in appreciation, sent them 2 large poinsettias for their altar.
- We donated \$ 10,000.00 to the Parish Council.
- \$1000.00 a year is sent toward sponsorship of five orphans.

OUR THANKS TO:

- * Clara Andonian for being treasurer in the absence of our treasurer.
 - * Seta Sivaslian for double duty when her co-chairperson was Nan sitting.
 - * Queenie Avedikian for taking the minutes.
 - * Our special thanks to Der Hayr and Yerezgin for their assistance as well as Paul Murad and the Parish Council who are always there when we need them.
- Our deepest respect and thanks to Brig. Gen. Albert Kaehn and Mr. Onnig Silvaslian for their genuine help and leadership during the Annual Bazaar.

To our members as well as those women who helped before and during the Bazaar, our most sincere thanks. Only with such dedication will we GROW.

Respectfully submitted,

Alice D. Baker

Seta Sivaslian

Co-chairwomen

1995 SHNORHALI SCHOOL REPORT

The 1995-96 school year started with 96 registered students. Three students joined us recently increasing the number to 99. Five students dropped out and appropriate notes have been sent to their families. The average Sunday attendance is 60-65 students. Our school hours are 10.00am to 1.00pm. Classes start with Armenian language instruction, followed by Religion classes. The assembly period is conducted by Yeretzgin Anahid Kalayjian, followed by Armenian History and Culture class.

We are happy to report that our children are taught by such dedicated teachers as Miss Linda Ekizian, Rel. Program Director, Mesdames Anna Derderian, Tery Tossounian, Rita Bush, Jenel Moosakhanian, Talar Matikyan, Ani Derderian, Zvart Bolat, Marie Zulikian, Asanet Hachikoglu, Violeta Vartanian, Hripsime Sivaslian, Miss Ann Kavookian, Miss Debbie Onanian, Mr. Saro Kalayjian and Mr. Alfred Moosakhanian. Our substitute teachers are Mesdames Sona Bakirçi, Seta Sivaslian, Takuhi Hallajian, Louisa Baghdasarian, Dr. Ara Avedisian, Rita Tavitian, Nadia Koseian, Aida Guerigian, Evelyn Vartabedian and Rosemary Arkoian. About religious program and activities please read Miss Linda Ekizian's report.

This year we established a special class teaching Eastern Armenian Dialect. This newly formed class is taught by Mrs. Violeta Vartanian Kazarian.

Dean Shahinian, Esq. continued to conduct the special religious instruction one semester program for the young adults.

As of September '95 we have the following classes:

Mrs. Asanet Haçikoglu	Kindergarten	Mrs. Violeta Kazarian	Eastern Armenian
Mrs. Talar Matikian	First grade	Mrs. Zvart Bolat	Seventh grade
Mrs. Marie Zulikian	Second grade	Mr. Alfred Moosakhanian	Special class
Mrs. Ani Derderian	Fourth grade	Mr. Dean Shahinian	Religiouse Instruction
Yn. Anahid Kalayjian	Combined Assembly		

Mrs. Talar Matikian demonstrated a very good performance and her students liked her very much. Mrs. Hripsime Sivaslian has kindly taken her place and will teach the class during the second semester.

For the purpose of having a better working atmosphere in the school we published a discipline guidelines which basically follow MD Public School guidelines. They were mailed to all parents.

We recognize that it is important to reach out to the parents and secure their cooperation for the success of our objective. Therefore, we have formed the P.T.A. which holds its regular meetings under the leadership of Mr. Aram Paul.

Miss Silva Der-Stepanian, Director of the Diocesan Armenian Language Lab Center, was with us on November 19, 1995. She spent the first part of the day with the students in the classrooms and

later met separately with the teachers and parents. She expressed her pleasure with the classroom instructions and gave helpful advise and kept the PTA updated on the curriculum materials and supplements.

On October 27, our school had its Halloween Party which was enjoyed by all.....including parents. We also had a Christmas Family Nite on December 16, Mesdames Ellen Mooradian and Tery Tossounian with the help of a host of teachers and parents organized these events.

Every first Sunday of each month our staff and students continue to attend the Divine Liturgy, take Holy Communion and listen to Der Hayr's special sermons.

Our school, as any institution, is not free of challanging issues. For that reason we had a meeting with the entire teaching staff where we discussed some of the issues that we still need to overcome and proposed suggestions for the betterment of our small school family.

During 1995 Fall semester all our teachers showed great dedication in faithfully attending and successfully carrying out their classes each Sunday. We all owe sincere thanks and gratitude to each of our teachers for their great dedication. For the good attendance of our students our thanks go to all our parents for bringing their children to church every Sunday.

I must state that we have an **urgent need of classrooms**. At the present time we need at least three classrooms. Due to the lack of rooms we have been using the vestry as a classroom while the priest celebrates the Divine Liturgy a few yards away. Mr. Dean Shahinian holds his classes in the hall with constant interruptions of our parishioners. We have students to form a third grade but due to the lack of classrooms so far we have left few of them in the second grade and a few of them in the fourth grade. This causes its own difficulties for the second and fourth grade teachers.

I personally thank Der Hayr for his very helpful advice and ideas for the betterment of the school he generously gave me all the time. Mr. Hekimian's help was tremendeus in introducing me with the school and some necessary prosedures as I newly arrived at St. Mary's. I thank him very much. We all should also remember our long time treasurer Mr. Raffi Karahisar and thank him for his excellent work.

Respectfully submitted:

Dn. Hamlet Mehrabian

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Shnorhali School Supervisor

SHNORHALI SCHOOL Religious Education

The 1995-1996 Shnorhali School registration list totals ninety-six children. On the average, up to sixty children attend religious instruction classes each Sunday.

For this, we thank the parents. It is a joy to teach your children!

The class instructions begin at 10:50 and continue until 11:50. The classes then retreat downstairs for the General Assembly led by Yeretzgin. The class instructors are as follows:

Ann Kavookian	Kindergarten
Debbie Onanian	First Grade
Teri Tossounian	Second Grade
Rita Bush	Third Grade
Saro Kalyjian	Fourth Grade
Anna Derderian	Fifth Grade
Jenel Moosakhanian	Eighth Grade

We welcome Saro as a terrific addition to our experienced staff. It is a continued pleasure to work with religious instructors who are dedicated to the faith of our Church and its children, as well as to the challenges of the teaching profession.

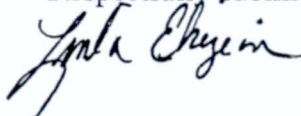
To institute greater interaction between our class instruction and the Church assembly, we select one class to offer a presentation during the services on the first Sunday of each month. The teachers and students have enjoyed these opportunities.

Once again, the Halloween party - superbly organized by Teri Tossounian and Ellen Mooradian - was an enormous success.

To meet the needs of our growing classes, a makeshift classroom was formed behind the altar for the fifth grade class. We hope that the registered needs for additional classrooms (which will allow for more vocal class discussions and activities) will be heeded.

I offer my sincere thanks to Der Hayr, Yeretzgin and Deacon Hamlet, all the teachers, students and parents, for their assistance in making religious education thrive.

Respectfully submitted:



ST. MARY'S ARMENIAN SCHOOL FINANCIAL REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1995

Receipts for 1995:

Donations	\$ 3,035.00
School Functions	1,042.80
Books	2,260.00
PTA Dues	314.00
Miscellaneous (interest income)	<u>209.96</u>
	6,861.76

Expenditures for 1995:

Teacher's stipends	\$ 2,205.00
School supplies	2,440.00
School functions	<u>401.19</u>
	\$ 5046.19

Net Profit for 1995: \$ 1,815.57

Balance at the end of 1994: \$ 5,334.90

Balance at the end of 1995 \$ 7,150.47

Checking Account Balance: \$ 3,315.61

Savings Account Balance: \$ 3,834.86

Total Available Funds: \$ 7,150.47

Loan to Parish Council: \$ 3,000.00

Respectfully Submitted: Raffi Karahisar

**ST. MARY'S ARMENIAN CHURCH
SUNDAY SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT
1995**

Balance brought forward: \$ 761.19

RECEIPTS:

Gifts - Jerrehian Foundation	\$ 100.00	
- Mrs. Rita Bush	100.00	
- Mr & Mrs. Richard Boomazian	25.00	
Sunday Collection	434.25	
Tote Bags Sold	<u>103.50</u>	
		\$ <u>761.75</u>
		\$ 1,522.94

DISBURSEMENTS:

New Checks	\$ 9.50	
Suncay School Books	614.50	
Supplies	15.00	
Collection Envelopes	49.61	
Halloween Party	<u>369.77</u>	
		\$ <u>1,058.38</u>
		\$ + 464.56

Submitted by: Ann H. Kavookian, Treasurer

“Three- M” Adult Fellowship Report 1995

The “Three-M” Adult Fellowship organized a variety of activities during the year 1995.

1. On February 1, a Peace Corps volunteer, Sueko Kumagi, English teacher at Yerevan State University, gave us a report about her experiences in Armenia.
2. On February 13, 20 & 27, three consecutive seminars were presented by RENA (Retirement Education Network of America), on subjects such as, legal matters, financial matters, Real Estate, Insurance, Health, etc.
3. On March 29, we were presented an overview of Contemporary Armenian Theater by Mrs. Marine Hampartzoomian, a former professor at the Institute of Fine Arts & Theater in Yerevan.
4. On the weekend of April 22 & 23, our Fourth Annual Mulitmedia Art Exhibition took place. We thank Mrs. Arpi Sahr, Mr. David Akopian & Mr. Armen Kankanian for their hard work.
5. On April 23, The Diocesan Cathedral Choir of Children and Students of Diocesan Khrimian Institute participated in Holy Badarak, conducted by Fr. Mamigon Kilejian, and presented a program of songs, folk dances, and recitations.
6. On May 20, a “Hye Doon Kef Nite” was organized with a sumptuous dinner and interesting games. We thank Mr. Avedis Simon for chairing the affair, and Mr. Berj Khachigoglu for providing beautiful music on his accordion.
7. On June 3, a scripture seminar was organized for our members. Fr. Vahan Hovanessian and Ms. Nancy Basmajian led the program. Over 30 people attended. It proved to be very beneficial.
8. On July 17, a lecture and slide presentation was held on Armenian History by Fr. Arsen Barsamian.
9. On October 6, a reception was held to welcome the Honorable Lazar Sutjian, the Minister of Religious Affairs of the Republic of Armenia. We thank Col. Mourad and Mrs. Lillian Mouradian for speaking to us about their experiences in Armenia before the minister arrived.
10. On October 20, Prof. Armine Keuchgerian, the Exec. Director of the Canadian Diocese, gave a lecture on the literary accomplishments - poetry & hymns, of St. Nerses Shnorhali and St. Krikor Narekatzi.
11. Whenever possible, on first Tuesdays of each month we have had Literary Circle Meetings discussing different poetry and poets.

In conclusion, we thank Der Hayr and Yeretzgin for their untiring efforts to keep this organization serving the various interests and needs of our community. This multi-facated organization should be supported fully, so that it can live up to the challenges it faces in the years to come.

Respectfully Submitted


The Executive Committee

A.C.Y.O.A. JRS. REPORT - 1995

During the month of January, ACYOA Jrs. met twice and planned activities for the year with Yeretzgin as the Youth Director - Counselor.

1. On February 3, over thirty members went on a ski trip which proved to be most enjoyable. We thank Varoujan Varoujanian, Mr. Mike Mehranian, and Greg Murad for chaperoning us.
2. On February 18, our members put on a play for Vartanantz at the Vartanantz celebration jointly held by the Knights of Vartan.
3. On February 11, we had a Family Fun Nite with a variety of games & delicious food.
4. On February 25, we had our annual Paregentan Dance which is always enjoyed by all.
5. On March 11, a few of us attended the Choir Seminar Workshop led by Maestro Khoren Meikhanedjian.
6. March 15- On Palm Sunday, assigned as ACYOA Day by the Diocese, we served a dinner & offered a short program.
7. On May 14, our annual Mother's Day Dinner & Program was a big success.
8. On September 17 & 24, we had executive committee & membership meetings in preparation for future activities.
9. On October 15, ACYOA members & parents attended an excellent lecture-discussion session entitled "Who is a Good Christian" by Nairi Ohanian. Following the lecture there was a meeting in preparation for "Capital Hye Time" weekend in Washington.
10. On October 28, Mrs. Rita Tavitian took some of us on a guided tour of the Library of Congress. We would like to thank her very much for volunteering to help us with cultural activities.
11. On November 17-19 weekend, our first "Capital Hye Time," when we had Baltimore, Richmond, and some Soorp Khatch youth join us for an educational religious and social weekend. It was a huge success and we are all looking forward for the next year's "Hye Time."
12. We are very grateful to Dean Shahinian who conducted classes on the Armenian Church, our faith, & history, every single Sunday from 11 am- 12 pm. Our sincere thanks and gratitude to him. We would like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Stepan & Susan Ohanian, and Mr. & Mrs. Alfred & Janel Moosakhanian for their hospitality and the good time they let us enjoy at their homes. Unfortunately, our Christmas caroling was canceled because of bad weather
13. The "Merit Award for Armenian Religious & Cultural Education" program is ongoing. We hope to have a few of our members receive this award on the occasion of the 60th anniversary celebration of our church.

In conclusion, we would like to express our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to Yeretzgin for planning and guiding us in all our activities, for the long hours of organizing and patiently seeing them through. Out thanks to Der Hayr for his leadership, fatherly advice, friendship, and support. We also thank our parents who participated and supported our activities.

Respectfully,


The Executive Committee

ACYOA FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1995

INCOME

Ski Trip Fees	\$ 985.00
Paregentan Dance	795.00
Palm Sunday (ACYOA Day)	45.00
Bake sale	82.00
Mother's Day	660.00
Oklahoma City Fund	98.07

Hye-Time Dinner Dance	3,479.00
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Interest	65.24
Donation for Homeless	<u>50.00</u>

TOTAL	\$ 7,050.36
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Balance at hand 11/95	
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TOTAL INCOME 1995	
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TOTAL EXPENSES 1995	
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BALANCE AT HAND 1996	
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EXPENSES

Ski Trip	\$ 1,446.36
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Paregentan Dance	319.84
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Donations (needy Family)	100.00
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Check re-order	19.25
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Gospel Mission Donation	50.00
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American Red Cross	125.00
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(for Oklahoma City)	
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Transfer of funds to	4,500.00
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St. Mary's	
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Hye Time Dinner Dance	1,228.47
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Donation to SOME	<u>50.00</u>
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\$ 8,190.89

\$ 2,587.27

<u>7,050.31</u>

\$ 9,437.58

<u>\$ 8,190.58</u>

<u>\$ 8,190.58</u>

\$ 1,446.69

Audited on 02/04/96 by Raffi Karahisar

THREE 'M' FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1995

INCOME

Palm Sunday lunch	\$ 500.00
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Madagh Donations	405.00
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Art Work sale	580.00
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Game Fun Night	1,881.00
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Interest	<u>77.99</u>
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TOTAL	\$ 3,443.99
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BALANCE AT HAND 01/01/95	
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INCOME 1995	
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TOTAL	
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EXPENSES 1995	
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BALANCE AT HAND 01/01/96	
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EXPENSES

Transfer of Funds to St. Mary's	\$ 3,000.00
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Madagh (little Giant Rest.)	400.00
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Gyalamirian, Armen	406.00
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(reimbursement to artist)	
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Game Fun Night	<u>1,154.43</u>
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\$ 4,960.43

\$ 2,879.58

<u>3,443.99</u>

\$ 6,443.99

\$ 4,960.43

\$ 1,363.14

Audited on 02/04/96 by Raffi Karahisar

ST. MARY'S CHOIR 1995 TREASURE'S REPORT

Balance as of 12/31/95		\$ 1,270.00
<u>INCOME</u>		
Christmas Collection	\$ 305.00	
Baltimore Association	146.54	
Donation	250.00	
Easter Collection	505.00	
Calendar Donation	5.00	
Luncheon	360.00	
Dinner-Dance	2,700.09	
Interest	<u>38.16</u>	
	\$4,309.79	
<u>EXPENSES</u>		
Shelves in Choir Room	100.00	
Books	45.00	
Workshop Transportation	94.00	
HAVAD Fund	100.00	
Calendar Project	100.00	
Frame	37.50	
Ani Choral Booklet	100.00	
Ani Choral Flowers	100.00	
Luncheon - Lucy Nalbandian	275.41	
Gift for Lucy Nalbandian	73.00	
AACCA Donation	<u>100.00</u>	
Painting Choir Room	300.00	
Convention Delegate Transportation	150.00	
Dinner-Dance	1,111.55	
Christmas Musicians	<u>150.00</u>	
	\$ 2,836.46	
Net Income		\$ 1,473.66
Checkbook Balance as of 12/31/95		\$ 2,744.41
Submitted by Clara Andonian - Treasurer		

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