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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y. PH. 315-422-9047

April 22,1989

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Ave. New York, N.Y., 10016-4885

Your Eminence: In compliance with your letter of April 14,1989, the Listing of the newly elected officers of the Parish council(Exec) is submitted as follows:

CHAIRMAN	Monoog mikaelian	1507 E. Fayette St,, Syracuse, N.Y., 13210,	Рн	.315/474-0373
VICE CHMN.	HARRY PARNAGIAN	651 Helen St. Syracuse,N.Y., 13208	Н 0	" 479-9898 " 422-5138
Treasurer	Angel Khanzadian	107 McDonald Rd. Syracuse,N.Y., 13215	H O	" 472-1577 " 425-8390
Secretary	Steve Khanzadian	5085 Bradbury Dr. Syracuse, N.Y., 13215	н 0	″ 469-3258 ″ 469-3258
Secretary Corresp.	RichardRoomian	6938 Lakeside Rd. Ontario, N.Y., 14519	H O	″ 524-7454 716/422-8100

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED Moroof mikaele

Monoos Mikaelian Chmn. Parish Council



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Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

Թիւ 30801 Ապրիլ 14, 1989

Մեծայարգ Տիար Մանուկ Միքայէլեան Ս. Պօղոս Եկեղեցւոյ Ծիւական Խորհուրդի Ատենապետ Սիրաքիւս.

Յարգելի Տիար Միքայէլեան,

Ստացած ենք Եկեղեցւոյդ տեղեկագիրը, որով կը հաղորդուի թէ Փետրուար 5-ին գումարուած համայնքիդ Ծխական Ժողովին մէջ կատարուած է Ծխական Խորհուրդի հինգ անդամոց ընտրութիւնը, եւ ներկայացնելով քուէարկութեան արդիւնքը՝ կը խնդրուի ընտրուած անձերու վաւերացման պաշտօնագիրը։

Այսու գիրով կը վաւերացնենք Ծխական Խորհուրդի նորընտիր անդամները, ըստ ստորեւ տրուած ցանկին։

Հաճեցէք փութով Առաջնորդարան ղրկել Ծխական Խորհուրդի նորընտիր դիւանի անդամոց անունները, հասցէները եւ հեռաձայնի թիւերը։

Օրհնելով Ծխական Խորհուրդի նոր կազմը՝ կը մաղթենք յաջող եւ արդիւնաւոր գործունէութեան տարի մը, ի պայծառութիւն Ս. Եկեղեցւոյ եւ ի հոգեւոր շինութիւն համայնքիդ մեր սիրեցեալ ժողովուրդին։

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TYSHOOL - PARISH NEWSLETTER ST. PAULS ARMENIAN CHURCH 312 NORTH GEDDES ST. SYRACUSE, N.Y., 13204

Rev. Fr. Kegham Zakarian, Pastor Church Office: (315)422-9047

Addressee

Coffee Hour after Divine Liturgy Sunday Services - 10:30a.m. OCTOBER Sun, 2 Divine Liturgy Women's Guild Meeting Sat. 8 Choir Workshop - Rochester, Contact Virginia Saxenian for details. Sun. 23 Divine Liturgy Dinner - Sponsored by Parish Council - Program - Armenia (Video Tape) Annual Tri-Cities Dinner Dance - Rochester, N.Y. Sat. 29 Sun. 30 Tri-Cities Council Breakfast-Meeting Lecture by Mr.A. Chelebian, after Badarak. NOVEMBER Sat. 12 Annual Fall Bazaar - Sponsored by the Womens Guild Sun. 13 Divine Liturgy Women's Guild Meeting DECEMBER Sun. 4 Divine Liturgy Dinner - Sponsored by the Women's Guild Sun, 25 Divine Liturgy, "MERRY CHRISTMAS" MEETINGS Parish Council - 1st THURSDAY of the month - Parish Office - 7:30 P.M. Women's Guild - After Sunday Liturgy - Church Hall - 12:30 P.M. ROCHESTER - St.Thomas,2000 Highland Av, NIAGARA FALLS - St Sarkis,300 Ninth St. Sun. - October 9th Sun. - October 16th Sun. - October 30th Sun. - November 6th Sun. - November 20th Sun. - November 27th Sun. - December 11th Sun. - December 18th REGIONAL DIOCESAN MEETING: at St. Sarkis Church, Niagara Falls, Sat. Nov. 5th., for Clergy and Delegates from Watervliet, Syracuse, Binghamton, Rochester and Niagara Falls Support the TRI-CITIES COUNCIL DINNER DANCE in Rochester Sat. October 29th. Plan to attend this Annual event. The proceeds help our three churches cover our clergy Stipend and Expenses. Call Harry Parnagian for details. ***** "MY KINSMAN PROGRAM" ***** Be a "Volunteer Kinsman", Invite an Armenian student attending a local college into your home. Call Parish Coordinator, Robert Koolakian or Susan Shagalian. ******

SUNDAY SERVICES: June, July, and August attendance was small, consisting mostly of our "Faithful Senior Citizen Parishioners". Now that the Autumn season is here and presumably everyone has returned from their summer vacations, attendance should improve. Your council has scheduled Church Services, Sunday Dinner Programs and has coordinated this activity with the Women's guild and our other church organizations. The schedule to date, which is listed on page 1, hopefully, will provide ample notice for our parishioners and friends to plan attending church and associated functions.

ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC: held July 17th, was the main activity sponsored by your council during the summer. Rainy conditions did not discourage attendance by our Parishioner, Armenian and 'Odar' friends, and including those from the Binghamton and Rochester churches. The 'Shish Kebob' dinner as usual, was outstanding. A good time was had by all. Thank You, Ara & Gary Saxenian, Angele & Karl Gozigian, Rose Lowe, Rose DiMatteo, Joe Trinca, Art & Barbara VanGelder and Ed Menasian, our cooks and helpers for your part in making the picnic a success.

CHURCH GUIDELINES: for Membership, Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals, Facilities Usage are in the update process, hear completion. Distribution is scheduled in October. These guidelines explain procedures, requirements, expense obligations for both members and non members.

TRI-CITIES CHURCH COUNCIL MEETINGS: were attended in Rochester, June 15th and Sept.14th. Agendas covered; Badarak Schedules, Tri-City Budget, Discussion and Planning of Events to enhance the council treasury, New Business, Problems, Accomplishments within the Parishes, etc. to date, The council is working effectively and is accomplishing it's "Prime Mission" to assure that the three parishes, Syracuse-Rochester-Niagara Falls, are able to meet the "Shared Financial Obligations" necessary to retain our "Tri-Cities Priest. The fraternalship, interchange of ideas and resolution of common problems have been enlightining and useful in meeting council objectives.

The next Council meeting is to be held in Rochester, Oct. 30th, the morning after the annual Tri-Cities Dinner Dance.

CONGRATULATIONS: Karl Gozigian" past chairman and current council advisor, who "Retired" in August. We wish you many Happy and Healthy years.

Now that the long, hot summer is behind us and we enter the Fall season, the the Women have regained their stride and are back on schedule, holding regular meetings, planning activities, encouraging new memmbership, etc.

The 'Annual Bazaar', a 'Sunday Dinner', and the 'Christmas Brunch' are currently scheduled events through the end of this year.

Religious education classes for children, ages 4 to 12, are scheduled to begin during October. Registration will be from 10:30a.m. to 12:30p.m., Sunday October 2nd, in the church hall. If you have a child you wish to enter but are unable to be present registration day, "Register by Phone", call Sunday School Superintendent, Angel Khanzadian.

Are you interested in learning the Armenian Language? Is it your desire to have your children gain a broadened intellectual background? Bo you consider learning about your heritage important for you and your children? 'Yes', means you are expressing an apparent need for our School to be re-opened. Call Carol Columbus, School Superintendent, advise her of your interest.

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Is a "Reach Out" program for College Students Living Away from Home. Our Primate invites members of our parish to participate in this Diocesean sponsored program. His message: "May God bless your endeavors to enrich the lives our young family members by extending your warmth and hospitality in the traditional ways of our Armenian culture and Christian beliefs. You are the pioneers. This unselfish service exemplifies a way of life true to our Lord's teachings. We are one family in Christ carrying out the will of our Father. The "My Kinsman Program" will serve as a vital arm of Christian outreach. As Armenian Christians, we are one family, we are the Kinsman of the Greater Armenian Family".

There are many college level institutions in the Central New York Area, ie: S.U., O.C.C., Le Moyne, Cornell, Ithaca, S.U.N.Y.- Oswego & Cortland, and others. Lets us all welcome these students into our community. Call your Parish Coordinator, Robert Koolakian or Susan Shagalian and tell them you wish to be a 'Volunteer Kinsman'. Invite a student into your home, share a family dinner, inform them about church and community activities, etc. You may have a son or daughter, or know of a local young Armenian who is, or will be attending a college located within the geographic area of our Diocese. Provide details to the Parish Coordinator who will forward the apppropriate data to the Diocesean Coordinators, who in turn will provide this information to the parish located nearest to the college.

******* 90th Anniversary of our Diocese ******* Will be celebrated this fall, with festivities at Diocesan Headquarters and elsewhere. In conjunction with this milestone, and in anticipation of even a greater 100th Anniversary in 1998, parishes are being asked to provide a history of their community from inception to present. We are forwarding a copy of our 25th Anniversary Booklet and later pertinent details. If you have any significant details, photographs or other material, please inform a parish council member.

The latest information we have on the Soultanian Family, Armenian Refugees from Iran, whom our parish is sponsoring thru the Syracuse Area Interreligious Council and the Federal Refugee Program, is that nephew Patris, Age 14, will be joining them. Federal Program Funds have been exhausted for the current fiscal year, quotas have been cut back and we have no arrival schedule. It is likely that we will receive a status and schedule report after the 1st of October, the beginning of the new fiscal year when new appropriations and quotas are released. We are responsible to accomodate this family of five, with an apartment for three months, including housewares. Parishioners and friends who were not aware of the Program and Fund collection, which was conducted last February, may wish to participate in this Humanitarian effort. Contributions should be made to: St. Pauls Armenian Church, Refugee Fund.

"Volunteer Interpreters" will be needed to assist each family member, during the initial Indoctrination and Learning period. The Soultanians speak Armenian and Farsi languages. Keep their household needs in mind and save those items such as; Bedding, Tables, Chairs, Kitchen wares, etc. you may wish to donate. Parish Coordinator, Mike Mikaelian, should be contacted to answer questions concerning any aspect of this program.

"Reach Out and Touch Someone" who is unable to be active in community life due to sickness, problems or other reasons. Call them, or a make a visit, let them know you care. Inform chairperson "Araxie Chookasian", Fr. Kegham, or a council member about them.

*** Practice your Christian Teachings ** Help Thy Neighbor ** Attend Church ***

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Seminarian, Michael Findikian, from St. Nersses will be in Rochester, October 8th & 9th(Sat. & Sun.), to conduct a "Choir Workshop". Choir members and Parishioners interested in attending should notify Virginia Saxenian, no later than Sept. 30th.

***************** ANNUAL VISITATION **************

Father Khegham has scheduled his annual visit to parishioners homes for the '88-'89 yr. to begin during October. Visits will be scheduled in alphabetical order. He will notify you three weeks in advance of the day he plans to visit. Father normally arrives in Syracuse on the Friday prior to Sunday Services and returns to Rochester after the Liturgy or other scheduled activity on Sunday. He can be reached Friday thru Sunday, at the Church Office(422-9047), or at his his room at Le Moyne Manor Motel (457-1240).

VISITORS: "Mrs. Geo. Arslanian", a former parishioner who resides in California met with friends at a luncheon party at home of Mrs. Rose Ajemian.

"Steve Saxenian", was in town recently visiting family and friends.

'Aram' and 'George' Jigarjian were in town to attend their High School Class Reunion.

Angel Khanzadian had a busy summer with out of town visitors - Daughter "Karen" and her New born, - Sister "Adrienne" and her family, Aunt "Elizabeth", and Cousin "Lorig" and her family.

'George Gozigian' retired recently, sold his house and will be touring the U.S. with 'Jean', in their new motor home.

"Ann Boghosian" and brother "Harry" were in town.

Pardon us if we missed yours. Research time was limited. Inform us for the next issue.

****** CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS AND COMMITTES *****

PARISH COUNCIL

Monoog Mikaelian Harry Parnagian Angele Khanzadian Carol Columbus Steve Khanzadian Richard Roomian Donald Shagalian Karl Gozigian

Chmn. V. Chmn. Treas. Assít. Treas. *Rec. Sec.* Corr. Sec. Member Aduiser WOMEN'S GUILD Judy Koolakian Virginia Chookasian Nevart Boghosian Carol Columbus Joanna Shagalian Araxie Chookasian

Chmn. Vice Chmn. Treas. Assít. Treas. *Rec. Sec.* Corr. Sec.

PARISH PRIEST: Very Rev. Fr Kegham Zakarian (422-9047) DEACON: Harry Parnagian (479-9898) DIOCESEAN DELGATE: Harry Parnagian (479-9898) CHOIR DIRECTOR: Virginia Saxenian (479-6962) WOMEN'S GUILD: Judy Koolakian (457-2729) SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPT: Angele Khanzadian (472-1577) ARMENIAN SCHOOL SUPT:: Carol Columbus (488-4437) MENS CLUB: Karl Gozigian (468-3123) BUILDING MAINTENANCE: Steve Khanzadian (469-3258) ENDOWMENT FUND: Donald Shagalian (682-7517) REFUGEE PROGRAM: Monoog Mikaelian (474-0373) MY KINSMAN PROGRAM: Robert Koolakian (446-1458), Susan Shagalian (682-9789) SUNSHINE PROGRAM: Araxie Chookasian (446-6939) NYSHOOL EDITOR & STAFF: Monoog Mikaelian (446-6939) YSHOOL EDITOR & STAFF: Monoog Mikaelian (446-6939)

NYSHOOL: Volunteer reporters, suggestions and news items are welcomed.

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

April 6, 1987

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian - Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016-4885

Your Eminence,

Per the recent Parish Council election results, please note the following positions for the 1987-1988 fiscal year:

> Donald Shaghalian - Chairman Harry Parnagian Angele Khanzadian - Treasurer Richard Roomian - Corr./Secretary Steve Khanzadian Hermine Roomian Monoog Mikaelian - Asst./Treasurer

- Vice Chairman - Recording/Secretary

- Asst./Treasurer

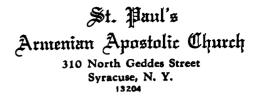
Respectfully submitted,

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- R. H. Roomian Corr./Secy.
- c: S. Tarpinian H. Ohanian Syracuse Parish Council Members File



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March 26, 1988

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016-4885

Your Eminence:

Parish Council officers elected to serve for the new year are as follows:

> Monoog Mikaelian - Chairman Harry Parnagian - Treasurer Angele Khanzadian Steve Khanzadian Richard Roomian - Asst. Treasurer - Asst. Treasurer Carol Columbus Donald Shaghalian

- Vice Chairman - Recording Secretary - Corresponding Secretary

Respectfully submitted,

Donald R. Shaghalian



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Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

Фр. 30370 Umpun 3, 1988

Մեծայարգ Տիար Տանըլտ Օաղալեան Ս. Պօղոս Եկեղեցւոյ Ծխական Խորհուրդի Ատենապետ Սիրաբիւս.

Յարգելի Տիար Շաղալեան,

Ստացած ենք Եկեղեցւոյդ տեղեկագիրը, որով կը հաղորդուի թէ Յունուար 17ին գումարուած համայնքիդ Եխական Ժողովին մէջ կատարուած է Ծխական Խորհուրդի չորս անդամոց ընտրութիւնը, եւ ներկայացուելով քուէարկութեան արդիւնքը՝ կը խնդրուի ընտրուած անձերու վաւերացման պաշտօնագիրը:

Այսու գիրով կը վաւերացնենք Ծխական Խորհուրդի նորընտիր անդամները, ըստ ստորեւ տրուած ցանկին։

Հանեցէք փութով Առաջնորդարան ըրկել Ծխական Խորհուրդի նորընտիր դիւանի անդամոց անունները, հասցէները եւ հեռաձայնի թիւերը։

Օրհնելով Ծիսական Խորհուրդի նոր կազմը՝ կը մաղթենք յաջող եւ արդիւնաւոր գործունէութեան տարի մը, ի պայծառութիւն Ս. Եկեղեցւոյ եւ ի հոգեւոր շինութիւն համայնքիդ մեր սիրեցեալ ժողովուրդին։

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Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

Թիւ 29986 Նոյեմբեր 18, 1986

Հոզեշնորና S. Գեղամ ծ. Վրղ. Զաքարեան Հովիւ Ս. Պօղոս Եկեղեցւոյ Նախագահ ծխական Խորհուրդի Սիրազիւս.

Սիրելի Հայր Գեղամ,

Այսու գիրով կը յայտնենք որ համայնքիդ պատգամաւորին պաշտօնավարու– Թեան շրջանը լրացած է, եւ պէտք է ընտրուԹիւն կատարէք նոր պատգամաւորի եւ անոր անձնափոխանորդին համար, Թեմական ԿանոնադրուԹեան 14-4 եւ 54 յօղուածներուն համաձայն, եւ 1985 տարուան համայնքիդ տեղեկագրին մէջ արձանագրուած տրատու անդամներու Թիւին հիման վրայ։

Կը յանձնարարենք որ ձեր նորընտիր պատգամաւորին անունը եւ հասցէն Առաջնըրդարան ղրկէք ամենէն ուշը մինչեւ Փետրուար 15, 1987, որպէս զի կարելի ըլլայ հրաւիրել զինք Թեմական Պատգամաւորական Ժողովին, որ տեղի պիտի ունենայ Մայիս 7-9, 1987, ՀինգշաբԹի, ՈւրբաԹ եւ ՇաբաԹ օրերը` հիւըընկալուԹեամբ Սփրինկֆիլտ Մասսաչուսէցի Ս. Մարկոս Հայց. Եկեղեցւոյ։

Կը Թելադրենք որ նորընտիր պատգամաւորին ինքնուԹիւնը հաստատող վըկայազիրը Հոգեւոր Հովիւին, ծխական Խորհուրդի ատենապետին եւ ատենադպիրին կողմէ ստորագրուած` Առանորդարան ղրկէք համայնքիդ Անդամական Ժողովի տեղեկագիրներուն հետ։

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Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

TRANSLATION OF A LETTER SENT BY HIS EMINENCE ARCHBISHOP TORKOM MANOOGIAN REGARDING THE ELECTION OF DELEGATES

Dear

The term of the Diocesan delegate (s) of your parish has expired, and it is necessary for you to hold an election both for delegate and alternates, according to article 14-C and 54 of the Diocesan Bylaws.

We urge that the names and addresses of your newly elected delegates and alternates be sent to the Diocesan Office not later than February 15, 1986 so that we may be able to send them formal invitations to our annual Diocesan Assembly which will be held on May 7-9, 1987. The host parish is the St. Mark Armenian Church of Springfield, Mass.

Certification of the election of your delegates, signed by the pastor, and the chairman and secretary of the parish council, should be sent to the Diocesan headquarters for confirmation.

We enclose herewith a copy of the certificate to be mailed to the diocese in the Armenian and English languages.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

November 18, 1986

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Date _____

This is to certify that ______ is a member in good standing of the ______ Armenian Church; and was duly elected a Diocesan Delegate by the General Assembly on ______.

Parish Council Secretary Parish Council Chairman Parish Priest

October 1, 1986

Dr. Ara Volkan Treasurer St. Paul Armenian Church 310 N. Geddes St. Syracuse, NY 13204

Dear Dr. Volkan:

The parish assessment account of St. Paul Armenian Church shows an outstanding balance of \$633 for the months of July, August and September, 1986.

We appreciate your immediate attention to this matter.

With prayers,

Fr. Khajag Barsamian Vicar General

July 25, 1936

Very Reverend Father Kegham Zakarian St. Paul Armenian Church 310 N. Geddes St. Syracuse, MY 13204

Dear Father Kegham:

As of this date, your parish dues account shows an outstanding balance of \$741, for the month(s) of May, June and July.

Surely you must be aware that the Parish Assessments are a major source of our income, and that without your prompt remittance of the same, the Diocese is in the embarrassing position of not meeting its obligations.

The Parish Assessments, as established by the Assembly, are payable on the first of the month. As of this writing, there is \$72,000.00 outstanding, a most deplorable situation.

l ask for your urgent payment. Should you have already submitted such payment, please disregard this notice.

Respectfully,

Sarkis Bedevian Treasurer Diocesan Council

cc: Chairman

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DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016-4885 212 686-0710

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

Թhι 29256 Մարտ 26, 1986

Մեծայարգ Տիար Տանըլտ Շաղալեան Ս. Պօղոս Հայց. Եկեղեցւոյ ծխական Խորհուրղի Ատենապետ Սիրաքիւս.

Յարզելի Տիար Շաղալեան,

Ստացած ենք Եկեղեցւոյդ տեղեկագիրը, որով կը ՙաղորդուի Թէ Փետրուար 9ին գումարուած ՙամայնքիդ ծխական Ժողովին մէջ կատարուած է ծխական Խորՙուրդի չորս անդամոց ընտրուԹիւնը, եւ Ներկայացուելով քուէարկուԹեան արդիւնքը՝ կը խնդրուի ընտրուած անձերու վաւերացման պաշտօնագիրը։

Այսու զիրով կը վաւերացնենք ծխական Խորհուրդի նորընտիր անդամները, ըստ ստորեւ տրուած ցանկին։

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Ορίνειση δωωίων υπρίστρη υπη μωανίο μα σωηθεύε μωνος ει ωρηριώωτης απρόπιντητθεών σως νη τη μωιδωπητθηίν Ο. Ομείατης ει η ίσαμτης γρυπτθριν ίωνωινερη σες υροεσως σησησικής:

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Mr. Michael Kermian Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York City, N.Y. 10016-4885

February 8, 1986

Mike, per the Archbishop's request, we sent a fourth quarter 1985 BADARAK schedule to him last July. Included in the same memo, we requested a copy of the Diocese's organizational chart, which we believed would have been extremely beneficial in assisting us in the subject of communications.

I would greatly appreciated it if you would send me a copy.

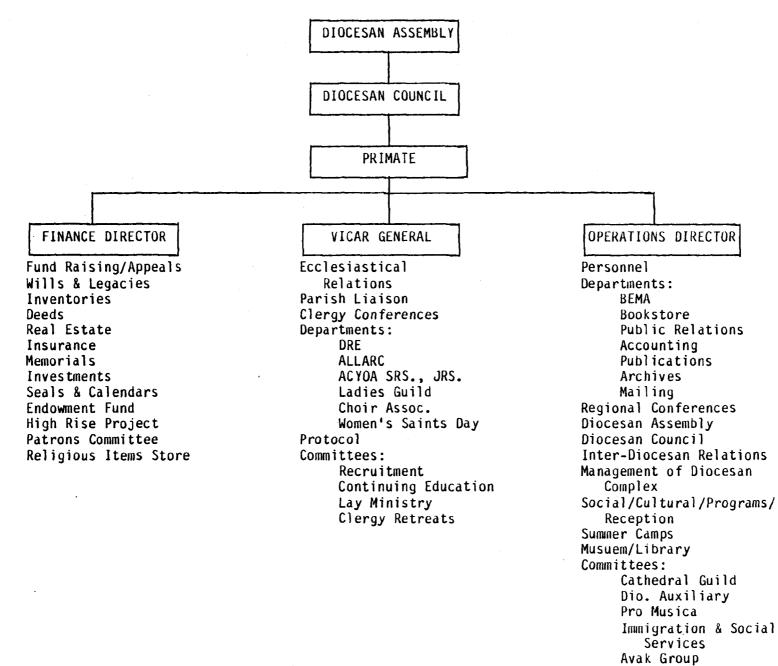
Thank you very much, and best regards to you and your family.

Respectfully, man

R.H.Roomian - Corr./Secy. 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, New York 14519



DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF NORTH AMERICA



November 18, 1985

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Mr. Donald Shagalian Chairman of the Parish Council St. Paul Armenian Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, NY 13204

Dear Mr. Shagalian:

Thank you for sending us a copy of the minutes of the parish council meeting held on September 20 in Syracuse.

For future reference, please note that in the minutes the Very Rev. Fr. Kegham Zakarian should be referred to as president of the parish council since he is the pastor of the parish. The word "presided" should follow his name.

May the Lord bless you and your loved ones always with His love and wisdom.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, N. Y.

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Minutes of Meeting - Sept., 20, 1985

1. The meeting was called to order at 7:55 P.M. by Chairman Donald Shaghalian. Also in attendance were Steve Khanzadian, Ara Volkan, Karl Gozigian, Zarm Taft, and Fr. Kegham Zakarian.

2. <u>Correspondence</u>: The Chairman read a letter from the Archbishop requesting that a copy of the minutes of each Parish Council meeting be sent to the Diocese. It was agreed that this would be done after the minutes had been typed, read at the next meeting, and accepted.

A letter from Victor Arzoomanian concerning an educational program for church members regarding the ACEF was read. It was decided not to be a participant in this program.

A letter was read and posted regarding a commemorative medallion.

A letter from St. Gregory's in Binghamton was read and posted about their fall dance.

3. <u>Old Business</u>: It was agreed that Fr. Kegham will now reside at the Lemoyne Manor during the weeks he is in Syracuse. A letter will be sent to Mrs. O'Reilly telling her that we will not be using the apartment.

A decision was made to repair and reroof the steeple and to commission a new cross for the church.

4. <u>Treasurer's Report</u>: Ara Volkan read the Treasurer's Report and stated that we made a profit of \$1,200.00 on the picnic.

5. <u>New Business</u>: A motion was made to reduce the size of the Parish Council from nine to seven members. It was agreed that this would have to be brought up at the annual Parish Assembly.

A decision was made to entertain bids on a new heating system from Healy Plumbing, Heaphy Heating, and Charles Heating.

Parish Council meetings were scheduled for Oct. 25, Nov. 29, and Dec. 20.

A letter will be sent to the Women's Guild giving them a schedule of church services for the rest of the year to help them to schedule coffee hours.

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, N. Y. 13204

For Oct. 27 it was decided to have a dinner and program after church services. Prof. Ara Volkan agreed to give a lecture after dinner as part of our Cultural Day activities.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

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Donald Shaghalian

Chairman



July 30, 1985

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Mr. Donald Shaghalian Chairman of the Parish Council St. Paul Armenian Church 310 N. Geddes Street Syracuse, NY 13204

Dear Mr. Shaghalian:

We have received your letter of July 15, and are pleased to learn that the members of the parish council are meeting regularly, and commend the efforts made by you and the committee members to establish a spiritual and community life for Armenians living in your area. It would be appreciated if copies of the minutes from each of your meetings are forwarded to us so that we may keep abreast of your activities.

Thank you also for sending us the schedule for the months of June, July and August for Fr. Kegham Zakarian whom we have assigned to serve as pastor for the Niagara Falls, Syracuse and Rochester area parishes. We have not assigned Fr. Kegham to serve the above areas for a period of one year only and, therefore, the arrangements made on his behalf are not for a one-year period.

May the Lord bless you and your loved ones always with His love and wisdom.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

cc. Fr. Kegham Zakarian

July 15, 1985

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian - Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016-4885

Dear Surpazan Hayr,

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To date, several meetings have been held by the "Armenian Churches of Western New York" which includes the parishes of Niagara Falls, NY; Syracuse, NY; and the Armenian community of Rochester, NY. You have assigned Very Rev. Kegham Zakarian to serve as parish priest for this area.

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The three churches have agreed on a stipend with Father Zakarian and are sharing the expenses (as well as the church services) on the following basis for a one year period ending April 30, 1986:

Niagara Falls,	NY	-	40%
Syracuse, NY		-	40%
Rochester, NY		-	20%

The churches have also agreed that Father Zakarian's main residence shall be in Rochester since they are in need of full organization in order to establish a working parish. Therefore, this necessitates that the parishes of Niagara Falls and Syracuse take on the additional cost of providing Father Zakarian's lodging, etc. when he visits these respective parishes.

The three churches have agreed on the following schedule for the months of June, July, and August:

June 2 - Niagara Falls June 9 - Rochester June 16 - Niagara Falls June 23 - Syracuse June 30 - Syracuse July 7 - Niagara Falls July 14 - Rochester July 21 - Syracuse July 28 - Niagara Falls August 4 - Syracuse August 11 - Niagara Falls August 18 - Syracuse August 25 - Niagara Falls

The schedule for the balance of the year will be made at the joint meeting to be held in July.

It has also been agreed that Father Kegham will spend Tuesday and Wednesday of each week in Rochester. He will then travel on Thursday to the parish where he will be celebrating BADARAK. He will leave that parish on Sunday and have Mondays off.

Also, a bank account has been opened in Rochester under the name of "Armenian Churches of Western New York". At the beginning of the quarter, each church deposits their 3-month share of expenses into this account, and checks are subsequently drawn to pay Hayr Soorp and all other expenses.

If you have any questions regarding our procedures, or if any of the above does not meet with your approval, please let us know as soon as possible.

Wishing you a very pleasant summer.

Sincerely, Sema Tarpinlan, Chairma Parish Council

Niagara Falls, NY

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Richard Roomian, Corr/Secy Parish Council Syracuse, NY

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

July 16, 1985

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian - Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016-4885

Your Eminence, we have completed the 1985 BADARAK schedule for Father Kegham, with his assistance, at the tri-cities mini-conference, July 11, 1985. The schedule is as follows:

SEPTEMBER

Sunday 1st - Syracuse Sunday 8th - Rochester Sunday 15th - Niagara Falls Sunday 22nd - Syracuse Sunday 29th - Niagara Falls

OCTOBER

Sunday 6th - Syracuse Sunday 13th - Rochester Sunday 20th - Niagara Falls Sunday 27th - Syracuse

NOVEMBER

Sunday 3rd - Niagara Falls Sunday 10th - Rochester Sunday 17th - Syracuse Sunday 24th - Niagara Falls

DECEMBER

Sunday 1st - Syracuse Sunday 8th - Niagara Falls Sunday 15th - Rochester Sunday 22nd - Syracuse Sunday 29th - Niagara Falls Additionally, we would like to request a copy of the Diocese's organization chart. It would be extremely beneficial in assisting us in the subject of communications.

Thank you very much.

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Respectfully,

R. H. Roomian - Corr./Secy.

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y. 13204

July 9, 1985

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian - Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016-4885

Your Eminence, due to some changes in Father Kegham's original itinerary of April 3, 1985, we have revised the summer BADARAK schedule as follows:

Sunday - July 14 - Rochester Sunday - July 21 - Syracuse Sunday - July 28 - Niagara Falls Sunday - August 4 - Syracuse Sunday - August 11 - Niagara Falls Sunday - August 18 - Syracuse Sunday - August 25 - Niagara Falls

Additionally, the officers of each church in the upstate tricities are as follows:

St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, NY 13204

Mr. Don Shaghalian - Chrmn. 4605 Pauli Drive Manlius, NY 13104

Mr. Harry Parnagian - Vice Chrmn. 651 Helen Street Syracuse, NY 13203

Dr. Ara Volkan - Treas. 500 Standish Drive Syracuse, NY 13224 St. Paul's (cont'd)

Mr. Karl Gozigian - Asst/Treas. 105 Wynnfield Drive Syracuse, NY 13219

Mr. A. Panjarjian - Asst/Treas. 105 St. Anne Drive Apt. #42B Syracuse, NY 13206

Mr. Richard H. Roomian - Corr/Secy. 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, NY 14519

Mr. Steve Khanzadian - Rec/Secy. 150 Richfield Avenue Syracuse, NY 13205

Mr. Robert Chengerian - Advisor 721 Seeley Road Syracuse, NY 13224

Mr. Zarm Taft - Advisor 1326 Midland Avenue Syracuse, NY 13205

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Zakar (Pete) and Pearl Shakarjian 64 Bayknoll Road Rochester, NY 14622 Tel. 467-2746

Yeghia and Jacqueline Tanajian 14 Barbie Drive Rochester, NY 14626 Tel. 227-0565

Tod Timmel 3 Maple Leaf Circle Penfield, NY 14526 Tel. 377-1499

Istepan and Juliet Tokat 29 Burwell Road Rochester, NY 14617 Tel. 544-0681

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Mr. Arsen Avdoian - Vice Chrmn. 503 - 16th Street Niagara Falls, NY 14301 (716) 282-3386 Home (716) 285-7561 Business

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Mrs. Helen Flinchum - Rec/Secy. 541 - 9th Street Niagara Falls, NY 14301 (716) 285-1029 Home

Mr. John Kartalian - Advisor 545 Memorial Pkwy. Niagara Falls, NY 14301 (716) 282-3487

Respectfully submitted,

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R. H. Roomian - Corr/Secy.



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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

April 3, 1985

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian - Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016-4885

Your Eminence, according to the agreements of the March 23rd Regional Conference, held in Syracuse, N.Y., the following 1985 schedule has been developed for the Very Rev. Kegham Zakarian. Although only BADARAK dates are shown, Father Kegham is expected to remain in the community of assignment at least 3 days, not including his day off (Monday). The three parishes are agreeable to the schedule and believe it will be most beneficial to all, through the summer. The tri-city parishes will meet again prior to finalizing the remainder of the schedule.

> Sunday - May 12 - Rochester Sunday - May 19 - Niagara Falls Sunday - May 26 - Syracuse Sunday - June 2 - Niagara Falls Sunday - June 9 - Rochester Sunday - June 16 - Niagara Falls

> Sunday - June 23 - Syracuse Sunday - June 30 - Niagara Falls

> Sunday - July 7 - Syracuse Sunday - July 14 - Rochester Sunday - July 21 - Niagara Falls Sunday - July 28 - Syracuse

Sunday - August 4 - Niagara Falls Sunday - August 11 - Syracuse Sunday - August 18 - Niagara Falls Sunday - August 25 - Syracuse

Respectfully Submitted,

R. H. Roomian - Corr./Secy.

copies: Very Rev. Father Kegham Zakarian Parish Council Members: Syracuse Rochester Niagara Falls

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TIME TABLE FOR FR. KEGHAM ZAKARIAN

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January 18, 1985

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, New York 10016

Your Eminence:

Enclosed please find the figures you requested regarding the tri-Parish budget we plan to follow.

Also enclosed is the list of the Rochester Armenian Church Parish Council members with addresses and telephone numbers.

I have already started to draft the agreement which we must sign and forward to Hair Sourp Kegham Zakarian for his signature, per your instructions.

I am looking forward to our "official" start and the exciting and happy experiences that are ahead of us.

Respectfully yours,

Berdjouhi Esmerian

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cc: A. Avdoian K. Gozigian Comparison of the Proposals of the Budget For the Parishes of St. Paul's Armenian Church, Syracuse; St. Sarkis' Armenian Church, Niagara Falls, and the Armenian Church of Rochester.

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	Original Budget Set up in Niagara Falls Oct. 7, 1984	Proposal and Offer By Parishes	Final Offer and Agreement
Stipend	\$16,039	\$15,000	\$17,000
3 Increments	3,117	0	0
Travel/Car	2,000	2,000	2,000
Housing	6,000	5,000	5,000
Insurances	3,000	3,000	3,000
Miscellaneous	3,000	1,000	0
TOTAL	\$33,000	\$26,000	\$27,000

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Syracuse	\$13,000	10,400
Niagara Falls	13,000	10,400
Rochester	7,000	5.200

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February 13, 1985

Very Reverend Father Kegham Zakarian 75 Thomas St. St. Catherines, Ontario L2R 1P7 Canada

Dear Father Kegham:

The Parish Councils of St. Paul's Armenian Church of Syracuse, St. Sarkis' Armenian Church of Niagara Falls, and the Armenian Church of Rochester, all of New York, do herewith request that you become the Shepherd and Spiritual Leader of their Parishes starting from March 1, 1985, for a period of at least one year.

In order to facilitate and shorten travel between the three cities, it has been agreed that you reside in Rochester, where an apartment will be provided for you as your main residence.

Your annual stipend will be \$17,000 to be paid in weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly installments, depending on your wishes. In addition, we will cover travel/car expenses (@ 20 cents per mile), housing expenses (rent, electricity, telephone, and necessary furnishings), and insurances (pension and medical).

Looking forward with pleasure to a future of spiritual and educational growth for our three communities.

We remain, respectfully,

St. Sarkis' Armenian Church

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The Very Rev. Fr. Kegham Zakarian St. Gregory The Illuminator Church 49 Carlton Street St. Catharines, Ontario L2R 1P7 CANADA

Dear Fr. Kegham:

We acknowledge receipt of a letter dated February 13, signed by you and the parish councils of Syracuse, Rochester and Niagara Falls, regarding the pastoral duties you will assume in these parishes.

We hereby appoint you pastor of St. Paul Armenian Church of Syracuse, St. Sarkis Armenian Church of Niagara Falls, and the Armenian Community of Rochester, and you will assume your pastoral duties as of May 1, 1985.

You will celebrate the first Divine Liturgy on May 12, after attending the annual Diocesan Assembly and Clergy Conference which will be held at the Holy Martyrs Armenian Church of Bayside, N.Y., on April 30 to May 5. Expenses for these meetings will be absorbed by the three parishes.

Your residence in the parishes and the celebration of the Divine Liturgy will be by turn according toan agreed arrangement.

Special arrangements must be made for Christmas, Easter and other feast days according to an agreement by the three parishes.

As you will be residing in Rochester, the Niarara Falls and Syracuse parishes will make arrangements for your residence while you are in their parishes.

May the Lord bless you with His love and wisdom.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

cc. Syracuse, Niagara Falls Rochester January 25, 1985

Mr. Carl Gozigian Chairman of the Parish Council St. Paul Armenian Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, NY 13204

Dear Mr. Gozigian:

This is to inform you that H.E. Archbishop Torkom Manoogian will arrive at Syracuse airport on Saturday, March 23 at $\frac{1}{2}(2^{-1})$ a.m. on Empire Airlines flight $\frac{1}{2}(5)$ to attend the regional meeting of the New York State area churches scheduled on the same day at the St. Pa**U** Armenian Church of Syracuse, New York.

His Eminence will celebrate the Divine Liturgy on Sunday, March 24 at the St. Paul Armenian Church in Syracuse. If your parish is planning a reception or dinner, the program may be evolved around and connected with the remembrance of the 70th anniversary of the Armenian genocide.

His Eminence will leave for New York City on Monday, March 25 at 10:10 a.m. on Empire Airlines flight #19 from Syracuse.

Please make the necessary arrangements for His Eminence's accommodation and meet him at the airport.

With prayers,

Fr. Houssig Bagdasian Vicar General March 18, 1985

Mr. Carl Gozigian Chairman of the Parish Council St. Paul Armenian Church 310 N Geddes Street Syracuse, Ny 13204

Dear Mr. Gozigian:

H.E. Archbishop Torkom Manoogian approved your 1984 annual report, despite the below listed omissions, and enclosed is his letter of confirmation.

Please note that the minutes did not identity neither the clergyman presiding at the meeting nor the officer chairing the session before the election of the assembly chairman.

Also, you had neglected to include sample ballots except for the election of the parish council members. It was not clear whether the officers of the assembly were elected from a double or single slate of nomiinees.

We also could not find the reports of the church organizations and the parish council.

Thank you for your attention, and best regards.

Sincerely,

Michael M. Kermian Director



DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA,

630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016-4885 212 686-0710

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

Թիւ 28939 Մարտ 15, 1985

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Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

Թիւ 28989 Մարտ 15, 1985

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DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016-4885 212 686-0710

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

January 14, 1985

TO: The Reverend Clergy, Parish Council Chairmen, Parish Council Members, Delegates, Church Organizations

SUBJECT: REGIONAL MEETINGS: NEW YORK STATE AREA CHURCHES

St. Paul Armenian Church St. Sarkis Armenian Church St. Gregory The Illuminator Armenian Community of Syracuse Niagara Falls Binghamton Rochester

The Regional Meeting of the New York State area churches will be held on Saturday, March 23 at St. Paul Armenian Church, 310 North Geddes Street, Syracuse, New York 13204, at 10:30 a.m.

It is important that everyone attends this conference and takes advantage of the opportunity to address ourselves to some of the most pressing issues of our church and region.

We have on our agenda certain topics, such as Youth and the Role of the Clergy, Spiritual Renewal, Observance of the 70th Anniversary of the Genocide, Unity, Stewardship, St. Nersess Seminary, etc. and would appreciate having your suggestions for discussion items. Kindly send them to us as soon as possible so that they can be included on the agenda.

We trust the regional conference will provide a forum for all of us to address ourselves to the real problems and establish a clear objective for the future of our parishes.

Please plan to be with us, and in the meantime we would appreciate if you could complete and return the enclosed form.

Aby. Torkon Manon

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

Enclosure

DATE.....

Mr. Michael Kermian Director of Operations Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016

..... I WILL ATTEND THE NEW YORK State Churches Regional meeting on March 23, 1985 at St. Paul Armenian Church of Syracuse

..... I WILL NOT ATTEND the March 23, 1985 Regional meeting

..... Pastor

..... Parish Council Chairman

..... Parish Council Member

..... Delegate

..... Other

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, N. Y. 13204

November 20, 1984

The Primate Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Diocese of the Armenian Church 630 Second Avenue New York, New York 10016

Your Grace:

The meeting of the three parishes regarding Father Kegham Zakarian scheduled for November 17 in Syracuse was postponed by the Niagara Falls representatives. The meeting has been rescheduled for December 2nd in Rochester, N.Y.

Since talking to you last week, I have obtained additional information regarding the meeting held on November 4.

The projected budget was estimated at \$26,000.00 to be shared by Niagara Falls and Syracuse at \$11,500.00 each and \$3,000.00 by Rochester.

The lower budget estimate was arrived at by lowering Father Zakarian's stipend to \$10,400.00 per year. There are two questions regarding the stipend. First, would Father Zakarian be willing to accept it, and second, would it be acceptable to you or the Diocesan Council?

Speaking for myself, I do not believe these three parishes will be able to sustain a priest at this time.

Sincerely,

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Karl Gozigian Parish Council Chairman

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DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH, N.Y.

AGENDA

REGIONAL MEETING

NEW YORK/NEW JERSEY AREA PARISHES

ST. THOMAS ARMENIAN CHURCH - HOST

Thursday, March 7, 1985 - 7:00 p.m.

1. **REPORTS:**

Regionalization High Rise Projects Armenian Church Endowment Fund ACYOA Fundraising Unity Unity Uniformity of services, sacraments and rituals throughout the Diocese

2. UPDATE ON 70th ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE PROGRAM

3. PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE:

Function of the PR office and how it can serve local parishes. Role of the local parishes (maintaining updated mailing lists, etc.). Discussion: Suggestions for improvement.

- 4. BEMA Plans for 1985 and beyond
- 5. IMPLEMENTING THE YOUTH MINISTRY PROGRAM
- 6. WOMEN'S GUILDS Representation at Diocesan level
- 7. Lay Clergy
- 8. LOCAL ISSUES:

Armenian Language and Sunday Schools Stewardship Program Other April 9, 1984

Mr. R.H. Roomian Corresponding Secretary St. Paul Armenian Church 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, New York 14519

Dear Mr. Roomian:

I regret that until now I have been unable to reply to your letter dated December 21, 1983 as I was away from the office and when I returned, it took me some time to clear the pile on my desk.

In a few weeks time, the Diocesan Bookstore will carry tapes for the Deacon's part, and Divine Liturgy with separate tapes for soprano, alto, tenor and bass parts. The cost of each of three tapes will be \$6.00 (six dollars).

Kindly let me know whether you wish to receive any of these tapes.

My apologies once again fro the delay in replying to you.

Yours sincerely,

Sylvia Terzibashian Secretary to the Primate

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y. 13204

February 21, 1984

Sylvia Terzibashian Secretary to the Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York City, NY 10016

Dear Ms. Terzibashian,

Please respond to my memo of December 21, 1983 (copy attached).

We are caught shorthanded and desire to achieve perfection in our Divine Liturgy services, so your prompt attention concerning this matter is imperative.

Perhaps another department within the Diocese is responsible for this subject, however, your personal expediting will be most appreciated.

Respectfully,

R. H. Roomian - corr/secy 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, NY 14519



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Sylvia Terzibashian Secretary to the Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016

DEAR MS. TERZIBASHIAN,

RECENTLY, OUR BELOVED ARCH DEACON OF ST. PAUL'S PASSED AWAY. HIS KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERTISE IS NEAR IMPOSSIBLE TO REPLACE, HOWEVER, WE ARE ALL GIVING IT OUR BEST EFFORT TO MAINTAIN CORRECT CHURCH PROCEDURES.

WE UNDERSTAND THAT A SELF-TEACH CASSETTE TAPE IS AVAILABLE OF THE BADARAK WHICH IS THE DEACONS PORTION ONLY. COULD YOU PLEASE SEND ME ONE OF THESE AT YOUR EARLIEST CONVENIENCE.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH.



RESPECTFULLY, ROOMIAN - CORR/SECY

938 LAKESIDE ROAD

Pebruary 29, 1934

Mr. Karl Gozigian Chairman of the Parish Council St. Paul Armenian Church 105 Wynnfield Drive Syracuse, NY 13219

Dear Mr. Gozigian:

H.S. Archbishop Torkon Manoogian has accepted your 1983 Parish Annual Report, and enclosed is his letter of approval.

However, there are a few points which need further clarification:

- a) On the sample ballot you indicate "Election of Trustees", which in fact should be "Election of Parish Council".
- b) The sample ballots for election of Auditing and Nominating Committees were not included with your report.
- c) The election of the Annual Assembly Officers were not held in accordance with Article 14 (b) of the Bylaws.

Please consider the above points in preparing your next year's report, and I would appreciate your comments on these matters, for our records.

With best regards,

Michael M. Kermian Director



DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016-4885 212 686-0710

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

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Ստացած ենք Եկեղեցւոյդ տեղեկագիրը, որով կը Տաղորդուի Թէ Յունուար 29ին գումարուած Տամայնքիդ ծխական Ժողովին մէջ կատարուած է ծխական Խորհուրդի հինգ անդամոց ընտրուԹիւնը, եւ ներկայացուելով քուէարկուԹեան արդիւնքը` կը խնդրուի ընտրուած անձերու վաւերացման պաշտօնագիրը:

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Ορΐνելով ծխական Խորîուրդի Նոր կազմը` կը մաղԹենք յաջող եւ արդիւնաւոր գործունէուԹեան տարի մը, ի պայծառուԹիւն Ս. Եկեղեցւոյղ եւ ի îոգեւոր շինու– Թիւն îամայնքիղ մեր սիրեցեալ ժողովուրդին։

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Mr. Karl Gozigian Chairman of the Parish Council St. Paul Armenian Church 105 Wynnfield Drive Syracuse, NY 13219

Dear Mr. Gozigian:

H.S. Archbishop Torkon Manoogian has accepted your 1983 Parish Annual Report, and enclosed is his letter of approval.

However, there are a few points which need further clarification:

- a) On the sample ballot you indicate "Election of Trustees", which in fact should be "Election of Parish Council".
- b) The sample ballots for election of Auditing and Nominating Committees were not included with your report.
- c) The election of the Annual Assembly Officers were not held in accordance with Article 14 (b) of the Bylaus.

Please consider the above points in preparing your next year's report, and I would appreciate your comments on these matters, for our records.

With best regards,

Michael M. Kernian Director



DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016-4885 212 686-0710

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

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Յարզելի Տիար Կօգիկեան,

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St. Plaul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

May 6, 1983

Sylvia Terzibashian Secretary to the Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York City, NY 10016

Dear Ms. Terzibashian,

The following information is in reply to your letter of request dated April 8, 1983.

 Biography sketch of Abraham Panjarjian (he has dropped the two D's in his last name)

Born: December 7, 1924 in Aleppo, Syria

Sang regularly in the church choir from age 13 thru 15.

Active in "Gertaseeratz Miootiun" (cultural organization) when he lived in Aleppo.

Arrived in the U.S. approximately ten years ago and settled in Syracuse and married. He has opened his own jewelry store and deals in custom made merchandise.

Abraham serves regularly on the altar and is a member of the Parish Council. He speaks, reads, and writes fluent Armenian and English.

2. The names of the female members of the choir whose veils will be blessed are:

Judy Koolakian Berjouhi Adourian Hermine Roomian Virginia Saxenian

Our arrangements for meeting His Eminence upon his arrival, are pending your additional information.

Respectfully, Man

R. H. Roomian - corr/secy 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, NY 14519

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April 8, 1983

Mr. R.H. Roomian, Corresponding Secretary St. Paul Armenian Church 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, New York 14519

Dear Mr. Roomian:

His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian has received your letter dated March 31, 1983 regarding your requests for ordination to the title of sub-deacon, blessing of veils, etc. during his visit to Syracuse parish.

His Eminence will be pleased to have the following information:

- 1. The biography of Mr. Abraham Pandjardjian, and whether he speaks and reads Armenian.
- 2. The names of the female members of the choir whose veils will be blessed.
- 3. Mr. Harry Parnagian will be granted the privilege to wear the stole.
- 4. The ordination of Tbirs and the blessing of the veils may take place on Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m. with a reception to follow.

In a few days, I will let you know the plane reservations made for His Eminence so that you may be able to make the necessary arrangements to meet him.

Yours sincerely,

Sylvia Terzibashian Secretary to the Primate

cc. Mr. Gozigian, Parish Council Chairman

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE. N. Y.

March 31, 1983

His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York City, NY 10016

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We are most grateful of your consideration.

Respectfully,

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R. H. Roomian - corr/secy 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, NY 14519

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May 18, 1983

Mr. Carl Gozigian Chairman of the Parish Council St. Paul Armenian Church 105 Wynnfield Drive Syracuse, New York 13219

Dear Mr. Gozigian:

This is to inform you that His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian will arrive in Syracuse on May 28, 1983 at 10:12 a.m. on Empire Airlines flight 47.

His Eminence will leave for New York City on May 30th at 1:30 p.m. on Empire Airlines flight #55.

It will be appreciated if you will make the necessary arrangements for his accommodation and meet him at the airport.

Yours sincerely,

SyankaAVektahashian Secretary to the Primate

c.c. Mr. Roomian

PRIMATE'S MESSAGE TO THE ST. PAUL ARMENIAN CHURCH OF SYRACUSE, NEW YORK

We express our heartfelt joy on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary celebration of St. Paul Armenian Church of Syracuse, New York. This is surely a day of great joy for us and for all the parishioners who have made St. Paul Armenian Church of Syracuse their spiritual home. We celebrate with them this very special day thanking God for his many blessings and bounty.

We pray that the blessings of God may abound on our sons and daughters of St. Paul Armenian Church of Syracuse. They rightfully enjoy the satisfaction of having realized a God-pleasing work. Those who were instrumental in making the church viable and active for these many years, they will always be remembered with gratitude. We must solemnly promise to continue this good work for the glory of God and the welfare of the old and the new generations of our community.

May the Lord bless us and grant success to our endeavors to serve Him and to teach our children to serve Him. May God open unto us the gates of His holy temple this day and bless all those who pass beneath its arches with life, with health and with peace.

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

February 14, 1983

Sylvia Terzibashian Secretary to the Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016

Dear Ms. Terzibashian,

We are happily anticipating His Eminence's visit on May 28/29 weekend and feel that it's not too soon for some preliminary preparations.

It is suggested that he arrives Saturday, early afternoon, May 28th, so he can rest a bit before attending an evening dinner meeting with Parish Council members.

Sunday will include BADARAK followed by the 25th Anniversary Dinner.

Please inform me of exact flight specifications and any needs His Eminence may require.

We are tentatively planning some parishioner awards to be included at the ceremony. I'll inform you of our needs, if any, as this plan progresses.

Respectfully,

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R. H. Roomian - corr./secy. 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, NY 14519





DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N. Y. 10016 212 686-0710

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

January 26, 1983

TO:

The Reverend Clergy, Parish Council Chairmen and Delegates

We have received a letter dated January 21, 1983 from our parish in Syracuse, New York, and we would like to quote the contents of this letter for your information and guidance:

"We have recently experienced an unfortunate situation in the Syracuse Armenian community that could similarly effect other locations.

A middle aged man representing himself as an Armenian doctor approached a parish council member by contacting the church and explained that he just moved from California and is new to the immediate community. He continues with believable rhetoric including accounts of his personal experience in the medical profession, not to exclude his assistance in famous heart transplant operations.

The main intent of this man, is to pass a check to the Armenian he's befriended explaining that his funds have not yet been transferred. The check is rubber and isn't worth the paper it is written on. The amounts seem to fluctuate between \$150.00 to \$350.00.

This person is very familiar with traditional Armenian warmth and hospitality, and their strong ties to the Church. He speaks the language well, but, sadly, is definitely a con-man ready to take advantage of the unsuspecting Armenian/American citizen."

Furthermore, we understand that this person introduces himself under the name of Dr. Paul Shahinian, or Dr. Vartanian, or Dr. Kazanjian.

Prayerfully, aby, Forkom Manogram

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

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January 21, 1983

Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016

Attention: Sylvia Terzibashian

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Thank you for your consideration and time concerning this matter.

Respectfully,

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R. H. Roomian - corr./secy.

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DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N. Y. 10016 212 686-0710

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

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Date

This is to certify that______is a member in good standing of the ______Armenian Church; and was duly elected a Diocesan Delegate by the General Assembly on

Parish Council Secretary

Parish Council Chairman

Parish Priest

August 11, 1982

Mr. Karl Gozigian 105 Wynnfield Drive Syracuse, New York 13219

Dear Karl:

Many thanks to you and the members of your parish council for meeting with Victor and me on Thursday evening, July 29, 1982. We enjoyed the privilege and hope something may result from some of the points we discussed.

Enclosed please find a cppy of the Primate's directive regarding stipends for clergy visitations for which arrangements would basically be made by the Diocese.

In discussing the stipend for the Bonghamton pastor's visitation to Syracuse one Sunday a month, consideration must be given to the fact that the two parishes have made the arrangement for the visitation; therefore the stipend arrangement should also be made by the two parishes, using the Primate's directive merely as a guideline in this case.

Please contact us at any time we may be of service to your parish.

Yours truly,

Frank Avakian Stoneson Executive Director

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cc: Mr. Donald Shaghalian 4605 Palli Drive Malius, New York 13104

June 16, 1982

Mr. Karl Gozigian Chairman of the Parish Council St. Paul Armenian Church 105 Wynnfield Drive Syracuse, New York 13219

Dear Mr. Gozigian:

We are pleased to inform you and the parish council of St. Paul Armenian Church of Syracuse, New York, that the Diocesan Council and the Diocesan Board of Trustees have approved your request to purchase a house next door to the church at the price of \$4,000 (four thousand dollars].

We pray for the success of your undertaking and extend our prayers to the entire parish of St. Paul Armenian Church of Syracuse, New York, as well as our blessings to each and every one of you.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate



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Mr. Frank Stoneson Executive Director Diocese of the Armenian Church 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016

Dear Mr. Stoneson:

The parish council of St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church requests approval for the purchase of a house next door to our church. The house has been vacant for years and is an eyesore.

It is our plan to demolish the house (by a parish member at no cost) to increase our parking area which is too small and to improve the overall appearance of the area. The purchase price of the house is \$4,000.00.

We ask that you expedite this as the owner is anxious to dispose of the property.

Sincerely yours,

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Karl Gozigian Chairman of Parish Council

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April 6, 1982

Hr. Karl Gozigian Chairman, St. Paul Armenian Church 105 Wynnfield Drive Syracuse, N.Y. 13219

Dear Mr. Gozigian:

The annual Parish Report Review Committee has reviewed the report submitted by St. Paul Armenian Church and wishes to advise the following:

- 1. The Assembly Minutes do not specify whether there was a quorum present or not.
- 2. There is no copy of a formal invitation and agenda enclosed for the Parish Assembly.
- 3. Please specify the date that invitations were mailed to members of the Parish.
- 4. No ballot sheet was submitted with votes received for each candidate of every office and committee.
- 5. Assembly Hinutes indicate an election only for Parish Council Members and no other offices such as for Nominating and Auditing Committees that must take place each year according to the Bylaws.
- 6. There should be a double slate for all offices.
- All voting must be done by secre ballot. President and other officers.
- 8. Page 9 of the Annual Report does not contain the signatures of the Parish officers.
- 9. The Assembly Hinutes do not contain the signature of officers.

- 10. The Parish Council has not submitted an activities report signed by the officers.
- 11. The committees have not submitted formal activities and financial reports.
- 12. The 1981 Diocesan Assembly Report should contain the names of all delegates.
- 13. How many consecutive terms have 5 newly re-elected Parish Council Hembers served?
- 14. Please be advised that the purchase of property or construction of any buildings must be formally approved by the Primate, Diocesan Council and Diocesan Board of Trustees before action is taken by a Parish (reference to purchase of property in Assembly Minutes).

We await your prompt response in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Frank Avakian Stoneson Executive Director

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

January 4, 1982

Reverend Father Yeprem Kelejian 22 White Street Hartford, CT 06114

Dear Rev. Father Yeprem Kelejian,

Referencing your tel/con with chairman - Karl Gozigian, the Parish Council of St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church -Syracuse, NY, has recently evaluated your proposed "Mission Program" scheduled for March 22, 1982 thru March 28, 1982. We are unable to obtain an assistance type commitment for you, nor provide adequate accommodations from the Armenian community for this time period. You have also stated a desire to meet with the current Sunday School teachers --- there are none.

The Mission Program could very well be the fuse of incentive to start the Armenian ball rolling here in Syracuse, but a full time energetic priest is a priority if success is to be obtained. We've experienced many talented speakers, new ideas from our Diocese, films, advanced methods of instruction, etc., etc., --- all of which could greatly benefit the Syracuse Armenian Community dramatically, but at present, we can be compared to a good football team with NO COACH. Maybe the "Mission Program" would win us a few "games", but what about the rest of the season?

May we suggest, perhaps a weekend mission program, which would get your ideas in the door, perhaps generate enthusiasm, and possibly be followed up by a subsequent visit or visits.

Please don't interpret our realistic approach as a negative reaction. We await your advisement and appreciate your interest in us.

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R. H. Roomian - corr. secy. 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, NY 14519

April 15, 1981

Mr. Karl Gozigian 105 Wynnfield Drive Syracuse, New York 13219

Dear Mr. Gozigian:

The ACYOA Mission Program, originally planned for this summer, will take place during the week of Armenian Christmas, January 6, 1982.

The Reverend Father Yeprem Kelegian, has been appointed to head the Mid-Western Mission Team. As soon as plans are developed, they will be communicated to you.

James Magarian, ACYOA Executive Secretary, will be in touch with you from time to time concerning the program.

The Mission Program is one of the important undertakings of our youth groups and has proved extremely beneficial wherever it has been offered in the past.

We anticipate it will prove equally rewarding in your parish.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

C.c. James Magarian

March 25, 1981

Mr. Vahram Agababian 2652 East Genesee Street Syracuse, New York 13224

Dear Mr. Agababian:

We rejoice in the recognition being accorded to you by the St. Paul parish, and feel it a personal loss that we cannot be with you.

Our joy comes partly from the goodness we sende in people expressing appreciation for what others do; it comes mostly from the idea of public recognition for service to God and our church, rendered so devotedly and for so long.

We add our own profound appreciation to the warm feelings of your parish as expressed in this tribute to you.

We pray that God may bless you always.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, N. Y. 13204

March 9, 1981

Archbishop Torkom Monoogian - Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York City, NY 10016

Dear Archbishop Torkom Monoogian,

The Parish Council is planning a Recognition Dinner on Sunday, April 26th, 1981 to honor Arch Deacon, Vahram Agababian for his twenty-four years of continual dedication and service as Deacon of our church.

We would greatly appreciate a personal letter of recognition, suitable for framing, from you that could be read by the Parish Council Chairman at the time of the dinner. Is it also possible to send a small commemorative type pin, to further signify this happy occasion?

We are aware of your many religious commitments and extremely busy schedule, but are hopeful that we've notified you of our request with enough advance notice.

The Parish Council is very appreciative of your kind attention concerning this matter.

You may correspond directly to me.

Respectfully,

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R. H. Roomian - corr/secy 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, NY 14519



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St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, N. Y. 13204

March 11, 1981

The Primate Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Diocese of the Armenian Church 630 Second Avenue New York, New York 10016

Subject: Annual Parish Report

Your Grace:

In response to your letter of February 24, 1981, the following are the current members of the Parish Council of St. Paul's Armenian Church in Syracuse and their respective positions:

> Karl Gezigian 105 Wynnfield Dr. Syracuse, N.Y. 13219 (315) 468-3123

Chairman

Vice-Chairman

Harry Parnagian 651 Helen St. Syracuse, N.Y. 13203 (315) 479-9898

Donald Shagalian 4605 Pauli Dr. Manlius, N.Y. 13104 (315) 682-9789 Treasurer

Charles Koolakian 117 Ruby Road Liverpool, N.Y. 13088 (315) 457-2729 Asst. Treasurer

Corresponding Secretary

Richard Roomian 6938 Lakeside Rd. Ontario, N.Y. 14159 (315) 524-7454

Anthony Columbus 110 Winding Way Camillus, N.Y. 13031 (315) 672-5452 Recording Secretary

Abraham Pandjardjian Sexton 105 St. Anne Dr. Apt. 42B Syracuse, N.Y. 13206 (315) 471-4734

Steven Khanzadian 107 McDonald Rd. Syracuse, N.Y. 13215 Public Relations

(315) 472-1577

Advisor

Manoog Mikaelian 1507 E. Fayette St. Syracuse, N.Y. 13210 (315) 474-0373

The five nominees to replace the four vacant items and the number of votes received by each are as follows:

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	Harry Parnagian	41
	Steve Khanzadian	37
	Charles Koolakian	38
	Abraham Pandjardjian	36
	Edward Tufankjian	12.

Respectfully submitted,

Karl Aojegion

Karl Gozigian, Chairman

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Ստացած ենք Φետրուար 17, 1980 βուակիր ձեր տեղեկագիրը, որով կը Տաղորդէբ βէ Φետրուար 1ին գումարուած Տամայնքիդ ծխական Ժողովին մէջ կատարուած է ծխական Խորհուրդի չորս անդամոց ընտրութիւնը, եւ ներկայացնելով քուէարկութեան արդիւնքը` կը խնդրէք ընտրուած անձերու վաւերացման պաշտօնագիրը:

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February 19, 1981

Mr. Karl Gozigian Parish Council Chairman St. Paul Armenian Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, New York 13204

Dear Mr. Gozigian:

We are happy to announce that plans are now under way to have the ACYOA Mission Program take place this year in two selected parishes of our Diocese.

The Mission Program consists of a week long schedule of activities, events, instruction, and worship taking place in a parish. The program is carried out by a mission team, consisting of clergy and lay persons, and members of the parish.

In the selection of parishes, we have taken into consideration parishes with no full-time pastors.

The week long program is designed to provide an apportunity for parishioners to participate, learn, and be entertained by the diversified program. Hospital visitations also make up a part of this program, as well as visits to convalescent homes, the elderly, new families and the needy. Meetings will take place with Church organizations to assist in establishing and strengthening them. The climax of the program will be the celebration of Divine Liturgy on Sunday morning.

We are confident that the dedication and preparation of the Mission team, along with the entubusasm of the parish, will create a spiritual and cultural dimension through which the work of our Church may continue long after the team has left. Father Yeprem Kelegian of St. James Church, Watertown, Massachusetts, will be in charge of the Mission Team.

It is our suggestion that you form a committee under your supervision to make the necessary arrangements prior to and during the Mission Program Week. Additional communications will be sent to you by the ACYOA Executive Secretary, James Magarian, who will be coordinating the Mission Teams.

February 19, 1981

Mr. Karl Gozigian

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Your assistance and the cooperation of all whose services you may enlist will be needed and certainly appreciated for the success of this program.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

c.c. Father Yeprem Kelegian James Magarian September 2, 1980

Mr. Carl Gozigian Parish Council Chairman St. Paul Armenian Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, New York 13204

Dear Mr. Gozigian:

On August 22, 1980, in the Diocesan Council's meeting, we decided to concede to the request of the Raverend Father Zenob Nalbandian to be assigned to serve in another parish in our Diocese.

As we previously informed you by telephone of the possibility of this reassignment, we do hereby confirm in writing that Father Zenob will celebrate his last Divine Liturgy in your parish on Sunday, September 21, 1980, and on Tuesday, September 23, will depart to his destination at South Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

For the assignment of visiting priests to perform church services in your parish, please contact our Vicar General, the Very Reverend Father Houssig Bagdasian, at the Diocesan office in New York City.

We wish you and the members of the parish council wisdom and God's guidance in the performance of your duties and in your devoted service to our Church.

May the Lord bless you all.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

c.c. Father Zenob Nalbandian

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO Svraun Palvetzian

FROM Karl Gozigian. St. Pauls-Syracuse. N.Y.

Attached is the 1979 data sheet showing the correct membership of the Syracuse Diocese and the number of sacrements. The PCP is correct.

Please take these corrections into consideration in computing our 1980 assessment.

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DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA

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	St. John, DETROIT	1,135	i	140,975.00	170	7.	
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	St. James, EVANSTON	110	Т	13,289.75	15	2 /	
	St. Leon, FAIR LAWN	230	7	23,242.00	16	3 1	
	St. John, GREENFIELD	50	i	3,888.28		1	
	St. Mary, HAMILTON	59		5,747.13	* <b>9</b>	10-	
	St. George, HARTFORD	121	1	11,875.26	10	19	
	St. Gregory, HAVERHILL	125	1	9,319.72	16	2 4	
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	St. Paul, SYRACUSE	68	1	5,647.47	5		!
	St. Thomas, TENAFLY	480	l	38,366.64	52 + 5	-1984	<u>)</u>
	Holy Cross, TORONTO	374		12,888.45	* 5	4-1980	
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	Holy Ascension, TRUMBULL	8]	]	18,276.58	15	2 /	
	Holy Cross, UNION CITY	128	1	21,464.95	28	2 1	
	St. Mary, WASHINGTON	162	1	23,242.73	18	2 /	
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	St. Peter, WATERVLIET	224	 1	27,939.84	19	2	
	St. George, WAUKEGAN	46	1/2	8,063.56	3		
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	Sts.Sahag & Mesrob, WYNNEWOOD	421	l .	34,920.00	40	4 🗸	

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# DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA

# 1979 DATA

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### hophi, DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N. Y. 10016 212 686-0710

ARCHBISHOP TORKOM MANOOGIAN, PRIMATE

JULY 1, 1980

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Rev. 3. Malbandian Autorian Palato Syrjaun Palvetzian, Executive Director TO:

FROM

SUBJECT: 1980 DIOCESAN PARISH ASSESSMENTS

Enclosed please find a copy of a computer run of the Diocesan Parish assessments for 1980. For proportionate allocation to the parishes, a total of \$386,000 was approved at the 78th Diocesan Assembly held in Washington, D.C., in May 1980.

Listed below is the amount now due from your parish. Your cooperation in remitting your assessments immediately will be appreciated.

It. Vaul Armenian Church-Syracuce PARISH:

- \$ 714. -1. Balance due June 30, 1980. ...
- 2. Amount due for the month of July 1980 at the adjusted rate \$ 2180. -(ten-month billing period) . . .

\$ 218. -

3. Adjusted amount wing from January through June 1980 at the new rate (= difference). . . .

TOTAL AMOUNT OWING AS OF JULY 1, 1980

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Enclosure: Computer Run

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COLLEGE OF VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS

#### STUDENT RECITAL

#### ZENOB NALBANDIAN, PIANO

#### Friday, April 18, 1980 at 4:15 p.m.

French Suite No. 6 in E Major Allemande Courante Sarabande Gavotte Polonaise Bourree Menuet Gigue

Sonata Hob. - Verz. XVI:27 in G Major Allegro con brio Menuet trio Presto J.F. Haydn (1732-1809)

J.S. Bach

(1685 - 1750)

Impromptus Opus 90 I. Allegro molto moderato, C minor III. Andante, G^b Major Franz Schubert (1797-1828)

Sonatina (1959) in C Major Allegro giocoso Andante con anima, rubato Allegro mosso Aram Kachaturian (1903-1978)

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Ստացած ենք Մարտ 14, 1980 Թուակիր տեղեկազիրը, որով կը Տաղորդուի Թէ ձեր նախագա ՏուԹեամբ Փետրպւար 10ին զումարուած Տամայնքիդ ծխական ծողովին մէջ կատարուած է ծխական ԽորՏուրդի Տինզ անդամոց ընտրուԹիւնը, եւ ներկայացուելով քուէարկուԹեան արդիւնքը` կը խնդրուի ընտրուած անձերու վաւերացման պաշտօնագիրը։

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Հանեցէք փութով ԱռաջՆորդարան ղրկել ծխական խորհուրդի ՆորըՆտիր դիւա-Նի անդամոց անունները, հասցէները եւ հեռաձայնի Թիւերը, ինչպէս նաեւ Հովիւին գրաւոր տեղեկագիրը եւ ներփակեալ էջերը՝ նշուած տեղերը ստորագրել տայէ ետք։

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November 19, 1979

The Reverend Father Zenob Nalbandian Pastor, St. Paul Armenian Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse. New York 13204

Dear Father Zenob:

His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian asked me to send you a copy of the exchange of correspondence between the Diocese and the Reverend Father Thomas P. Mundukuzhy of the Malankara Orthodox Church of India.

His Eminence will be pleased if you will make the necessary arrangements with Father Mundukuzhy as and when he gets in touch with you regarding the use of St. Paul Armenian Church by the Malankara Orthodox Church of India, once or twice a month, to celebrate Divine Liturgy for the Malankara Orthodox Indian congregation.

With prayers,

Father Houssig Bagdasian Pastor

**Enclosures** 

November 16, 1979

The Reverend Father Thomas P. Mundukuzhy 1115 Midland Avenue Syracuse, New York 13205

Dear Father Mundukuzhy::

His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian has received your letter dated October 29, 1979, regarding the use of the facilities of St. Paul Armenian Church of Syracuse to celebrate the Divine Liturgy once or twice a month by the Malankara Orthodox Church of India.

His Eminence has no objection to your using St. Paul Armenian Church in Syracuse and the Pastor, the Reverend Father Zenob Nalbandian, will be informed accordingly to make the necessary and the most convenient arrangements.

With prayers,

Father Houssig Bagdasian Vicar General

# St. Thomas Oriental Orthodox Church Upstate New York

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REV. FR. THOMAS P. MUNDUKUZHY 1115 Midland Avenue Syracuse, New York 13205

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SERVICES AT: TRINITY CHURCH 523 West Onondaga Street Syracuse, New York and ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH 22 Main Street Geneseo, New York

His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Armenian Diocese of America and Canada St. Vartan Armenian Cathedral 630 Second Avenue New York City, New York

October 29, 1979

Your Eminence:

I hope your Eminence will remember me with His Holiness Moran Mar Baselius Mar Thoma Mathews I, Catholicos of the East, the Supreme Head of our St. Thomas Oriental Malankara Orthodox Church of India, on July 15th of this year at the Cathedral for the Divine Liturgy and at the receptions there after. From a copy of the SOUVENIR published in connection with the historic visit of His Holiness, your Eminence may recognize me easily.

I was His Holiness' personal secretary for a decade when His Holiness was a Metropolitan.

I have been living here in Syracuse for the past a little more than twelve years, serving Upstate New York and Ontario, Canada (Very Rev. Fr. Keshishian joined us for the banquet held to homour His Holiness in Toronto, Canada on the 4th of August).

I am writing this now to find out the possibilities of using the facilities of either the Armenian St. John Apostolic Church, 372 W.Matson Avenue, Syracuse Or/And the Armenian St. Paul's Apostolic Church, 310 N. Geddes Street, Syracuse for conducting Holy Liturgy once or twice a month for a very small congregation here in Syracuse.

May I also add that if your Eminence feel to use me in any way here to serve the Armenian Community, I would be more than happy to do so.

Our small congregation here will be certainly blessed in many ways, if your Eminence makes the arrangement to use the local Armenian churches for conducting our services.

Beseeching your Eminence's blessings and requesting an early response.

Your Eminence's spiritual son,  $f_{\epsilon}$ . Status f. Mud Rev. Fr. Thomas P. Mundukuzhy August 13, 1979

Miss Lisa Saxenian 5205 Lake Highlands Waco, Texas 76710

Dear Miss Saxenian:

His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian asked me to send you the enclosed Etchmiadzin cross as he had promised you when he was in Syracuse.

Yours sincerely,

Sylvia Terzibashian Secretary to the Primate

Enclosure

August 13, 1979

Miss Carol Saxenian 5205 Lake Highlands Waco, Texas 76710

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Yours sincerely,

Sylvia Terzibashian Secretary to the Primate

Enclosure

AAgust 13, 1979

Mr. Gary Saxenian 200 Mayson Avenue Syracuse, New York 13219

Dear Mr. Saxenian:

His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian asked me to send you the enclosed Etchmiadzin crosses as he had promised when he was in Syracuse.

Yours sincerely,

Sylvia Terzibashian Secretary to the Primate

Enclosure: 6 crosses

August 13, 1979

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DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N. Y. 10016 212 686-0710

ARCHBISHOP TORKOM MANOOGIAN, PRIMATE

July 1, 1979

**TO:** 

Syraun Palvetzian, Director Lynnum Palvetzian 1979 DIOCESAN PADICH ACCOUNTING FROM: SUBJECT: 1979 DIOCESAN PARISH ASSESSMENTS

Enclosed please find a copy of a computer run of the Diocesan parish assessments for 1979. For proportionate allocation to the parishes, a total of \$340,000 was approved at the 77th Diocesan Assembly held in Chelmsford, Massachusetts.

Listed below is the amount now due from your parish. Because of the serious financial situation we are facing during these summer months, please remit your assessment obligations to the Diocese IMMEDIATELY. Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

H. Paul Synacuse n.y_ Parish:

- 3. Plus amount owing from January through June 1979 at new rate ( = difference) . . . . . . .

\$. TOTAL AMOUNT OWING AS OF JULY 1, 1979 . .

Enclosure

Թիւ 26846 Ապրիլ 19, 1979

Արժանաշնորհ Տ. Ջենոբ Քհնյ. Նալպանտեան Հովիւ Ս. Պօղոս Եկեղեցւոյ Սիրաբիւս.

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Երկար տասենք ի վեր ոչ տասենագրունիւնները եւ ոչ ալ ձեր տեղե– կագիրները ստացած ենք։

Այսու զիրով կը Թելադրենք որ 1979 Յունուարէն սկսեալ ծխական Խորհուրդի ժողովներու ատենագրուԹիւններն ու ձեր ամսական տեղե– կագիրները մեզի փութացնեք առաջին առիթով։

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**ԹՈՐԳՈՄ ԱՐ**ՔԵ**ՊԻՍԿՈՊՈՍ** Առաջնորդ

Umpu 15, 1979

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Uppulp Stp Abung,

Առաջնորդ Սրթազան Հօր երկրէս թացակայունեան ըննացքին ստացանք Մարտ 5, 1979 նուակիր ձեր տեղեկագիրը, որով կը Տաղորդէք Ձէ ձեր ՆախագաՏունեամը Յունուտը 20ին զումարուած Տամայնքիդ ծխական Ժողովին մէջ կատարւած է ծխական ԽորՏուրդի երեք անդամոց ընտրունիւնը, եւ ներկայացնելով բուէարկունեան արդիւնքը՝ կը խնդրէք ընտրուած անձերու վաւերացման պաշտօնագիրը:

Այսու զիրով ԱռաջՆորդ ՍրթազաՆ Հօր անունով կը վաւերացնենք ծխական Խորքուրդի ՆորըՆաիր անդամները, ըստ ստորեւ արուած ցանկին։

Համեցէր փութով Առաքնորդարան դրկել ծխական Խորքուրդի Նորընաիր Դիւանի անդամոց անունները, քանցէները եւ քեռաժայնի Թիւերը։

Գը շնոր հաւորենք ծխական Խորհուրդի նոր կազմը եւ կը մադքենք յաջող ու արդիւնաւոր գործունէուքեան տարի մը։

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Արժանաշնորն S. Ձենոր Քննյ. Նալպանտեան Հովիւ Ս. Պօղոս Եկեղեցւոյ Նախազան Շխական Խորնուրդի Սիրաքիւս.

**υ**իրելի Տէր Ձե**սո**բ,

Այսու զիրով կը յայտնենք Թէ Տամայնքիղ պատզամաւորի պաշտօնավարուԹեան շրջանը լրացած է, եւ պէտք է ընտրուԹիւն կատարէք նոր պատզամաւորի եւ անոր անձնափոխանորդին Տամար, Թեմական ԿանոնադրուԹեան 14-9. եւ 54 յօղուածներուն Տամաձայն։

⁴ը յան δύարարենք որ ձեր նորընտիր պատգամաւորին անունը, Տասցէն եւ Տեռա ծայնի Թիւը Առաջնորդարան զրկէք ամենէն ուշը Փետըըւար ամսու կիսուն, որպէս զի կարելի ըլլայ զինք Տրաւիրել Թեմական Պատզամաւորական Ժողովին, որ տեղի պիտի ունենայ Մայիս 8+5, 1979, ՀինգշարԹի, ՈւրբաԹ եւ ՇաբաԹ օրերը՝ Չէլմսֆըրտի Ս. Վարդանանց Եկեղեցւոյ մէջ։

Կը Թելադրենք որ Նորընտիր պատգամաւորին ինքնուԹիւնը Տաստա– տող վկայագիրը, Հոգեւոր Հովիւի եւ Շխական Խորհուրդի Ատենապետի ու Ատենադպիրի կողմէ ստորագրուած, Առաջնորդարան ղրկէք առաջին պատեհուԹեամբ։

Սիրոյ ողջունիւ

### ԹՈՐԳՈՄ ԱՐՔԵՊԻՄԿՈՎՈՍ Առաջնորդ

November 28, 1978

The Reverend Father Zenob Halbandian Pastor and President of the Parish Council St. Paul Armenian Apostolic Church 310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, New York 13204

Dear Father Zenob:

The term of the Diocesan Delegate of your parish has expired, and it is necessary for you to hold an election both for delegate and alternate, according to Articles 14-C and 54 of the Diocesan Bylaws.

We urge that the names and addresses of your newly-elected delegate and alternate be sent to the Diocesan Office not later than the beginning of February, 1979, so that we may be able to send them formal invitations to our Annual Diocesan Assembly which will be held on Thursday, May 3, 1979 through Saturday, May 5, 1979 at the Sts. Vartamentz Armenian Church of Chelmsford, Massachusetts.

Certification of the election of your delegate, signed by the Pastor and the Chairman, and the Secretary of the Parish Council, should be sent to the Diocesan Headquarters.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

ATM:1c



from the office of the Diocese of the Armenian Church of America



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE September 21, 1978

#### ORDINATION OF DEACON HAGOP NALBANDIAN

On the weekend of September 16-17, 1978, Deacon Hagop Nalbandian, born in Beirut, Lebanon in 1954, and a graduate of the Seminary in Holy Etchmiadzin, was ordained and consecrated into the sacred priesthood being given the name of Father Zenob, at the St. Paul Armenian Apostolic Church in Syracuse, New York.

The holy order was conferred upon him by His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate of the Diocese of the Armenian Church of America. His Eminence in an inspiring sermon exhorted the newly ordained to serve God and the people with diligence, humility, faith, hope and love. The "khardavilag" (sponsor) was the Very Reverend Father Khajag Barsamian, acting Canon Sacrist of St. Vartan Armenian Cathedral in New York City. Mr. and Mrs. Vagharsh Avakian of Syracuse were the Godfather and the Godmother of the newly ordained priest, Father Zenob.

At the banquet following the services, Mr. Gerald Demirjian, the Chairman of the Parish Council, served as the master of ceremonies. Addresses were given by Deacon Vatche Nalbandian, the brother of the ordained, Father Khajag Barsamian, Mr. G. Aslanian, the President of the local A.G.B.U., Deacon V. Aghababian and the Godfather Mr. Avakian.

His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian in his talk, reflected on the various aspects of the parish life and the relationship between the pastor and his congregation. "It is a day of great joy and revitalization for our Armenian community in Syracuse," the Archbishop said, "because for a few years the parish was left without a pastor and now the family is graced with a spiritual father."

Father Zenob is spending his "karasoonk", forty-day period of instruction and preparation at a Retreat House in Troy, New York, having as tutor the Reverend Father Garen Gdanian, Pastor of St. Peter Armenian Church in Watervliet, New York.

Father Zenob will celebrate his first Divine Liturgy on Sunday, October 29, at the St. Peter Armenian Apostolic Church in Watervliet, and on November 5, at the St. Paul Armenian Apostolic Church in Syracuse, New York.

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for further information contact Sandra Shahinian, 630 Second Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10016, telephone:(212) 686-0710

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September 21, 1978

#### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

This is to certify that the Reverend Deacon Hagop Nalbandian was ordained a deacon in 1972 in Holy Etchmiadzin.

On September 17, 1978, at St. Paul Armenian Apostolic Church, 310 North Geddes Street, Syracuse, New York 13204, he was consecrated a priest by us as the Primate of the Diocese of the Armenian Church of America, 630 Second Avenue, New York City.

According to the traditions of the Armenian Apostolic Church, he was given a new name and he will now be known as the Reverend Father Zenob Nalbandian.

Father Zenob Nalbandian is affiliated with the Diocese of the Armenian Church of America, 630 Second Avenue, New York City, and currently is the Pastor of St. Paul Armenian Apostolic Church, 310 North Geddes Street, Syracuse, New York 13204.

In testimony thereof, we have issued this certificate.

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate ՍՈՒՐԲ ՊՕՂՈՍ ՀԱՅՑ․ ԱՌԱՔԵԼԱԿԱՆ ԵԿԵՂԵՑԻ St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

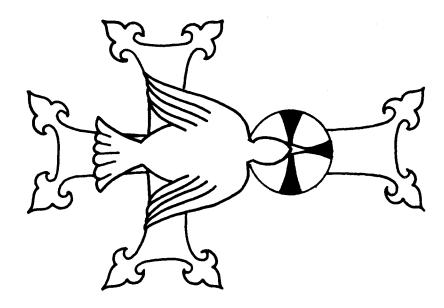
310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

Sept 7, 1978

To whom it may concern : In reference to your last statement dated 9/1/78 your records show that our parish ower 1134.16 According to my seconds listed below are an 1978 Perments ck# somounts.

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TEACH ME THE WAY I SHOULD GO, FOR TO THEE I LIFT UP MY SOUL. (Psalm 143:8)

#### DEACON HAGOP NALBANDIAN

requests your prayers and presence at the celebration of his ordination to the Holy Priesthood by HIS EMINENCE, ARCHBISHOP TORKOM MANOOGIAN Sponsor of the Ordinand: VERY REVEREND KHAJAG BARSAMIAN Godfather - Vag Avakian and Godmother - Elizabeth Avakian on Sunday, September 17, 1978 at 10:00 a.m. Saint Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

310 North Geddes Street Syracuse, New York

Calling of the Ordinand: Saturday, September 16, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

The Parish Council of Saint Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church invites you to a dinner reception following the ordination. *General Hutchinson Headquarters* 4311 W. Seneca Turnpike Syracuse, New York

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Ticket donation Children under 12, \$3.50 Adults \$7.00 Tickets available from Parish Council Members By Reservation Only



DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N. Y. 10016 212 686-0710

ARCHBISHOP TORKOM MANOOGIAN, PRIMATE

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Հաւատացեալ ժողովուրդի աղօնքը կը խնդրուի վերոյիշեալ երկու ընծայացուներուն համար՝ որպէս զի Տէրը զիրենք ՝՝Մշակ առանց ամօնոյ արասցէ՝՝։

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### 310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

#### SCHEDULE

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JULY	
Sunday 2nd	Transfiguration of Jesus Christ Deacon's Church Service Deacon Hagop Nalbandian 10:00 A.M. Promptly!
Tuesday 4th	Independence Day
Wednesday 5th	Parish Council Meeting Church Hall 8:00 P.M.
Sunday 9th	Deacon's Church Service Deacon Hagop Nalbandian 10:00 A.M. Promptly!
Sunday 16th	<u>BADARAK</u> Rev. Father Kevork Arakelian 10:00 A.M. Morning Service 10:30 A.M. Badarak
	NOTE: Church Service will be completed
Sunday 23rd	Deacon's Church Service Deacon Hagop Nalbandian 10:00 A.M. Promptly!
Sunday 30th	Deacon's Church Service ' Deacon Hagop Nalbandian 10:00 A.M. Promptly!



by 12:00 Noon.

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### 310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

#### SCHEDULE

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Wednesday	y 2nd	Parish Council Meeting Church Hall 8:00 P.M.	
Sunday	6th	Eve of the Fast of Assumption Deacon's Church Service Deacon Hagop Nalbandian 10:00 A.M. Promptly!	
Sunday	13th	Assumption of the Holy Mother of God Deacon's Church Service Deacon Hagop Nalbandian 10:00 A.M. Promptly! Binghamton Picnic	
Sunday	20th	BADARAK Rev. Father Kevork Arakelian 10:00 A.M. Morning Service 10:30 A.M. Badarak Blessing of the Grapes	
Sunday	27th	Third Sunday of Assumption Deacon's Church Service Deacon Hagop Nelbandian 10:00 A.M. Prostin!	184050 LEAS

Date to be announced:

Friday

Syracuse Chief's Baseball Game for the children

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Respectfully submitted, UN 1 CË

R.H. Roomian Correspondence Secretary

ST. PAUL ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH 310 NO. GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, NEW YORK

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Ρωρόζύνης Յակոր Սրկ. Όωμφωύωσωυ Հոգեւոր Մատակարար Ս. Պօղոս Եկեղեցւոյ Ծախագաς շխական Խորչուրդի Սիրաքիւս.

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Մեր զուումակունիւմը կը յայանենք ցարդ ձեր ցուցարերած խըդճամիտ աշխատանքին եւ ձեզի յանձնուած պատասխանատու պաշտօնին նանդէպ ձեր ունեցած գիտակցունեան նամար։ Խատկանկալենք որ ամէն ամիս կանոնաւորարար մեզի դրկէք Եկեղեցւոյդ ծխական խորքուրդի նիստերու ատենագրունեանց օրինակները, ինչպէս նաեւ ամսական գրաւոր տեղեկագիր մը` ձեր անձնական գործունէունեան եւ ծխական այցելունիւններու կապակցունեամը։

ծխական որեւէ Տարցի կամ դժուտրուննան պարազային ազատ զգացէը մնզի զրել՝ որպէս զի անհրաժեշտ առաջնորդունիւնը տանք եւ նելադրու– նիւնները ընննք ձեզի։

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10 hh DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N. Y. 10016 212 686-0710

ARCHBISHOP TORKOM MANOOGIAN, PRIMATE

July 1, 1978

TO:	The Reverend Clergy and Parish Council Chairmen
FROM:	Syraun Palvetzian, Director Lynaun Palvetzian
SUBJECT:	1978 Diocesan Parish Assessments

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Enclosed please find a copy of a computer run of the Diocesan Parish Assessments for 1978. For proportionate allocation to the parishes, a total of \$340,000.00 was approved at the 76th Diocesan Assembly in Southfield, Michigan.

Listed below is the amount now due from your parish. Because of the serious financial situation we are facing during these summer months, please remit your assessment obligations to the Diocese <u>immediately</u>. Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Parish:

1,	Amount due for the month of July 1978 at the adjusted rate (\$ - 10-month billing period)	\$ 
2.	Several parishes have not yet fully remitted their obligations at 1977 assessment rates for the period January through June 1978. Amount owing at 1977 rates for this period	\$ 9. q 4
3.	Plus amount owing from January through June 1978 at new rate (= difference)	\$ 117.16
4.	TOTAL AMOUNT OWING AS OF JULY 1, 1978	\$ 10130

Enclosure

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310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

PARISH COUNCIL AND DIOCESAN DELEGATES

1978

St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church



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Ρήι 25716 Մարտ 29, 1978

Մեծայարգ Տիար Մանուկ Միբայէլեան Սուրբ Պօղոս Եկեղեցւոյ Ծխական ԽորՏուրդի Ատենապետ Սիրաբիւս.

Յարզելի Տիար Միքայէլեան,

Ստացած ենք Մարտ 21, 1978 Թուակիր Եկեղեցւոյդ տեղեկագիրը, որով կը հաղորդէք Թէ Յունուաը 29ին գումարուած համայնքիդ ծխական Ժողովին մէջ կատարուած է ծխական Խորհուրդի վեց անդամոց ընտրուԹիւնը, եւ ներկայացնելով քուէարկուԹեան արդիւնքը կը խնդրէք ընտրուած անձերու վաւերացման պաշտօնագիրը:

Այսու գիրով կը վաւերացնենք ծխական ԽորՏուրդի նորընտիր անդամները, ըստ ստորեւ տրուած ցանկին։

Համեցէք փուԹով Առաջնորդարան ղրկել ծխական Խորհուրդի նորընտիր Դիւանի անդամոց անունները, **հա**սցէները եւ հեռաձայնի Թիւերը։

Օրհնելով Ծխական Խորհուրդի նոր կազմը՝ կը մաղջենը յաջող եւ արդիւնաւոր գործունէութեան տարի մը, ի պայծառուցիւն Ս. Եկեղեցւոյդ եւ ի հոգեւոր շի– նուցիւն համայնքիդ մեր սիրեցեալ ժողովուրդին։

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Անტընի Գոլոմպոս Ճէրըլտ Տէմիրնեան Մանուկ Միբայէլեան Ռիլըրտ Ռումեան Տանըլտ Շակալեան Էտուրրտ Թիւֆէնընեան

October 18, 1977

Mr. Richard H. Roomian 6938 Lakeside Road Ontario, New York 14519

Dear Mr. Rpomian:

We wish to take this opportunity to thank you for the photograph you sent us. This will be a cherished memento of our recent visit to Syracuse.

May God bless you and your loved ones always.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

St. Paul's

Armenian Apostolic Church

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310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y. March 13, 1977

Mr. Nubar Kupelian Director, Educational Council Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016

Dear Mr. Kupelian:

As a supplement to the enclosed questionnaire, you might find some further detail of interest.

The Armenian School of Syracuse began in its current form in 1971. Since then the enrollment has declined from 50 to 20 students. Of the current enrollment of twenty, approximately a dozen students can realistically be considered as regulars. During the same period faculty have declined from eight to three.

I will not be able to continue as principal next year. There is also a dire shortage of teachers, and the most reliable teacher in the entire community - in-<u>cluding adults</u> - is a fifteen year-old girl named Lorig Avakian. Continuation of the School is quite doubtful unless additional adult teachers can be recruited and some kind of coherent program is put together.

In addition to the general problem outlined above, I would like to bring to your attention a specific incident which was extremely destructive and demoralizing for us: Long in advance of last summer's Diocese-sponsored teacher training program I advised Miss Der Stepanian (by phone and in writing) of the urgent situation in the Syracuse Armenian community. I stressed that we needed any and as much help as possible from the Diocese. She was very responsive and sympathetic to our crisis. In spite of that, Lorig Avakian was first offered and then denied an invitation to participate in the program - because she was "too young." To say that such a decision was dogmatic is a euphemism - especially in light of the fact that it is so rare to find anyone from our little community who is (a) competent, and (b) eager and willing to participate in such a program. (Incidentally, Lorig had the support and committment from her parents to accompany her to New York.)

Frankly, we feel very isolated and abandoned. It seems that all the attention is directed to the large Armenian communities which are already thriving and really not in any great need of help. Meanwhile, a small community like Syracuse is having very grave difficulties.

Sincerely, Zarm /a/p Zarm Taft

Zarm Taft Principal

c.c. Archbishop Torkoom Manoogian Diocesan Director, Mrs. Siran Palvetzian Chairman, Diocesan Council Parish Council, St. Paul's Apostolic Church, Syracuse, NY

June 13, 1977

Mr. Manoog Mikaelian 1507 East Fayette Street Syracuse, New York 13210

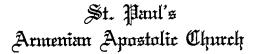
Dear Mr. Mikaelian:

His Eminence Archbishop Torkom Manoogian is in receipt of the Syracuse University and LeMoyne College catalogs which you so kindly sent. Before leaving for pastoral duties, His Eminence asked me to thank you on his behalf.

Yours sincerely,

Sylvia Terzibashian Becretary to the Primate

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#### 310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

8 June 1977

Archbishop Torkoon Manoogian, Primate Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, New York 10016

Your Eminence;

Enclosed herewith as requested during telephone conversation 7 June 1977, please find copies of Syracuse University and LeMoyne College catalogs.

Respectfully,

M. Mahaelean'

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M. MIKAELIAN Chairman, Parish Council

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# St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

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310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y. March 13, 1977

Mr. Nubar Kupelian Director, Edicational Council Diocese of the Armonian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, NY 10016

Dear Mr. Kupelian:

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As a supplement to the enclosed questionnaire, you might find some further (etail of interest.

The Armenian School of Syracuse began in the current form in 1971. Since then the enrollment has declined from 50 to 20 st dents. Of the current enrollment of twenty, approximately a dizen students can realistically be considered as regulars. During the same period faculty have declined from eight to three.

I will not be able to continue as principal next year. There is also a dire shortage of teachers, and the most reliable teacher in the entire community - <u>in-</u> <u>cluding adults</u> - is a fifteen year-old girl name. Lorig Wakian. Continuation of the School is quite doubtful unless additional adult teachers can be recruited and some kind of coherent program is put together.

In addition to the general problem outlined above, I could like to bring to your attention a specific incident which was extremely destructive and demoralizing for us: Long in advance of last summer's Dipcese-sponsored teacher training program I advised Miss Der Stepanian (by phone and in writing) of the urgent situation in the Syracuse Armenian community. I stressed that we needed any and as much help as possible from the Diocese. The was very responsive and sympathetic to pur crisis. In spite of that, Lonig Av kian was first offered and then denied an invitation to particip te in the program - because she was "too young." To say that such a decision was digmatic is a suphemism - especially in light of the fact that it is so rare to find inyone from our little community wheris (a) competent, and (b) eager and willing to participate in such a program. (Incidentally, Lorig had the support and ommittm nt from her parents to accompany her to New York.)

Fr nkly, we feel very isolated and abandoned. It seems that all the attention is directed to the large Armenian communities which are already thriving and really not in any great need of help. Mearwhile, a small community like fyracuse is having very grave difficulties.

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c.c. Archbishop Torkop: Manoogian Diocesan Director, Mrs. Sir in Palvettian Chairman, Diccesan Council Parish Council, St. Paul's possoli Church, Syra use, NY

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Ստացած ԵՆբ Մարտ 7, 1977 βուտկիր ձեր Նամակը եւ կը գնաճատենը ձեր ցոյց տուած ճետարրքրունիւնն ու մտաքոզունիւնը Սիրաքիւսի մեր Տամայնքի եկեղեցական եւ կրնական կեածքի կապակցունեամը։

ζως Թαρασμ կացունեան մասին όեր զաւակը, Ձարմ Թափն, գրած էր Առաքնորդարանի Ուսումնական Թորճուրդին, եւ Տիար նուպար Ձիւփէլեան անոր պատասխանած եւ տեղեկացուցած էր որ Թորճուրդը պատրաստ է իր կարելի միքոցներով օմանդակելու Հայ Դարոցի թարւոր շարունակունեան։

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# St. Paul's Armenian Apostolic Church

### 310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

* * * 1977 * * * SPRING SCHEDULE

MARCH	

2nd - Wednes	day - Women's Guild - Regular Monthly Meeting		
4th - Friday	- Armenian School	•	
6th - Sunday	- Sunday School		
11th - Friday	- Armenian School		
13th - Sunday	<ul> <li><u>BADARAK</u> - Very Rev. Father Mesrob Semerjian</li> <li>Sunday School</li> <li>Lenten Dinner - Women's Guild</li> </ul>		`
18th - Friday	- Armenian School		
20th - Sunday	- Sunday School		
25th - Friday	- Armenian School		
27th - Sunday	<ul> <li><u>BADARAK</u> - Very Rev. Father Mesrob Semerjian</li> <li>Sunday School</li> </ul>		
	Coffee Hour		
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	lst	-	Friday	-	Armenian School	
	3rd	-	Sunday	-	BADARAK - Palm Sunday Rev. Father Khajag Barsamian	
					Sunday School Coffee Hour	
	6th	-	Wednesday	-	Women's Guild - Regular Monthly Meeting	
	7th	-	Thursday	-	Maunday Thursday	
	8th	-	Friday	-	Good Friday The Very Rev. Father Mesrob	Semeriian
	9th	-	Saturday	-	Holy Saturday officiating	j
	10th	-	Sunday	-	Easter Sunday	
					Easter Brunch	
	15 <b>t</b> h	-	Friday	-	Armenian School	
	17th	-	Sunday	-	Sunday School	
	21st	-	Thursday	-	Lilly Chookasian Concert performing at the Civic Center	
	22nd	-	Friday	-	Reception for Lilly Chookasian by Women's Guild	
	23rd	-	Saturday	-	Lilly Chookasian Concert performing at the Civic Center	
	24th	-	Sunday	-	Memorial Day of Armenian Martyrs <u>BADARAK</u> - Rev. Father Khajag Barsamian Sunday School	
		,			Coffee Hour	
	29th	_	Friday	-	Armenian School	
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# St. Haul's Armenian Apostolic Church

#### 310 NORTH GEDDES STREET SYRACUSE, N. Y.

#### * * * 1977 * * * SPRING SCHEDULE (continued)

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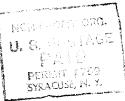
lst - Sunday	- Sunday School	
_	- Women's Guild - Regular Monthly Meeting	
5th - Thursday		
thru 8th - Sunday	- Diocesan Assembly - Providence, R.I.	
6th - Friday	- Armenian School	
8th - Sunday	- Sunday School	
<b>13th -</b> Friday	- Armenian School	
15th - Sunday	- BADARAK - Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Sunday School	
	Banquet	
22nd - Sunday	- Sunday School	
29th - Sunday	- Memorial Day Weekend	
	BADARAK - Rev. Father Khajag Barsamian	
	Sunday School	
	Coffee Hour	
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#### Respectfully submitted

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Umpn 24, 1977

Մեծայարգ Տիար Զարմ Թաֆն Ս. Պօղոս Հայց. Եկեղեցւոյ Հայ Դպրոցի Տնօրէն Սիրաքիւս.

Յարգելի Տիար Թաֆթ,

Ստացած եմ Մարտ 18, 1977 Թուակիր ձեր Նամակը, որմէ ցաւով տեղեկացայ որ Սիրաքիւսի համայնքի Հայ Դպրոցը ունի որոշ դվուարուԹիւններ, որոնցմէ գլխաւորը ուսուցչի պակասն է, եւ Թերեւս այդ պատճառաւ աշակերտուԹեան Թիւը մեծապէս Նուազած է։ Վստահ եմ որ ծխական Խորհուրդը եւ դուք ամէն ջանք ի գործ պիտի դնէք որպէս զի Հայ Դպրոցի Նուիրական գործը չխափանուն եւ վերագտնէ իր Նախկին վիճակը։ ԵԹէ Առաջնորդարանի Հայ Դպրոցներու Ուսում-Նական Խորհուրդը այս ուղղուԹեամը որեւէ կերպով կրնայ օգտակար ըլլալ՝ հաճեցէք անվարան տեղեկացնել։

Առաջ նորդարանի ԿրԹական Տեսուչ Օր. Սիլվա Տէր Ստեփանեան ժամանակ առաջ այցելած է Սիրաքուսի Հայ Դպրոցը եւ լաւ տպաւորուած։ Անցեալ տարի ան դարձեալ պիտի այցելէր՝ սակայն ձեր կողմէ յետաձգուած է այցելունեան Թուականը, եւ մինչեւ այսօր որեւէ Թուական չէ Ճշղուած տակաւին։ Գիտենք նաեւ որ ամէն առնիւ Օր. Տէր Ստեփանեան հեռաձայնով, կամ անձնապէս տեսնուելով շխական Խորհուրդի ատենապետին հետ, հետաքրքրուած է ձեր Հայ Դպրոցով եւ իր պատրաստակամունիւնը յայտնած այցելելու եւ դասագրքեր կամ ուսուցման օժանդակող Նիւներ հայնայնելով օգնելու Սիրաքիւսի Հայ Դպրոցին։

2Եր Նամակին մէջ ակնարկած էիք նաեւ Օր. Լորիկ Աւազեանի մասին, որուն՝ Ուսուցիչներու Պատրաստունեան Յայտագրին մասնակցունիւնը մերժուած էր։

Այս առնիւ կը փափաքիմ ձեր ուշադրունեան յանննել որ անցեալ տարուան Հայ Դպրոցներու Համագումարին տեղեկացուցիք որ դուք անձնապէս պիտի մաս– Նակցիք յիշեալ Յայտագրին, եւ ձեր անունը արձանագրուած ու տեղը վերապահ– ւած էր։ Յայտագրի Թուականէն առաջ երբ Օր. Տէր Ստեփանեան ուզած է ստուգել ձեր մասնակցունեան մասին` իրեն յայտնած էք որ պիտի չկարենաք մասնակցիլ եւ ձեր տեղը պիտի ղրկէք Օր. Լորիկ Աւազեանը, որուն անունը յիշուած չէր Ապրիլ 8, 1977 նուակիր ձեր նամակին մէջ տրուած երեք հաւանական անուններուն մէջ. --Զարմ Թաֆն, Օր. Սուարդ Պօդոսեան եւ Տիկ. Գարըլ Գոլոմպոս--:

Սակայն երը տեղեկացանք որ Օր. Աւազեան միայն 15 տարեկան է՝ ստիպուած մերժեցինք անոր մասնակցութիւնը Տետեւեալ պատճառներով.

ԻՆչպես գիտեք Ուսուցիչներու Պատրաստունեան այս միշարանեայ Ցայտագիրը յաջողունեամը աւարտողը կը ստանայ երեք գոլէնական գրէտին։ Բաւական դժուա-

ρητβάωνα է ηη կարելի եղաւ այս յաջողունիւնը ձեռք բերել. եւ Տպարտունեաνα կրնանք ըսել որ առաջին Հայ կրնական Տաստատունիւնն ենք` որուն միշաբանեայ դասըննացքի վկայականը Տամազօր կը նկատուի երեք գրէտինի։ Մեծ աջխատանք տարինք յաջողցնելու Տամար այս ծրագիրը, գլխաւորաբար Տայ երիտասարդները քաջալերելու Տամար` որպէս զի անոնք նուիրուին Տայեցի կրնունեան գործին։

Այն **համալսարանը որուն հետ զոյացուցած ենք համաձ**այնու**Թիւնը, եւ որուն** փրոֆեսէօրները ստանձնած են դասաւանդու**Թեանց մեծ մասը,** պայման դրած է որ մասնակցողները առ նուազն ``Հայ Սքուլի`` կամ անոր համազօր վկայական մը ունենան։ Վստահ եմ որ դուք եւս պիտի չուզէիք որ Առաջնորդարանը այս յայտազրի լրջուԹեան եւ դրուած պայմանի անսաստումի մասին որեւէ կասկած յարուցանէր համալսարանի տնօրէնուԹեան մօտ։

Այս մաահոգունիւններէն առաջնորդուած, եւ ոչ նէ ձեր փոքր համայնք մը ըլլալուն պատճառաւ, ստիպուած մերժեցինք Սիրաքիւսի, ֆէրլոնի եւ Էվընսնը– նի նեկնածուները, որոնք չէին լրացներ վերոյիշեալ պայմանները։

υωίωյն երը մեր մերժումը ՙωղորդուեցաւ ձեզի, միեւնոյն ատեն տեղեկացւեցաւ որ Op. Սիլվա Տէր Ստեփանեան սիրով յանձն կ՚առնէ երկու կամ երեք օր զբաղիլ Op. Աւագեանի ՙետ՝ մանկավարժական ան `pաժեշտ ցուցմունքներ ընելու, դասազրքերու եւ ուսուցման օժանդակող նիւներու մասին բացատրունիւններ տալու եւ օգնելու անոր՝ որպէս զի իր ստանձնած պատասխանատու պարտականունիւնը արդիւնաւոր դարձնէ։ Նոյնիսկ երնեւեկունեան, գիշերելու եւ նաշի բոլոր ծախքերը պիտի ՙոգացուէին Առաջնորդարանի կողմէ։

Op. Տէր Ստեփանեանի վկայունեամբ այս կարզադրունիւնը մեծապէս ուրախա– ցուցած էր Op. Աւազեանը եւ անոր ծնողքը։ Սակայն դժբախտաբար, ինչ ինչ պատ– մաոներով, Op. Աւագեան չէ կրցած օգտուիլ այս առինէն։

Ստիպուեցանք այս մանրամասնուԹիւնները տալ` լուսաքանելու համար ձեզ, եւ մանաւանդ դարձեալ շեշտելու որ Առաջնորդարանի Հայ Դպրոցներու Ուսում-Նական Խորհուրդը եւ ԿրԹական Բաժանմունքը միշտ պատրաստ են օգնելու որեւէ Հայ Դպրոցի, որովհետեւ իրենց առաջնահերԹ պարտականուԹիւնը կը՝ նկատեն

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Swngbih Shwn Dw\$D,

Ստացած եմ Մարտ 13, 1977 Թուակիր ձեր Նամակը, որմէ ցաւով տեղեկացայ որ Սիրաքիւսի համայնքի Հայ Դպրոցը ունի որոշ դժուարուԹիւններ, որոնցմէ գլխաւորը ուսուցչի պակասն է, եւ Թերեւս այդ պատճառաւ աշակերտուԹեան Թիւը մեծապէս Նուազած է։ Վստահ եմ որ ծխական Խորհուրդը եւ դուք ամէն ջանք ի գործ պիտի ղնէք որպէս զի Հայ Դպրոցի Նուիրական գործը չխափանուի եւ վերագտնէ իր Նախկին վիճակը։ ԵԹէ Առաջնորդարանի Հայ Դպրոցներու Ուսումնական Խորհուրդը այս ուղղուԹեամը որեւէ կերպով կրնայ օգտակար ըլլալ՝ հաճեցէք անվարան տեղեկացնել։

Առաջնորդարանի ԿրԹական Տեսուչ Օր. Սիլվա Տէր Ստեփանեան ժամանակ առաջ այցելած է Սիրաքիւսի Հայ Դպրոցը եւ լաւ տպաւորուած։ Անցեալ տարի ան դարձեալ պիտի այցելէր՝ սակայն ձեր կողմէ յետաձզուած է այցելունեան Թուականը, եւ մինչեւ այսօր որեւէ Թուական չէ ճշղուած տակաւին։ Գիտենք նաեւ որ ամէն առԹիւ Օր. Տէր Ստեփանեան հեռաձայնով, կամ անձնապէս տեսնուելով ծխական Խորհուրդի ատենապետին հետ, հետաքրքրուած է ձեր Հայ Դպրոցով եւ իր պատրաստակամունիւնը յայտնած այցելելու եւ դասագրքեր կամ ուսուցման օժանդակող նիւներ հայնայնելով օգնելու Սիրաքիւսի Հայ Դպրոցին։

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Այս առԹիւ կը փափաքիմ ձեր ուշադրուԹեան յանձնել որ անցեալ տարուան Հայ Դպրոցներու Համագումարին տեղեկացուցիք որ դուք անձնապէս պիտի մաս-Նակցիք յիշեալ Յայտագրին, եւ ձեր անունը արձանագրուած ու տեղը վերապահւած էր։ Յայտագրի Թուականէն առաջ երբ Օր. Տէր Ստեփանեան ուզած է ստուգել ձեր մասնակցուԹեան մասին` իրեն յայտնած էք որ պիտի չկարենաք մասնակցիլ եւ ձեր տեղը պիտի ղրկէք Օր. Լորիկ Աւագեանը, որուն անունը յիշուած չէր Ապրիլ 8, 1977 Թուակիր ձեր նամակին մէջ տրուած երեք հաւանական անուններուն մէջ. --Զարմ ԹաֆԹ, Օր. Նուարդ Պօղոսեան եւ Տիկ. Գարըլ Գոլոմպոս--:

Սակայն երը տեղեկացանք որ Օր. Աւագեան միայն 15 տարեկան է՝ ստիպուած մերժեցինք անոր մասնակցութիւնը հետեւեալ պատճառներով.

ինչպէս զիտէք Ուսուցիչներու Պատրաստունեան այս միշաբանեայ Յայտազիրը յաջողունեամբ աւարտողը կը ստանայ երեք զոլէմական զրէտին։ Բաւական դժուա-

ρηιθαωύε է ηη կարելի եղաւ այս յաջողուθիւնը ձեռք բերել. եւ հպարտուθαամբ կրնանք ըսել որ առաջին Հայ կրθական հաստատուθիւնն ենք` որուն միշաբաθեայ դասընθացքի վկայականը համազօր կը նկատուի երեք գրէտիθի։ Մեծ աշխատանք տա– րինք յաջողցնելու համար այս ծրագիրը, գլխաւորաբար հայ երիտասարդները քա– ջալերելու համար` որպէս զի անոնք նուիրուին հայեցի կրθուθեան գործին։

Այն համալսարանը որուն հետ զոյացուցած ենք համաձայնունի նը, եւ որուն փրոֆեսէօրները ստանձնած են դասաւանդունեանց մեծ մասը, պայման դրած է որ մասնակցողները առ նուազն `` Հայ Սքուլի`` կամ անոր համազօր վկայական մը ունենան։ Վստահ եմ որ դուք եւս պիտի չուզէիք որ Առաջնորդարանը այս յայ– տագրի լրջունեան եւ դրուած պայմանի անսաստումի մասին որեւէ կասկած յարու– ցանէր համալսարանի տնօրէնունեան մօտ։

Այս մտահոգուԹիւններէն առաջնորդուած, եւ ոչ Թէ ձեր փոքր համայնք մը ըլլալուն պատճառաւ, ստիպուած մերժեցինք Սիրաքիւսի, ֆէրլոնի եւ ԷվընսԹը– նի Թեկնածուները, որոնք չէին լրացներ վերոյիշեալ պայմանները։

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Ορ. Տէր Ստեփանեանի վկայուԹեամբ այս կարգադրուԹիւնը մեծապէս ուրախա– gուցած էր Օր. Աւագեանը եւ անոր ծնողքը։ Սակայն դժբախտաբար, ինչ ինչ պատ– Ճառներով, Օր. Աւագեան չէ կրցած օգտուիլ այս առիԹէն։

ປທຖພຸກເຮອພູບອຼພງບ ປົພບຖພປພບບກເຜີຖະບົບຮອດ ທພູ ເກເບພອພູບຮູດາເ ໂພປພກ ອໍຣຊ, ອເປັນພະແມ່ນ ກຸພຸກອິຣພເ 252ທຣເກເ ກາ ປົກພຽບກຸກກຸພກພູບຄ່ ຊີພງ ໂພກອບຮູດກາເ ກະບາເປົ ບພູບພູບ ບົກກາກເກຼກ ຣເ ນິກອິພປູພູບ ໂພບຜູບປົກເບຼອດ ປີກ2ທ ພູພທກພບທ ຣບ ວຊຸບຮູດເກເ ກຸກຣເຊ ຊີພງ ໂພກອງ, ກຸກກຸປາຣທຣເ ກຸກຣບອ ພາຍອົບພາຮອກອີ ພຸພກທພູມູບກາເຊິກເບັກ ປຸກ ບໍ່ປຸ່ມທຣບ

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Bungbih Shen Uppujtibut,

Ստացած ենք «հարուար 11, 1977 Թուակիր ձեր անդեկագիրը, որով կը Տաղորդէր Թէ Յունուար 30-ին գումարուած Տամայնքիդ շխական Ժողովին մէջ կատարուած է ծխական ԽորՏուրդի երեր անդամոց ընտրութիւնը, եւ ներկայացննլով բուէարկութնան արդիւնքը՝ կը խնդրէր ընտրուած անձերու վաւերացման պաշտօնագիրը։

՝ Եկատի ունենալով որ Ձեր Շիական ժողովը տեղի ունեցաձ է Թեմական Կանոնադրութեան արամադրութեան Կամաձայն, այսու կը վաւերաց-Նենք ծիական խորքուրդի Նորընտիր անդամները, ըստ սաորեւ արուած ցանկին։

Հանեցէր փութով ԱռաջՆորդարան ղրկել ծխական խորքուրդի Նորընաիր Դիւանի անդամոց անունները:

.Op ԳՆԵլով նխական Խորհուրդի Նոր կազմը, կը մաղնենք յաջող եւ արդիւնաւոր զործունէունեան տարի մը, ի պայծառունիւն Ա. Եկեղեցւոյղ եւ ի հոգեւոր շինունիւն համայնքիղ մեր սիրեցեալ ժողովուրդին։

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