

*60th
Anniversary*



**Women's Guild
St. Mary Armenian Church
Livingston, New Jersey
Sunday - November 13, 1988**



DEDICATION

This 60th anniversary booklet is dedicated to the founding ladies of the Women's Guild as well as to those who are serving in this illustrious organization. From that humble beginning in 1928, these devoted ladies, have without a doubt, expressed magnificently the love and concern our people have for their faith and heritage. Their ardent determination will stand as a constant reminder the sacrifices needed for the preservation of our ideals. May their shining example be a continual source of inspiration to those who are continuing their work.





The Cathedral of Holy Etchmiadzin
Erected 301 A.D.

In Loving Memory of
THE GULEZIAN - YERETZIAN
CAPRIELIAN & MAHSEREJIAN FAMILIES
by
NEVART GULEZIAN



His Holiness, Vasken 1st
Supreme Patriarch and Catholicos of All Armenians

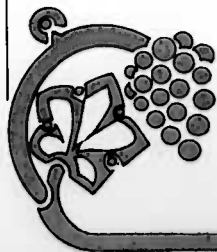
In Memory of My Parents
AVEDIS and ANNA BAGDASIAN
by
VERY REV. FR. HOUSSIG BAGDASIAN





His Beatitude, Archbishop Shnork Kaloustian
Patriarch of Istanbul, Former Pastor of our Church

In Memory of our Parents and Grandparents
SATENIG and DANIEL KACHADORIAN
PAMBOOK AND SETRAG BERBERIAN
by
ROBERT V. and MARIAM DORIAN, KIM and MARY JAN



A Message From
His Beatitude, Archbishop Shnork Kaloustian
Upon The 60th Anniversary of St. Mary Armenian Church's Women's Guild
Livingston, New Jersey

It was with great joy that I learnt from your Pastor that the Women's Guild will celebrate its 60th anniversary. I have said it many times also in the past, that the Womens' Guilds of America are one of the most active and vibrant organizations in the community. When I was Pastor in New Jersey, their productive activities could be clearly seen and enthusiasm felt.

I remember how these dedicated ladies would leave their own work behind and come to Church to extend a helping hand in the affairs of the community. Their activities and endeavors were a source of comfort and happiness. This spirit of self sacrifice, I feel, will continue to grow in the coming years because it is firmly embedded in the tradition of our people in America.

Anniversaries are a time when we look back to see the accomplishments of one's endeavors. It makes us think about the present and by comparing it with the past, helps us to look toward the future with more determination to continue to strive for greater success and accomplishments.

I am confident that St. Mary Armenian Church's Women's Guild will continue their work with zeal and enthusiasm as in the past. They can look back with pride and look forward with brighter hope and larger expectations. Not everyone is willing to leave their personal work for the service of others. These dedicated ladies have made this sacrifice for their Church and community. The feeling of love they have for one another and the fellowship enjoyed by each one of them is most rewarding. They do this for the prosperity and well being of their Church and community and for the glory of God.

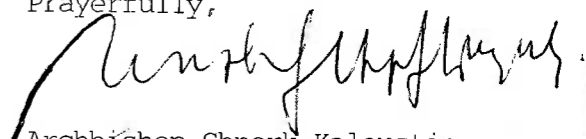
Our Mother Church means everything to us, not only is it our spiritual home and our identifying force, but our salvation and our way of life. It is worth the sacrifice to keep Her strong and vibrant.

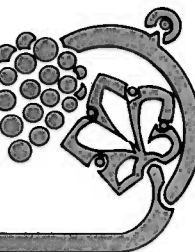
On this happy occasion I would first like to remember the deceased members of the organization who worked so hard over the years and made the 60th anniversary possible. Although they have been called to their eternal rest, their memories and spirit still remain with us. May their souls be illuminated and may they rest in peace.

I extend Paternal greetings and love to all the members of the Women's Guild and wish them future success as well as strength and determination to continue their lofty mission for their Church and community. I wish the coming anniversaries will continue to be celebrated in this spirit for the glory of God and for the welfare and prosperity of the Parish. May God protect all of you keeping you in good health and may He grace all your endeavors with success.

With Paternal greetings and blessings.
Prayerfully,

In Honor of our Parents
ROSE and FRANK TERLECKI
ROBERT V. and MARIAM DORIAN
We Love You
ROBERT S. and LINDA DORIAN

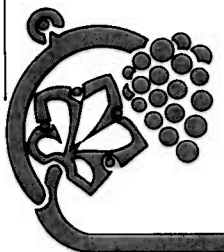

Archbishop Shnork Kaloustian
Armenian Patriarch of Turkey





His Eminence, Archbishop Torkom Manoogian
Primate, Diocese of the Armenian Church of America

In Loving Memory of our Mothers
LUCIA KAFAFIAN and ANNA GARABEDIAN
by
DR. & MRS. HAIG KAFAFIAN



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Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

PRIMATE'S MESSAGE

We were very happy to learn that the St. Mary Armenian Church Women's Guild of Livingston was celebrating its 60th anniversary. How significant an anniversary and how joyous the celebration for your community! For it has been the deep devotion of our women that has made the Armenian Church strong and made it the nurturing mother to all its faithful.

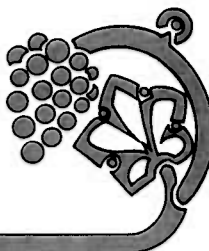
We know how much love and hard work the women of Livingston have given to their Church and people. They have labored to raise funds for the building of a church more than once in recent history. They have chaired a variety of social and family events that were designed to create the warm and welcome environment that has always made the Armenian Church a true second home to its children. And beyond the tangible work of teaching and hosting and caretaking, there have always been the enormous gifts of their faith and commitment to Christ and church. By their example, the members of the Women's Guild at St. Mary have given the greatest lesson of faith to their community for six decades and they have done so with the humility of the true believer. God bless you dear mothers, sisters and daughters, for your leadership and love.

May He fill you with continuing strength for the new challenges of the Armenian Church in America and may He give us all the grace and wisdom to be inspired by the same quiet power of faith.

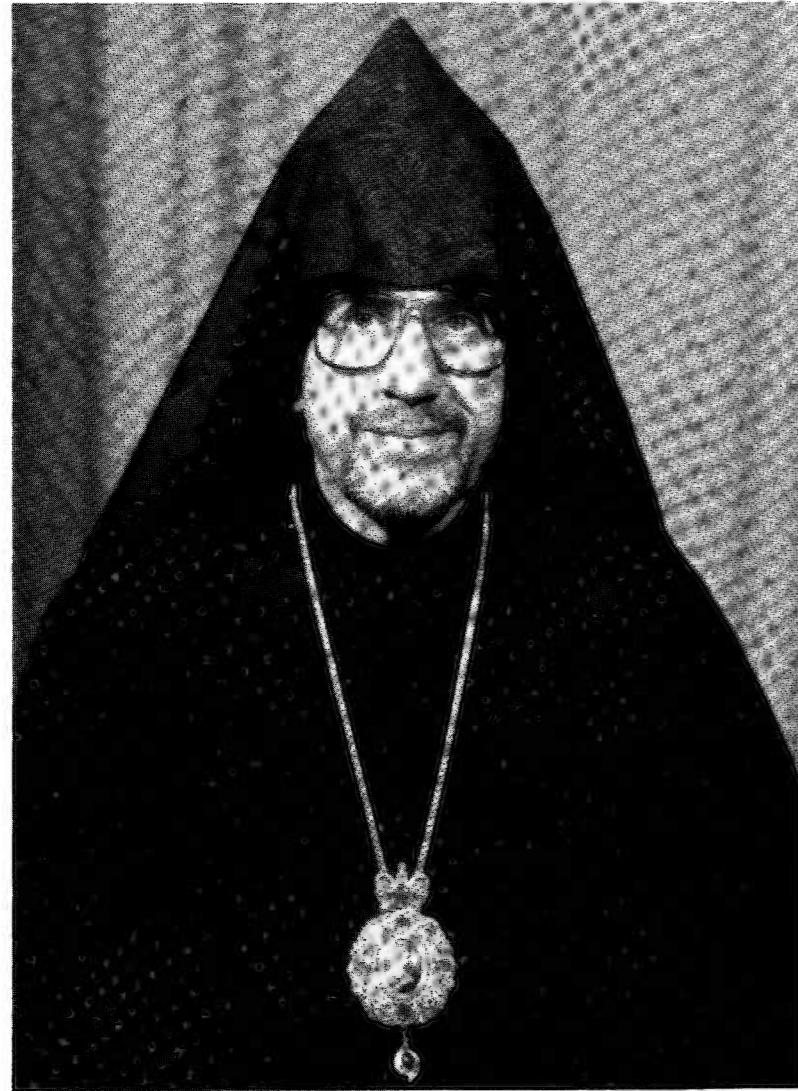
Prayerfully,

abp. Torkom Manoogian

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian
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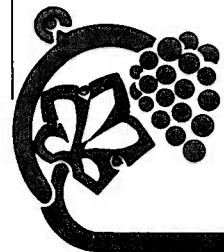


October 1988



Bishop Yeghishe Gizirian
Primate of the Armenian Community of Great Britain
Former Pastor of our Church

In Memory of ROSE TAKAKJIAN BOZIAN
Our Mother By VIC & VAL NEMETZ
Our Grandmother, CAROL ANNE NEMETZ, CHRISTINE ARAX NEMETZ
ROBERT & CYNTHIA ROSE FLETCHER
Our Great Grandmother, CAITLIN PAIGE FLETCHER, TEIGAN ROSE FLETCHER



The Rt. Rev. Bishop YEGHISHE GIZIRIAN · Primate of the Armenian Community of Great Britain

On the occasion of the Sixtieth Anniversary of the Women's Guild of St. Mary Armenian Church in Livingston, I cordially salute all the faithful and dedicated members wishing them all God's blessings and heavenly benedictions.

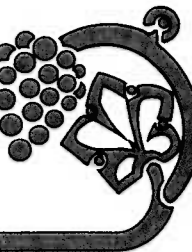
It was a great personal pleasure to have had the opportunity to be identified with the St. Mary Armenian Church during my five years of pastoral service. I will always cherish the beautiful memories of my experiences with the community. I extend my best wishes for a fruitful and meaningful future in all respects.

My thoughts and prayers are with you always.

Yours prayerfully
Yeghishe Gizirian
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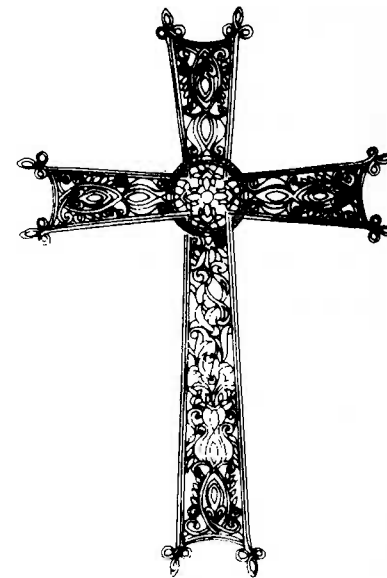




Very Rev. Fr. Houssig Bagdasian

Pastor of our Church

*In Honor of NEVART BADISHKANIAN
by
MR. & MRS. RICHARD BADISHKANIAN and FAMILY*



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Very Rev. Fr. Houssig Bagdasian, Pastor

November 13, 1988

60th Anniversary

Women's Guild

1928 - 1988

The concern of the women of St. Mary Armenian Church from the very beginning was for the welfare and prosperity of their Church and community. This spirit is evident in all aspects of their endeavors. They have continually strived for the financial and moral success of the Parish so that the mission of the Church could be fulfilled. What foresight, what devotion, and most of all what an expression of love and faith for their religion and heritage.

When the Women's Guild was organized in 1928 the mood was one of hope and determination. They were difficult years, not only because of the task that lay ahead, but because of the many obstacles they had to confront. Being few in number their burden was heavy. Their unyielding faith, illuminated with understanding of their mission, gave them strength to go forth and prosper.

Inspired by the Holy Spirit they worked to make their dreams a living reality. These Church loving ladies gave of their time for the progress of our Parish as well as to ensure their labor would benefit the coming generations. How can one not be amazed and filled with pride when talking about the Women's Guild. Not only are they a source of inspiration, but also a shining example of the commitment and love our people have for their religion, language, culture and tradition.

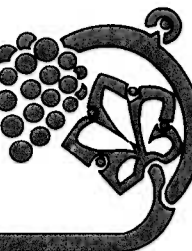
As we look back over the past many years of the life of the Women's Guild we see how from a humble beginning they have grown to be one of the strongest pillars of our Church and community. On behalf of our Parish I congratulate them on their 60th anniversary and pray the coming years will be blessed with a multitude of success and the fulfillment of their ideals.

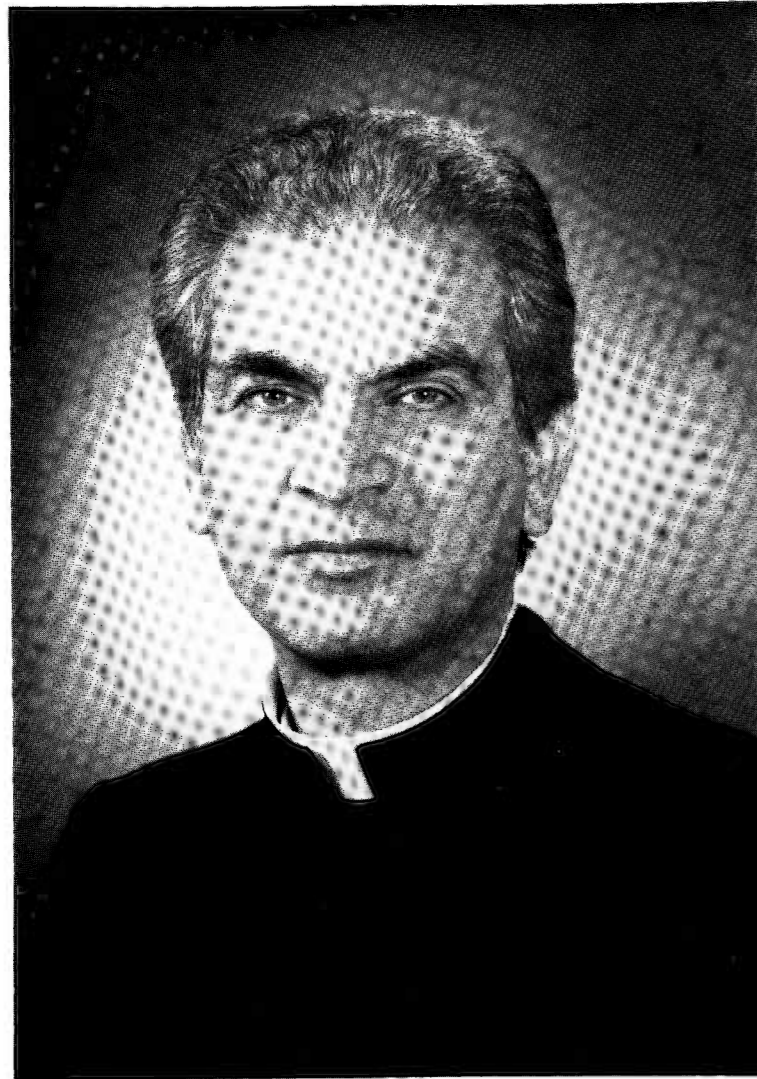
Prayerfully,

V. Rev. Fr. Houssig Bagdasian
Pastor

*Congratulations and Best Wishes
on Your 60th Anniversary*

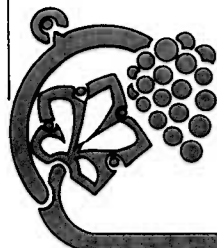
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Rev. Fr. Mampre A. Kouzouian
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 Former Pastor of our Church

*In Honor of SHOUSHAN BARMAKIAN
 Our Mother, Grandmother and Great Grandmother
 by
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REVEREND FATHER MAMPRE KOUZOUIAN
 (Pastor)

October 25, 1988

V. Rev. Fr. Houssig Bagdasian
 St. Mary Armenian Church
 200 W. Mt. Pleasant Ave.
 Livingston, N.J. 07039

Dear Fr. Houssig:

Thank you for informing me that the Women's Guild of St. Mary's Armenian Church of Livingston will celebrate its 60th Anniversary on Sunday, November 13th. Yeretzgin and I congratulate the Women's Guild on reaching this important milestone in its life.

Over the past 60 years, the Women's Guild has been the backbone of the Church and, through the dedication, commitment and devotion of its members, has helped the Pastors and Parish Council carry out its mission amongst the faithful. I personally cherish fond memories of the years spent at St. Mary's and of working with the Women's Guild.

I am delighted to hear that on this occasion some of the senior members of the Guild will be honored. These women - Mrs. V. Zadigian, Mrs. Shushan Barmakian, Mrs. N. Badishkhanian, Mrs. F. Boyajian, Mrs. N. Berberian, Mrs. Z. Ashukian, Mrs. A. Der Hovsepian and Mrs. M. Marashlian have faithfully served the Women's Guild and St. Mary's with exemplary devotion and love for many years. They are to be commended and congratulated for all that they have done and continue to do!

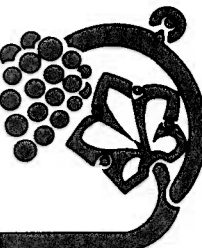
Yeretzgin and I congratulate the Women's Guild on its 60th Anniversary and send our best wishes to all its members and their families. May God grant them many years in good health to continue serving our Church in Livingston.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Mampre A. Kouzouian

Rev. Fr. Mampre A. Kouzouian
 Pastor

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VARTANOUSH ZADIGIAN



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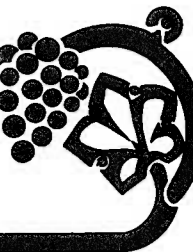
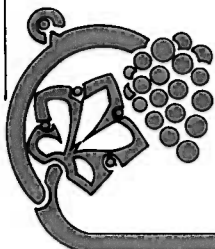
PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL

- Invocation — His Eminence, Archbishop Torkom Manoogian
Primate, Diocese of the Armenian Church of America
- Welcoming Remarks — Dickie Boyajian
60th Anniversary Chairman
- Toast — Richard Badishkanian
Parish Council Chairman

DINNER

- Master of Ceremonies — Martin Z. Boyajian
- Remarks — Very Reverend Fr. Houssig Bagdasian
Pastor, St. Mary Armenian Church
- Guest Speaker (Armenian) — Vartanoush Zadigian
- Musical Selections — Simone Coonrad
Harpist
- Guest Speaker (English) — Kora Zadigian
- Presentation — Lucy Dabagian
Past Chairman Women's Guild Central Council
- Presentations — Rose Kafatian
Women's Guild Chairman
- Address & Benediction — Archbishop Torkom Manoogian
Primate



A TRIBUTE TO THE WOMAN'S GUILD OF ST. MARY ARMENIAN CHURCH ON THEIR 60th ANNIVERSARY

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

The first known Armenian to arrive in the Metropolitan area was Christopher Der Serapian in 1843. Graduating from Yale University he introduced the yearbook custom and developed the green and black colors in United States paper currency that is still in use to this day. He was followed by a small number of Armenians who had come from Armenia to pursue an academic education. The date of the earliest entry of Armenians into the State of New Jersey is shrouded in mystery, but by the early 1850's a large passenger liner regularly plied its way between Raritan Bay in New Jersey and upper New York State; it was called the "Armenia" and suggested the presence of Armenians in the area. A painting of this ship hangs in the Bourne Museum, Bourne, Vermont and can be seen today. Scattered Armenians arrived in the metropolitan locality thereafter but no serious influx of newcomers occurred until the Turkish massacre of 1884-85. By 1907, the first Armenian Church in the area was established in Union City.

The silk weaving industry centered in Jersey City and many of these early immigrants were not scholars but skilled artisans of weaving. Marco Polo spent many months in Armenia on his way to and from Venice to China. On his return he introduced the art of silk raising and weaving to the Armenians. As the silk industry waned, Armenians turned to related fields of oriental rugs and rug cleaning and dry cleaning; they moved out to the suburbs including Newark and its environs.

The second wave of Armenians to arrive in America followed the massacre of 30,000 Armenians in Cilicia by the 'young turks' in 1909: By 1910 the women in the Newark area had formed a branch of the Armenian Red Cross Society dedicated to providing food, shelter and clothing to these victims. By then there were approximately 3000 Armenians in Essex County.

The Armenian Genocide of 1914 brought the third and largest influx of Armenians to America. The newcomers were mostly farmers or simple artisans. The cream of Armenian Intelligensia: the writers, poets, philosophers, lawyers and generals had all been methodically annihilated by the Turks as the first stage of their master plan to wipe out the Armenian race.

Almost all refugees regardless of their nationality came to America to seek a new life. They were close knit, hardworking, God-loving people. But the Armenians were unique among them. First, they were the only peoples who had suffered confiscation, torture and death at the hands of their own government to which they had been loyal. Second, they were all strongly united under the only protective shield they had ever known, the Armenian Church and third, they were virtually all literate men and women alike and capable of reading the Bible. This then was the background which gave birth to St. Mary Armenian Church. A devout group of men and women each scarred with unspeakable indignities, in a foreign land, poor but intent on pursuing a new life.

On May 16, 1926, 1000 of these people gathered in Newark to hold their very own Armenian Apostolic Church Service. It was held at St. Barnabas Episcopal Church in the pouring rain. They were to be known thereafter as members of the Newark Diocese, although they came from over a dozen surrounding towns and communities.

THE WOMEN'S GUILD

The Ladies Auxiliary was born in March 1928 at a meeting of a small group of women at the home of Takouhy Essayan. The name was officially changed to the Women's Guild in the 1970's to keep in harmony with similar chapters throughout the Diocese. By November, an executive committee chaired by Haiganoush Zotian had been established; other members were Perouz Mouroukian, Vice Chairman, Meroubek Haigazian, Secretary, Takouhi Essayan, Treasurer, Haiganoush Gulezian and Lousarpy Bedikian, Advisors. That was sixty years ago. Since then the history of St. Mary Parish is so intertwined with the Women's Guild that one cannot be discussed without the other. For approximately the first twenty years (late 1920's to mid 1940's), the main thrust of energy and fund raising was directed towards helping orphans and displaced persons throughout the world. Later it assumed responsibility for keeping the Armenian culture and language alive by fostering the Armenian

Language Schools as well as all of the cultural programs. Additionally, it raised funds for Holy Etchmiadzin, the Patriarchate of the Armenian Church of Jerusalem, the Armenian Old Age Home in Emerson, and other charities too numerous to mention. Life was not easy, there was a terrible depression on in the world and little money for such charities.

It was not until 1943 that the community began thinking of establishing a home for the Church. Until that time church services were held on every other Sunday afternoon at the House of Prayer in Newark (today, an historic landmark); there were no facilities available for morning services. Toward that end the Guild began the Annual Bazaar. Their first effort yielded \$131.65 a princely sum for those years when five cents was all it cost to ride the ferry to Manhattan. It was to become the largest single income producer until the 1970's, far exceeding the plate and pledge collections.

The end of World War II in 1945 brought great joy to the Armenian community. Having raised their children in this new land, mothers watched them enter the various military services, but this war would end happily. For the first time in Armenian history most of the men who went to war would return home safely. But that also brought urgency and need for a church.

By 1948 the first Armenian Church in the community was purchased in Irvington, New Jersey under the shadow of what was then the Hoffman Soda Bottle. It had previously been a German speaking Presbyterian Church, empty for years and in need of serious repair. The entire complex of church, church hall, parish house and yard was to measure ¼ of an acre, 100 x 100 feet. It was a Godsend to the tiny community which was to grow to over one hundred families at its greatest membership and all just in time, for it was to provide a place for the second generation of Armenians to court, marry and baptize their children. No group worked harder than the Woman's Guild in those years. They washed and cleaned and cooked. The image of the women toiling all day is still clear to those of us old enough to remember. Who would not be impressed by their hard work, charity and utter honesty. After working all day, they would reach into their pocketbooks to pay for the very food they were donating and preparing.

Of all the legacies the Women's Guild has left us, it is the philosophy that the Church is built not only for the Glory of God, but for man, who needs a place to worship, be married, baptized and enter God's kingdom.

The Church therefore needs love, sacrifice and the finances to meet its budget. How sad if that devotion and their cultural arts and skills are lost to the coming generations. But all things occur in cycles. When the time comes we shall see that old-fashioned Armenian atmosphere in the Church again.

This is the year of the Women's Guild. We all rejoice in their glory. We especially honor those women of the first generation who are still with us:

Vartanoush Zadigian	1929	59 years
Nevart Berberian	1933	55 years
Shoushan Barmakian	1934	54 years
Nevart Badishkanian	1934	54 years
Mary Marashlian	1935	53 years
Aznive Der Hovsepien	1938	50 years
Zabel Ashukian	1942	46 years
Florence Boyajian	1942	46 years

God has blessed them all.

Now the Church is in Livingston; the site is sixteen times larger and its value more than a hundred times greater than the old. The fund raising duties have passed to the shoulders of the second generation and now the third generation of Armenians has entered into the care of St. Mary Armenian Church by keeping the Women's Guild alive.

If the Church can be compared to a mighty oak tree, then the Women's Guild can be proud that it planted and nourished the seed.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert V. Dorian, M.D.

WOMEN'S GUILD MEMBERS - 1988



Seated - NEVART BADISHKIANIAN, SHOUSHAN BARMAKIAN, DICKIE BOYAJIAN, V. REV. FR. HOUSSIG BAGDASIAN, ROSE KAFAFIAN, FLORENCE BOYAJIAN, AND NEVART BERBERIAN. Second Row - TESHKO KOUZOUIAN, ROSE PALANCHIAN, ROSE DINKJIAN, DERA MAYR OVSANNA KOUZOUIAN, MARY DORIAN, VIRGINIA BABIAN, SIRANOUSH TOUFAYAN, VAL NEMETZ, ALICE JESRALY, ROSE BAKALIAN. Third Row - JEAN BERBERIAN, GLORIA JOSEPH, LOUISE NAKASHIAN LINDA DORIAN, ALICE SIRABIAN, JANET ARIYAN, RUBY MORCHIAN, LUCY DALAKIAN, BERTHA BARMAKIAN, SUZANNE TOUFAYAN.

WOMEN'S GUILD MEMBERS - 1955



In Loving Memory of Mom, ROSE TAKAKJIAN BOZIAN
by

R. BRUCE & ARAX NOEL & CHILDREN, DRS. ANNE & ART NOEL, NADINE & DR. GARY NOEL, ADRIENNE & JAMES BAILEY, BARBARA & AUDRA NOEL, MEREDITH & ADAM NOEL, JAMES, JENNIFER & JESSICA BAILEY

ST. MARY WOMEN'S GUILD DECEASED MEMBERS



Shoushan Abajian



Alice Adanatjian



Ovsanna Adanatjian



Azniv Akmekjian



Siranoush Aslanian



Dera Mayr Anna Bagdasian



Lousarpi Bedigian



Shahnaz Bedikian



Sirvart Bedrosian



Hripsime Berberian



Pambook Berberian



Mabel Boyajian



Mary Boyajian



Rose Bozian



Anna Chankalian



Paris Chilingirian



**ST. MARY WOMEN'S GUILD
DECEASED MEMBERS**



Antoinette Chorbajian



Haiganoush Chorbajian



Tuma Dalakian



Lucia Dalalian



Lucy Dallakian



Mary Davidian



Mabel Demirjian



Baidzar Dertadian



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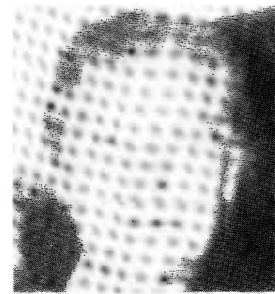
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Bagzada Gulezian



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Mary Kazazian



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DECEASED MEMBERS**



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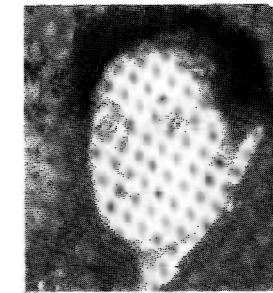
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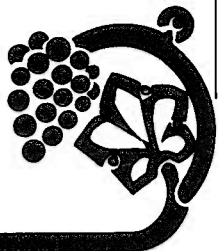
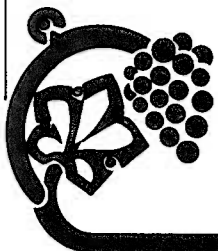
Florence Tourian



Mary Tutunjian



Haiganoush Zotian



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<i>Mary Akmekjian</i>	<i>Takouly Essayan</i>
<i>Astghig Boghosian</i>	<i>Mary Khuntzorian</i>
<i>Tuma Boyajian</i>	<i>Pylazoon Mahmarian</i>

WOMEN'S GUILD - 1941



Seated (left to right) - *SHOUSHAN BARMAKIAN, HAIGANOUSH GULEZIAN, HAIGANOUSH ZOTIAN, V. REV. FR. SHNORK KALOUSTIAN, NEVART BADISHKANIAN SIRANOUSH ASLANIAN, AZNIV DER HOVSEPIAN.* 2nd Row - *ASTGHIG PINAJIAN, VARTANOUSH ZADIGIAN, PEROOZ SARKISSIAN, MARY MOURACHANIAN, ZABEL ASHUKIAN, HAIGANOUSH GARABEDIAN, BAIDZAR TASHJIAN, OVSANNA DAYERMANJIAN.* 3rd Row - *AZNIV DER HOVSEPIAN, NEVART HAJIAN, YERANIG DIRHEMJIAN, MABEL BOYAJIAN, LUCIA DALALIAN, SIRANOUSH MOORACHANIAN.*

60TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION COMMITTEE



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