Church Members Prepare Special Events for Upcoming Anniversary

CHELTENHAM, Pa. - Final preparations are underway to insure the success of the celebration of the 10th anniversary of consecration of The Holy Trinity Armenian Church of Cheltenham, Pa., on Sunday, September 19. Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate of the Diocese of the Armenian Church of America, will celebrate the Divine Liturgy on that day.

Co-Chairmen Albert Kapeghian and Sebouh Minassian are coordinating the various activities involved in this tremendous undertaking so that the well organized committee can present a memorable affair.

The Very Rev. Arshen Aivazian, pastor of Holy Trinity, and Mr. Antranik Javardian have pooled their efforts to produce a beautiful souvenir booklet for this occasion, which will include pictures of outstanding events during these past ten years, as well as pertinent facts about happenings during this same period.

Mason Avrigian, Esq., member of Holy Trinity, will emcee the banquet which will take place in the Church Auditorium at 2:00 p.m. A graduate of Moravian College and Temple University School of Law, Mr. Avrigian was admitted to the Pennsylvania Bar in 1960. He has served as special assistant to the Attorney General, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and is solicitor for various boroughs and school districts in his area. He is a very active member of his community, with membership in a long list of Bar Associations.

Miss Joan Setian Campbell, a 1973 graduate of Temple University College of Music, majoring in voice and opera, will enhance the program with her musical offerings. Recipient of the Young Artist Award at age 17 in a city-wide music competition in Philadelphia, she has performed at the Academy of Music in Philadelphia and the Philharmonic and Carnegie Halls in New York. Miss Campbell is presently a member of the New York City Opera Company and has appeared in various operatic roles at Lincoln Center.

Miss Cynthia Khatchadurian. who gave her first piano recital at age 7 at the American University of Beirut, will perform several selections. Winner of the first prize in a concerto competition with the North Shore Philharmonic Orchestra in Illinois, she also won the New Jersey State Award at age 12. Recently, she won first prize with the Greater Trenton Symphony Orchestra. Miss Khatchadurian has also performed with the New Jersey Symphony Orchestra and the Collegian Musicon Orchestra in Princeton.