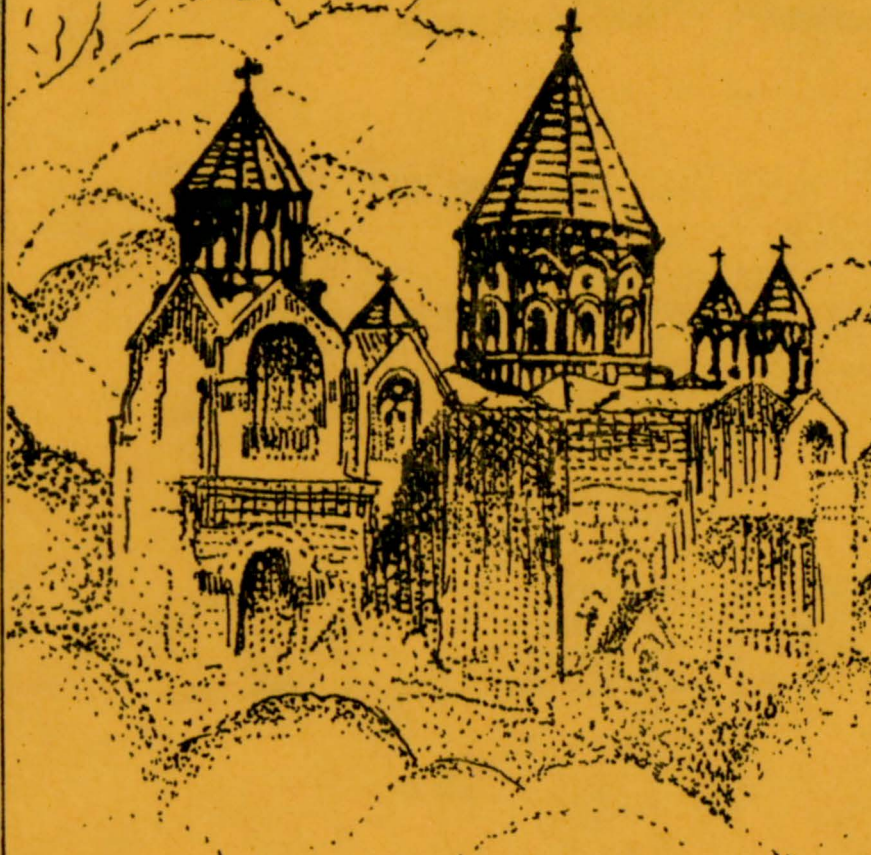


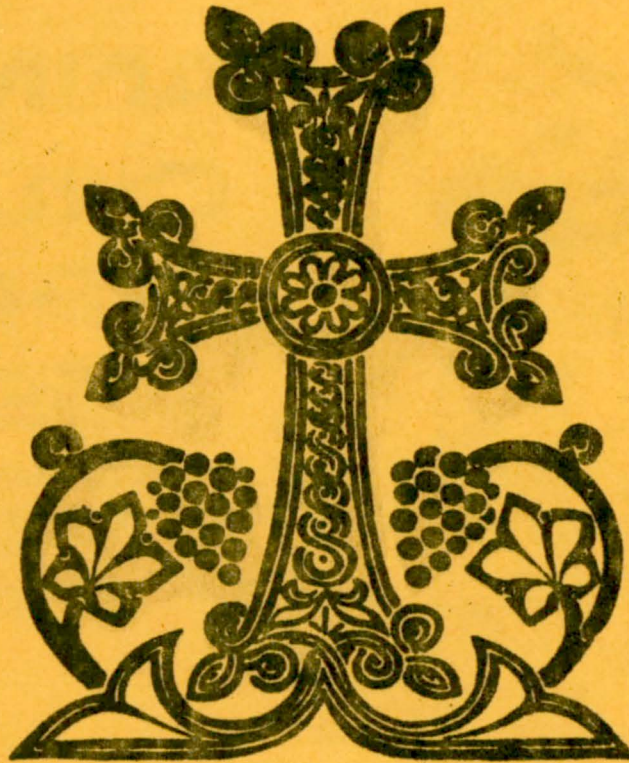
ANNUAL CHURCH REPORT 1980

**ST. GREGORY THE ILLUMINATOR
ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH**

110 MAIN STREET
HAVERHILL, MA 01830



PASTOR: The Very Rev. Haigazoun Vartabed Melkonian



PRAYER FOR THE ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY

GRANT, O LORD, THAT THY HOLY SPIRIT MAY PRESIDE OVER US NOW IN ALL OUR CONCERNS AND DELIBERATIONS FOR THE WELFARE OF THIS PARISH, WE THANK THEE FOR ALL THE BLESSINGS OF THE PAST YEAR, AND PRAY THAT WE MAY GO TOGETHER FROM STRENGTH TO STRENGTH IN THE YEAR BEFORE US, HELP US ALL TO DEDICATE OURSELVES TO THEE, AND TO BE READY TO MAKE SACRIFICE OF TIME AND MONEY FOR THE EXTENSION OF THY KINGDOM,

GUIDE US, WE BESEECH THEE, IN THE CHOICE OF OUR PARISH COUNCIL, AND MAY THEY DISCHARGE THEIR DUTIES FAITHFULLY,

WE PRAISE THEE FOR THESE THY SERVANTS WHO LABORED AND WORSHIPPED THEE, HERE BEFORE US AND ESPECIALLY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DEPARTED FROM THIS LIFE SINCE WE LAST MET TOGETHER, GRANT TO THEM ETERNAL REST, O LORD, AND LET THY PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE UPON THEM, THROUGH JESUS CHRIST OUR LORD, AMEN.

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Սերով կը հրաւիրուիք Սուրբ Գրիգոր Լուսաւորիչ Հայաստանեայց Եկեղեցւոյ Տարեկան Անդամական Ժողովին, որ տեղի պիտի ունենայ Կիրակի, Փետրուար 1, 1981 կ.ա. ժամը 1ին: Եկեղեցւոյ արարողութեանց անմիջապէս յետոյ ճաշ պիտի տրուի - սակաւ գինով - սրահին մէջ եւ սպա ժողովը Եկեղեցւոյ մէջ: Հաճեցէք ժամանակին գալ, որպէս զի ժողովը չերկարի:

Ձեր ներկայութիւնը, կարծիքներն ու գաղափարները կարեւոր են Եկեղեցւոյս բոլոր գործունէութեանց համար: Գուէարկութիւնը ժողովի սկիզբը տեղի պիտի ունենայ եւ ձեր 1980ին անդամական տուրքերը վճարած պէտք է ըլլան քուէարկելու համար:

Յայտագիր

1. Բացման Աղօթք
2. Ընտրութիւն Ժողովի Պաշտօնեաներու
3. Ընթերցում 1980ի Ատենագրութեանց
4. Ընտրողական Յանձնախումբի տեղեկութիւն
5. Ընտրութիւնք.
 - ա. Թեմական Պատգամաւոր - 2 հոգի - 4 տարի
 - բ. Եխական Խորհուրդի անդամ - 4 հոգի - 2 տարի
 - գ. Ընտրողական Յանձնախումբ - 3 հոգի - 1 տարի
 - դ. Հաշուեքննիչ Հանձնախումբ - 3 հոգի - 1 տարի
6. Տեղեկագրութիւնք.
 - ա. Հովիւ
 - բ. Եխական Խորհուրդ
 - գ. Տիկնանց Միութիւն
 - դ. Միսթը եւ Միսըս
 - ե. Երիտասարդաց
 - զ. Դպրաց Դաս
 - է. Հայկական Դպրոց
 - ը. Վերաշինութեան Կանաչախումբ
 - թ. Եկամտի Յանձնախումբ
7. Տեղեկագրութիւն Հաշուեքննիչ Յանձնախումբի
8. Ելեւմտական տեղեկագրութիւն 1980 եւ 1981 Պիւճէի վաւերացում
9. Առաջարկութիւններ 1980ի Թեմական Ժողովի
10. Նոր Առաջարկներ Եխական Գործունէութեանց
11. Հովիւի Պատգամ
12. Փակման Աղօթք

Հայկազուն Վրդ. Մելգոնեան
Հովիւ եւ Նախագահ Եխական Խորհուրդի

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Ատենապետ, Եխական Խորհուրդի

Անդրանիկ Տէվէճեան
Քարտուղար, Եխական Խորհուրդի

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INVITATION

DEAR PARISHIONERS,

THE PASTOR AND PARISH COUNCIL OF ST. GREGORY THE ILLUMINATOR ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF HAVERHILL CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO OUR ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY WHICH WILL BE HELD ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1981 AT 1:00 P.M. IN OUR CHURCH HALL. A LIGHT LUNCH WILL BE SERVED IMMEDIATELY AFTER CHURCH SERVICES, (A SMALL CHARGE WILL BE MADE FOR LUNCH). THE MEETING WILL START PROMPTLY AT 1:00 P.M. IN THE CHURCH. PLEASE BE ON TIME SO THAT WE MAY ADJOURN WITHOUT ANY UNNECESSARY DELAYS.

PLEASE MAKE EVERY ATTEMPT TO ATTEND AND VOICE YOUR CONSTRUCTIVE OPINION. REMEMBER, YOU MUST BE A DUES PAYING MEMBER TO VOTE AND THAT ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD AT THE BEGINNING OF THE PARISH ASSEMBLY.

AGENDA

1. INVOCATION
2. ELECTION OF ASSEMBLY CHAIRMAN AND SECRETARY
3. MINUTES OF 1980 ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY
4. REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE
5. ELECTION OF:
 - a. (2) DIOCESAN DELEGATES FOR FOUR YEAR TERMS
 - b. (4) PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR TWO YEAR TERMS
 - c. (3) NOMINATING COMMITTEE MEMBERS
 - d. (3) AUDITING COMMITTEE MEMBERS
6. REPORTS
 - a. PASTOR
 - b. PARISH COUNCIL
 1. REPLACEMENT OF BOILER
 - c. WOMEN'S GUILD
 - d. MR. & MRS. CLUB
 - e. A.C.Y.O.A.
 - f. CHOIR
 - g. ARMENIAN SCHOOL
 - h. RENOVATION COMMITTEE
 - i. WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE
7. ANNUAL REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE
8. PARISH COUNCIL 1980 FINANCIAL REPORT AND ADOPTION OF BUDGET FOR 1981
9. PROPOSALS FOR 1981 ANNUAL DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY
10. NEW BUSINESS - MATTERS OF NEW BUSINESS MAY BE CONSIDERED BY MAJORITY VOTE OF THE PARISH ASSEMBLY
11. PASTOR'S CLOSING STATEMENTS
12. CLOSING PRAYER

VERY REV. FR. HAIGAZOUN VARTABED MELKONIAN
PASTOR AND PARISH COUNCIL PRESIDENT

MRS. ANNE KASPARIAN
PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

MR. ANTHONY DEVEJIAN
PARISH COUNCIL SECRETARY

PASTOR'S REPORT FOR 1980

OUR PARISH HAS HAD A PLEASANTLY BUSY AND SUCCESSFUL YEAR. OUR NUMEROUS PROGRAMS INCLUDED: THE ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC, THE CHURCH BAZAAR, THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR MR. & MRS. CLUB, FESTIVAL '80, THE 35TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR CHURCH, THE PALM SUNDAY BANQUET, ACYOA DAY, MICHINK, WOMEN'S SAINTS DAY, 105TH BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MR. KRİKOR DERDERIAN AND A HOST OF SPECIAL CELEBRATIONS AND AFFAIRS WHICH HAVE MADE THIS A MEMORABLE YEAR. WE ARE GLAD TO INFORM OUR MEMBERS THAT EACH AND EVERY ONE OF THESE AFFAIRS AUGMENTED THE SPIRITUAL, SOCIAL, CULTURAL AND FINANCIAL GROWTH AND WELL-BEING OF OUR PARISH. THE PARISH COUNCIL AND PARISHIONERS SHOULD BE COMPLIMENTED ON A JOB WELL DONE.

AS MANDATED BY THE PARISH ASSEMBLY OF 1979 AND BY THE SPECIAL PARISH ASSEMBLY OF NOVEMBER 6, 1980 THE PARISH COUNCIL DIRECTED THE REPLACEMENT OF THE OIL FURNACE WHICH WAS REPLACED WITH AN EFFICIENCY GAS FURNACE. LIKEWISE PERIMETER DRAINAGE IS BEING INSTALLED. WE REALIZE THAT AN ENDEAVOR OF THIS MAGNITUDE HAS BEEN A DRAIN ON OUR FINANCES AND ARE CONFIDENT THAT OUR PARISHIONERS WILL DO THEIR UTMOST TO ALLEVIATE THIS SITUATION WHEN CALLED UPON TO DO SO.

THE 35TH ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY OF THE CONSECRATION OF OUR CHURCH WAS A TREMENDOUS SUCCESS AND THE AMOUNT OF RETURNS FROM ADS SOLICITED WAS UNPRECEDENTED. THANKS AND PRAISE TO THE ANNIVERSARY AND BOOKLET COMMITTEES.

CHAIRMAN ANNE KASPARIAN HAS TAKEN ON THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE NEW MEMBERSHIP AND PLEDGE SYSTEMS. WE ENCOURAGE ALL OUR PARISHIONERS TO MAKE THEMSELVES AWARE OF THIS PROGRAM AND TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PLEDGE PROGRAM ACCORDING TO THEIR FULLEST POTENTIAL. ONLY THROUGH A STRONG MEMBERSHIP AND PLEDGE PROGRAM CAN OUR CHURCH CONTINUE TO MOVE FORWARD. THE BASE OF ANY CHURCH COMMUNITY IS ALWAYS ITS MEMBERSHIP AND THEIR WILLINGNESS TO SACRIFICE FOR THEIR CHURCH AND COMMUNITY.

OF OUR GOALS PRESENTED AT THE LAST ASSEMBLY WE ARE GLAD TO ANNOUNCE THAT POSITIVE ACTION HAS TAKEN PLACE AND AT THE PRESENT THE CHURCH OFFICE HAS BEEN COMPLETED (SEE SPECIAL GIFTS REPORT). A SPECIAL COMMITTEE HAS BEEN APPOINTED TO STUDY THE NEEDS OF OUR COMMUNITY AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS AS TO WHAT TYPE OF PLANS SHOULD BE ADOPTED FOR RENOVATION. THIS COMMITTEE HAS BEEN ACTIVE AND HAVE SECURED THE EXPERT HELP OF ARCHITECT LANCE KASPARIAN WHO HAS DONE EXTENSIVE RESEARCH AND HAS DRAWN A NUMBER OF PLANS FOR THE COMMITTEE'S CONSIDERATION. WHEN THESE PLANS HAVE BEEN FINALIZED A SPECIAL PARISH ASSEMBLY WILL BE CONVENED. WE ARE MOST PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THAT SOON A SPECIAL SIDE-VOTIVE ALTAR WILL ADORN OUR CHURCH. WE HOPE THAT THIS INITIAL DONATION WILL ENCOURAGE OTHERS TO DO LIKEWISE. WE REQUEST THAT OUR PARISHIONERS CONSIDER THE NEED OF THE SECOND SIDE-ALTAR AND A SPECIAL LENTEN ALTAR AS THEY ARE MAKING THEIR SPECIAL DONATIONS TO THE CHURCH.

WE HAVE MADE REGULAR VISITATIONS TO HOSPITALS, HOMES, THE SICK AND UPON INVITATION. DIVINE LITURGY IS CELEBRATED REGULARLY NOTWITHSTANDING WEATHER CONDITIONS. IN EXTREME CASES MORNING SERVICE OR THE JASHOU ZHAM IS SUBSTITUTED. OTHER SACRAMENTS AND SERVICES HAVE BEEN PERFORMED OR ADMINISTERED UPON REQUEST, WHICH ARE:

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3 ADULT CONFIRMATIONS
3 WEDDINGS
5 FUNERALS

DUE TO THE ABSENCE OF A PRIEST IN THE LAWRENCE PARISH, I PERFORMED A NUMBER OF SERVICES FOR THAT PARISH INCLUDING LENTEN SERVICES AND THE FOLLOWING SACRAMENTS:

3 WEDDINGS
6 FUNERALS

AS A MEMBER OF THE SAINTS JAMES' BROTHERHOOD OF THE ARMENIAN PATRIARCHATE OF JERUSALEM, I WAS INVITED TO A SPECIAL CONVOCATION OF ARMENIAN CLERGY IN AUGUST OF 1980. I PARTICIPATED IN ALL THE MEETINGS AND SPECIAL CELEBRATIONS PLANNED BY THE PATRIARCHATE. I SHARED THIS EXPERIENCE WITH MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH THROUGH A SPECIAL SERMON AND AT THE MR. AND MRS. CLUB MEETING AS WELL AS IN GENERAL DISCUSSION.

WE HAVE BEEN INVITED ON NUMEROUS OCCASIONS TO DELIVER SPEECHES BY COMMUNITIES OUTSIDE OF OUR OWN, WHEN POSSIBLE I HAVE NOT REFUSED. SOME EXAMPLES ARE: LECTURE DURING LENT IN THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOR IN WORCESTER, LENTEN LECTURE IN THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF SAINTS VARTANANTZ IN CHELMSFORD, KNIGHTS AND DAUGHTERS OF VARTAN - BOSTON, AGBU WOMEN'S CHAPTER - WATERTOWN - BOSTON.

WE HAVE COUNSELLED ON NUMEROUS OCCASIONS PARISHIONERS WITH MARITAL PSYCHOLOGICAL AND OTHER TYPES OF PROBLEMS, AS WELL AS OUR USUAL PRE-MARITAL COUNSELLING, WHICH IS A PREREQUISITE TO THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY IN OUR CHURCH.

WE STRONGLY COMMEND THE MEMBERS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL FOR THEIR ABILITY TO FACE UP TO DIFFICULTIES, THEIR LOVE OF PROGRESS, THEIR ACCOMPLISHMENTS, DEDICATION AND PARTICULARLY FOR THEIR PERSONAL AND COLLECTIVE SACRIFICES. WE URGE YOU, OUR COMMUNITY TO ENCOURAGE AND SUPPORT THE FUNCTIONS OF THE CHURCH, THE ENDEAVORS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL AND THE MISSION OF THE PASTOR IN ORDER THAT WE MAY HAVE AN UNPRECEDENTED YEAR OF PROGRESS, EXPANSION AND SUCCESS.

YOUR CHURCH ATTENDANCE IS AN ENCOURAGEMENT TO THE PASTOR, THE CHOIR, THE PARISH COUNCIL AND FELLOW PARISHIONERS WHO APPRECIATE AND ARE FURTHER INSPIRED TO COME TOGETHER IN COMMON FAITH AND PRAYER.

VERY REV. FR. HAIGAZOUN VARTABED MELKONIAN
PASTOR AND PRESIDENT

PARISH COUNCIL REPORT FOR 1980

THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD 23 OFFICIAL MEETINGS AND ONE SPECIAL MEETING. IN ADDITION, MEMBERS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL ACTIVELY PARTICIPATED ON THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED TO WELCOME HIS HOLINESS THE CATHOLICOS TO NEW ENGLAND (UNFORTUNATELY HIS HOLINESS WAS UNABLE TO VISIT THE UNITED STATES THIS YEAR). REPRESENTATION WAS ALSO SHOWN AT THE NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL MEETING HELD ON DECEMBER 13, 1980 IN HARTFORD, CONN.

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE NAMES AND OFFICES OF THOSE WHO SERVED ON PARISH COUNCIL FOR THE YEAR 1980;

CHAIRMAN	ANNE KASPARIAN
VICE-CHAIRMAN	SARKIS CHOBANIAN
TREASURER	MICHAEL DEVEJIAN
SECRETARY	ANTHONY DEVEJIAN
ASST. TREASURER	DOROTHY OHANIAN
ADVISORS	MARTIN AARONIAN
	EDWARD BASMAJIAN
	RICHARD BAZARIAN
	EDWARD DER BOGOSIAN

THE MAJOR FUNCTIONS SPONSORED BY THE PARISH COUNCIL FOR 1980 WERE:

KHEYMA DINNERS	\$ 1,779.00
FESTIVAL '80	4,956.00
ANNUAL PICNIC	2,682.00
BAZAAR	3,190.00
35th ANNIVERSARY	10,262.00
NET RECEIPTS	<u>\$22,869.00</u>

DURING 1980 THE PARISH COUNCIL ALSO PARTICIPATED IN A SPECIAL MEMORIAL SERVICE ON APRIL 24 COMMEMORATING OUR MARTYRS. THIS SPECIAL MEMORIAL WAS SPONSORED BY THE THREE SISTER CHURCHES OF THE MERRIMACK VALLEY. PARISH COUNCIL ALSO SPONSORED A 105th BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MR. KRICKOR DERDERIAN IN THE CHURCH HALL.

AS WAS DICTATED AT THE LAST PARISH ASSEMBLY AND WITH THE APPROVAL OF A SPECIAL PARISH ASSEMBLY HELD ON NOVEMBER 6, 1980 THE OLD OIL FURNACE WAS REPLACED WITH A NEW EFFICIENCY GAS FURNACE. THE PERIMETER DRAINAGE INSTALLATION IS NOW BEING COMPLETED IN THE CHURCH BASEMENT.

THE PARISH COUNCIL WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL THE CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS AND PARISHIONERS WHO ASSISTED IN MAKING 1980 A FINANCIAL SUCCESS. WE LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

WOMEN'S GUILD REPORT FOR 1980

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

CASH ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1980	\$3,398.26
ADD RECEIPTS	2,148.50
LESS EXPENDITURES	2,633.26
BALANCE ON ACCOUNT, DECEMBER 31, 1980	2,913.50
TRANSFERRED TO PARISH COUNCIL DURING YEAR	\$1,500.00

REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR - 1980

NAME OF ORGANIZATION: WOMEN'S GUILD
CHAIRLADY: MRS. KOHARIG MOYSESIAN
RECORDING SECRETARY: MRS. ARAXIE BOGHOSIAN
VICE CHAIRLADY: MRS. YERANIG KEZERIAN
TREASURER: MRS. MARY HAMALIAN

NUMBER ON MAILING LIST: 47, DUES PAYING MEMBERS: 40, AUXILIARY MEMBERS: 7,
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS: 4, MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS: 8
(ALL MEETINGS ARE PRECEDED BY A PRAYER SERVICE IN THE CHURCH AND THE
FELLOWSHIP OF A LUNCHEON.)

THE ORGANIZATIONS RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

THE ORGANIZATION HAS SPONSORED THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEES, ARMENIAN
SCHOOL AUXILIARY COMMITTEE, VISITATION COMMITTEE FOR HOMES, HOSPITALS AND
OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES, SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR THE PREPARATION OF HOKEJASH
(REQUIM DINNERS).

THE WOMEN'S GUILD HAVE AIDED THE PARISH COUNCIL IN ALL ENDEAVORS
WHICH THE WOMEN'S GUILD ASSISTANCE WAS REQUESTED, PARTICULARLY THE ANNUAL
BAZAAR, ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC, CHURCH ANNIVERSARY, AS WELL AS FINANCIAL
AID IS RENDERED WHENEVER NECESSARY. THE WOMEN'S GUILD, THROUGH ITS MEMBERS
HAS ENDEAVORED TO WORK FOR THE BETTERMENT OF THE CHURCH AND ALL ITS
ORGANIZATIONS, AS WELL AS THE GENERAL UPKEEP OF THE CHURCH AND HOLY ALTAR.
THE WOMEN'S GUILD HAS ESTABLISHED A SPECIAL ALTAR FUND FOR THE CARE OF
VESTMENTS AND ALTAR CLOTHS, WHICH ARE MOSTLY SEWN BY OUR OWN MEMBERS.

THE WOMEN'S GUILD DONATED \$500.00 THIS YEAR FOR THE REFURBISHING OF OUR
CHURCH OFFICE.

FUND RAISING AND SPECIAL PROJECTS

THE WOMEN'S GUILD PARTICIPATED IN THE ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF ARMENIAN
WOMEN'S SAINTS DAY. WOMEN'S GUILD HAS SPONSORED CELEBRATIONS ALONG WITH
LUNCHEONS: HOLY THURSDAY AND FEAST OF THE THEOPHANY, AND ON THE MEDIAN DAY
OF GREAT LENT THEY SPONSORED THE TRADITIONAL MICHINK DINNER.

THE WOMEN'S GUILD HAS ALWAYS HELPED THE CHURCH IN ALL ITS ENDEAVORS.

MR. & MRS. CLUB ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1980

CHAIRMAN
VICE-CHAIRMAN
SECRETARY
TREASURER

EDWARD BASMAJIAN
GRACE DEVEJIAN
SUSAN K. JOHNSON
AZADOOHI LOOSIAN

THE MR. & MRS. CLUB RAN TWO SUCCESSFUL AFFAIRS DURING 1980. THE CHICKEN BARBEQUE WAS HELD IN THE CHURCH HALL ON APRIL 19, 1980. WE HAD A NET PROFIT OF \$735.20 FROM THE BARBEQUE. THE HARVEST DANCE WAS HELD AT THE HAVERHILL COUNTRY CLUB ON NOVEMBER 1, 1980 AND OUR NET PROFIT FROM THE DANCE WAS \$492.25. WE ALSO PARTICIPATED IN THE ANNUAL CHURCH BAZAAR, BUT THERE WAS NO NET PROFIT TO OUR ORGANIZATION BECAUSE THIS IS HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE LADIES' AID AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

OUR SOCIAL EVENTS FOR THE YEAR WERE A STEAK AND LOBSTER SUPPER, THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY BANQUET OF THE MR. & MRS. CLUB, SEPTEMBER 14, 1980, AND A CHRISTMAS PARTY ON DECEMBER 6, 1980. THE MR. & MRS. CLUB ALSO PARTICIPATED IN FESTIVAL '80, WHICH WAS HELD AT THE HAVERHILL STADIUM.

FOR CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS WE SUPPORT TWO CHILDREN AT A SCHOOL IN JERUSALEM FOR \$50.00 PER YEAR PER CHILD. WE HAVE ALSO DONATED TO THE CHURCH \$300.00 TO PURCHASE A THURIBLE (POURVAR). AT THE TIME OF THE CHURCH'S 35th ANNIVERSARY, THE MR. & MRS. CLUB GAVE A DONATION OF \$1,000.00.

OUR MEMBERS HAVE HELPED WHERE AND WHEN NEEDED IN THE VARIOUS CHURCH FUNCTIONS AND STILL MAINTAIN A MOST ACTIVE AND CORDIAL ORGANIZATION. OUR MEETINGS ARE ONCE A MONTH AND NEW MEMBERS WILL BE WELCOMED BY THE MR. & MRS. CLUB AT ANY TIME.

OUR FINANCIAL STATEMENT IS AS FOLLOWS;

BALANCE ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1980	\$ 228.87
ADD RECEIPTS	3,710.45
LESS EXPENDITURES	3,365.96
BALANCE ON ACCOUNT, DECEMBER 31, 1980	569.04
TRANSFERRED TO PARISH COUNCIL	\$1,000.00

A.C.Y.O.A. REPORT FOR 1980

CHAIRMAN
TREASURER
RECORDING SECRETARY
CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

DEBORAH TAVITIAN
DOUGLAS AGHOIAN
PAMELA DER BOGOSIAN
ANDY AARONIAN

THE ACYOA HAS 10 MEMBERS ON ITS MAILING LIST. DURING THE 1980 CALENDAR YEAR THERE WERE 6 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS.

THE ACYOA SPONSORED THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES: DURING THE LENTEN PERIOD THE ACYOA SPONSORED LENTEN DINNERS EVERY FRIDAY EVENING PRIOR TO CHURCH SERVICES: ON APRIL 27, 1980 WE SPONSORED OUR ANNUAL ACYOA DAY BANQUET.

THE ACYOA HAS ASSISTED THE PARISH COUNCIL DURING ALL FUNCTIONS, BAZAAR, SPECIAL CELEBRATIONS AND THE CHURCH ANNIVERSARY.

ALL OF OUR MEMBERS ARE ACTIVE ON SUNDAY MORNINGS: THEY SERVE ON THE ALTAR AS DEACONS OR ACOLYTES, IN THE CHOIR AND AS CHURCH SCHOOL TEACHERS. WE ALSO MAINTAIN A BOOKSTORE WHICH AUGMENT OUR INCOME AND HELPS EDUCATE MEMBERS AS WELL AS THE COMMUNITY IN GENERAL. THE BOOKSTORE HAS AN INVENTORY OF \$1,622.60 WORTH OF MERCHANDISE AT RETAIL VALUE.

OUR FINANCIAL STATEMENT IS AS FOLLOWS:

CASH ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1980	\$ 215.77
TOTAL RECEIPTS	1,155.30
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	1,066.26
SAVINGS ACCOUNT	200.00
BALANCE ON ACCOUNT, DECEMBER 31, 1980	104.81
RETAIL VALUE OF BOOKSTORE ITEMS	\$1,622.60
TRANSFERRED TO PARISH COUNCIL	100.00

CHOIR REPORT FOR 1980

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

BALANCE ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1980	\$264.99
CHURCH COLLECTIONS	284.00
BANK INTEREST	23.26
TOTAL INCOME	<u>\$522.25</u>

EXPENSES:

TOTAL EXPENSES	\$169.00
TRANSFERRED TO PARISH COUNCIL	\$100.00
BALANCE ON HAND, DECEMBER 31, 1980	\$403.25

REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1980

NAME OF ORGANIZATION: ST. GREGORY THE ILLUMINATOR CHURCH CHOIR
CHAIRMAN: CHAHE BERBERIAN
RECORDING SECRETARY: VIRGINIA TAVITIAN
TREASURER: ALICE KASPARIAN

NUMBER ON MAILING LIST: 22, REHEARSALS: 8

REPORT OF SPECIAL ACTIVITIES:

THE CHOIR PARTICIPATED IN SPECIAL RELIGIOUS SERVICES TIED WITH THE FEAST DAYS WHICH WERE ASIDE FROM THE REGULAR SUNDAY SERVICE.

ARMENIAN SCHOOL REPORT FOR 1980

THE ARMENIAN SCHOOL, WITH AN ENROLLMENT OF 14 STUDENTS, HOLDS CLASSES EVERY SATURDAY MORNING IN THE CHURCH HALL FROM 10:00 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M.

THERE ARE TWO CLASSES WITH THE FOLLOWING TEACHERS, MRS. ZARTY CHILINGIRIAN, SUPERINTENDENT AND MR. THOMAS VARTABEDIAN.

THE CHILDREN PARTICIPATED IN PALM SUNDAY AND EASTER SERVICES. THEY RECEIVED HOLY COMMUNION ON HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 5, FOLLOWED BY A COMMUNION BREAKFAST PREPARED BY THE PARENTS. CLOSING DAY EXERCISES WERE HELD ON SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 1980 WHEN THE CHILDREN PRESENTED A TWO-ACT PLAY AND A PROGRAM OF POEMS AND RECITATIONS. ANDREW AARONIAN, WHO COMPLETED A COURSE OF STUDY IN THE SATURDAY ARMENIAN SCHOOL, RECEIVED A GRADUATION CERTIFICATE. A HALLOWEEN PARTY WAS HELD IN OCTOBER WHERE THE CHILDREN DRESSED IN COSTUMES, PLAYED GAMES AND ENJOYED A LUNCH PREPARED BY THE ARMENIAN SCHOOL COMMITTEE. A CHRISTMAS PARTY WAS HELD SATURDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 13, WHEN GIFTS WERE DISTRIBUTED AND REFRESHMENTS WERE SERVED.

ADULT LANGUAGE CLASSES ARE HELD EVERY THURSDAY EVENING WITH HAYR SOURP AS INSTRUCTOR. BEGINNER AND ADVANCED CLASSES ARE BEING HELD.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

BALANCE ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1980	\$620.21
ADD RECEIPTS	54.99
LESS EXPENDITURES	165.70
BALANCE ON HAND, DECEMBER 31, 1980	509.50
TRANSFERRED TO PARISH COUNCIL	100.00

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1980

CHECK BOOK BALANCE - JANUARY 1, 1980

\$ 1,464
(note 1)

RECEIPTS

SACRAMENTS	\$ 1,010	
HOKEHANKEESD AND PRAYERS	3,174	
MEMORIAL CONTRIBUTIONS	2,768	
PLEDGE AND 1980 DUES	6,148	
PLATE	1,189	
DUES FOR 1981	440	
TRANSFER FROM RESERVE FUND	8,500	
CHURCH FUNCTIONS	30,042	
KHEYMA DINNERS	1,779	
CHRISTMAS OFFERING	710	
EASTER OFFERING	920	
GIFTS	3,075	
ALTAR FLOWERS	602	
VOTIVE STAND	148	
CHURCH HALL RENTAL	225	
ALTAR CANDLES	57	
DONATIONS TO THE LOOSAVORICH	250	
MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	1,707	
INTEREST ON TREASURY BILLS	2,650	
BANK INTEREST (NOW ACCOUNT)	176	
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$65,570	\$67,034

DISBURSEMENTS

CLERGY SALARY	\$10,710	
CLERGY CAR ALLOWANCE	1,977	
CLERGY INSURANCE	2,242	
CUSTODIAL SERVICES	1,625	
REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE	1,872	
DEACON, SOLOIST, ORGANIST	475	
SECRETARIAL SERVICES	695	
UTILITIES	2,940	
OIL	5,978	
CHURCH INSURANCE	1,947	
DIOCESAN DUES	4,380	
CHURCH FUNCTIONS	7,348	
CHURCH SUPPLIES, STATIONERY, PRINTING	5,494	
BOILER (COST \$6,200)	3,000	
DUPLICATING MACHINE	2,917	
CHURCH OFFICE RENOVATION	4,184	
ALTAR FLOWERS	689	
POSTAGE	869	
CANDLES	126	
TAXES	315	
DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY TRAVEL EXPENSES	650	
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES	1,977	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$62,410	\$ 4,624
CHECK BOOK BALANCE - DECEMBER 31, 1980		

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TERM DEPOSIT - "BUILDING FUND" (MATURITY DATE 2/22/82)	<u>\$14,168</u>
TERM DEPOSIT - "BUILDING FUND" (MATURITY DATE 1/31/83)	<u>\$12,137</u>
U.S. TREASURY BILL (MATURITY DATE 4/23/81)	<u>\$20,000</u>
RESERVE FUND	<u>\$ 3,409</u>

NOTE 1: THE DECEMBER 31, 1979 BALANCE SHOULD HAVE INCLUDED A DEPOSIT OF \$943.00 MADE IN DECEMBER 1979. THE JANUARY 1, 1980 BEGINNING BALANCE HAS BEEN ADJUSTED TO REFLECT THIS OMISSION.

PROPOSED 1981 BUDGET

RECEIPTS

SACRAMENTS	\$ 1,500	
HOKEHANKEESD AND PRAYERS	3,500	
MEMORIAL CONTRIBUTIONS	3,500	
PLEDGE	7,000	
PLATE	1,500	
DUES	3,000	
CHURCH FUNCTIONS	26,300	
KHEYMA DINNERS	2,000	
CHRISTMAS OFFERING	1,000	
EASTER OFFERING	1,000	
GIFTS	3,500	
ALTAR FLOWERS	650	
VOTIVE STAND	200	
CHURCH HALL RENTAL	250	
ALTAR CANDLES	100	
DONATIONS TO THE LOOSAVORICH	400	
MISC. INCOME	2,500	
INTEREST ON TREASURY BILLS	2,500	
BANK INTEREST (NOW ACCOUNT)	200	
TOTAL PROPOSED RECEIPTS		\$60,600

DISBURSEMENTS

CLERGY SALARY	\$12,480	
CLERGY CAR ALLOWANCE	3,000	
CLERGY INSURANCE	2,500	
CUSTODIAL SERVICES	1,800	
REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE	2,200	
DEACON, ORGANIST, SOLOIST	650	
SECRETARIAL SERVICES	750	
UTILITIES	3,200	
OIL	1,200	
GAS	4,500	
CHURCH INSURANCE	2,000	
DIOCESAN DUES	5,520	
CHURCH FUNCTIONS	7,000	
STATIONERY, SUPPLIES AND PRINTING	3,800	
BOILER	3,200	
PERIMETER DRAINING	2,700	
ALTAR FLOWERS	650	
POSTAGE	1,000	
CANDLES	150	
TAXES	300	
MISC. EXPENSES	2,000	
TOTAL PROPOSED DISBURSEMENTS		\$60,600

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