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MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY OF 1982

The Annual Parish Assembly of St. Gregory the Illuminator Armenian Apostolic Church was held on Sunday, February 7, 1982 with thirty-six (36) dues paying members present.

Due to the temporary indisposition of the Chairman, Anne Kasparian, the meeting was called to order by the Parish Council Vice-Chairman, Sarkis Chobanian at 1:45 P.M. Very Rev. Haigazoun Melkonian gave the invocation and offered a prayer for the following parishioners who had passed away during the year; Leona Kasparian, Mary Derderian, Hagop Bedrosian, Louis Mooradian, Garabed Deacon Papazian, George Palanjian, and Martin Aghoian.

Mr. Edward Der Bogosian was elected Chairman of the Day and Mrs. Zarty Chilingirian, Recording Secretary.

Mrs. Zarty Chilingirian of the Nominating Committee submitted a slate of three names for Parish Council. There were no forthcoming nominations from the floor for Parish Council. Mrs. Azaduhi Loosian was nominated from the floor to complete the ballot for Auditing Committee.

The minutes of the 1981 Parish Assembly was read and accepted.

Organizational reports were accepted with the following corrections and comments;

1. The Women's Guild are supporting two children in the St. Tarkmantchatz School.
2. Due to the hospitalization of Mrs. Araxie Derderian, of the Armenian School Committee, a financial statement was not included in the report of the Armenian School.
3. The Mr. & Mrs. Club Harvest Dance net profit should have read \$369.59 instead of \$115.50. They are also supporting one child in the St. Tarkmanchatz School in Jerusalem.

Mr. Edward Der Bogosian of the Renovation Committee reported that much progress has been made in preliminary plans and the committee is almost ready to submit plans to the general assembly for their approval.

Mrs. Zarty Chilingirian of the Ways and Means Committee reported that several projects are under study and will be implemented in the near future.

Mrs. Zarty Chilingirian, Auditing Committee, reported the financial books to be in order. After a discussion on the financial statement and proposed 1982 budget, these two reports were accepted.

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There were no proposals for the 1982 Annual Diocesan Assembly.

The following motion was made by Mrs. Chilingirian and seconded and was introduced as follows; All memorial donations from funerals be put into a Building Fund Account under the temporary supervision of the Parish Council until such time as when a permanent Building Committee is formed and then said account will be under their jurisdiction. Such funds are to be used solely for renovation or building purposes. After much discussion by the assembly the motion was brought to a vote and was defeated.

Parish Council Chairman, Mrs. Anne Kasparian thanked outgoing Parish Council members Michael Devejian, Edward Basmajian and Anthony Devejian for their contributions to the Parish during their terms of office. She briefly reported on accomplishments of the Parish Council and outlined plans for the coming year.

Hayr Sourp spoke briefly and was disappointed at the small turnout at the Assembly. He suggested a more positive commitment must be made by the parishioners.

The following were elected to the Parish Council;

TWO YEAR TERM

1. Richard Bazarian
2. Alice Rayissian
3. George Tashjian

Votes

AUDITING COMMITTEE

1. Michael Devejian
2. Zaven Gostanian
3. Richard Serabian

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

1. Martin Aaronian
2. Zarty Chilingirian
3. Sylvia Tavitian

The meeting was adjourned at 3:25 P.M. with a prayer by Hayr Sourp.

Respectfully submitted,

Zarty Chilingirian

Zarty Chilingirian, Recording Secretary

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Pastor and President, Parish Assembly

Edward Der Bogosian

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Chairman of the Day