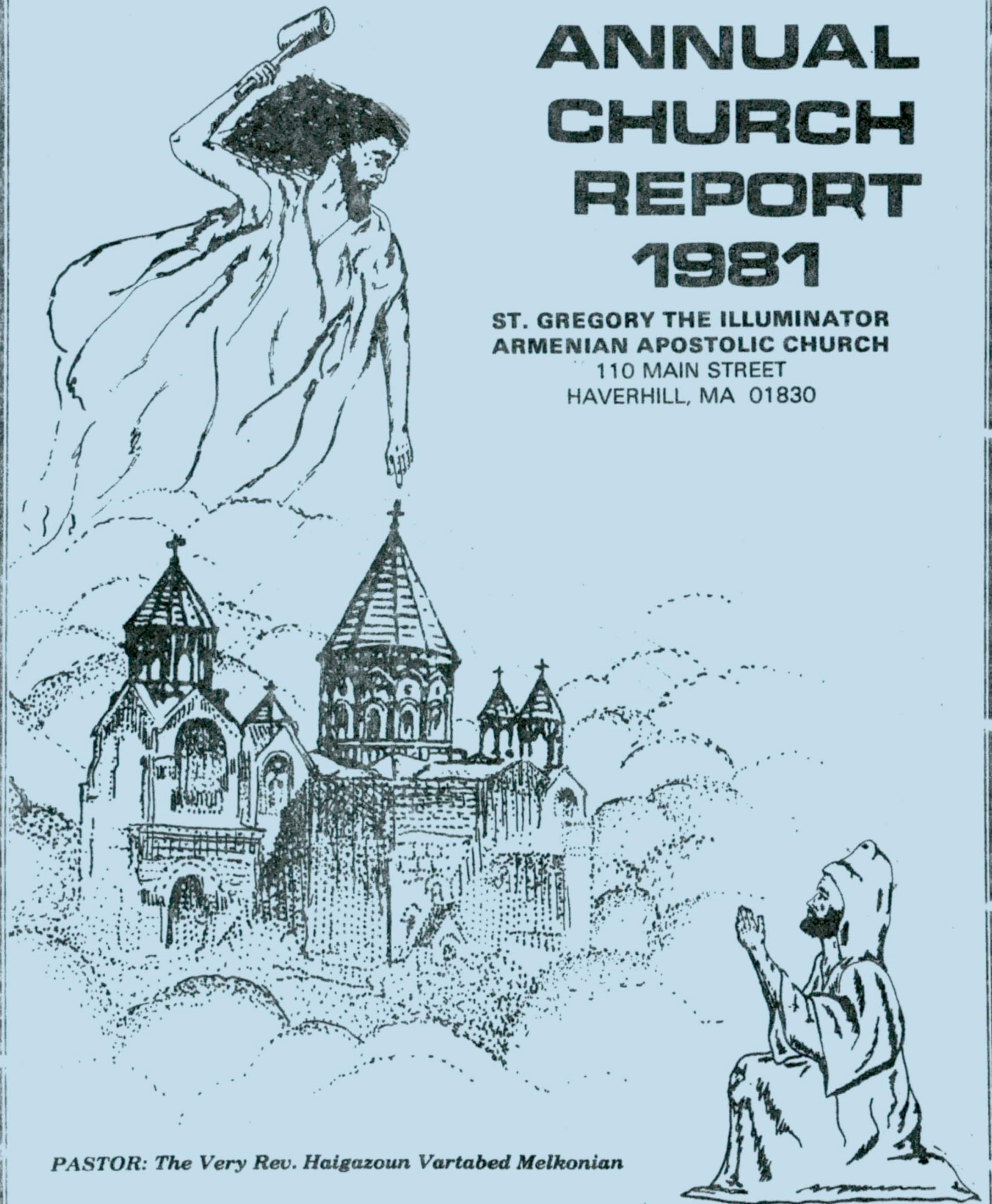
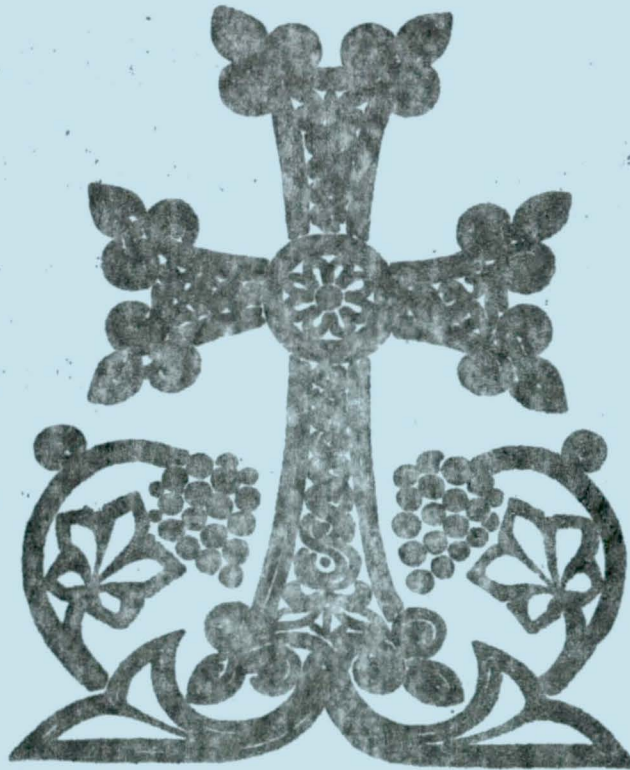


ANNUAL CHURCH REPORT 1981

ST. GREGORY THE ILLUMINATOR
ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH
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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.

DECEASED PARISHIONERS, 1981

LEONA KASPARIAN, MARY DERDERIAN, HAGOP BEDROSIAN, LOUIS MOORADIAN,
GARABED DEACON PAPAIZIAN, GEORGE PALANJIAN, MARTIN AGHOIAN

LET US PRAY FOR THEIR SOULS

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Ձեր ներկայութիւնը, կարծիքներն ու գաղափարները կարեւոր են Եկեղեցւոյս բոլոր գործունէութեանց համար։ Բուէարկութիւնը ժողովին սկիզբը տեղի պիտի ունենայ եւ ձեր 1981 անդամական տուրքը վճարած պէտք է ըլլայ քուէարկելու համար։

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JANUARY 29, 1982

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 7, 1982 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 1981 ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY
4. REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE
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 - a. (5) PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR TWO YEAR TERMS
 - b. (3) NOMINATING COMMITTEE MEMBERS
 - c. (3) AUDITING COMMITTEE MEMBERS
6. REPORTS
 - a. PASTOR
 - b. PARISH COUNCIL
 - c. WOMEN'S GUILD
 - d. MR. & MRS. CLUB
 - e. ACYOA
 - f. CHOIR
 - g. ARMENIAN SCHOOL
 - h. RENOVATION COMMITTEE
 - i. WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE
7. ANNUAL REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE
8. PARISH COUNCIL 1981 FINANCIAL REPORT AND ADOPTION OF BUDGET FOR 1982
9. PROPOSALS FOR 1982 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 KASPIAN
PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

MR. ANTHONY DEVEJIAN
PARISH COUNCIL SECRETARY

PASTOR'S REPORT FOR 1981

PLEASE KEEP IN MIND, THAT THE CHURCH'S MISSION IS NOT AND HAS NEVER BEEN FINANCIAL GAIN. OUR MEASURE OF SUCCESS SHOULD BE PARISHIONER INVOLVEMENT, DEVELOPMENT OF OUR EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL PROGRAMS, CHURCH PARTICIPATION, OUR YOUTH AND OUR CHOIR. FIRST AND FOREMOST IS OUR DEEP CONCERN TO ADHERE TO OUR LORD'S TEACHINGS AND TO WORK FOR THE SALVATION OF OUR SOULS. OF COURSE, FINANCIAL STABILITY IS A CONCERN, IT MUST BE SECURE, BUT SHOULD NOT BE OUR PRIMARY GOAL.

OUR PARISH HAS HAD A VERY SUCCESSFUL YEAR. OUR NUMEROUS PROGRAMS INCLUDED: THE ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC, THE CHURCH BAZAAR, ANNIVERSARY OF OUR CHURCH, THE PALM SUNDAY BANQUET, ACYOA DAY, MICHINK, WOMEN'S SAINTS DAY 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.

WE ARE PLEASED TO INFORM YOU THAT THE DECISION TO HAVE A TWO DAY BAZAAR PROVED TO BE A POSITIVE ONE. WE HOPE THAT THE COOPERATION SHOWN WILL CONTINUE FROM YEAR TO YEAR AND WE MAY CONTINUE THIS POSITIVE EFFORT.

OF OUR GOALS PRESENTED AT THE LAST ASSEMBLY WE ARE GLAD TO ANNOUNCE THAT POSITIVE ACTION HAS TAKEN PLACE AND AT THE PRESENT THE BATHROOM IN THE PARISH HOUSE HAS BEEN RENOVATED. SUCH WORTHWHILE INNOVATIONS ADD TO THE REAL VALUE OF CHURCH PROPERTY. WE ARE VERY FORTUNATE IN MR. ZACHARY ALEXANIAN WHO HAS BEEN VERY GENEROUS TO THE PARISH BY MAKING A NUMBER OF REPAIRS TO THE CHURCH, INCLUDING PUTTING SECURITY BARS ON THE EXTERIOR WINDOWS. LIKewise, MR. ALEXANIAN HAD A NUMBER OF REPAIRS MADE TO THE PARISH HOUSE KITCHEN. 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 PLEASED TO INFORM YOU THAT A VOTIVE ALTAR HAS BEEN DONATED TO THE CHURCH WITH A PAINTING OF ST. GREGORY OF DATEV DONATED IN MEMORY OF ZIMROUT AND MAHAK DER BOGOSIAN BY THEIR CHILDREN. WE HOPE THAT THIS INITIAL DONATION WILL ENCOURAGE OTHERS TO DO LIKEWISE, AS THE CHURCH IS IN NEED OF MANY OTHER RELIGIOUS ITEMS.

THE LOOSAVORICH, OUR CHURCH NEWSLETTER, HAS REACHED OUR PARISHIONERS ON A REGULAR BASIS. AS WELL AS THE MULTITUDE OF SPIRITUALLY, EDUCATIONALLY AND CULTURALLY ILLUSTRATED MATERIAL THAT EMANATES FROM THE CHURCH OFFICE.

WE ARE QUITE CONCERNED BECAUSE OF THE LACK OF A CHURCH SCHOOL AND ARE MAKING EVERY EFFORT TO REINSTATE THIS ESSENTIAL PROGRAM OF CHURCH EDUCATION IN OUR PARISH.

PASTOR'S REPORT - CONT'D

WE ARE SORELY CONCERNED ABOUT THE LACK OF PARTICIPATION OF OUR PARISHIONERS IN REGULAR SUNDAY SERVICES. AS MEMBERSHIP HAS INCREASED, IT SEEMS UNUSUAL TO US THAT CHURCH ATTENDANCE SHOULD DECREASE. WE STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT OUR PARISHIONERS MAKE TIME TO OBSERVE THEIR RELIGIOUS OBLIGATION.

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:

BAPTISM & CONFIRMATION	2
ADULT CONFIRMATIONS	1
WEDDINGS	4
FUNERALS	7

THREE FUNERALS WERE PERFORMED BY SPECIAL REQUEST OUTSIDE OF OUR PARISH.

WE HAVE BEEN INVITED ON NUMEROUS OCCASIONS TO DELIVER SPEECHES BY COMMUNITIES OUTSIDE OF OUR OWN, WHEN POSSIBLE I HAVE NOT REFUSED. 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 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.

VERY REV. FR. HAIGAZOUN VARTABED MELKONIAN
PASTOR AND PRESIDENT

PARISH COUNCIL REPORT FOR 1981

THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD 19 OFFICIAL MEETINGS AND ONE SPECIAL MEETING.

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE NAMES AND OFFICES OF THOSE WHO SERVED ON PARISH COUNCIL FOR THE YEAR 1981;

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

THE MAJOR FUNCTIONS SPONSORED BY THE PARISH COUNCIL FOR 1981 WERE:

FESTIVAL '81	\$ 6,586.75
ANNUAL PICNIC	3,362.61
BAZAAR	5,193.01
36TH ANNIVERSARY	3,889.00
KHEYMA DINNERS	120.00
NET RECEIPTS	<u>\$19,151.37</u>

DURING 1981 THE PARISH COUNCIL ALSO PARTICIPATED IN A SPECIAL MEMORIAL SERVICE ON APRIL 24 COMMEMORATING OUR MARTYRS, WHICH INCLUDED A SPECIAL MADAGH DINNER PROVIDED FREE OF CHARGE TO OUR PARISHIONERS. WE ALSO SPONSORED OUR FIRST ANNUAL CHICKEN BAR-B-QUE AS A NEW MEANS OF RAISING REVENUE. WE ALSO HOSTED THE STS. VARTANANTZ DAY CELEBRATION IN CONJUNCTION WITH STS. VARTANANTZ AND HOLY CROSS CHURCHES AND THE KNIGHTS OF VARTAN.

THE PERIMETER DRAINAGE WAS COMPLETED AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR. ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE PARISH HOUSE COMMITTEE, THE PARISH COUNCIL UNDERTOOK THE RENOVATION OF THE PARISH HOUSE BATHROOM WHICH IS NOW COMPLETE.

THE PARISH COUNCIL WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL THE CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS AND PARISHIONERS WHO ASSISTED IN MAKING 1981 A FINANCIAL SUCCESS. WE LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

WOMEN'S GUILD REPORT FOR 1981

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

CASH ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1981	\$2,913.50
ADD RECEIPTS	3,458.36
LESS EXPENDITURES	3,449.68
BALANCE ON ACCOUNT, DECEMBER 31, 1981	\$2,922.18
TRANSFERRED TO PARISH COUNCIL DURING YEAR	\$1,000.00

REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR - 1981

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

NUMBER ON MAILING LIST: 40, DUES PAYING MEMBERS: 36, AUXILIARY MEMBERS: 4
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 (REQUIEM 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 THE VESTMENTS AND ALTAR CLOTHS, WHICH ARE MOSTLY SEWN BY OUR OWN MEMBERS.

THE WOMEN'S GUILD DONATED \$500.00 THIS YEAR FOR THE BEAUTIFICATION OF THE ALTAR AND THE PURCHASE OF VESTMENTS.

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 1981

CHAIRMAN
VICE-CHAIRMAN
SECRETARY
TREASURER

VASKEN GOSTANIAN
VIRGINIA ALEXANIAN
ALICE KASPARIAN
AZADOUHIE LOOSIAN

THE MR. & MRS. CLUB HELD 10 REGULAR MONTHLY MEETINGS WITH 31 ACTIVE MEMBERS.

THIS YEAR, WE SPONSORED OUR ANNUAL CHICKEN BAR-B-QUE ON APRIL 25, 1981 AND REALIZED A PROFIT OF \$726.66 AND OUR ANNUAL HARVEST DANCE AT THE HAVERHILL COUNTRY CLUB WITH A NET PROFIT OF \$115.50.

WE PARTICIPATED IN THE ANNUAL CHURCH BAZAAR AND FESTIVAL '81 AT THE HAVERHILL STADIUM AND AT ALL OTHER CHURCH FUNCTIONS.

THIS YEAR, FOR THE FIRST TIME, WE SPONSORED A STUDENT FROM OUR CHURCH TO ATTEND THE ST. NERSESS SUMMER STUDY PROGRAM HELD IN NEW YORK IN AUGUST. ALSO, WE MADE A CHARITABLE DONATION OF \$50.00 TO ST. TARKMANCHATZ SCHOOL IN JERUSALEM TO SUPPORT TWO CHILDREN IN THE SCHOOL. ON THE OCCASION OF THE 36TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF OUR CHURCH WE DONATED \$1,000.00.

OUR MEMBERS HAVE HELPED WHENEVER THE NEED ARISES AND MAINTAIN AN ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP.

OUR MEETINGS ARE HELD ON THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH AND NEW MEMBERS WILL BE MOST CORDIALLY WELCOME.

OUR FINANCIAL STATEMENT IS AS FOLLOWS:

BALANCE ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1981	\$ 569.04
INCOME	<u>2,132.68</u>
	2,701.72
LESS EXPENSES	<u>2,492.25</u>
BALANCE ON HAND, DECEMBER 31, 1981	\$ 209.47

ACYOA REPORT FOR 1981

CO-CHAIRMAN

LYNN CHOBANIAN

JANICE MOSESIAN

TREASURER

DOUGLAS AGHOIAN

RECORDING SECRETARY

PAMELA DER BOGOSIAN

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

ANDY AARONIAN

THE ACYOA HAS 10 MEMBERS ON ITS MAILING LIST. DURING THE 1981 CALENDAR YEAR THERE WERE 5 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 12, 1981 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 AUGMENTS OUR INCOME AND HELPS EDUCATE MEMBERS AS WELL AS THE COMMUNITY IN GENERAL. THE BOOKSTORE HAS AN INVENTORY OF \$1,229.95 WORTH OF MERCHANDISE AT RETAIL VALUE.

OUR FINANCIAL STATEMENT IS AS FOLLOWS:

CASH ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1981	\$ 104.81
TOTAL RECEIPTS	617.90
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	652.01
SAVINGS ACCOUNT	233.65
BALANCE ON ACCOUNT, DECEMBER 31, 1981	\$ 70.70
RETAIL VALUE OF BOOKSTORE ITEMS	\$1,229.95
TRANSFERRED TO PARISH COUNCIL	\$ 100.00

ARMENIAN SCHOOL REPORT

ARMENIAN SCHOOL CLASSES ARE HELD EVERY WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON FROM 3:30 TO 5:00 P.M. MRS. ZARTY CHILINGIRIAN IS INSTRUCTOR.

THE CHILDREN HAVE PARTICIPATED IN PALM SUNDAY AND EASTER RELIGIOUS SERVICES. THEY RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION ON HOLY SATURDAY FOLLOWED BY A BREAKFAST PREPARED BY THE PARENTS. A CHRISTMAS PARTY WAS HELD WHERE GIFTS WERE DISTRIBUTED AND REFRESHMENTS SERVED. THE CHILDREN HAVE PRESENTED RECITATIONS AT MANY PROGRAMS OF THE CHURCH.

ADULT LANGUAGE CLASSES, WITH HAYR SOURP AS INSTRUCTOR, ARE HELD EVERY MONDAY EVENING. BIBLE STUDY AND DANCE CLASSES ARE HELD EVERY OTHER WEEK AND HAVE BEEN RECEIVED ENTHUSIASTICALLY BY THOSE ATTENDING.

SUPERINTENDENT

ZARTY CHILINGIRIAN

CHOIR REPORT FOR 1981

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

BALANCE ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1981 \$ 403.25
INCOME

CHURCH COLLECTIONS	\$315.15	
CHOIR DAY DINNER	539.00	
BANK INTEREST	31.54	
INCOME	<u>\$885.69</u>	
TOTAL INCOME		\$1288.94

EXPENSES

MUSIC BOOKS	\$ 28.55	
SYMPATHY GIFTS	35.00	
CHOIR DINNER EXPENSES	250.00	
ST. NERSES STUDY PROGRAM	165.00	
GIFT	50.00	
ASSOC. OF ARMENIAN CHURCH CHOIRS	50.00	
EXPENSES	<u>\$578.55</u>	

BALANCE ON HAND, DECEMBER 31, 1981 \$ 710.39

REPORT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1981

NAME OF ORGANIZATION: ST. GREGORY THE ILLUMINATOR CHURCH CHOIR
CHAIRMAN: RICHARD BAZARIAN
VICE-CHAIRMAN: EDGAR MOVSESIAN
RECORDING SECRETARY: VIRGINIA TAVITIAN
TREASURER: ALICE KASPARIAN

NUMBER ON MAILING LIST: 23, REHEARSALS: 12, MEETINGS: 6

REPORT OF SPECIAL ACTIVITIES:

THE CHOIR PARTICIPATED IN VARTANANTZ DAY PROGRAM HELD IN OUR CHURCH ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1981. CHOIR MEMBERS SANG SHARAGANS FOR THE PALM SUNDAY BANQUET HELD IN THE CHURCH HALL ON APRIL 12, 1981. THE CHOIR MEMBERS ALSO PLANNED AND ORGANIZED THE CHOIR DAY BANQUET WHICH WAS HELD ON MAY 17, 1981 IN THE CHURCH HALL. OUR CHOIR DIRECTOR, SUE KEZERIAN AND CHOIR CHAIRMAN, RICHARD BAZARIAN, ON BEHALF OF THE CHOIR ATTENDED THE 35TH ANNUAL ASSEMBLY OF THE ASSOCIATION OF ARMENIAN CHURCH CHOIRS OF AMERICA HOSTED BY THE HOLY TRINITY ARMENIAN CHURCH OF GREATER BOSTON, CAMBRIDGE, MA ON OCTOBER 30, 31 AND NOVEMBER 1, 1981.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1981

CHECKBOOK BALANCE - JANUARY 1, 1981

\$ 4,624

RECEIPTS

SACRAMENTS	\$ 1,225	
HOKEHANKEESD AND PRAYERS	2,846	
MEMORIAL CONTRIBUTIONS	6,645	
PLEDGE AND 1980 DUES	6,422	
PLATE	1,177	
DUES FOR 1981	3,245	
TRANSFER FROM RESERVE FUND	10,000	
CHURCH FUNCTIONS	24,323	
CHRISTMAS OFFERING	610	
EASTER OFFERING	931	
GIFTS	762	
ALTAR FLOWERS	569	
VOTIVE STAND	176	
KHEYMA DINNERS	120	
CHURCH HALL RENTAL	250	
ALTAR CANDLES	48	
DONATIONS TO THE LOOSAVORICH	490	
MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	1,016	
INTEREST ON TREASURY BILLS	3,010	
BANK INTEREST (NOW ACCOUNT)	197	
TOTAL RECEIPTS	64,062	\$68,686

DISBURSEMENTS

CLERGY SALARY	\$12,440	
CLERGY CAR ALLOWANCE	3,000	
CLERGY INSURANCE	2,086	
CUSTODIAL SERVICES	1,715	
REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE	1,308	
DEACON, SOLOIST, ORGANIST	280	
SECRETARIAL SERVICES	823	
GAS	4,940	
UTILITIES	3,396	
OIL	1,793	
CHURCH INSURANCE	2,179	
DIOCESAN DUES	5,190	
CHURCH FUNCTIONS	6,540	
CHURCH SUPPLIES AND STATIONERY	2,304	
BOILER (COST \$6,200)	3,358	
PERIMETER DRAINING	2,685	
PARISH HOUSE BATHROOM	1,463	
PRINTING	1,182	
ALTAR FLOWERS	858	
POSTAGE	824	
CANDLES	140	
TAXES	449	
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES	3,300	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	62,253	
CHECKBOOK BALANCE - DECEMBER 31, 1981		\$ 6,433

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS - CONT'D

TERM DEPOSIT - "BUILDING FUND" (MATURITY DATE 2/22/82)	<u>\$11,170</u>
TERM DEPOSIT - "BUILDING FUND" (MATURITY DATE 1/31/83)	<u>\$ 9,570</u>
6 MONTH MONEY MARKET CERTIFICATE (MATURITY DATE 5/7/82)	<u>\$19,000</u>
RESERVE FUND	<u>\$ 350</u>

PROPOSED 1982 BUDGET

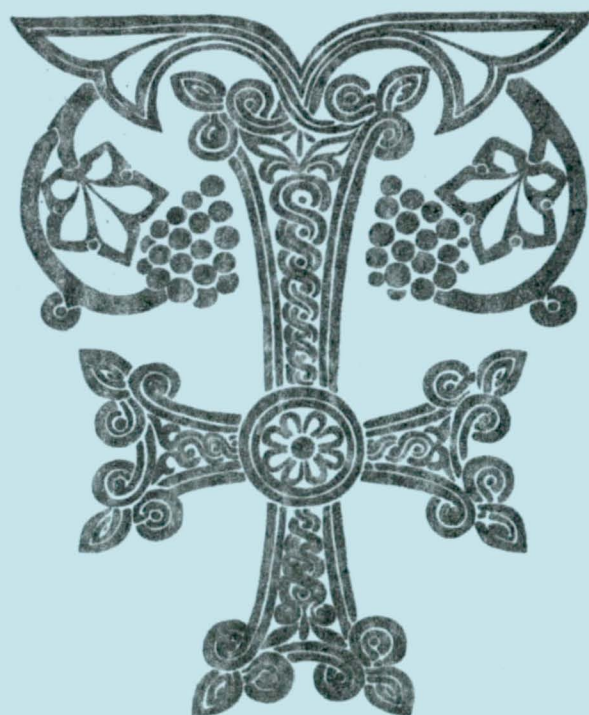
RECEIPTS

SACRAMENTS	\$ 1,500	
HOKEHANKEESD AND PRAYERS	3,500	
MEMORIAL CONTRIBUTIONS	6,500	
PLEDGE	7,000	
PLATE	1,200	
DUES	3,300	
CHURCH FUNCTIONS	27,000	
KHEYMA DINNERS	200	
CHRISTMAS OFFERING	800	
EASTER OFFERING	1,000	
GIFTS	1,000	
ALTAR FLOWERS	650	
VOTIVE STAND	200	
CHURCH HALL RENTAL	250	
ALTAR CANDLES	100	
DONATIONS TO THE LOOSAVORICH	600	
MISC. INCOME	2,000	
INTEREST ON TREASURY BILLS	4,000	
BANK INTEREST (NOW ACCOUNT)	300	
TOTAL PROPOSED RECEIPTS	\$61,100	\$61,100

DISBURSEMENTS

CLERGY SALARY	\$14,750	
CLERGY CAR ALLOWANCE	3,000	
CLERGY INSURANCE	2,200	
CUSTODIAL SERVICES	1,800	
REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE	1,500	
DEACON, ORGANIST, SOLOIST	350	
SECRETARIAL SERVICES	900	
UTILITIES	3,800	
OIL	2,000	
GAS	5,400	
CHURCH INSURANCE	2,400	
DIOCESAN DUES	5,500	
CHURCH FUNCTIONS	7,000	
STATIONERY AND SUPPLIES	2,500	
PRINTING	1,300	
CHURCH RENOVATION	750	
ALTAR FLOWERS	900	
POSTAGE	900	
CANDLES	150	
TAXES	500	
MISC. EXPENSES	3,500	
TOTAL PROPOSED DISBURSEMENTS	\$61,100	\$61,100

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