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Archbishop Khajag Barsamian, Primate



January 20, 1994

Re: Financial Aid For California Earthquake of 1994

Already the shocking news of the devastation and havoc caused by the earthquake in Southern California has begun the immediate response of all people in our nation to assist in the recovery process. We have been in constant touch with His Eminence Archbishop Vatche Housepian, Primate of the Western Diocese regarding the situation and have learned that even several of our own churches were damaged not to mention the upheaval of lives and properties of many Armenians living in the affected zone. As we have responded in the past to such tragedy and need, we stand ready to do our share and contribute as a christian community to the recovery process.

Therefore, we direct all of our parishes to announce our appeal for the Earthquake in California immediately and ask the congregation to contribute whatever monetary amount possible so that we may offer our assistance in the name of the Eastern Diocese of the Armenian Church for the rebuilding of the lives of families and communities in California.

With prayers,

Abp. K. Barsamian
Archbishop Khajag Barsamian
Primate

STS. JOACHIM & ANNE ARMENIAN CHURCH

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**SENIOR CITIZENS' YOSPOY KHEYMA LUNCHEON
WITH SURPAZAN**

His Grace Archbishop Khajag Barsamian, our Diocesan Primate will pay a visit to our Parish
and dine with our Senior Citizens for their monthly luncheon.

The Seniors of our Church invite all to this special Lenten luncheon fellowship.

TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 1994

12:00 Noon

Hovanessian Cultural Hall

CHURCH SERVICE & LECTURE

"The Mission of the Armenian Church Today"

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RECTOR**

St. Nerses Armenian Seminary, NY

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8:00 P.M.

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[Pastor & Parish Council]