

# ST. LEON ARMENIAN CHURCH

## ՍԲ. ՂԵՒՈՆԴԵԱՆՑ ՏԱՐԵԿԱՆ ԾԽԱԿԱՆ ԺՈՂՈՎ

Սբ. Ղեւոնդեանց Եկեղեցւոյ Հոգեւոր Հովիւն ու Միսական Խորհուրդը պաշտօնապէս կը հրահրեն բոլոր տրատու անդամները մասնակցելու Տարեկան Միսական Ժողովին, որ տեղի պիտի ունենայ Փետրուար 24, 1985ին, կէսօրէ առաջ ժամը 11ին:

Ժողովին Օրակարգը ներկայացուած է ստորեւ անգլերէն հրահրագրին մէջ:

Տարեկան Միսական Ժողովին քուէարկելու եւ ընտրուելու համար իւրաքանչիւր անդամ պէտք է վճարած ըլլայ նուազագոյնը 50 տոլար, իսկ Տարեց Անդամները նուազագոյնը՝ 25 տոլար: Անդամներ պիտի արտօնուին իրենց անդամատուրքը վճարել Տարեկան Միսական Ժողովին օրն իսկ:

Թեքեւ քաշ մը պիտի սպասարկուի ժողովին վերջաւորութեան:

### ST. LEON ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY

The Pastor and the Parish Council of St. Leon Armenian Church extend an official invitation to all dues-paying members to attend the Annual Parish Assembly on Sunday, February 24, 1985 at 11:00 a.m.

Kindly consult the following agenda and make sure you attend the assembly by taking part in its deliberations.

#### AGENDA

1. Call to order
2. Verification of eligible voters
3. Election of Assembly officers
4. Reading of 1984 Assembly Minutes
5. Pastor's Report
6. Parish Council and Organization Reports
7. Elections: Parish Council (6)  
Auditing Committee (3)  
Nominating Committee (3)
8. Auditing Committee Report
9. Approval of 1985 budget
10. New Business
11. Adjournment and Benediction

In order to be eligible to vote by the action of Parish Assembly each member must pay a minimum of \$50.00 per member and the Senior Citizens a minimum of \$25.00 to be eligible to vote and take office. Members will be allowed to pay by the date of the Parish Assembly.

REV. PAREE METJIAN  
President

ARTHUR OHNIKIAN  
Chairman

Dorothy Karamian  
Corresponding Secretary

*A light luncheon will be served immediately following the Parish Assembly*

## PARISH COUNCIL REPORT

Looking back at 1984, I would like to reflect on the achievements of St. Leon. We can immodestly feel proud of these accomplishments. In addition to the spiritual duties of our parish within the community, we have achieved progress in various areas. There are many people to thank. I want to take this time to record some of these milestones and to acknowledge those of you who made it possible.

Der Paree has completed his ninth year as our spiritual leader. His sermons continue to inspire us all. Our choir and our organist have regularly performed their duties unselfishly. We have been privileged to have donated by the Sarkis Bedevian family the special wording above the altar—Siretzek uz memianus zee Asdvadz ser eh—which translated means, Love each other, for God is love. In order to have regularized administration within the parish, a Pastor/Parish Relations Committee was established to coordinate priorities and responsibilities.

I am particularly pleased with the commitment of the members of the Parish Council with whom I have served. As a group, we have attended semi-monthly meetings and have accepted our responsibilities faithfully. Of the six members whose term expires at this assembly, all have submitted their names for re-election with the exception of Dorothy Karamian who is prohibited from serving beyond her just completed third consecutive term.

In my mind, the most outstanding feat of the year was the completion of the payment for our Community Center within the incredibly short time of three years. I want to very deeply thank each of you for discharging your financial obligations ahead of schedule so that this seemingly impossible goal was attained. And to the Special Committee, chaired by Sarkis Bedevian, for directing this monumental task. This should particularly make all of us proud to be associated with St. Leon. Of course, this could not have been accomplished without special fund-raising such as the car raffle, bazaar and picnic from which we realized over \$20,000 last year alone. Our special thanks to those committees headed respectively by Noubar Jessourian, Tony Tungrian, Jacques Tossounian and Robert Boudoughian. And particularly to the Women's Guild, led by Florence Grunstra and Edna Tungrian, who participated in all functions and without whose mammoth effort we could not have either a picnic or bazaar. They are and have been our backbone for over 50 years.

During the year, we have had two other significant events which should be singled out. The 82nd Diocesan Assembly was successfully managed by John Nakashian and his committee. And in November, we were privileged to celebrate our 50th Anniversary, a particularly gratifying event for which we congratulate Sarkis Bedevian and his committee for a festive evening.

Improvements have been made to our physical assets during 1984. The interior of our church was painted as was the educational wing. The latter was also panelled through the generosity of the Jessourian families. The caretaker's cottage was completely renovated including being vinyl sided. Our plans for 1985 include renovation of the Pastoral house.

The Sunday School, ACYOA, and basketball teams are made up of our youth and generally the same individuals. Our Sunday School was again under the direction of Berdjouhi Feredjian who, together with the teachers and staff, administered the education of our children outstandingly and efficiently. A particular need of the Sunday School was for a portable altar which was provided with the special help of Tom Ashbahian. In addition, in September we had children from Sunday School ordained as acolytes and one deacon, Berdj Feredjian, ordained by our Primate.

The ACYOA was chaired by Edward Kalpagian with Barbara and Jon Royland as advisors. Besides regular activities, they had their first annual sports weekend in February which had participants from New England as well as New York.

Due to an oversight, we were unable to enter three basketball games last year in the ACSA league. However, both of the teams we did enter, the girls who were coached by George Kachajian and the senior boys coached by Robert Ohnikian, won their respective championships. In the current season, we also have a junior boys team whose coach is Raffi Jessourian. A trophy case has been placed in the youth room to display their awards.

Der Paree once again headed the St. Vartan Summer Camp, which had more than 100 children attend from parishes in New Jersey, New York, Massachusetts, Illinois, Connecticut, Texas, Pennsylvania and North Carolina. The camp will again be under his direction in 1985.

We close the year with a gala New Year's Eve dance held jointly with St. Thomas and Holy Cross churches. The proceeds are being donated to the St. Nersess Seminary.

There are other organizations and events that deserve mention. These include the Care and Share, Armenian School and Bible Study. It is pleasing to know that they continue to draw substantially from our parish and the community. Two organizations, however, the Men's Club and the Couples Club did not enjoy lasting appeal. Interest in the former did not last and unfortunately the Couples Club may also not survive. Although both areas are fertile for development, neither did well. If any parishioner wishes to reestablish either of these, I'm sure the new Parish Council will help.

Lastly, a special note of appreciation to both Der Paree and Yeretzgin Angel who continue to devote themselves to the well-being of St. Leon. They not only provide the required service, but go beyond in total support of all activities. Either one or both inspire us at all organizational meetings.

There are many areas to point to with pride, but the largest asset is you, our dedicated and giving member. What we have acquired in the past, our physical assets, is only because of you, our personal assets. May you serve St. Leon in 1985 and beyond to keep us alive and vital.

ARTHUR OHNIKIAN  
Chairman, Parish Council

ST. LEON ARMENIAN CHURCH  
MAJOR PARISH ACTIVITIES - 1984

FEBRUARY

- (Tues.) 28 St. Leon Name Day - Seta Karakashian guest pianist.  
Program by Armenian School students and reception by  
St. Leon Women's Guild.  
17-19 ACYOA Juniors Sports Weekend sponsored by St. Leon and  
St. Thomas.

MARCH

- (Tues.) 13 Annual Fish 'n Chips sponsored by Women's Guild.  
(Sat.) 24 Spiritual Life Conference sponsored by St. Mary's.  
(Sun.) 25 Lenten Luncheon sponsored by Women's Guild.

APRIL

- (Sun.) 1 First Annual Family Prayer Breakfast. Speaker: Professor  
Varoujan Mazmanian.  
(Sun.) 15 ACYOA dinner and program.  
(Sat.) 21 Sunday School Communion Breakfast.

MAY

- 3-5 Annual Diocesan Assembly hosted by St. Leon. John  
Nakashian, General Chairman.  
(Wed.) 16 Mother's Day dinner and program hosted by St. Leon Women's  
Guild. Program by Yeretzgin Angel Metjian.

JUNE

- (Sat.) 2 Annual Raffle Drawing and Dance hosted by Raffle Committee.  
Noubar Jessourian, General Chairman.  
(Fri.) 8 Armenian School Hantes.  
(Tues.) 12 Women's Guild Annual Buffet.  
(Fri.) 15 Sports Appreciation Night.  
(Sat.) 16 Church yard beautification coordinated by Rex Kachigian.  
25-29 Annual Vacation Bible School directed by Yeretzgin Angel  
Metjian.

JULY

- (Sun.) 1 St. Leon Annual Picnic, Chairmen - Robert Boudoughian  
and Jacques Tossounian.  
2-7, 8-14 St. Vartan Camp.  
(Sun.) 22 Luncheon hosted for St. Nersess Summer Study Conference  
participants.

AUGUST

- (Sun.) 12 Assumption Day summer picnic, chaired by Tom Ashbahian  
and Jacques Tossounian.

SEPTEMBER

- (Sun.) 16 Ordination of acolytes and deacons, followed by Banquet.  
His Eminence, Archbishop Torkom Manoogian presiding.  
Chaired by Rose Najarian.

OCTOBER

- 13 & 14 St. Leon Annual Bazaar, chaired by Tony and Edna Tungrian.

NOVEMBER

- (Sun.) 11 50th Anniversary Banquet, mortgage burning. Sarkis  
Bedevian, Chairman. His Beatitute Archbishop Shnork  
Kaloustian in attendance.

DECEMBER

- (Fri.) 7 Barn Dance hosted by Women's Guild.  
(Mon.) 31 New Year's Eve hosted by St. Leon, Holy Cross and St. Thomas.



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Տէր Բարի Բհնյ. Մէթճեան, Հովիւ

ST. LEON ARMENIAN CHURCH  
Rev. Paree Metjian, Pastor

1984ի ՀՈՎՈՒԱԿԱՆ ՏԵՆԵԿԱԳԻՐ

«Ես ինքզինքս ուրախ կ'զգամ այս եկեղեցիին անդամագրուած ըլլալուս համար ... Ես հոգեկան գոհացում կ'ստանամ այս եկեղեցւոյ մէջ լսելով Աստուծոյ Խօսքը ... Կարգ կանոն եւ միաբանութիւն կայ այս սուրբ յարկէն ներս:

Այս Խօսքերը ուղղուած են ինծի զանազան առիթներով մեր եկեղեցւոյ անդամներու կողմէ: Այս արտայայտութիւնները բոլորիս ուրախութիւն պէտք է պատճառէ որովհետեւ անոնք կը ցուցաբերեն մեր եկեղեցւոյ յատուկ նկարագիր էութիւնը:

Հակիրճ կերպով կ'ափոփեմ 1984ի ծառայութիւնս մեր համայնքէն ներս:

Կատարեցի կանոնաւոր ժամապաշտութիւն, Խորհուրդներու կատարում, տունօրհնէք, Ծխական այցելութիւններ ընտանիքներու նաեւ հիւանդանոցներու: Մասնակցութիւնս բերի Ծխական եւ Վարչական ժողովներու:

Եկեղեցւոյ բոլոր կազմակերպութիւնները իւրայատուկ օգտակար ծառայութիւններ մատուցանեցին, մասնաւոր ձեռնարկներով իրենց անդամներուն: Յիշատակութեան արժանի են մեր եկեղեցւոյ Տիկնանց Միութեան ատենապետները՝ Տիկնայք Ֆլօրէնս Կուսդրրա եւ Էտնա Դընկրեան եւ նաեւ Տարէց Կազմակերպութեան ատենապետ՝ Տիրացու Մանուկ Զաքան, որոնք կը շարունակեն իրենց օգտաշատ ծառայութեամբ վարչական կազմով:

Մեր կիրակօրեայ եւ Հայ Դպրոցները նախանձեղի դիրքի մը հասած են, շնորհիւ ժրջան պատասխանատուներու: Կիրակօրեայ դպրոցը՝ տնօրէնութեամբ Օր. Պերճունի Ֆէրէճեանի, իր օգնականը ունենալով, Տիկին Էլիզ Թօսունեան, նուիրեալ ուսուցչական կազմին հետ, կը կատարեն իրենց վստահուած առաքելութիւնը: Ենորհակալութեան Խօսք ունինք նաեւ Տիկին Ռօզ Նաճարեանին, ատենապետուհի Հայ Դպրոցի խմանակալ մարմին, խոր նուիրումով ստան ստանցած է այդ կարեւոր պաշտօնը իր գործադիր անդամներու հետ: Ինչպէս նաեւ Տիկին Վերքին Մարաշլեանի, Հայ Դպրոցի տնօրէնուհին, ուսուցչական կազմին մեր խորին շնորհակալութիւնները իրենց տքնաջան ծառայութեանց համար:

Անցեալ տարին եղաւ գործնէութեան բեղուն տարի մը: Յիշենք մի քանի կարեւոր ձեռնարկները.-

Մայիսին Թեմական Պատգամաւորական ժողովը տեղի ունեցաւ մեր եկեղեցւոյ մէջ: Մեր անդամները իրենց սիրայօժար մասնակցութիւնները բերին:

Կիրակի, Սեպտեմբեր 13ին, 14 երիտասարդներու Չորս Աստիճանի Տուչութիւնը եւ նաեւ Սարկաւազի մը ձեռնադրութեան հանդիսաւոր պատարագ եւ ճաշկերոյթ յայտագիրը տեղի ունեցաւ, հովանաւորութեամբ, Թեմիս Առաջնորդ, Գերշ. Թորգոմ Արքեպս. Մանուկեանի:

Կիրակի, Նոյեմբեր 11ին Եկեղեցւոյ 50րդ տարեդարձի առթիւ հանդիսաւոր պատարագ մատուցուեցաւ. Հիմալայներին Կեդրոնի մուրհակի հրկիզումը կատարուեցաւ ճաշ-յայտագրով մը, ներկայութեամբ Պալսոյ Պատրիարք Շնորհ Արքեպս. Գալուստեանի:

Շնորհիւ մեր տարիներու բեղուն գործնէութեան, այսօր մեր եկեղեցին ճանչցուած է իբրեւ հոգեւոր եւ խոստովանալից համայնք մը: Հենք զիտէր ապագան ինչ պիտի բերէ եւ եթէ անցելը չափանիշ է, 1985 տարին ալ կը յայտնաբերէ ըլլալ գործօն տարի մը: Յիշենք մի քանի նպատակներ.-

1.- Տրատու եւ գործօն անդամներու թիւը աւելցնել:

2.- Կազմել Մշակութային Յանձնախումբ մը որ տարին անգամ մը երաժշտական կամ Մշակութային ելոյթներ սարքէ:

3.- Ալ աւելի զարկ տրուի եկեղեցւոյ հիմնադրամին քարգաւաճման:

4.- Ապրիլեան նահատակներու 70րդ տարեդարձի առթիւ, պատրաստել յատուկ յայտագիր մը:

Տեղեկագիրս փակելէ առաջ, իմ խորին շնորհակալութիւններս կը փափաքիմ յայտնել եկեղեցւոյ Սարկաւազաց եւ Դպրաց Դասին իրեցն խոր նուիրումին համար: Նաեւ ծխական Խորհուրդի ատենապետին, ժրաջան անդամներուն որոնք մեզի հետ գործակցելով նպաստեցին եկեղեցւոյ յառաջդիմութեան: Նաեւ զնահատական խօսք ունիմ մեր բոլոր նուիրեալ անդամներուն որոնք մեր եկեղեցին պահեցին շէն ու պայծառ տարի մը եւս:

Սրտագին կ'աղօթեմ որ Աստուած առողջ պահէ մեզ բոլորս. զօրացնէ Սուրբ Հոգւոյն շնորհները մեր մէջ. Միասնաբար ծառայենք Աստուծոյ, եկեղեցւոյ պայծառութեան եւ Հայ Ազգի արժէքներու գոյատեւման համար:

Սրբեցէք ձեր անձերը քանզի Տէրը վաղը ձեր մէջ հրաշքներ պիտի ընէ:՝՝  
Յիս. 3:5

Աղօթարար  
Կարի Գրիգոր Մէթոնեան



ՍՐԲՈՑ ՂԵՒՈՆԴԵԱՆՑ ՀԱՅՑ. ԵԿԵՂԵՑԻ  
Տէր Բարի Քչնյ. Մէթճեան, Հովիւ

ST. LEON ARMENIAN CHURCH  
*Rev. Paree Metjian, Pastor*

PASTOR'S ANNUAL REPORT

"For I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for good...to give you a future and hope." (Jer. 29:11)

The sure sign that we have an authentic relationship with God is that we believe more in the future than in the past. The past can be neither a source of confidence nor condemnation. God graciously divided our life into days and years so that we can let go of our yesterdays and anticipate our tomorrows. For our tomorrows, He gives us the gift of expectation and excitement.

For me, as your spiritual shepherd, the last ten years indeed have been years of expectation and excitement. Just last year was memorable, with the various parish activities you may have reviewed on the previous page an "unprecedented" year. These activities were made possible because of the special spirit-charged atmosphere that prevails in our parish - love, unity, concern for others and above all a desire to serve the Lord in a way that we fulfill His plans.

The Divine Liturgy was celebrated every Sunday in a fitting and orderly manner. George Paroonagian, Director of the Choir, Sirvart Galstian, our organist and the Choir members must be thanked for their loyal service during the year. Our appreciation to the Deacons, Sub-deacons, young incensors and the acolytes; they served on the altar with zeal and dedication.

I am happy to report that our Sunday and Armenian Schools are functioning very well. Our thanks to Berdjouhi Feredjian, Superintendent of the Sunday School, and Eliz Tossounian as her assistant. They are doing an admirable job in planning, organizing and supervising the teaching staff, assistants and the students. We have 86 registered students. Mrs. Verkin Marashian, Armenian School Principal and Rose Najarian,

Armenian School Board Chairman, are doing a wonderful job in keeping our culture alive among our youngsters. Our thanks to the teachers, committee members and parents for their diligence and dedication.

Church organizations continue to be an integral part of our parish life by serving a variety of purpose and needs. They truly promote the best interests of our parish in every way. To the chairman of each organization, their respective committees and members, I extend my sincere appreciation. Of particular interest are the youth of the parish. They, too, are most active through various social, religious and fund-raising activities. Jan and Barbara Royland as their advisors are doing an outstanding job. We are proud of our youth and their involvement in the life of our parish; it is a source of joy to all of us.

As part of my pastoral duties, I visited Valley and St. Joseph Hospitals on a regular basis and when special requests were made. I have also maintained regularly scheduled visits to homes during the Christmas and Easter season and year-round. I have made close to 75 visits within the course of the year.

The following sacraments were recorded in our Parish Registry:

Baptisms: 5      Weddings: 12      Funerals: 12

I have kept regular office hours, carrying out the administrative duties of our parish. Since March, our church secretary, Vivian Hovsepian, has assisted in office duties, correspondence, preparation of the Lradoo, Sunday Bulletin and other office responsibilities. I wish to express my heartfelt appreciation to her.

The year 1984 has been a very challenging and productive year for me. For personal enrichment, I attended the St. Paul Episcopal Church Renewal Conference in March; attended Bergen Community College, taking a course in advanced writing and participated in a communication workshop by the Primate's office.

In retrospect, allow me to reflect on some ministries that need our continued support:

BIBLE STUDY FELLOWSHIP: This group of faithful met every other week for prayer and Bible Fellowship led by Der Hayr and George Marootian. The participants greatly benefited and were provided with spiritual uplift, direction and purpose. Every parish member must take advantage of this unique and important ministry.

ANNUAL WOMEN'S RETREAT: A unique opportunity to our Guild members, probably the only one in our Diocese. What a joy it is to see that lives are being changed and commitments are being made under the wing of our church. We are happy to learn that a Men's Retreat is being planned sponsored by the Parish Council. I believe this is the most important project. We need a fresh, spiritual approach to our old problems.

BREAKFAST--BIBLE STUDY & ACOLYTE TRAINING: Following their ordination, the above project was instituted for our ordained acolyte boys and girls led by Der Hayr and Elsie Donigian and Deacon Berdj Feredjian. Our youth are eager to learn and are ready to serve the Lord. Indeed they have an impeccable record of service - Church, ACYOA, basketball, etc.

OUTREACH: A unique phenomenon, members helping those who need our assistance. In the course of the year the list includes:

Patriarchal Fund for Turkey	\$4,500.00
St. Nersess Seminary	2,000.00
Ethiopian Relief Appeal	1,000.00
Hovnanian School in New Milford, N. J.	500.00
St. Tarkmanchatz School	250.00

In many other ways, the Parish Council has encouraged civic and philanthropic organizations to utilize our facilities. This type of outreach shows our sense of caring to our fellow man in the name of Christ.

There are other projects worthy of our attention. They are: Library, for the use of our parish, supervised by Varsen Torosian; Bookstore, by Barbara Hovsepian and Vacation Bible School organized by Yeretzgin Angel Metjian. These projects need our continued support and interest.

In planning for 1985 and beyond, it is necessary to look further into the future and see what challenges lie ahead. Here is a summary of future expectations:

1. ENDOWMENT FUND: With the completion of our Community Center indebtedness, we must focus our efforts on promoting the Endowment Fund. So far it has been a very gradual growth, totalling \$7,000.00. It seems bequesting one's money to the church or establishing a fund in memory of a loved one has not caught our imagination. Already the Parish Council has appointed an Endowment Fund Committee to promote this worthy project. I believe we have the means and the ability to make it grow.



2. FINE ARTS COMMITTEE: To utilize the Community Center for musical projects, our intended idea to form a Fine Arts Committee has not been successful. We must look into it seriously, whereby at least once a year we provide a musical or theatrical program to the community at large.

3. This year we are asked to commemorate the 70th Anniversary of the Armenian Genocide. Let's think of an affair or project whereby we will truly memorialize and use the opportunity to perpetuate a unique aim to benefit the future generations.

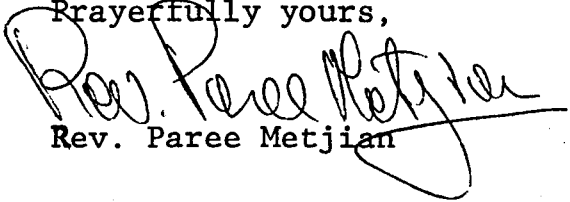
All of these projects, along with regular church services on Sunday, have made our parish a unique parish. I believe there is a blessed spiritual reawakening in St. Leon - an attempt to know God's will and our willingness to apply it in our parish life.

Our ministry as a parish in 1985 will continue to be spiritual, cultural and social and above all people oriented. We must care for each other with a keen sensitivity and utilize opportunities to minister in new and creative ways. With this in mind there is no question in my mind that 1985 will be another successful year for the Lord.

In conclusion, I would like to take this opportunity to express my heartfelt appreciation to Arthur Ohnikian, Chairman of the Parish Council; for his able and wise leadership; to members of the Parish Council for their advice and support. Also to the elected officials: Diocesan Delegates, Auditing and Nominating Committee members for discharging the duties of their respective offices with care and devotion. Last, but not least, all church members for your continued support and loyalty.

It is my joy and privilege to look after your spiritual needs. I hope in the years to come we can grow together into full spiritual maturity and realize our fullest potential for the Glory of God.

Prayerfully yours,

  
Rev. Parea Metjian



ST. LEON ARMENIAN CHURCH  
PARISH COUNCIL  
SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS 1984  
PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1985

RECEIPTS	PROPOSED 1984	ACTUAL 1984	PERCENT TOTAL	PROPOSED 1985	PERCENT TOTAL
Weekly Envelopes, Plate Collections and Special Donations	\$27,000	\$27,719.90	21.8%	\$30,000	20.7%
Sacraments: Funerals, Weddings, Baptisms, Hokehankisds, In lieu of flowers and candles	19,000	13,295.25	10.5	18,000	12.4
Net Proceeds from Affairs	36,000	30,647.87	24.2	43,000	29.7
Sale of Books-Lradoo	550	835.00	0.7	800	.6
Holiday Donations	9,500	8,305.00	6.5	9,500	6.6
Auxiliary Organizations	7,350	4,114.78	3.2	2,000	1.4
Investments	3,500	2,204.09	1.7	2,200	1.5
Community Center, Education Wing and Grounds	35,000	36,960.00	29.1	38,000	26.2
Miscellaneous	1,500	2,741.57	2.2	1,500	.9
Endowment Fund		115.00	.1		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$139,400</b>	<b>\$126,938.46</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>\$145,000</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
Excess Disbursements over Receipts		8,169.01			
		<b>\$135,107.47</b>			
Funds collected for Transfer: (Patriarch of Istanbul, Ethiopia Fund, New Year's Eve Dance)		11,917.25			
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>\$147,024.72</b>			

DISBURSEMENTS	PROPOSED 1984	ACTUAL 1984	PERCENT TOTAL	PROPOSED 1985	PERCENT TOTAL
Pastor's Stipend and Visiting Clergy	22,000	21,460.00	15.9	23,000	15.9
Clergy Insurance Pension	3,600	4,024.42	3.0	5,000	3.4
Repairs & Maintenance (Church, Rectory & Cottage)	7,500	6,667.80	4.9	3,000	2.1
Diocesan Dues	14,000	13,180.00	9.8	14,000	9.6
Publications & Mailing	6,000	3,377.45	2.5	4,000	2.8
Administration & General	9,000	12,157.85	9.0	10,000	6.9
Organist Stipend	2,500	1,755.00	1.3	1,800	1.2
Secretarial Expenses	8,000	2,910.85	2.1	4,200	2.9
Custodian (Salary & Medical Expenses)	7,500	9,181.45	6.8	10,000	6.9
Armenian School	1,000	12.16	.7	1,000	.7
Sunday School	2,500	2,674.00	2.0	2,500	1.7
Sports Association	800	1,983.00	1.5	1,000	.7
Care & Share	500		.3	500	.3
Van Operating Expenses	2,000	1,205.89	.9	2,000	1.4
Utilities (Electric, Gas, Water & Telephone)	27,000	29,490.98	21.8	30,000	20.7
Insurance	9,450	7,440.67	5.5	8,000	5.5
Equipment Purchase	1,000	894.25	.6	1,000	.7
Capital Improvements (Church, Rectory & Community Center)	15,000	5,000.00	3.7	18,000	12.4
Community Center Operating Expenses		8,059.92	6.0	3,000	2.1
St. Nersess Seminary		2,000.00	1.5	2,000	1.4
Miscellaneous		1,631.78	1.2	1,000	.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$139,350</b>	<b>\$135,107.47</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>\$145,000</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
Funds Transferred		7,992.70			
Funds to be Transferred		3,924.55			
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>\$147,024.72</b>			

ST. LEON ARMENIAN CHURCH  
SPECIAL COMMITTEE

INCOME AND EXPENSE STATEMENT 1984

INCOME	PROPOSED 1984	ACTUAL 1984	PROPOSED 1985
Pledge Collections	\$50,000	\$43,450.00	\$20,000
Memorials	30,000	22,859.00	10,000
Donations & Misc.		3,633.33	
Special Fund Raising	20,000		
Total	\$100,000	\$69,942.33	\$30,000
<b>EXPENSES</b>			
Mortgage & Interest		63,028.90	21,100**
Patio Memorial		3,870.74	
Interest on Notes		2,200.00	
Balance of 1983 Fund Raising Expenses		8,621.83	
Total		\$77,721.47	\$21,000

\*\*Payments of notes and interest.

1985 SLATE OF CANDIDATES

SAMPLE BALLOT

**Candidates for Parish Council**

Vote by checking (X) 6 persons only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Tom Ashbahian       | <input type="checkbox"/> Noubar Jessourian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> John Chagachbanian  | <input type="checkbox"/> Mirjan Kirian     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Susan Dadekian      | <input type="checkbox"/> Satenig Loughead  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Zaven Dadekian      | <input type="checkbox"/> Arthur Ohnikian   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sarkis Gabrellian   | <input type="checkbox"/> Sarkis Soultanian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Noland Hachadourian | <input type="checkbox"/> Tony Tungrian     |

**Candidates for Auditing Committee**

Vote by checking (X) 3 persons only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Gabriel Kaprelian | <input type="checkbox"/> Marge Tfank        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lynn Pinajian     | <input type="checkbox"/> Jacques Tossounian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> David Soultanian  | <input type="checkbox"/> John Voskian       |

**Candidates for Nominating Committee**

Vote by checking (X) 3 persons only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Lucy Chagachbanian | <input type="checkbox"/> Helen Mazoujian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sebouh Jessourian  | <input type="checkbox"/> John Nakashian  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dorothy Karamian   | <input type="checkbox"/> _____           |