

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN
APOSTOLIC CHURCH

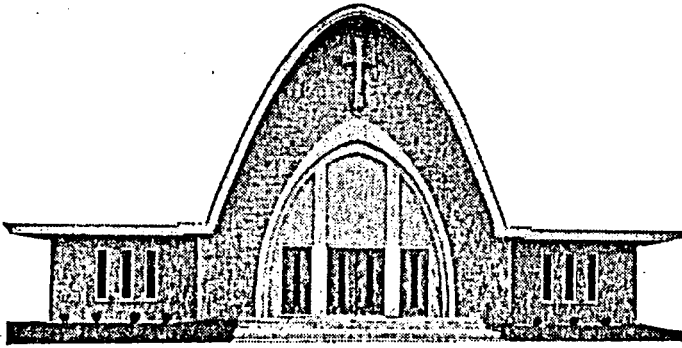
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Church Bulletin



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January 24, 1997

Dear Member,

The annual General Membership Assembly meeting will be held in the Church hall following Church services on February 16, 1997. Lunch will be served by the Women's Guild and meeting will be called to order following lunch.

AGENDA

1. Opening the Assembly with a Prayer
2. Verification of Dues Paying Members
3. Election of Assembly Officers
 - a. Chairman
 - b. Vice-chairman
 - c. Secretary
4. Reading of the Minutes of 1996 Parish Assembly
5. Reports of Church Organizations
6. Elections
 - a. Parish Council
 - b. Diocesan Delegate
 - c. Auditing Committee
 - d. Nominating Committee
7. Adoption of 1997 Budget
8. Old and New Business
 - a. Review of revised Cemetery Charges.
9. Closing Prayer

PARISH COUNCIL

PLEASE NOTE: IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DIOCESAN BY-LAWS MEMBERS MUST BE PAID -UP THROUGH 1996 IN ORDER TO HOLD OFFICE OR VOTE.

1996 PARISH COUNCIL REPORT

The Parish Council held regular meetings monthly in 1996 and are pleased to report that our church remains in sound financial condition.

While the usual maintenance repairs were necessary, we did not experience any major expense items.

We again wish to extend our appreciation and thanks to Rev. Fr. Vahram Hazarian who continues to travel from Chicago, twice each month to celebrate Divine Liturgy and is always available at other times when needed.

Our special thanks to Sub-Deacon Armen Hadjinian and altar server Raymond Reinke whose assistance to Fr. Vahram is greatly appreciated.

We are sad to report the passing of Mary Ambrookian, our life long organist, her presence is missed by all.

We are pleased to report that Dugan Esain, who after fifty years of service to the Bucyrus-Erie Company, retired and has become a member of the Parish Council.

We deeply appreciate the dedication and help of all who serves this church. You can be assured that our parents who worked so hard to make this church possible would be proud to know of our efforts to continue in keeping the doors open for those who will follow us.

Esahag Haidarian, Chairman
Charley Kademian
Kaiser Boyajian
Dugan Esaian
Raymond Reinke
Rose Huda
Sema Hayalian
Tony Hadjinian
Ray Reinke

PARISH COUNCIL

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY SCHOOL

This year our Sunday School class has expanded to approximately eight students. We now have two groups or classes - the pre-schoolers and elementary age group. We do some of our activities together and some that are more age specific separately.

The pre-school group is taught by Nadine . The focus is to introduce the children to God and Jesus and their love for all children.' They also hear the wonderful stories of the Bible through songs, games and fun projects.

The school aged groups focus is to make the students more familiar with the Armenian Church and how it loves and cares for us and is our second home. The students discuss the Bible, Feasts, Prayers, Sacraments, special people of the Church, History, Badarak and the Life of Christ. These children also read and participate in a variety of interesting activities.

A few activities we have participated in this year so far are planting more spring bulbs in front of the Church so they can be used on the altar some time; collecting food for less fortunate people and a Christmas Pageant for Armenian Christmas.

I'd like to say a special thank you to Nadine for joining with me to teach the children. Another thank you to all of the people who bring their children to Sunday School and finally, thank you to the parishioners and the Parish Council who have provided the materials and support necessary to conduct a Sunday School.

**Lynn Hayalian
Superintendent**

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

WOMEN'S GUILD 1996 ANNUAL REPORT

OFFICERS:	Rose Esaian	Chairman
	Yevkine Karian	Vice-Chairman
	Mary Haidarian	Secretary
	Rose Hadjinian	Treasurer
	Kay Kademian	Advisor
	Shockey Tamuzian	Corresp. Secretary
COMMITTEES:	Namzar Kaprelian	Sacristy
	Mary Boyajian	Altar Flowers
	Shockey Tamuzian	Sunshine

ACTIVITIES:

February: Prepared and served lunch for the Annual Parish Council Membership Meeting.

March: Women's Saint's Day Palos Heights Guild Hosted the celebration. A bus was provided by St. Mesrob Church of Racine.

April: A Madagh Dinner was prepared and served on the anniversary of the Martyr's Day Memorial (Armenian Massacre). The dinner was sponsored by the Parish Council.

September: Pot Luck supper membership drive was held. Jan Behling was our guest speaker.

October: Preparations for our Annual Armenian Fest.

November: "Armenian Fest" held in our Church hall with a menu of Armenian Cuisine and Bakery Sale was served.
The month of September, October and November were busy time for all the members.

December: *Election of Officers were held.

1996 was a very busy year. We have 18 members and the first Monday was scheduled for our meetings except for June and July. A special meeting was held in August to plan our annual "Armenian Fest".

Sunshine committee sent Get-Well and Sympathy cards and visits were made to our members as well as friends of the church.

Donations: A sum of \$150.00 was donated toward purchasing School Bags for the Armenian Children in Armenia.
A sum of \$200.00 was made to Hye Camp.
\$200.00 to sponsor an Armenian girl in Armenia, Kohr Araklian (this is the third year).

The Church and Church hall was professionally cleaned.

Every Sunday we had Church services, flowers were placed on the altar also on the Tomb of Jesus. Easter Lilies and Poinsettias plants were provided by the Guild and donations were made by Church members and friends.

Hokejash was prepared and served in memory of Mary Tamuzian Hogg and Irene Gavric requested by the families.

A great deal of time and effort was put in by our members for the Annual Armenian Fest. It was very successful with 185 dinners were served. Friends of Fr. Vahram Hazarian were very generous providing delicious pastries to the bake sale.

A check for 60% of our annual net income was transferred to the Parish Council.

Holy Resurrection Women's Guild

Rose Esaian, Chairman

* Election of Officers:

_____	Chairman
_____	Vice-Chairman
_____	Secretary
Rose Hadjinian	Treasurer
Rose Esaian	Corrs. Secretary
Rose Esaian	Advisor
Namzar Kaprelian	Sacristy
Mary Boyajian	Altar Flowers
Rose Esaian	Sunshine

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN CHURCH
WOMEN'S GUILD
FINANCIAL REPORT - DECEMBER 31, 1996

BANK ONE N.A. BALANCE FORWARD DECEMBER 31, 1996 \$ 3,364.59

INCOME:

Activities	\$ 1,719.03
Alter Flowers	272.00
Bake Sale	2,539.00
Donations	198.75
Fellowship	241.05
Funerals	955.09
Membership Dues	75.00
Postage	59.15
Supplies	39.40

TOTAL INCOME

+ \$ 6,098.47
\$ 9,463.06

EXPENSE:

Activities	\$ 773.44
Alter. Flowers	199.76
Bake Sale	343.51
Donations	550.00
60% To Parish Council	2,018.75
Funerals	255.09
Membership Dues	36.00
Miscellaneous	438.24
Postage	126.09
Supplies	236.57

TOTAL EXPENSE

- \$ 4,977.45

BALANCE

\$ 4,485.61

BANK ONE N.A. BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 1996

\$ 4,485.61

Respectfully Submitted

Rose Hadjinian

Women's Guild Treasurer

AUDITED & APPROVED BY Charley Kadonias DATE 1-18-97

SOORP HAROUTUNE ARMENIAN CHURCH CEMETERY

Cash on hand as of January 1, 1996. \$5,003.89*
 *\$4,284.59 donated specifically for the Cemetery Road Fund
 as of January 1, 1996.

INCOME

Bank Interest.	\$ 189.24
Funerals o/c Graves - 3 non-members.	\$ 900.00
Grave Purchases 5 members - 3 non-members.	\$1,890.00
Foundation Settings.	\$ 250.00
Donations: Memorial Day to Cemetery Road Fund	\$ 360.00
Memorial Day to Cemetery Equipment.. . . .	\$ 360.00
In Lieu of Flowers.	\$ 85.00
Road Fund.	\$1,030.00
Cemetery.	\$ 45.00
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	\$10,113.13

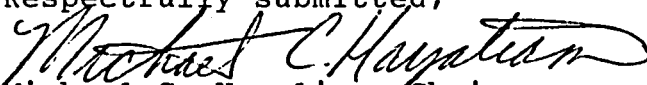
EXPENSES

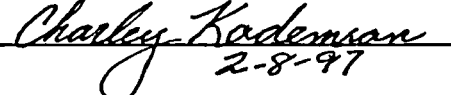
O/C of Graves.	\$ 550.00
Maintenance Repairs Supplies.	\$ 50.00
So. Eastern Wisc. Cemetery Association	\$ 52.50
Water Dept..	\$ 18.53
Snow Plowing	\$ 95.00
Foundation Settings.	\$ 250.00
So. Milw. Street Improvement Assessment.	\$ 207.10
60% of Cemetery Account not including donations to a specific cause for 1995 year.\$ 431.58
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	\$1,654.71

INCOME \$10,113.13
 EXPENSES 1,654.71

 \$ 8,458.42**

**We presently have \$5,863.83 donated specifically for the Cemetery Road Fund as of December 31, 1996.

Respectfully submitted,

 Michael C. Hayalian, Chairman
 Tony Hadjinian

AUDITED & APPROVED BY: 
 2-8-97

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

1996 EXPENSE REPORT

PRIEST SALARY.	\$16,700.00
DEACON SALARY.	540.00
WI ELECTRIC - HEATING.	4,134.18
WI ELECTRIC POWER CO..	935.58
AMERITECH.	248.81
AT&T.	73.51
WATER & SEWER	694.82
SUNDAY SCHOOL.	308.99
POSTAGE.	221.75 -
PO BOX RENTAL.	20.00
BANK ONE BOX RENTAL.	23.00
MAINTENANCE.	281.87
OFFICE SUPPLIES.	97.39 -
CANDLES.	110.35
CHOIR BOOKS.	172.30
FLOWERS.	84.75
PALMS.	15.00
MARTYR'S DAY DINNER.	276.00
WOMEN'S GUILD (HOKEJOSH)	490.78
BLESSING OF THE GRAPES.	14.49
GENEROTZKY HEATING.	348.00
LAWN MOWER-NEW.	232.31
REPAIR.. . . .	52.65
CHURCH WINDOWS.	330.00
CHURCH INSURANCE.	1,596.00
PARISH ASSEMBLY LUNCHEON.	33.19
DIOCESE LOOMA.	95.00
DIOCESE DUES FOR 1995.	2,761.00
DIOCESE BOOKS & BIBLES.	445.60
ORGAN LESSONS.	8.00
REV. FR. Y. KELEGIAN.	150.00
ST. MESROB CHURCH.	25.00
VERY REV. FR. V. KABARADJIAN.	200.00
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TOTAL EXPENSE	\$31,720.32

1996 DIOCESAN DUES WILL BE PAID IN MARCH, 1997
WHEN OUR ANNUAL REPORT IS MAILED (\$2,818.00).

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

SEMA HAYALIAN,
PARISH COUNCIL TREASURER

AUDITED & APPROVED :

Charley Kademian
1-18-97

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ASSETS

U.S. GOVERNMENT BONDS:	CASH VALUE
100 - 1,000 Bonds @ \$7.50%	\$100,000.00
AT&T BONDS:	
45 - \$1,000.00 Bonds @\$8.625%	\$ 45,000.00
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TOTAL INVESTMENT	\$145,000.00
CHECKING ACCOUNT:	
12-31-95 Balance Forward	\$ 7,677.04
12-31-96 Ending Balance	\$ 4,232.29
SAVINGS ACCOUNT:	
12-31-95 Balance Forward	\$ 1,205.38
INTEREST EARNED	\$ 406.34
12-31-96 Ending Balance	\$ 5,510.02
BREAKDOWN:	
TOTAL INVESTMENTS	\$145,000.00
CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE	\$ 4,232.29
SAVINGS ACCOUNT BALANCE	\$ 5,510.02
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GRAND TOTAL	\$154,742.31

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

SEMA HAYALIAN,
PARISH COUNCIL TREASURER

AUDITED & APPROVED

Charley Kademian
1-18-97 DATE

HOLY RESURRECTION ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

1997 BUDGET

INCOME

Membership Dues.	\$ 7,000.00
Plate Collection & Candles	500.00
Donations.	1,000.00
Weddings, Baptism & Funerals	500.00
Interest from Savings.	11,000.00
Women's Guild 60%.	500.00
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	\$20,500.00

EXPENSES

Clergy.	\$ 9,600.00
Utilities	5,900.00
Gas.....	\$4,100.00
Electric.....	900.00
Water.....	600.00
Phone.....	300.00
Diocesan Dues.	2,900.00
Insurance.	1,600.00
Office Supplies.	500.00
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	\$20,500.00

Respectfully submitted,

SEMA HAYALIAN,
PARISH COUNCIL TREASURER

