

May 5, 1964

Dr. John Glasson, chairman, presided at the regular meeting of the Official Board of Duke Memorial Church on Tuesday evening, May 5, at 7:45. The opening prayer was given by Mr. Bradshaw, after which the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. John Dozier, reporting for the Commission on Education, stated that recruitment for teachers continued. Dates for the Vacation Church School would be from June 15 - 19. Seven scouts who had completed requirements for the God and Country award were presented to the Commission. All seven were found to be qualified and presentation of their awards would take place at the morning church service sometime in the near future.

Mr. Horace Fowler announced no meeting would be held by the Commission on Membership and Evangelism during the month of May since the Every Member Canvass would also take place this month.

Dr. Glasson announced the meeting of the Building Committee immediately following the Board meeting. He invited any of the Board members who wished to attend to please do so as there would be a discussion of the matter of the possibilities of a parking area in front of the new building. He said the building was progressing nicely.

Mr. J. A. McLean, chairman for the Every Member Canvass, reported that all arrangements were well in hand and the visitation would take place May 24.

The church treasurer, Mr. Bailey Reade, and the building fund treasurer, Mr. C. J. Jones, each gave detailed reports for the past ten months. Copies of their reports are attached to these minutes.

In his remarks to the Board, Mr. Bradshaw stated that when people love the church it becomes first in their thinking and giving. He said raising the money for the budget was not an impossibility when enough people had enough concern about the matter. He said that it would take increased leadership.

He announced that the North Carolina Conference would meet in Burlington, June 22.

Mr. E. C. Brooks, Jr., made the motion that the Official Board make recommendation to the Building Committee that since the original plans did not call for parking spaces in front of the new building, that this area not be used for such, but landscaped as originally planned. The motion was seconded by Mr. Marshall Spears, Sr. After some discussion the motion was carried.

An interest in a trophy cabinet was expressed by Mr. Dillard Teer. Mr. Irving Allen stated that the scouts' trophies should be properly housed also. A suggestion was made that the matter be left in the hands of the Building Committee.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Mr. Bradshaw.

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