

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING
OF THE COMMISSION ON STEWARDSHIP
AND FINANCE - DUKE MEMORIAL CHURCH

May 24, 1961

A regular meeting of the Commission on Stewardship and Finance was held in the Dining Room of the Church at 6:00 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, May 24, 1961, with Chairman, Tom White, presiding.

Members present were:

Mrs A. H. Borland	Dr. John Glasson
Reverend Bradshaw	C. J. Jones
Chas. H. Chewning	Mrs Arthur Kale
J. H. Coman	J. A. McLean
John Dozier	R. B. Reade
E. W. Dunham	R. C. White
Tom White	

Reporting on the Church treasury, Mr. Jones stated that \$7,393.00 had been collected in the first three Sundays in May, out of which \$5,000.00 could be paid on conference obligations, leaving some \$5,700.00 remaining to be paid----- a figure which he felt we could meet by the end of the church year.

Regarding the Every Member Canvass results to date, Mrs Kale informed those present that approximately \$69,000.00 in pledge cards was in hand possession with an additional \$3,000.00 still in the hands of members who pledged last year but who have not yet turned in their cards.

The Reverend Mr. Bradshaw stated that he was highly gratified by member participation in this project mainly because it was not necessary to solicit or persuade the congregation. It was consensus of opinion that a short statement should be placed in the church bulletin thanking the membership for its loyal spirit and ~~and~~ gently admonishing those who have not yet completed pledge payments for this year. ^{at the same time}

In the discussion that followed relative to the payment of Mr. Hoyle for his services in playing the chimes, the treasurer was empowered to contact Mr. Alley of the Music Committee regarding satisfactory compensation.

Mr. Jones stated that there was on deposit in a local Savings and Loan Association the sum of \$100.00 as a nucleus for the contemplated Building program, and that he would welcome any additions to the fund that anyone might care to make.

At the close of the meeting, the pastor stated that Mr. Shoaf's resignation as the Minister of Education had been regretfully accepted and that those present should consider and give thought to his replacement at once.

During the discussion that followed, it was the major opinion that someone in the Religious Educational Field, or perhaps an associate pastor should be employed at a salary within range of that now paid to the Reverend Mr. Shoaf.

T There being no further business to come before the meeting, it was, upon motion, adjourned.

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