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

March 28,1962

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, March 28,1962, with Chairman, Tom White, presiding.

Members present were:

Reverend Mr. Bishop Mrs A? H. Borland Reverend Mr. Bradshaw C. J. Jones E. C. Brooks, Jr Charles Chewning J. H. Coman John Dozier

Dr. John Glasson Tom Goad Mrs Arthur Kale J. A. McLean Marshall Spears R. W. White

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The meeting was opened with prayer by Reverend Mr. Bishop. There followed a discussion of a tentative budget for the year 1962-63. There was no suggested change in the music budget, while an increase of only \$3.00 was added to the church school bedget. The Music and Education Committees, however, requested through the Reverend Mr. Bishop that a repair of the various pionos of the church be considered. It was estimated by reliable sources that six of the church's pianos are not of sufficient value to warrant repair. While the remainder of them could be put in good condition for \$650.00. Since pianos of the type mentioned have a value of approximately \$2200.00, Mr. Jones stated that they should be repaired and that there was a sufficient sum in the budget to take care of the expenditure. It was therefore, ordered that the proper committee of the churchtake care of the matter.

With further reference to the items which make up next years budget. the Committee recommended that the pastor receive an increase in salary to \$9600.00 the associate's salary increased to \$5500.00, and that Mr. Holsinger continue in his present capacity at \$2400.00 per year. Mr. Jones was authorized to bring the tentatve budget to the Official Board at its regular meeting to be held on April 3,1962 for final approval.

Mr. Dozier and Mr. Goad spoke enthusiastically concerning the work of their committee. It was suggested by them that all those having official connection with the church talk to other members of the church in an effort to perpare them for the intensive cultivation that will begin at once.

\* Including travel expense account \* \$1000.00 rather than \$650.00

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The Reverend Mr. Bradshaw read a letter from a young lady who has applied for a position as Church Secretary. Due to the fact that Mrs Levering will be leaving in June, it was authorized by the Committee that the pastor secure services of the applicant.

Members present were advised that the May meeting, due to be held on May 30th as the last Wednesday in the month, had been postponed until Wednesday night Jun 5th due to a conflict in schedule.

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