DUKE MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD MEETING-NOVEMBER 15, 1977

A brief meeting of the Administrative Board of Duke Memorial United Methodist Church was held at 7:45 P.M., November 15, 1977 in the Lillie Duke Classroom. The meeting was presided over by the Chairman, Bill Coman.

The opening prayer was given by Nicholas B. Fagan.

The October minutes were approved as mailed to members.

The Treasurer, Bill Self, gave the October financial statement, a copy of which is filed with the minutes. He stated that with the projection based on present monies paid, we should finish the year as budgeted.

The second part of the Treasurer's report related to financial matters pertaining to the 1978 budget. The commitment pledges are about \$13,000 short of the amount needed, so the Finance Committee had to consider certain changes and made the following recommendations in the projected 1978 budget:

Delete \$500 from Education Fund under Church Staff

Reduce Council on Ministries budget by \$1,000

Reduce Ministerial Education (under Conference Payments) by \$500

Reduce Music Program by \$300

Reduce Office and Printing by \$800

Reduce Utilities by \$2,000

Reduce Telephone by \$100

Reduce Repairs by \$1,000

This cuts the projected budget from \$207,864.91 to \$201,264.91.

Bill Self moved that we accept the altered budget, and a second was made by Jack Cliff. An amendment was made by Herman Rhinehart that priorities be determined in January. The amendment was seconded by Tom Coble. The motion as amended was carried. A copy of the altered budget is on file with the minutes.

Appreciation was expressed to Tom Coble who headed the Every Member Commitment Canvas and to all the workers who participated.

Mary Whanger, Chairman of Council on Ministries, announced that the worship service on Christmas Day will be a joint worship service in the Sanctuary at 10:30 A.M.

Jack Cliff announced the November 30th meeting date for the Commission on Visitation.

The meeting was adjourned to have the Charge Conference presided over by the District Superintendent.

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