

THE METHODIST CHURCH

OFFICIAL BOARD

# Report of the Commission on Finance

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Duke Memorial

Church

Duke Memorial

Charge

Durham

District

North Carolina

Conference

For the Period Beginning 1 November, 1954 and Ending 30 June, 1955

1. Has the commission been elected and organized according to the *Discipline* (§ 239)? yes
2. (a) Has the commission prepared the budget for the local-church expense for the ensuing conference year and submitted it to the Official Board for its consideration and action? No (to be done)  
 (b) What amount is recommended as the minimum salary for the pastor for the ensuing conference year?  
 \$ 7,500.00
3. (a) Has the commission, in co-operation with the Commission on Missions, prepared the benevolence budget for the next conference year and submitted it to the Official Board for its consideration and action? No  
 (b) Does the budget adequately provide for the World Service and Conference Benevolence apportionments and for Advance specials? It will
4. (a) Is an every-member canvass planned (§ 241 § 1)? Not in detail  
 (b) When will it be conducted? To be determined later
5. Does the commission keep the congregation informed of the financial needs of the church (§ 241 § 9)? yes
6. What are the plans for the cultivation of stewardship and tithing? (Record on reverse side of this sheet.)
7. Does the treasurer(s) report monthly to the Official Board (§ 241 § 8)? yes
8. Will all financial obligations for the current fiscal year be met in full? yes
9. Are all benevolence funds remitted monthly to the conference treasurer (§ 241 § 6)? No
10. Are all treasurers of the church and church organizations bonded? yes
11. (a) Who have audited the books of the treasurer(s) of the church and all its organizations (§ 243)?  
Audit Committee of Board of Stewards; Chairman is a CPA  
 (b) What is the report? (Report to be made on the official form, Report of the Annual Audit, No. QC-63.)
12. (a) What bank(s) has been designated by the Official Board as a depository (§ 241 § 4)?  
Fidelity Bank, Durham, N. C.  
 (b) Is the account in the name of the church? yes (c) Are all funds deposited promptly? yes

Prepared and edited by the Council on World Service and Finance, and authorized as the official form for this purpose. Rev. 52. Printed in U.S.A.

(Signed) John M. Boyer, Chairman

Date 31 May, 1955



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Local Conference \_\_\_\_\_ Church \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

For the Period Beginning \_\_\_\_\_ and Ending \_\_\_\_\_

1. Has the commission been elected and organized according to the Discipline (§ 232)? Yes

2. (a) Has the commission prepared the budget for the local church expense for the ensuing conference year and submitted it to the Official Board for its consideration and action? Yes

(b) What amount is recommended as the minimum salary for the pastor for the ensuing conference year? \$ 7,500.00

3. (a) Has the commission, in co-operation with the Commission on Missions, prepared the benevolence budget for the next conference year and submitted it to the Official Board for its consideration and action? Yes

(b) Does the budget adequately provide for the World Service and Conference Benevolence apportionments and for Advance Specials? Yes

4. (a) Is an every-member canvass planned (§ 241 § 1)? Yes

(b) When will it be conducted? To be determined later

5. Does the commission keep the congregation informed of the financial needs of the church (§ 241 § 2)? Yes

6. What are the plans for the cultivation of stewardship and tithing? (Record on reverse side of this sheet.)

7. Does the treasurer(s) report monthly to the Official Board (§ 241 § 8)? Yes

8. Will all financial obligations for the current fiscal year be met in full? Yes

9. Are all benevolence funds remitted monthly to the conference treasurer (§ 241 § 6)? Yes

10. Are all treasurers of the church and church organizations bonded? Yes

11. (a) Who have audited the books of the treasurer(s) of the church and all its organizations (§ 243)? Yes

(b) What is the report? (Report to be made on the official form, Report of the Annual Audit, No. QC-63.)

12. (a) What bank(s) has been designated by the Official Board as a depository (§ 241 § 4)? Wilmington, Delaware, N. C.

(b) Is the account in the name of the church? Yes

(c) Are all funds deposited promptly? Yes

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Chairman \_\_\_\_\_

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