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*Through 75 Years*

**1881 - 1956**

**EMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH**

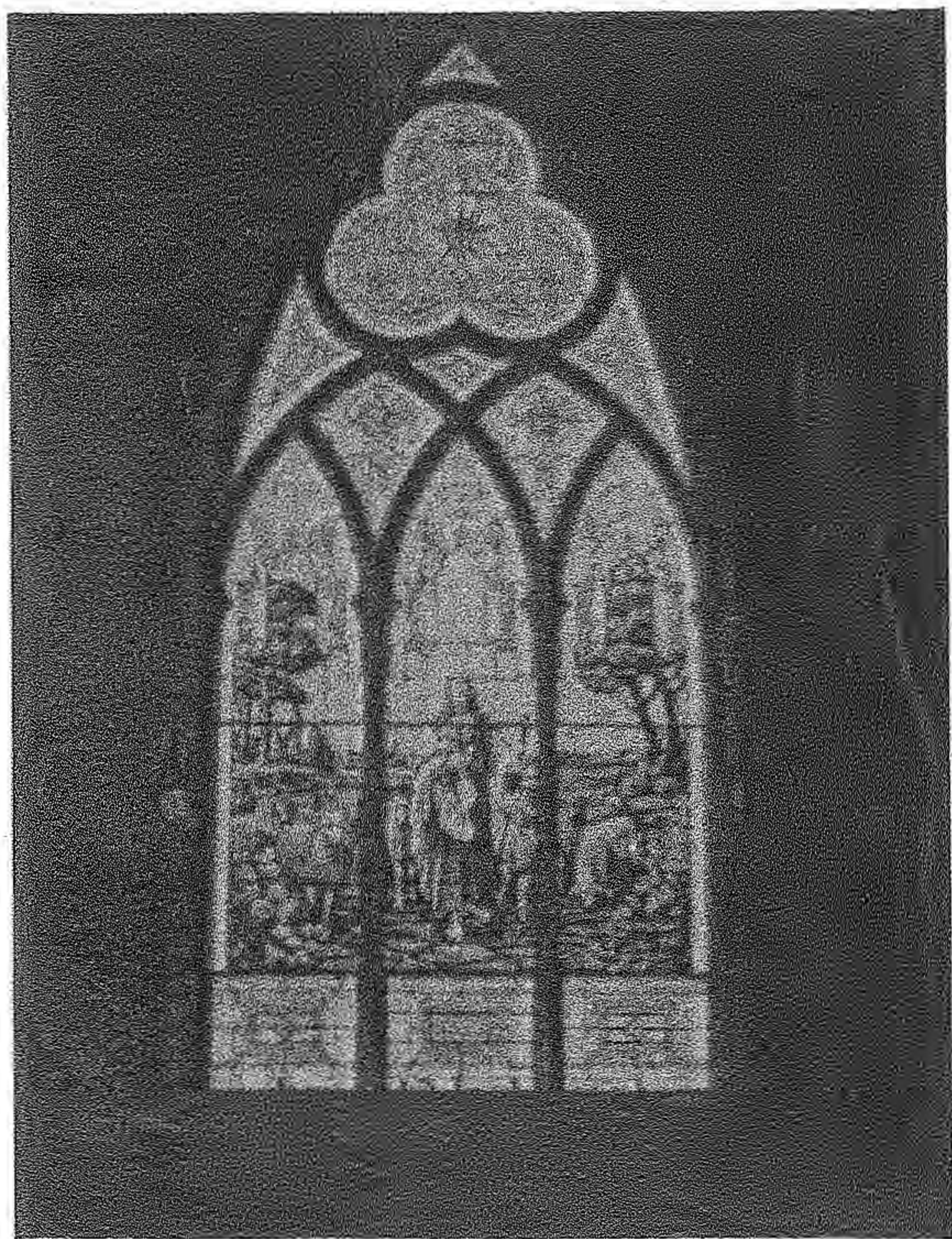
**Church Street**

**Manchester, Connecticut**

*"I will build my church, and the gates of  
hell shall not prevail against it." - Mt. 16:18*

*The Word Alone*





The Committees who have prepared this 75th Anniversary observance are as follows:

Program Committee: Victor Swanson, chairman; Pastor C. Henry Anderson, chairman ex-officio; Marjorie Nelson, Irma Harrison, Herman Johnson, Rudolph Heck, Allan Coe, Sr., and Eric S. Anderson.

Historical Committee: Carl Thoren, chairman; Dorothy Strangfeld, Ruth I. Benson, Edith L. C. Johnson, John E. Johnson, Algot Johnson, and Wilmore Peterson.



*C. Henry Anderson*

### EMANUEL'S 75TH BIRTHDAY

It is a most significant event in our congregational life which we commemorate this year. Emanuel is 75 years old, and is taking its place now among the senior churches of the New England Conference. Birthdays are usually joyous occasions, but in this instance certain unusual qualities exist which make this event different.

Here age is of no concern, for it is a maturing which brings no impairment of faculties, but rather greater capacity for service, with increased vitality and strength. Again, instead of bringing gifts to the honored one, we have been and are continuing to be the recipients of countless blessings from our church, and know that if we are faithful these gifts will continue to come to us.

Finally, birthdays are times of gatherings of friends and of reminiscing, and we too are privileged in these days to be together as a church family, with the head of the family, Jesus Christ ever present with us as we review the past, evaluate the present, and set our vision to the future with renewed courage and dedication.

Let us rejoice together, worship together, and fellowship together in humble gratitude to the Lord of the Church who has blessed us so abundantly during 75 years of life.

In His Service,

C. Henry Anderson, *Pastor*

# Looking Back . . .



## Church History

On March 1, 1881, a group of 59 Swedish people residing in Manchester gathered for the purpose of organizing a congregation. It is interesting to note that each communicant member was to pay 25 cents per month toward the support of the church.

A church, costing \$3,300.00, was erected in 1886 on the site where the present church now stands and this land was donated by Frank Cheney, Sr. The parsonage was acquired in 1891 from Frank Cheney Sr. at a cost of \$2,000.00.

After many part-time and student pastors' serving the congregation, the first full-time pastor, Rev. Augustus G. Olsson, was called in 1889 at a salary of \$700.00 per year. Pastor Olsson remained until the early part of 1895.

Rev. W. P. Anderson took over the ministry of the congregation on May 17, 1895. During his 16 years of service, the church debt was completely paid and additional land, between the church and Chestnut St., was purchased in 1896. Pastor Anderson resigned in May 1911.

Henning Johnson, a student at Upsala, served as school-teacher and preacher from June to August 1911.

Rev. P. J. O. Cornell accepted the call extended to him from the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Emanuel Church and arrived in Sept. 1911. He was inducted into office on Nov. 21, the same year.

After much discussion, the congregation made a resolution on Feb. 21, 1912 to build a new church of brick to cost approximately \$25,000.00. Pastor Cornell worked out the plans for the church and funds were raised. Ground-breaking exercises were held Sunday afternoon, May 10, 1914. The work began the following Saturday. It took two years to finish the basement as the work was done by the men of the church on Saturday afternoons. The entire basement cost \$3,460.71. The cornerstone was laid

July 23, 1916. The last service was held in the old church on Dec. 9, 1917. At the conclusion of the service, Pastor Cornell, carrying the large pulpit Bible, led the congregation in a processional from the old building to the new. Services were held in the vestry until Mar. 18, 1923, when the completed church was festively dedicated by the President of the New England Conference, Dr. S. G. Hagglund. The total cost of the church was \$66,000.00.

Dr. Cornell preached his farewell sermon Sunday, June 12, 1932.

Pastor Knut E. Erickson entered upon his duties June 19, 1932. In 1936, the Swedish services were decreased to one a month.

In Pastor Erickson's 1938 annual report he said, "Turning now to the review of the year that is past, I crave your indulgence, since much of that which belongs to this report is quite familiar to most of us. We must always bear in mind that these reports are not written for us only but also in order that there may be a somewhat complete history of the congregation from year to year, which those who come after us will surely desire to examine."

Under the Pastor's guidance, our indebtedness had been reduced to \$5,000.00 by 1938.



On Feb. 19, 1939, Rev. Erickson resigned to accept the position of comptroller of Augustana College.

During the interim, John Darrah, a student from Augustana Seminary, conducted services.

Rev. Thorsten A. Gestafson arrived in Manchester on October 30, 1939. He preached his initial sermon on November 5th and was installed December 10, 1939.

The vestry was renovated in 1941 in order to make space for an office and thus provide facilities for the first office secretary, Mrs. Richard Hultman. That same year, a lighted cross was erected on the church and hearing equipment installed. The 60th Anniversary of the church was celebrated with a banquet on Saturday night Nov. 1, 1941 at which Rev. Thorsten Gustafson served as toastmaster and Rev. Knut Erickson was guest speaker. A communion service was held on Sunday. The 60th Anniversary gift exceeded its goal of \$6,000.00 by 25%. Pastor Gustafson tendered his resignation on Nov. 3, 1943 to accept the position of Director of Stewardship in the Augustana Synod. However, in February he began to carry on his new duties on a part time basis, thus enabling him to remain in Manchester until May 1944.

The mortgage-burning service March 5, 1944 was described in a newspaper clipping as follows: "As the congregation rose and sang "Now Thank We All Our God" flame consumed the document representing the final indebtedness on the property. A tape set in a candleholder donated to the church by the late Dr. and Mrs. P. J. O. Cornell was lighted at the altar by the Pastor, Rev. Thorsten A. Gustafson and handed to William Sandin, the first treasurer of the building committee; he in turn set fire to the mortgage deed held by Andrew Swanson, treasurer of the Building Fund during the major part of the erection of the church."

Emanuel was host to the New England Conference for its 43rd Annual Convention on April 26 to 30, 1944.



The Installation service for Reverend Theodore Palmer, who had accepted the call to become Emanuel's pastor, was in charge of Dr. Julius Hulteen, President of the New England Conference assisted by pastors of the Hartford District, on Sunday evening Sept. 24, 1944.

At the annual meeting held in January 1946, a motion was made that the Board of Administration be authorized to look into the possibility of securing a trained Youth Director and part-time office secretary, or interne. It was the general consensus that due to the size of the congregation, some form of pastoral assistance was necessary.

At this time it was becoming increasingly obvious that something would have to be done in regard to the crowded conditions in the Sunday School; therefore, at the same annual meeting, the congregation gave the Board of Administration power to name a committee of five to investigate and formulate plans for the expansion of the church facilities.

Preliminary suggestions were brought in by an expansion committee relative to the proposed parish house at the 1947 annual meeting. These suggestions had a three-fold purpose: 1. To provide ample room and facilities for an efficient and progressive program of Christian education for an increasingly larger membership of children. 2. To provide more adequate space and better facilities for youth work. 3. To provide more ample facilities for carrying on our total church program.

The 65th Anniversary was celebrated on May 18, 1946 with an evening banquet. Pastor T. A. Gustafson was the speaker and Pastor Knut E. Erickson conducted the communion service on Sunday morning. At 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Pastor Karl Mattson, President of the New England Conference was guest speaker.

Reverend Palmer resigned Jan. 15, 1947 to accept a call to Seattle, Washington.

Reverend Carl E. Olson then became the pastor of Emanuel in August 1947.

Two memorial gifts were received in 1948, namely, the carillon bells given by the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Johnson, and granite steps at the entrance of the church, given by Arthur J. Anderson of Wellesley Hills, Mass. in memory of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson and his three sisters.

Quoting from Pastor Olson's annual report given in January 1948: "While I understand there has been talk among you for some time of the need of a Parish House or Educational Building, I believe it is quite evident that the need has now become quite urgent for such an addition to our property if we are to carry out in the manner we should the responsibility we have to the children under our care, and to those in our community who are attending no Sunday School. Considerable thought and study have been given to this, and we have a recommendation approved by the Board of Administration calling for a Fund Raising Campaign in 1948 for a new Parish House. I trust that after weighing this important issue very carefully there will be a unanimous feeling among us here today that we should take now this forward step."



At the annual congregational meeting in January 1948, it was voted to authorize a fund raising campaign in 1948 for a new parish house. The conduct of this campaign was to be in charge of a committee of seven appointed by the Board of Administration.

The following members served on the Building Fund Committee: Roy C. Johnson, chairman; Mrs. Paul Anderson, secretary; Miss Ruth I. Benson, treasurer; Rev. Carl Olson, Hugo Pearson, Leonard Anderson, John Benson, Miss Mabel Olson, Ralph Swanson, Herman Johnson, Ernest Kjellson, Mrs. Fred Johnson, who was replaced by Miss Hazel B. Johnson, and Herbert Johnson, who was replaced by York Strangfeld. This committee did a tremendous amount of work although to quote a member, "We certainly enjoyed working together."

At a special congregational meeting held on July 26, 1948, the Building Fund Committee reported that a sum of \$49,269.00 in pledges and contributions had been reached. It was then voted to appoint a Parish Building Committee of not more than seven members to be elected by the congregation, and they were authorized to engage a competent architect. The following committee was elected: Allan Coe, Sr., chairman; Norma Johnson, secretary; Carl Noren, John Wennergren, Sr., John I. Olson, Sr., Ernest Johnson, Herman Petersen and Frank Hallin.



Herman Petersen, a member of the committee, gave a great many hours of his time to preparing architectural drawings for the parish building. On Tuesday evening, January 31, 1950, at a special meeting, he submitted his plans to the congregation for their approval. The congregation voted to accept the plans and to submit them for bids. The chairman of the Fund Drive reported a total of \$57,687.86 in contributions and pledges to date.

At a special meeting on October 13, 1950, the members voted to accept John Wennergren's bid of \$130,000.00. The figures submitted allowed for no profit.

On October 22, 1950 ground-breaking ceremonies for the new parish building were held at 10:15 A. M. prior to the morning service. After a message from Dr. Eskil Englund, ground was broken by Andrew Ansaldi representing the contractor; Rev. Carl E. Olson; Allan Coe, Sr., Chairman of the building committee; Roy Johnson, chairman of Building Fund Committee and representing the Board of Administration; Clarence Wogman, S. S. superintendent, and June Chambers, President of Luther League.

The cornerstone of the new parish building, containing 16 articles, was laid on June 10, 1951 with appropriate ceremonies. Dr. Eskil Englund, President of the New England Conference gave the prayer. Greetings were brought from Town Manager, George Waddell, Rev. Leland Hunt, President of Manchester Ministerial Association, Reverend Bernhard Johnson, President of Hartford District and the response was given by Herman Johnson.

After a second fund raising campaign in 1951, the total receipts from the two campaigns had reached \$93,685.72 by January 1952.

Although the new parish building had been used for summer church school, on Sunday Sept. 14, 1952, after a brief dedication service in church, teachers and pupils marched into the new parish building. Two Sunday services, one at 9 and the other at 10:30 were initiated on Sept. 21, 1952. This brought about a noticeable increase in church attendance. The new building eliminated the crowded conditions that existed previously with classes being conducted in the kitchen, the choir loft, in the pews and even in the sacristy.

The parish building was officially dedicated on Sunday October 12, 1952 at 4 o'clock. The act of dedication was performed by Dr. Eskil G. Englund, President of the New England Conference and pastors of the Hartford District. Among the guests were Erik C. Boheman of Washington, D. C., Swedish ambassador to the U. S. and Arthur J. Anderson of Boston, Swedish vice consul. Greetings were brought by Manchester's Mayor Turkington; President of the Council of Churches, Mark Holmes; President of the Hartford District, Reverend Stanley Sandberg and President of the Manchester Ministerial Assoc., Reverend Clifford Simpson. After the ceremony, refreshments were served in the vestry. We had open house for the community on October 15 from 7 to 9 P. M. and for the Hartford District on Sunday October 19.

Recognition has been given Herman Petersen for his outstanding contribution, John Wennergren, general contractor and sub-contractors, Johnson Brothers, John I. Olson and Roy C. Harris for their willingness to perform their work at cost; Frank Hallin for procuring furnishings effecting substantial savings for the church and Ruth I. Benson who served as treasurer of the Building Fund over a period of several years.

Due to limited space, it is impossible to name all the people who served on the 11 special committees. It should be mentioned that in addition to contributing to the building fund, many gave additional memorial gifts. Some gifts were made personally by the donors; in two instances roofing and paint were donated, another provided payment for the Reception Room furnishings and yet another friend paid for all the drapes in the building. These are just a few examples of the fine spirit that prevailed. The parish building cost \$123,687.06 and the vestry \$18,395.18 making a total cost of \$142,082.24. Quite a difference from the prices in 1886!

During the 1952 annual meeting, Mr. Wennergren was authorized to make the necessary renovation to the vestry such as enlarging the kitchen and building a stage. The vestry was named Luther Hall at the 1953 annual meeting.

At a special meeting on March 11, 1953 the Board of Administration was authorized to have the church re-decorated plus a few minor alterations which would cost approximately \$3,900.00.

With the growth of the congregation, it became necessary to add to the church staff and on May 11, 1945 Miss Evelyn A. Stark took up her duties as Parish visitor but because of ill health gave up her duties in November of the same year.

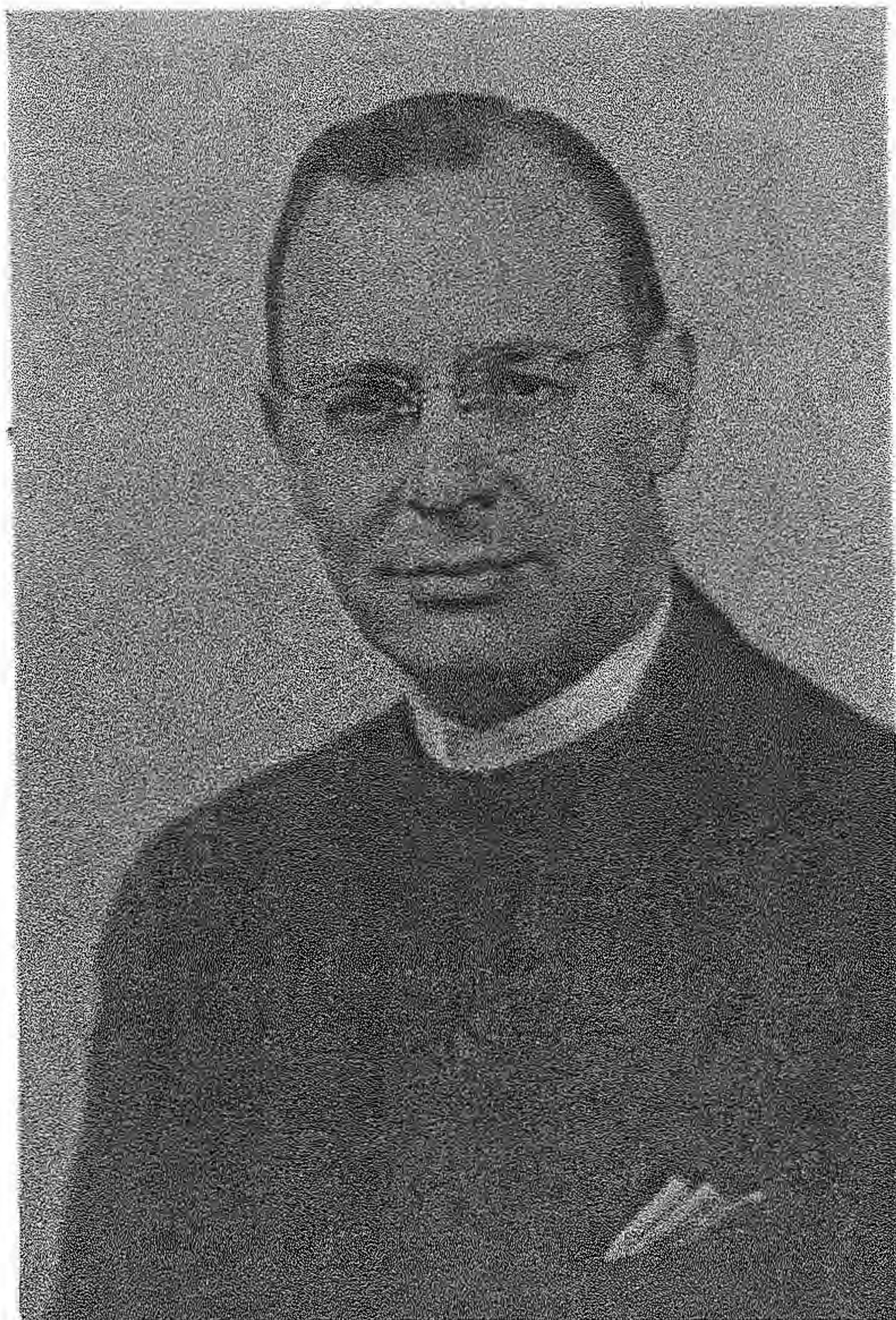
On Sunday afternoon, October 10, 1948 a special meeting was called to enable the congregation to authorize the Board of Administration to secure a parish worker and part-time office secretary or interne, and in June of 1949, Miss Lorraine Peterson joined

us as our parish worker, remaining until August 1950 after somewhat more than a year of faithful service. Miss Doris Mae Johnson became her successor in September and served until August 1952.

In 1949, we welcomed 16 displaced persons into our midst. For the most part, they were Latvians.

In the spring of 1950, Reverend Johannes Aarik, displaced Lutheran pastor from Estonia was assigned to our church by the National Lutheran Council. His placement had a two-fold purpose: to serve the spiritual needs of the Estonians in Connecticut and other parts of New England and to acquaint himself with the congregational life of the Lutheran Church in America. In addition to his work among Estonians, he assisted at our communion services, spoke to the various church groups and did visitation work. He remained in Manchester until the Fall of 1952 when he left for California.

A three-manual Austin Organ console was dedicated on March 18, 1951. The purchase of this organ was made possible by contributions to the Memorial Organ Fund which was instituted in 1944 by the Alexander Berggren family in memory of Ernest Berggren, killed in action in Sept. 1944. Clarence Helsing, the organist, spent many hours of work in assembling the organ, at a considerable saving to the congregation.



The 70th anniversary celebration was initiated by a program on Friday evening Nov. 2, 1951 in which the various organizations participated. Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock there was a special service in the church at which Rev. Thorsten Gustafson, President of the New York conference was the guest speaker. As there were no living charter members, those ten who had been members of the church the greatest number of years were given recognition.

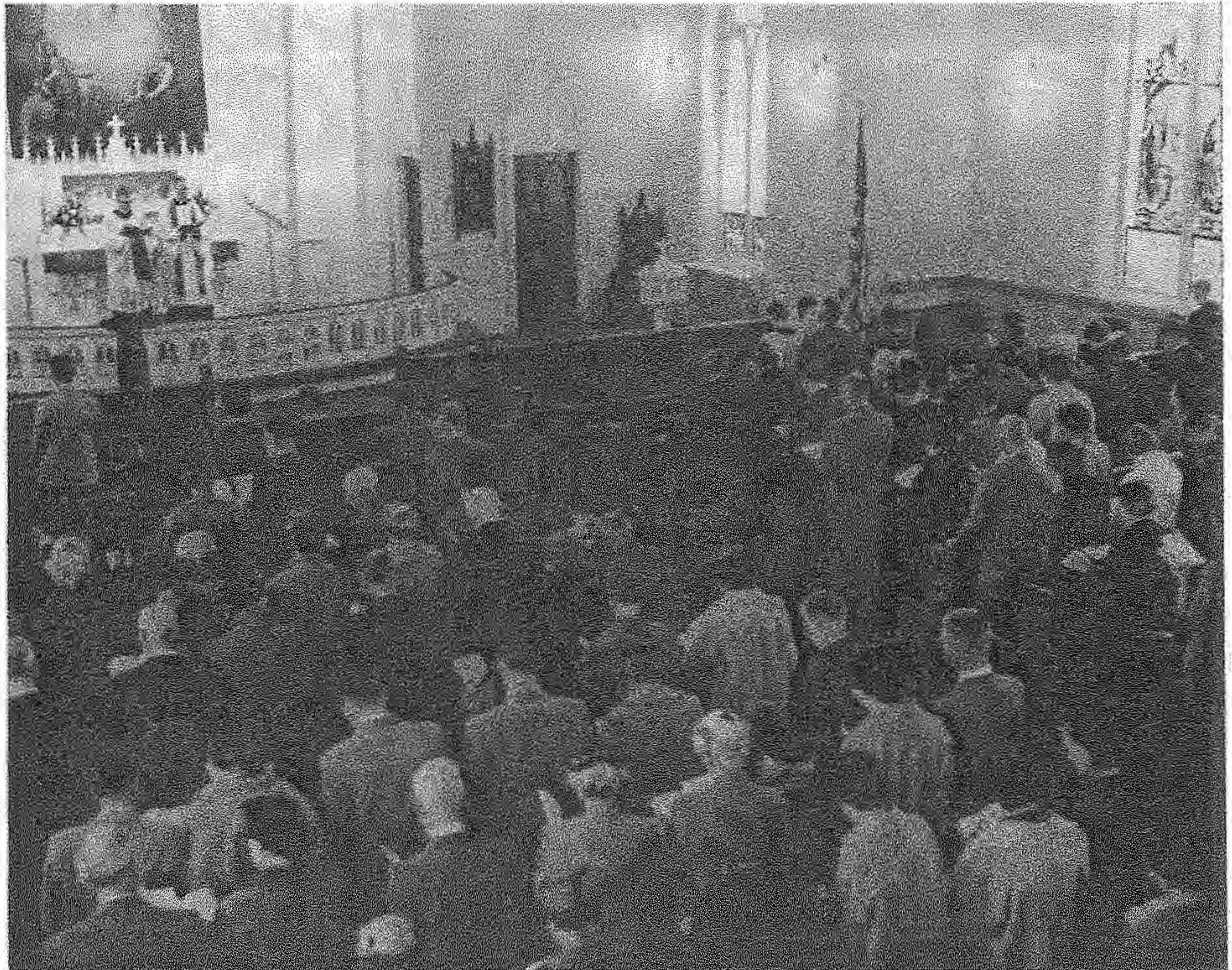
At the annual meeting in January 1952 it was decided to dispense with the services of a Parish worker and to have a student interne for one year instead. An interne would be able to take over some of the duties of the Pastor and would also work with the young people.

As a result of this decision, three internes served under Pastor Olson's leadership namely: J. Philemon Anderson in 1952, Dean W. Berg in 1953 and Larry Brynell in 1954. Melvin T. Peterson arrived in Manchester in September, 1955.

A gift of about eight acres of land situated in Coventry was presented to the church by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nygren in 1953. At the 1955 annual meeting it was voted

to call the property the Carl E. Olson Youth Camp. Eventually this property will be developed so that it may be used by the various organizations.

At the present time, we have the Carl E. Olson Camp Fund thus enabling anyone who wishes to do so, to contribute toward the improvement of this property. In addition, we have several other worthwhile memorial funds: Hymnal Fund, Memorial Organ Fund, Audio-Visual Aids Fund, Youth Camp Fund (Lutherwood) and Mabel Swanson Memorial Fund.



Pastor Olson delivered his final sermon in Manchester on Easter Sunday, April 10, 1955 and left the following day for Oakland, Calif. to assume charge of Saint Paul's Lutheran Church there.

During the months that we were without a minister, Rev. Kenneth Granquist of East Hartford served as vice-pastor and assisted by Larry Brynell, the interne, attended to the spiritual needs of the congregation.

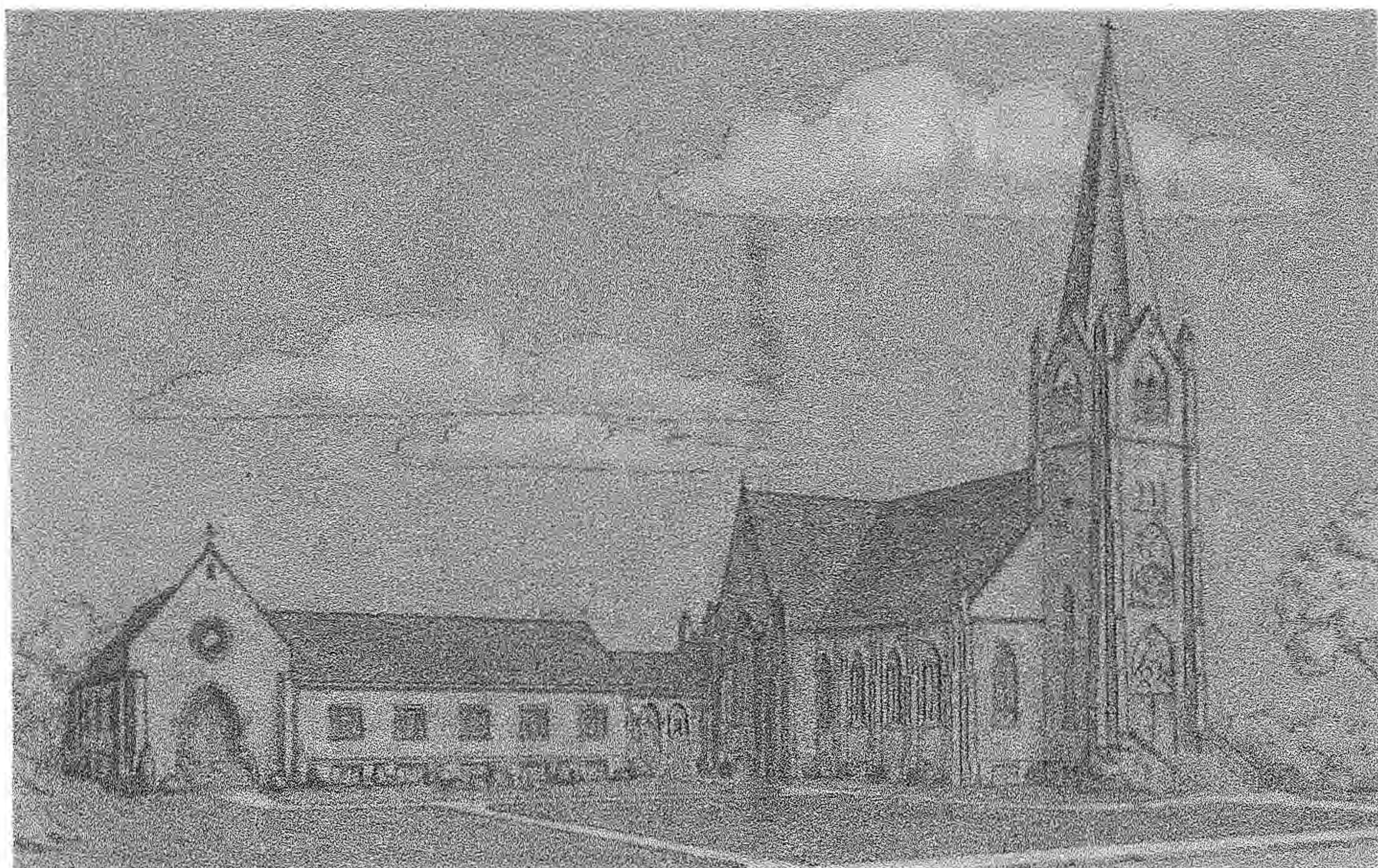
The Reverend C. Henry Anderson arrived in Manchester on August 16, 1955 and delivered his first sermon Sunday morning August 21, 1955. The installation service was held at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon with Dr. Eskil Englund, President of the New England Conference officiating and ministers of the Hartford District assisting. Greetings of welcome were extended to Pastor Anderson from representatives of the town, Council of Churches, Manchester Ministerial association and the Latvian congregation. A reception followed in Luther Hall.

We were happy to have one of our members, Arthur Anderson, serve on the Foreign Field in Africa. He served one term and after coming home was unable to return to his work in Africa because of changes in the Foreign Field and policies of the National Lutheran Council and our Board of Foreign Missions.

Another member of our church, Earl Modean, was ordained in June 1955 and became the first son of Emanuel to enter the ministry.

Yearly awards to the "Youth of the Year" have been made for outstanding service.

The future of Emanuel depends upon the youth of today. At a time when we hear so much about juvenile delinquency, it is heartening to look about us and note the fine young people at Emanuel. However, let us not sit back. There is still work to be done. Our present Sunday School facilities are not yet adequate for an ever-increasing enrollment of pupils. With God's help, we shall continue to build his kingdom both spiritually and concretely. This must be based on an energetic program of evangelism and the preaching ministry, a renewed interest in the study of God's Word and a deepened prayer life on the part of every member. God has promised success to us if we thus aim to fulfill His purpose and that means active participation — "Go - teach - witness - give". We look forward with confidence for with God nothing is impossible.



At the present time, the Church Council consists of the following members:

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| Ernest Benson   | John Kjellson   | George Okerfelt |
| Rudolph Heck    | Raymond Lucious | Ralph Swanson   |
| Everett Johnson | Cleo McNeish    | Paul Thyreen    |
| Roy C. Johnson  | John O. Nelson  | Ray Wogman      |

Members of the Board of Trustees are as follows:

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| Carl E. Anderson | John A. Johnson | Harold Reed     |
| Eric Anderson    | Leonard Johnson | Ivar Scott      |
| Paul Erickson    | Robert Noren    | York Strangfeld |
| Albert Harrison  | Hugo Pearson    | Victor Swanson  |

# Looking About . . .

## Ladies' Aid



Of all the organizations in our Church the Ladies' Aid is without question, the oldest. The first time it is mentioned in the church records is in 1890 when, according to the minutes for that year, the Society donated \$52. to the congregation. It is quite certain that the Ladies' Aid existed long before that date, perhaps even before the congregation was organized but lack of early records makes it impossible to fix a certain date. Minister's wives usually presided over the meetings until 1932 when Mrs. Alexander Berggren became the first member president.

Records disclose that the projects of the Ladies' Aid have been much the same over the years, namely, putting on church suppers, having rummage sales and food sales and sponsoring an annual Christmas Sale. All these projects were undertaken to raise money to support the work of its church. Annual events which have been for fellowship more than for the income derived have been the Lenten service in March, the Birthday Party in June and a Christmas Party in December. The society has tried to be of service in the life of the Church by serving the Brotherhood, the Choir, the Sunday School and the Luther League whenever requested.

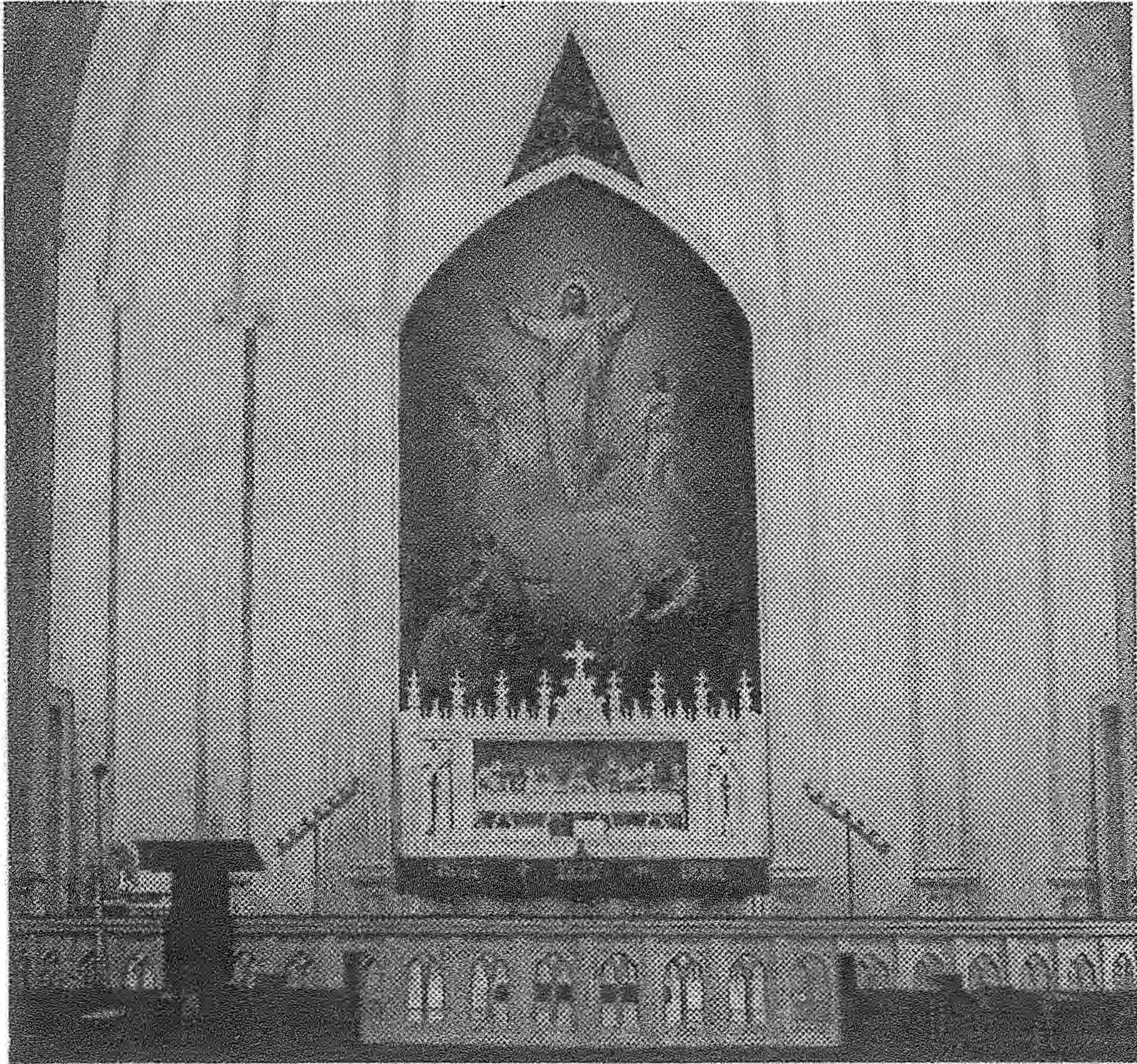
The sum of \$8,000 contributed toward the building of this church was the largest sum contributed by any branch of the congregation and over the years many other tangible contributions have been made.

There are now 90 members in the society of whom 33 are honorary. Since 1947, \$170.00 has been contributed toward the Organ Fund in memory of those faithful members who have died.

The officers are as follows:

President, Hilma Lavey  
Vice President, Florence Okerfelt  
Secretary, Signe Hallin  
Financial Secretary, Doris Westland  
Treasurer, Doris Hellstrom

## DORCAS



The Dorcas Society, one of the first groups in our church, was organized on October 2, 1912 by Hildur Cornell Hanson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. P. J. O. Cornell who were then serving as church leaders. Hildur remained one of the leaders in this group until she left Manchester in October 1924.

Throughout these thirty three years Dorcas has prospered both spiritually and financially. This group like Dorcas in the Bible (Acts 9:36) is working continuously not only for Emanuel but for other charitable organizations as well.

The beautifying of our church altar, one of the main projects, since organization, still continues. A committee of twelve is in charge of this work during the year. The flowers in memory of loved ones at Easter and Christmas have done much to make these services more impressive.

In the last fifteen years, contributions of more than \$10,000.00 have been made to various projects.

The Dorcas is now sponsoring three Girl Scout Troops which are all very active and meet at church weekly.

The present officers are:

Ann J. Scott, President  
Pearl Hultman, Vice President  
Ruth Werner, Secretary  
Lorraine Berggren, Treasurer  
Mildred Johnson, Financial Secretary

## WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY



"South Manchester, Conn., Feb. 19, 1925" — (Translated from Swedish)

"Upon invitation of Mrs. P. J. O. Cornell to the parsonage on Thursday afternoon Feb. 19, 1925, for the purpose of forming a Home and Foreign Mission Society, the following eighteen ladies attended, and were received as Charter Members:

*Mrs. P. J. O. Cornell	Mrs. Emanuel Johnson	*Mrs. Andrew Johnson
Mrs. Carl Johnson	Mrs. Arthur Hultman	*Mrs. S. Emil Peterson
*Mrs. Aaron Johnson	Mrs. August Casperson	*Mrs. Carl Gustafson
*Mrs. William Noren	Mrs. Adolph Benson	Mrs. Adolph Lindberg
*Mrs. Carl Nyquist	Mrs. John Leander	Mrs. Harry Erickson
Mrs. George Lundberg	Mrs. Chas. Olson	*Augusta Bjorkland
*deceased.		

The meeting opened with unison singing, prayer and a talk on Mission by Dr. Cornell.

The following officers were elected:

Mrs. Cornell, President  
Mrs. Adolph Benson, Vice President  
Mrs. Lillie Johnson, Secretary  
Mrs. John Leander, Financial Secretary  
Mrs. Chas. Olson, Treasurer

In such a way the Emanuel Woman's Missionary Society came into being. Through thirty years of service, it has contributed more than \$11,000.00 directly to the cause of missions. The group now has a membership of 55, however, some of these are not able to take an active part in the work.

The W. M. S. solicits the interest and support of every woman in Emanuel, that the cause of missions may go forward. During 1955 The Ladies Aid and the Dorcas Society each donated \$100.00 to the W. M. S. for missionary work. Other groups in Emanuel donate toward our "Missionary For A Day" which is \$3.00 per missionary a day. Join with them and know the blessings that come from helping those who are in physical and spiritual need.

The present officers are:

Lydia Wogman, President  
Amy Carlson, Vice President  
Doris Marsh, Secretary  
Beatrice Pearson, Financial Secretary  
Florence Pearson, Treasurer



The Missionary Circle was organized Feb. 26, 1945 by Mrs. Theodore Palmer. At that time meetings were held in the homes. There were 34 charter members, of these, thirteen are still active. To date, there has been an increase of 33 members.

We witness to Christ through our gifts of money to special funds which assist the Augustana Lutheran Church in its ministry of winning for Christ on 4 continents. Our personnel is in India, Indonesia, Hong Kong, Formosa, East Africa, Japan and South America. In the past 10 years this society has sent \$3,296.00 to headquarters to be used for missionary work.

Some of our members have formed a partnership service with a missionary for a day through a pledge to pray for and to share in the support of a missionary. In this way salary support for 14 missionaries serving on foreign fields is provided.

Support is also given to American Missions. Work is done among the Jewish-Americans, Mexican-Americans, Migrants and Negro-Americans.

Various programs have been presented to the public; the latest venture being the Lucia Festival which is presented each December.

We have had 22 guest speakers such as missionaries from Africa, China, India, Tibet and a native of India. Our meetings are educational, spiritual and the fellowship most enjoyable.

The following have served as Presidents of the Missionary Circle: Mrs. Theodore Palmer, Mrs. Clarence Helsing, Miss Edith Johnson, Mrs. Erland Johnson, Mrs. John Johnson, Mrs. Rudolph Heck.

The present officers are:

President, Ruth K. Benson  
Vice President, Marjorie Nelson  
Secretary, Lorraine Johnson  
Financial Secretary, Dagmar Olsen  
Treasurer, Dorothy Strangfeld



## LUTHER LEAGUE

A Young People's Society, which called itself "Idun", was organized in 1899. Our present-day Luther League is the successor of this society of those earlier days.

A few of the purposes of Luther League are to assist in keeping the young people faithful to Christ and His Church, to provide a worth-while outlet for youth's energies and to foster Christian love and fellowship.



The present officers of the Luther League are:

President, Nancy Scott

Vice President, Richard Erickson

Treasurer, Carol Johnson

Secretary, William Stevens

Devotional Secretary, Judy Anderson

## YOUNG ADULTS

The Young Adults of Emanuel Lutheran Church, the newest of organizations in Emanuel, was organized in October, 1954. For some time a need existed to bring the young adults of Emanuel together in Christian fellowship. In the Young Adults this aim is being realized.

At the various regular meetings held on the first Tuesday of each month, the group fosters within its members a twofold purpose. First, to inspire a growing Christian faith and an interest in the total program of the church and secondly, to offer opportunities of Christian service.

The Young Adults meet in a more social way once each month in addition to the regular meetings. During the first year, these gatherings were in the form of, a weekend of winter sports at Lutherwood, several picnics, a summer theater performance, a major league baseball game and parties in observance of the various holidays.

At the present time, the Young Adults has about twenty members. Membership is open to all persons between the ages of eighteen and thirty-five, married or single. Church membership in Emanuel is not a prerequisite.



The officers for 1956 are:

President, Barbara Bengtson

Vice-President, John Kjellson

Secretary, Betty Ann Johnson

Treasurer, Richard Ellington

Program Chairman, Arlene Peterson

## LUTHERWEDS

The Lutherweds, a married couples group, was organized on October 21, 1949.

The purpose of this organization is to provide Christian fellowship, with good clean fun and with this as their theme, most of the meetings are primarily social.

Each office in the organization is held jointly by a husband and a wife. The first officers of the group were: President — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Turner, Vice President — Mr. and Mrs. J. Hugo Benson, Secretary — Mr. and Mrs. E. Ward Laking, and Treasurer — Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Heck.

Meetings are held on the third Friday of each month. Membership is open to all married couples providing either husband or wife or both are members of Emanuel Lutheran Church. The membership encompasses all age groups. The organization is financially sustained by yearly dues of \$2.00 per couple, payable in the first quarter of each year. The present membership is forty-five couples.

The Lutherweds have one project each year. The receipts from the project are used to the advantage of the church. The group has presented two plays, "Pulling the Curtain" and "The Three Little Maids". The money from the first performance was used to buy the curtain for the stage in Luther Hall.

The present officers are:

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hellstrom, President  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carlson, Vice President  
Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bagley, Secretary  
Mr. and Mrs. Allan Holmquist, Treasurer



## HISTORY OF THE PRE-CONFIRMATION LEAGUE FOR THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY BOOK

The Pre-Confirmation League is an auxiliary for the youth of the Church who are members of the Junior and Senior Confirmation classes. According to the best records available, the group was officially organized as a church auxiliary in 1951. This energetic group numbers about 45 members this year.

The purpose of the Pre-Confirmation League is to instill in these young people a faithfulness to their church. They meet twice a month for devotional and social programs making for enjoyable times of Christian fellowship and fun. The officers are: Valerie Johnson, President; Harold Sanden, Vice President; Beverly Case, Secretary; Joann Morrison, Treasurer.

## GIRL SCOUTS

Girl Scout Troop 4 was first registered February 19, 1941 with Mrs. Carl H. Peterson as the leader and Mrs. Theodore Chambers as her assistant. Following the February meeting of the Dorcas Society, sponsor of the troop, an investiture ceremony was held, with Mrs. T. Edward Brosnan, Girl Scout Commissioner, Mrs. Albert Robinson, Deputy Commissioner, and other members of the Manchester Girl Scout Council present. There were ten charter members and eight more girls were registered a month later. Mrs. Charles Bunzel and Mrs. Clarence Wogman constituted the first Troop Committee.

Due to limited space, it is impossible to name the many women who have served the Girl Scouts through the past years and will mention only the present leaders.



The number of girl scouts gradually increased until in September 1954 the girls were divided into two groups according to age. The younger girls were under the leadership of Mrs. C. Edson Case and Mrs. Paul Thyreen. Mrs. Lennart Johnson and Miss Joyce Edwards became the leaders of the Junior High Group. The following year this older group was officially registered as Troop 53 with Mrs. Thyreen as its leader.

A new Senior troop was started in June 1955 with Mrs. Case as the leader. In the fall the troop was registered as Troop 50 with fourteen charter members.

The present leaders of our original Troop 4 are Mrs. Oke Johansson and Mrs. John Churila.

We now have over fifty registered girl scouts in our three troops.

## BOY SCOUTS



Hundreds of boys of Emanuel and of the community have availed themselves of scouting as members of Troop #126, which was organized in the early nineteen twenties. The troop is sponsored by the Emanuel Brotherhood and many men have participated in the activities of scouting here at Emanuel.

Several Lutheran boys have worked for the Gloria Et Patria award and some have received this award which symbolizes faith and duty to God and country. Boys of other faiths have also earned their church awards.

## BROWNIES

The first Brownie Troop at the church was organized in November 1942 with Mrs. Herman Davis as the leader and Mrs. Clarence Johnson as her assistant. It was registered as Troop 25 with ten charter members. This troop was forced to be discontinued in 1945 because of lack of leadership.

In April 1946, Mrs. Elsie Swanson became the new Brownie leader and Mrs. Helen Johnson was the assistant leader. At this time the troop was registered under its present number, Troop 30. From about 1948 up to the present time, Lillian Scott, Miriam Carlson, Elaine Case and Astrid Smith have given their time as leaders.

Mrs. Dorothy Richwood is the current Brownie leader and Mrs. Ida Richmond is her assistant. At the present time, there are sixteen registered Brownies in Troop 30.



## CHURCH MUSIC

Worship of God thru the medium of sacred music has ever been an integral part of Emanuel's history. The 50th Anniversary brochure of our congregation — published in 1931 — recorded the place which music had taken in our church up to that period. Emanuel has continued to be blessed with the services of consecrated, Christian musicians. The period of 1924-1934 — which comprised the "depression" years, saw a tremendous upsurge in the interest shown in singing. This 10 year period of Helge Pearson's leadership gave many of Emanuel's young people their first interest in choir music — an interest which was to be sustained and strengthened after Helge's resignation and the appointment of his brother, G. Albert Pearson to the position of choirmaster and organist. Both Helge and Al were possessed of fine voices and magnetic personalities and the pastor's report for 1940 noted that "thru his (Al's) untiring efforts Emanuel church has about 150 singers in active participation and service in the field of Christian music." After 10 years of devoted service Al accepted a call to the First Lutheran Church of New Britain and left Emanuel on February 25, 1945. He was succeeded by Clarence Helsing in January 1946. Clarence was an exceptionally fine organist and during his service at Emanuel he personally repaired, enlarged and revoiced the organ. Clarence accepted a position in Rockford, Illinois in September 1953 and was succeeded by Philip Treggor who in turn after one year was followed by Charles Wakeley, now serving his second year.



EMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH  
Manchester, Conn.

*Church Membership List*

DISTRICT 1

Anderson, Carl A. and Emil A.	53 Norman St.
Carl O.	66 Village St.
Elmore S.	330 Oak St.
Einar	
Malcolm and John	c/o Nilson, 30 Norman St.
Armstrong, Mrs. Helen	48 Lyndale St.
Bengtson, Mr. and Mrs. Gustaf	241 Gardner St.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert	253 Gardner St.
Benson, Mr. Herbert	160 Highland St.
Berggren, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred	9 Norman St.
Brandt, Mrs. Bror E.	55 Norman St.
Bunzel, Mr. and Mrs. Charles	30 Lewis St.
Carlson, Mrs. Ellen	65 Norman St.
Mr. Evert	27 Hackmatack St.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Hugo	116 Hackmatack St.
Casperson, Mr. Carl; Eleanor and Harriet	3 Village St.
Mr. and Mrs. Conrad	17 Hackmatack St.
Curtis, Mrs. George	233 School St.
Daniels, Mrs. Charles	27 Clinton St.
Fredericksen, Mr. and Mrs. Hans	32 Birch Mt. Road
Gustafson, Mrs. Alfred	64 Hackmatack St.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry and Donald	33 Hackmatack St.
Hoffmaster, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond	112 Grandview St.
Johnson, Axel, S.	233 School St.
Mr. and Mrs. Axel W.	225 Highland St.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest	1 Hackmatack St.
Carol and Dennise	1 Hackmatack St.
Esther M. and Florence L.	51 Clinton St.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred H.	166 Highland St.
Mr. Herbert C.	33 Hackmatack St.
Mr. and Mrs. John A.	18 Hillcrest Road
Mr. John E.	48 Clinton St.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E.	307 Spring St., RFD 3
Mr. and Mrs. Roy	127 School St.
Larson, Ernest	39 Andor Road
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence	110 Oak Grove St.
Leemon, Mr. and Mrs. Edward	179 Spring St.
Lockwood, Mrs. Stephen	South Coventry
McCabe, Mr. and Mrs. Richard	Brookfield Rd., RFD 3
Miller, Mr. Durward	241 Gardner St.
Murray, Mrs. George D., Jr.	189 School St.
Nielsen, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur	60 Spring St.
Mrs. Harry	177 School St.
Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll	9 Village St.
Nilson, Mr. Nils P. and Stuart	30 Norman St.
Olson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Henry	86 Lakewood Circle
Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl W.	53 Glenwood St.
Mrs. Lavinia and Esther	189 School St.
Miss Tekla	37 Mt. Nebo Place
Rasmusson, Mr. and Mrs. Arne and Anita	36 Clinton St.
Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Harold M.	227 So. Main
John and Thomas	227 So. Main
Scott, Mrs. Lillian and Nancy	14 Hackmatack St.
Segerdahl, Mrs. Ellen	129 So. Main St.
Swanson, Mr. Herbert W.	233 So. Main St.
Tolf, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. and Janice	76 Ashworth St.
Wogman, Mrs. Alfchild	305 Oak St.
Mr. Bertil	305 Oak St.
Young, Mrs. Cecil	15 Hackmatack St.



## DISTRICT 2

Anderson, Mrs. Charles	55 Charter Oak St.
Mr. Clarence H.	74 E. Center St.
Mr. G. Henry and Miss Judith	155 Eldridge St.
Miss Barbara J.	55 Birch St.
Iver	28 Maple St.
Brolin, Mr. Carl R.	62 Eldridge St.
Carlson, Mrs. Emma and Irving	142 School St.
Chelberg, Mrs. Anton	140 School St.
Chorzempa, Mr. and Mrs. Charles	6 Charter Oak St.
Connors, Mrs. Emelia	689 Main St.
Earn, Mrs. Hedwig	1065 Main St.
Florin, Mr. and Mrs. Gustaf	158 Maple St.
Gull, Mr. and Mrs. Gustaf	18 Hazel St.
Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl A.	31 Maple St.
Margaret and Verner	31 Maple St.
Heath, Mrs. Nellie and Miss Helen	709 Main St.
Hilding, Mr. and Mrs. Albert	272 Oak St.
Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Robert	55 Charter Oak St.
Hultgren, Mr. David	76 Wells St.
Johnson, Mrs. Alfred	68 Maple St.
Mr. Arthur W.	65 School St.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl A.	77 Oak St.
Bernard and Robert	77 Oak St.
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard A.	228 Oak St.
Mr. Ragnar	13½ Ford St.
Jozus, Mr. and Mrs. Peter and Ivars	709 Main St.
Lamberg, Misses Emelia and Florence	78 Oak St.
Laycock, Mrs. Eleanor and Valerie	1097 Main St.
Matson, Mr. Henry	261 Spruce St.
Olson, Mrs. Olga and Esther	63½ Bissell St.
Raimondo, Mrs. Thomas J.	58½ School St.
Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Ivar	156 Maple St.
Sheekey, Mrs. Signe and William	613 Main St.
Small, Mr. and Mrs. George J. and Mavis	125 School St.
Richard and John	125 School St.
Tell, Miss Alma	689 Main St.
Williams, Mr. and Mrs. William F.	613 Main St.
Zamaitis, Mrs. Marion	19 Birch St.

## DISTRICT 3

Anderson, Mr. Carl E.	42 Hamlin St.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edwin	29 Steep Hollow Lane
Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. B.	90 Pitkin St.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl E.	94 Pitkin St.
Beechler, Mrs. Sherwood and Anne L.	200 Boulder Road
Bengtson, Mr. G. Henry	328 Porter St.
Berggren, Mr. and Mrs. Edward	9 Foster St.
Braithwaite, Mr. and Mrs. William	96 Foster St.
Blomberg, Mrs. Eric	54 Hamlin St.
Coe, Mr. Allan and Allan, Jr.	274 Boulder Road
Gustafson, Mrs. Lillian	28 Hamlin St.
Alfred M. (In Service)	28 Hamlin St.
Eva and Norma	20 Raymond Road
Johnson, Miss Anita	481 Porter St.
Mrs. Carl T.	43 Holl St.
Betty Ann and Carolyn	43 Holl St.
Mr. Carl	33 Hamlin St.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer	42 Holl St.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman	51 Kensington St.
Ida and Ruth	51 Kensington St.
Mr. Leonard H. and Hazel B.	41 Holl St.
Mr. and Mrs. Victor and Justina	4 Grandview St.
Kjellson, Mrs. Ernest L.	135 Porter St.
E. John	135 Porter St.
Lavey, Mr. and Mrs. Fred	81 Foster St.
Lehmus, Dr. and Mrs. Harold	61 Steep Hollow Lane
Montany, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene R.	38 Grandview St.
Mather, Mrs. Dale	47 Holl St. (Ga.)

Neubauer, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rudolph (In Service)	47 Holl St. 47 Holl St.
Oliver, Mrs. Sara	146 Bissell St.
Olson, Mrs. John A. Inez and Mabel	81 Pearl St. 81 Pearl St.
Patten, Mrs. Hilma and Everett	41 Hamlin St.
Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Albert Mr. and Mrs. Hugo and Robert	167 Boulder Road 113 Pearl St.
Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Robert W. (In Service) Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Clifford and Shirley Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel	76 Westminster Road 76 Westminster Road 148 Bissell St. 148 Bissell St. 61 Spruce St.
Pontillo, Mrs. James	69 Kensington St.
Swanson, Mr. Rudolph	296 Porter St.
Sundquist, Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Lynne and Sandra	50 Wyllys St. 50 Wyllys St.
West, Mr. and Mrs. Harold	72 Pitkin St.
Yaworski, Mrs. Stephen	160 Bissell St.

#### DISTRICT 4

Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O. Judith and Donald—(Service) Mr. and Mrs. Eric S. Mrs. Grace, Bruce and Gail Mr. and Mrs. Oscar and Eleanor	25 Durkin St. 25 Durkin St. 20 Coburn Road 85 E. Middle Turnpike 51 Elro St.
Axelsson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Leonard	421 E. Middle Turnpike
Azinger, Mrs. Paul and Ruth Ann Ralph (In Service)	48 Coburn Road 48 Coburn Road
Benson, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph and Ruth Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood	370 E. Center St. 16 Munro St.
Bjorkman, Mr. Leonard Mr. and Mrs. Nils and Mabel	37 Hollister St. 84 Benton St.
Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Shirley, Malvin, Patricia	53 Walker St. 53 Walker St.
Clarke, Mrs. Edgar	175 E. Center St.
Davis, Mrs. Olga and Dorothy	380 E. Center St.
Dougan, Mr. and Mrs. Paul	96 Washington St.
DiManno, Mrs. Gerard	85 Arnott Road
Gartman, Miss Eliza	140 Summit St.
Heck, Mrs. Mary	43 Hollister St.
Hinrichs, Mr. and Mrs. John C.	140 Summit St.
Hoaglund, Mr. and Mrs. C. Arthur	66 Stephen St.
Iacobucci, Mrs. Barbara	14 Nathan Road
Jenack, Mrs. Edward	115 E. Middle Turnpike
Johnson, Mrs. Oscar	90 Summit St.
Kalb, Arno G.	111 Delmont St.
Kirby, Mrs. Donald	88 Plymouth Lane
Larson, Mrs. Amanda Mrs. Hanna and Vivian	62 Ardmore Road 87 E. Middle Turnpike
Levitt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred	14 Munro St.
Luetgens, Mr. and Mrs. William	44 Harvard Road
Lundberg, Dr. and Mrs. G. A. F.	223 E. Center St.
Magnuson, Mr. and Mrs. Bengt	50 Marshall Road
Manning, Mrs. Esther	20 Greenhill St.
McIntosh, Mrs. Lester	217 Summit St.
Modean, Mr. and Mrs. Harold and Robert	11 Franklin St.
Olson, Mr. Arthur Mrs. Walter	16 Munro St. 27 Huntington St.
Orr, Mr. and Mrs. William	542 E. Middle Turnpike
Parson, Mr. and Mrs. John	13 Greenhill St.
Person, Mr. and Mrs. William and Barbara	122 Summit St.
Regets, Mrs. Mildred and Marlene	787 E. Middle Turnpike
Reid, Mrs. John P.	137 Parker St.
Riemer, Mrs. Jeanette	47 Benton St.
Ryden, Mr. and Mrs. Albert	57 Goodwin St.
Schubert, Mr. and Mrs. Richard	150 Summit St.
Smith, Mr. Sherwood	90 Summit St.
Sperry, Mrs. Charlton	50 Legion Road
Stratton, Mrs. William	42 Hale Road

Sasse, Mr. and Mrs. Otto  
Swanson, Mrs. Andrew and Elmer  
Stratton, Mrs. Thomas  
VanCamp, Mrs. Inez  
Weiman, Mrs. Eric A.  
Wolfram, Mrs. Carl  
Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank

62 Ardmore Road  
25 Huntington St.  
18 Delmont St.  
29 Farmington St.  
47 Benton St.  
675 E. Middle Turnpike  
152 Benton St.

#### DISTRICT 5

Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Erik  
Aronson, Mrs. Eva and William  
Benson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W.  
Bradlau, Mr. and Mrs. George  
Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. K.  
Coe, Mr. and Mrs. William  
Condit, Mr. and Mrs. William  
Davison, Mrs. Rose  
Fishe, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence and Marilyn  
Gunsten, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene  
    Carol J. and Norma A.  
Gustafson, Albert H., Jr.  
    Mr. and Mrs. Arne and Jack  
Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Walter  
Hallin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank and Lynne  
Halvorsen, Mr. and Mrs. Howard and Donald  
Harries, Mr. and Mrs. Kurt  
Heavisides, Robert C.  
Heck, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph O.  
Hellstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Allan  
    Dolores  
Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl and Carol  
Kelley, Mrs. Edward  
Knudsen, Mrs. Helga  
Leonhardt, Mrs. Harry  
Larson, Mr. Fred and Kenneth A.  
Maloney, Mrs. Thora  
Matson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl  
McArdle, Mrs. Edward  
McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. Harold  
Moberg, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar  
Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Newton  
    Mr. and Mrs. Richard  
Morrissette, Mrs. Darrell  
Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Milton  
    Douglas and Linda  
    Mr. and Mrs. John O.  
Nygren, Mrs. Carl  
Olson, Mr. and Mrs. John I.  
Pencheff, Mr. and Mrs. Peter  
Person, Mr. and Mrs. John  
Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl H.  
    Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. and Jan  
Schulze, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan  
Sheldon, Mrs. Charles  
Silkowski, Mrs. Vera  
Somerville, Mr. and Mrs. John  
Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. William  
    Emma, Ronald, William J.  
Stoehr, Miss Vivian  
Strangfeld, Mr. and Mrs. York  
Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Victor  
Swartz, Mr. J. Fred  
Thompson, Miss Ethel and Mrs. Thomas  
Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas  
Ulrich, Mr. and Mrs. Gustave  
Verbarg, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A.

746 Parker St.  
90 Woodbridge  
155 Green Manor Road  
9 Barry Road  
8 Clyde Road  
161 Green Road  
30 Pine Hill St.  
45 Hudson St.  
22 Pinehill St.  
332 Oakland St.  
332 Oakland St.  
78 Greenwood Drive  
275 Henry St.  
128 Green Manor Road  
348 Woodbridge St.  
61 Phelps Road  
80 Vernon St.  
57 Baldwin Road  
233 Vernon St.  
607 Vernon St.  
607 Vernon St.  
173 Henry St.  
59 Delmont St.  
315 Henry St.  
4 Tanner St.  
33 Auburn Road  
23 N. Elm St.  
92 Bretton Road  
315 Henry St.  
209 Henry St.  
66 Conway Road  
19 Bowers St.  
471 Parker St.  
167 Vernon St.  
57 Tanner St.  
57 Tanner St.  
40 Harlan St.  
303 Oakland St.  
74 Henry St.  
117 Baldwin Road  
74 Jensen St.  
20 Pine Hill St.  
490 Taylor St.  
35 South St.  
35 Oakland Terrace  
203 Green Road  
56 Helaine Road  
45 Green Manor Road  
45 Green Manor Road  
23 N. Elm St.  
158 Greenwood Drive  
30 Hudson St.  
23 N. Elm St.  
175 Vernon St.  
25 Alice Drive  
57 Doane St.  
26 Virginia Road

#### DISTRICT 6

Anderson, Mrs. Helen  
    Mr. C. Rudolph

11 Anderson St.  
10 Russell St.

Bayles, Anthony	63 Union St.
Berens, Mr. Arvids	33 Main St.
Bolin, Mr. and Mrs. Carl	119 Cambridge St.
Bubb, Mr. and Mrs. Albert	15 Strong St.
Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Iver and Karen	50 Haynes St.
Mr. and Mrs. John H.	104 Haynes St.
Mr. and Mrs. Linder	25 Russell St.
Chambers, Mrs. Theodore	156 Main St.
Cushing, Mrs. John	58 Hemlock St.
Ellington, Richard	49 Oxford St.
Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul	26 Alton St.
Richard and Linda	26 Alton St.
Franzen, Miss Harriet	214 Hilliard St.
Gentile, George	104 Haynes St.
Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav	66 Strickland St.
Harding, Mrs. Violet	104 Haynes St.
Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D.	118 Main St.
Hultgren, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford	19 Russell St.
Hultine, Mrs. Carl	20 Russell St.
Hultman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L.	18 Cambridge St.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard and Patricia	53 Russell St.
Jerin, Mrs. William	49 Edwards St.
Johnson, Mrs. Agnes and Warren	20 Cambridge St.
Richard (In Service)	20 Cambridge St.
Mr. George S.	7 Bigelow St.
John Albin	39 Cambridge St.
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar	38 Hemlock St.
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar E.	94 Hemlock St.
Mrs. Otto	51 Russell St.
Roy C.	652 N. Main St.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert	333 Main St.
Kastauskas, Mrs. Anthony	263 N. Main St.
Larder, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur	106 Cambridge St.
Lappen, Mrs. John J.	84 Main St.
Magnuson, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav	100 Cambridge St.
Magrel, Mrs. Peter	50 Homestead St.
McNeish, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo J.	115 Oxford St.
Modean, Mrs. Sigrid and Mona (at college)	39 Cambridge St.
Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Harry	60 Hemlock St.
Neil, Mr. and Mrs. Robert and Robert W.	79 N. Main St.
Naylor, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P.	12 Oxford St.
Nussdorf, Mrs. Abe	587 N. Main St.
Okerfelt, Mr. and Mrs. George	29 Bigelow St.
Olsen, Mr. and Mrs. D. Leslie	73 Alton St.
Peterson, Miss Hattie and Mr. Wilmore	25 Alton St.
Pilsums, Mrs. Cecelia	33 Main St.
Sasse, Robert	55 Hemlock St.
Salo, Mrs. Paul and Barbara	85 Strickland St.
Solomonson, Mr. and Mrs. David	19 Armory St.
Swanson, Mr. Elmer	50 W. Middle Turnpike
Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas	81 Cambridge St.
Wennergren, Mr. John R.	91 Alton St.
Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas	78 Hemlock St.

#### DISTRICT 7

Anderson, Carl A.	26 Edgerton St.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl H., Jr.	22 Edgerton St.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl I.	233 Center St.
Mr. and Mrs. Einar R.	15H Forest St.
Mrs. Ellen	30 Church St.
Mrs. Karin	37 Edgerton St.
Joan and Janet	39 Edgerton St.
John S.	354 Center St.
Russell C.	40 Edgerton St.
Rev. and Mrs. C. Henry	64 Church St.
Donald	64 Church St.
Balodis, Mr. and Mrs. Janis	58 Chestnut St.
Bengtson, Mr. and Mrs. William	37 Edgerton St.
Barbara and Carolyn	37 Edgerton St. (Carolyn, college)
Benson, Mr. and Mrs. John	19 Newman St.

Berzins, Mr. and Mrs. John	120 Forest St.
Carlson, William	36E St. James St.
Dobelis, Mrs. Eda L.	120 Forest St.
Doutt, Mrs. Florence and Sandra	5 Orchard St.
Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Albert and Jon	33 Myrtle St.
Hendrickson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon	66 Laurel St.
Johnson, Mr. Algot	24 Edgerton St.
Miss Alma	54A Chestnut St.
Mr. Carl J. and Mrs. Emma	236 Center St.
Robert E. (In Service)	236 Center St.
Mr. and Mrs. Henning A.	75 Laurel St.
Miss Hilvie	458 Main St.
Mr. Olof	49 New St.
Edith and Anna M. E.	49 New St.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond	11 Church St.
Jones, Mrs. Lloyd A.	26 Edgerton (returning from Ga.)
Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Ture and Lillian	14 Laurel Place
Leggett, Mrs. Harold	42 Alexander St.
Marsh, Mrs. Edward	18 Newman St.
Matson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy	54 Chestnut St., Apt. 23
Nyquist, Mr. and Mrs. Evan	40 Church St.
Olson, issues Anna and Selma	54 Chestnut St.
Peterson, Mrs. Ada	47 Edgerton St.
Richwood, Mrs. Dorothy	71 Church St.
Smith, Mrs. Alma O.	28 Otis St.
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar	21 Gorman Place
Mrs. Wesley R.	281 Center St., Apt. 6-1
Swanson, Mr. Edward	63 Garden St.
Mr. Gottfrid	77 Laurel St.
Strom, Mrs. Andrew	123 Center St.
Turkington, Mrs. Harold E.	15K Forest St.
Weklind, Mrs. Dorothy	109 Forest St.
Weir, Mr. and Mrs. Frank	176 Center St.
Wolfram, Miss Anna	335 Center St.
Werkheiser, Mr. and Mrs. C. F.	15E Forest St.
Zwick, Mrs. Jacob	437 Center St.

#### DISTRICT 8

Bagley, Mr. and Mrs. Roger	72 Broad St.
Bayer, Mr. and Mrs. Harold T.	72 Oliver Road
Beauchamp, Mrs. Leo L.	66 Linnmore Drive
Carlin, Mr. and Mrs. John	40 Stone St.
Carlson, Mrs. August	226 W. Center (in Fla. to May '56)
Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Don A.	165 Loomis St.
Davis, Mr. and Mrs. William and Carl	61 Foxcroft Drive
Bruce (In Service)	61 Foxcroft Drive
Dell, Mr. and Mrs. William	35 Fulton Road
Eklund, Mr. and Mrs. Sedoff	25 Victoria Road
Elliott, Mrs. Thomas	80 Columbus St.
Fitch, Miss Marion A.	335 Adams St.
Gammons, Mrs. Marion B.	335 Adams St.
Gothberg, Mr. Oliver	90 Broad St.
Gustafson, Mrs. Marion and Gail	90 Deerfield Drive
Gworek, Mr. and Mrs. Frank and Patricia	532 W. Middle Turnpike
Hellstrom, Melvin R.	106 Deepwood Drive
Harris, Mr. Everett, Jule and Ralph	98 W. Center St.
Huffield, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A.	823 Center St.
Hultman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert	328 W. Center St.
Johnson, Mrs. A. Amandus	237 W. Center (in Fla. to May '56)
Mr. and Mrs. Allen	
Mr. Carl A. and Barbara	145 W. Center St.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl G.	227 W. Center St.
Ernest	114 Crestwood Drive
Mr. and Mrs. Hilding I.	20 Trebbe Drive
Mr. Nels C.	633 W. Middle Turnpike
Klein, Mrs. Elizabeth and Beverly	144 Deepwood Drive
Kress, Mrs. Viola	224 W. Center St.
Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar	59 Devon Drive
Mr. and Mrs. Torsten	28 Griswold St.
Laws, Mrs. Wallace	27 Grant Road

Livengood, Mr. and Mrs. William W.	43 Oliver Road
Long, Miss Sara (in E. H. Hospital)	(335 Adams St.)
Loucks, Mr. Roger	56 Olcott Drive
Lorentson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A.	58 Crestwood Drive
Lucious, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond	83 St. John St.
Mathiason, Mrs. Harry	38 Stone St.
Meldrum, Mrs. Hildegard	611 Center St.
Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Victor and Carol	9 Hendee Road
Miffitt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward	239 W. Center St.
Moeller, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond and Sandra	503 Adams St.
Noren, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J.	26 Roosevelt St.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert	22 Thomas Drive
Olson, Mrs. Selma	38 Stone St.
Peterson, Mark	62 Horton Road
Pettis, Mr. and Mrs. Charles and Mrs. Anna	87 St. John St.
Ritzen, Mr. and Mrs. Curt	126 W. Center St.
Robie, Mrs. Raymond (Lois Gustafson)	90 Deerfield Drive
Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. John	705 Center St.
Segeberg, Ernest W.	38 Adams St., S.
Shenning, Mr. and Mrs. Harry and Roy	28 Perkins St.
Schuyler, Lewis	74 Jarvis Road
Solomonson, Mr. and Mrs. Elof	39 Oliver Road
Streng, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur	81 Jarvis Road
Thoren, Mr. Carl and Fridborg	224 W. Center St.
Torstenson, Mr. and Mrs. Lennart	75 Jarvis Road
Turkington, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur	21 Pioneer Circle
VonBorchers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles	24 Hyde St.
Wogman, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence	28 Fairview St.
Wright, Mrs. Helen and Gilbert	49 Perkins St.

#### DISTRICT 9

Anderson, Anna T.	97 Pleasant St.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Theodore	92 Ridge St.
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford	85 Walnut St.
Clifford, Jr.	85 Walnut St.
Mr. Fred R.	3 Walnut St.
Mr. and Mrs. John A.	83 Walnut St.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul J.	18 Ridge St.
Broadt, Mr. and Mrs. Donald	4 No. Fairfield St.
Bjorkman, Mrs. John G.	29 Ridge St.
Busch, Patricia A. (c/o Anderson)	92 Ridge St.
Bushey, Mrs. Alfred	33 Division St.
Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. and Joan	55 Fairfield St.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard	49 Fairfield St.
Misses Olga and Esther	58 Ridge St.
Chagnot, Mr. and Mrs. G. Louis	24 Emerson St.
D'Addario, Mrs. Dorothy	78 Cooper Hill St.
Erickson, Mrs. Harry	113 West St.
Flynn, Mrs. William	96 Ridge St. (Maryland)
Freeburg, Miss Sigrid	27 Ridge
Gothberg, Mrs. Amanda and Miss Laura	71 Ridge St.
Griswold, Miss Vyrting	151 Walnut St.
Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Walter and Walter, Jr.	175 High St.
Hulander, Mrs. Hulda	104 Ridge St.
Hulteen, Mrs. John	50 High St.
Johansson, Mr. and Mrs. Oke	15 Bank St.
Johnson, Mrs. Arthur, Sr.	46 Walnut St.
Mr. and Mrs. Erland	68 Summer St.
Mrs. Hannah E.	113 West St.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred	18 Henderson Road
Mr. Herbert	18 Henderson Road
Mr. and Mrs. Lennart	144 Cooper St.
Mr. Richard and Miss Louise	9 No. Fairfield St.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy C.	75 Pleasant St.
Kilstrom, John	29 Ridge St.
Leander, Mr. John	98 Ridge St.
Magnuson, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz	9 Short St.
Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy	23 Fairfield St.
Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar	22 Arch St.
Polson, Mr. and Mrs. John	24 Arch St.

Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Albert John, Jr. (at college)	96 Ridge St. 96 Ridge St.
Rudeen, Miss Ruth	26 Division St.
Savina, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred	122 Walnut St.
Stavnitsky, Mrs. Robert	101 Cedar St.
Straugh, Mrs. Stanley	60 Ridge St.
Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl and Joan	62 Summer St.
Teichert, Mrs. Margaret	98 Ridge St.
Weir, Mrs. Alice and Miss Nancy	117 Summer St.
Werdelin, Mr. and Mrs. Helmer and June	49 Pleasant St.
Werner, Mr. and Mrs. Edward	11 Bremen Road
Wiese, Mr. and Mrs. Walter	197 High St.

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Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Robert E. (In Service) Mr. and Mrs. Victor	391 Hartford Road 17 McKinley St. 20 Lucian St.
Benson, Mrs. Augusta and Roy Mr. and Mrs. Hugo	143 Wetherell St. 396 Hackmatack St.
Berggren, Mr. and Mrs. Richard	38 Cornell St.
Bolin, Mr. and Mrs. Hilding and Richard	26 Keeney St.
Buckmister, Mrs. Marion	45 Overland St.
Carlson, Mrs. William	110 Campfield Road
Case, Mr. and Mrs. Edson	104 Woodside St.
Dahlman, Mr. and Mrs. Herman	143 Wetherell St.
Frost, Mr. and Mrs. George	31 Bunce Drive
Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond	14 Avon St.
Haberern, Mr. and Mrs. John	230 McKee St.
Holleman, Mrs. Glen	56 Drive A
Howard, Mrs. Philip	346 Keeney St.
Holmquist, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Mrs. Herbert	150 Keeney St. 235 McKee St.
Johnson, Mr. Charles H. Mr. J. Victor	76 Prospect St. 165 Cooper Hill St.
Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Francis	8, Oval Lane
Karch, Mrs. Joseph I.	43 Courtland
Kennedy, Barbara and Virginia	44 McKinley St.
Laking, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ward	47 Campfield Road
Lange, Mrs. Edith	8 Keeney St.
Martin, Mrs. Ellis	120 Drive B
Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John	374 Hartford Road
Modean, Mrs. Ellen Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmar Misses Ina and Katherine	33 Server St. 24 Lyness St. 24 Lyness St.
McNally, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest	29 Seaman Circle
McArdle, Mrs. James	23 Drive B
Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Karl	76 Wetherell St.
Peterson, Mrs. Carl and Miss Arlene Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. and Jan	51 Litchfield St. 20 Waddell Road
Prentice, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J.	110 Campfield Road
Rauchle, Mrs. George C. Miss Lorraine	43 Courtland St. 43 Courtland St.
Skoog, Mrs. Agnes Mr. and Mrs. Clifford and Clifford M.	55 Overland St. 28 Packard St.
Swanson, Mrs. Jennie Mr. and Mrs. Ralph	374 Hackmatack St. 374 Hackmatack St.
Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford	54 Seaman Circle
Tedford, Mr. and Mrs. Harold	23 Campfield Road
Thoren, Mr. and Mrs. Harry	17 McKinley St.
Trueman, Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Sherwood M.	33 Server St. 33 Server St.
Thomas, Dorothy L.	26 Drive D
Weiman, Mr. and Mrs. Austin A.	46 Portland St.
Wierzbicki, Mr. and Mrs. Herman	55 Overland St.
Wilkie, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur	59 Waddell Road
Zawistowski, Mr. and Mrs. Michael	21 Westwood St.

#### OUT-OF-TOWN

Albasi, Mrs. Louis	Villa Louisa Road, Bolton
Amundsen, Mr. and Mrs. Warren	RFD 2, Manchester

Anderson, Mrs. Alice	79 Evans Ave., E. Hartford
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur	974 W. Boulevard, Hartford
Arthur H.	U. S. Veterans' Hospital, Newington
Fritz	Lakewood Heights, So. Coventry
Mrs. Gunda	c/o Lindgren, 119 Church St., Hamden
Miss Hulda	Lutheran Home, Middletown
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard	Tolland Road, Rockville
Rudolph S.	206 Oak St., E. Hartford
Mr. and Mrs. Russell	London Rd., Hebron (mail R. 2, Andover)
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence and Allan	New School Road, R. D. 1, Andover
Azinger, Mr. and Mrs. Robert	200 Minnichaug Drive, Glastonbury
Beerman, Mrs. Henry	370 Laurel St., Hartford
Benander, Mrs. John A.	495 Prospect Ave., West Hartford
Berg, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley	120 Caya Ave., West Hartford
Blood, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford	115 Hubbard Drive, Glastonbury
Boudreau, Mrs. Amede	Andover, Conn.
Brown, Mrs. Wilbur	Box Mt., Vernon (mail RFD, Manchester)
Burke, Mrs. Anna	RFD 1, Talcottville Road, Rockville
Byrne, Mrs. Robert J.	51 Harvard St., Hartford
Carlin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur	22 Wright Lane, Glastonbury
Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Arvid and Valerie	RFD 2, Manchester
M. and Mrs. LeRoy and Robert	168 Ridgewood Rd., E. Hartford
Mr. and Mrs. Nils	R. F. D. 1, Rockville
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne	RFD 4, Rock. (11 Bansforth Rd., Vernon)
Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas	Old Bolton Rd., RFD 2, Manchester
Chambers, Theodore	43 Broadway, North Haven
Clammer, Richard	Lynnwood Dr., RFD 1, Rockville
Cocke, Mrs. Frank	111 Henry St., Hartford
Dahlquist, John	Rt. 31, No. Coventry
Duke, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest	Brookfield Rd., RFD 3, Bolton
Dzielinski, Mrs. Bernard	Buckingham St., Oakville
Durost, Mrs. Rosetta	140 Adams St., Hartford
Erickson, Mrs. Carl A. and Agnes	700 Simsbury Rd., W. Hartford
Mr. and Mrs. Evald	11 Echo Drive, Rt. 1, Rockville
Sven O.	c/o Bohlin, Bolton
Eriksson, Mr. and Mrs. Karl	380 New Britain Ave., Hartford
Fardal, Mr. and Mrs. John and John Edward	Ripley Hill Rd., Rt. 3, So. Coventry
Filion, Mrs. Alma and family	37 Wodbridge Rd., Glastonbury
Fortier, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest	Knotts Corner Rd., Farmington
Genovesi, Mrs. Robert	RFD 1, Rockville
Glenney, Mrs. Thomas	RFD 1, Andover
Grandahl, Mr. and Mrs. John and Herbert	RFD 1, Wapping
Hallberg, Miss Lottie (excused)	Middletown State Hospital
Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Roy and Marjorie	Sleepy Hollow, Columbia Lake
William	Route 6, Andover
Hellstrom, Allan, Mr. and Mrs.	RFD 2, Bolton
Horton, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond	Peterson Rd., Vernon (RFD 1, Rockville)
Hultine, John I.	Box 143, Danielson
Hultman, Mrs. John and Gordon	147 Linnmoore St., Hartford
Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer and Rikard	847 W. Middle Turnpike, E. Hartford
Mr. and Mrs. E. Arnold	7 Grant St., Rockville
Mrs. Emma	79 Evans Ave., E. Hartford
Miss Esther	754 Asylum Ave., Hartford
Mr. and Mrs. Everett	Beelzebub Rd., Windsor (RD 1, Wapping)
Mr. and Mrs. Fred A.	RFD 1, Andover
Mr. John A.	369 Trumbull St., Hartford
Mrs. Mary	47 Woodruff Circle, Berlin
Austin, Ethel, Louise	47 Woodruff Circle, Berlin
Mrs. Mathilda	44 Pacific St., New London
Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph	RFD 3, Coventry
Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis	R. F. D. 1, Rockville
Larson, Frank	Brookside Lane, Rockville
Mr. and Mrs. Harry	25 Washington Circle, W. Hartford
Mr. Philip	63 Peachtree Road, Glastonbury
LeDoyt, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest	Hemlock Drive, So. Coventry
Lindholm, Misses Anna, Olga, and Edwin	Andover, Conn.
Linger, Mr. and Mrs. Russell	29 Vernon Ctr. Heights, RFD 1, Rockville
Ljungberg, Miss Hilma	Middletown Home
Longerier, Mrs. Robert L.	37 Ruscan Rd., Wethersfield
Levitt, Mr. F. Milton	Tankeroosen Road, Vernon



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McLaughlin, Mrs. John	RFD 1, Rockville
Mahoney, Mrs. James	10 Keeney Dr., Bolton
Massa, Mrs. Andrea	8 Norman Drive, Bloomfield
McCormick, Mrs. Theodore	208 Woodlawn Court, E. Hartford
McIntosh, Mr. Lester	35 Spring St., Thompsonville
Melrose, Mrs. Jerome	Lynnwood Drive, RFD 1, Rockville
Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Albert	Halfway House Rd., Windsor Locks
Mr. and Mrs. Carl	S. Main St., Warehouse Point
Moorhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Sam	25 Tolland Ave., Rockville
Moberg, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore and Linda	Daley Road, So. Coventry
Nelson, Eric	11 Echo Drive, Rt. 1, Rockville
Noren, Mr. and Mrs. Carl	RFD 2, Box 330, Marlboro
Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl W.	Route 14, Canterbury
Pellerin, Philippe A.	RFD 2, Andover
Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Max and Ann	RFD 2, Coventry
Petersen, Mr. and Mrs. Albert C.	Deming St., Wapping
Albert J. and Shirley	Deming St., Wapping
Mr. and Mrs. Herman	RFD 1, Andover
Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. George C.	Mountain Road, Glastonbury
Rauchle, Mr. and Mrs. George	880 Burnside Ave., E. Hartford
Riemer, Mr. and Mrs. Carl	Main St., So. Coventry
Mrs. Peter	Main St., So. Coventry
Rudeen, Mr. Harry	25 Cannon Road, E. Hartford
Ryberg, Mr. and Mrs. Rodger	56 Manor Circle, E. Hartford
Schaller, Mr. and Mrs. Louis	c/o Christofano's Store, Hotchkissville
Solomonson, Mr. and Mrs. Einar	110 Aspinwall Drive, Andover
Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert	1102 Farmington Ave., W. Hartford
Stager, Mrs. Wesley	25 Linden Place, Rockville
Thoren, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer	576 S. Main St., West Hartford
Thyreen, Mr. and Mrs. Paul I.	RFD Carpenter Road, Bolton
Treat, Mrs. Charles	1038 W. Middle Turnpike, E. Hartford
Miss Priscilla (at college)	1038 W. Middle Turnpike, E. Hartford
Varley, Mrs. Donald	473 Maple Ave., Hartford
Webb, Mrs. Harry	139 Preston St., Hartford
Wendt, Mrs. William	c/o Weeks' Trailer Camp, Storrs
Westland, Mr. and Mrs. John	Ripley Hill, So. Coventry
Worthington, Mrs. Milford	1178 Burnside Ave., E. Hartford
Wright, Mrs. Walter	Walnut Hill Road, Canton
Wogman, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond	RFD 1, Andover
Zalite, Mr. and Mrs. Aleksandrs	1082 Boulevard, W. Hartford

OUT-OF-STATE

Anderson, Mr. Carl	Healthland Convalescent Home,
Mr. Carl W.	305 Walpole St., Norwood, Mass.
Miss Elsa	57 Williamson Ave., Hillside, N. J.
Benson, Miss Sally	407 Huntington Ave., Boston, Mass.
Bourdeaudhui, Mrs. Eugene L.	Box 87, Northboro, Mass.
Birath, Miss Alma	850 Smithfield Ave., Saylesville, R. I.
Coe, John A.	(In Service)
Czernek, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde F.	WGBH-TV, 24 Mass. Ave., Cambridge
Geiger, Hugh C.	8522 S. Damen, Chicago, Ill.
Hultine, Elmore	Rt. 1, Box 10, Pine Mount, Fla.
Johnson, Miss Alma	11 Kings Circle, Cranston, R. I.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard A.	648 S. Marenga Ave., Pasadena 5, Calif.
Mr. and Mrs. Nils A.	Box 833, Victorville, Calif.
Koenig, Mr. and Mrs. John	8113 Southampton Ave., Wyndmoor, Pa.
Lavey, Burton	203 7th St., NHAI, Honolulu, T. H.
Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley	198 Bowdoin St., Springfield, Mass.
Noren, William	1519 Melody Lane, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Oden, Miss Florence	505 Beacon St., Boston
Oren, Mrs. William F.	500 15th St., Apt. 17, c/o D. Greenstreet,
Pickles, Mrs. Marjorie	Miami Beach, Fla.
Rutkoski, Mrs. Jerome (Linda Pearson)	16 Poplar Place, Boston, Mass.
Stone, Mrs. Robert	2520 N. W. 42nd St., Okla City, Okla.
Swanson, Mr. Axel	Germany
Trares, Mrs. Edward	7006 Wells Parkway, W. Hyattsville, Ind.
Tureck, Mr. and Mrs. Henry	415 Woodland Drive, Washington 21, D. C.
	6135 Woodman Ave., Van Nuys, Calif.
	12112 S. Atlantic Ave., Compton, Calif.

# Looking Ahead . . .



A milestone has been reached in the onward march of Emanuel. We have seen the accomplishments and are proud of the spirit of sacrifice and service of those who labored before us. Our grateful thanks are given to the Lord who has blessed us and directed these achievements through His Spirit. Yet we are not complacent and satisfied to rest on our laurels now, for the needs of the present scene are manifold and urgent. The Gospel with its Christ of forgiveness and peace is still the key to world goodwill. Individuals must be met where and as they are and confronted with this message of a personal decision for Jesus as Saviour.

There is need therefore:

- 1) For evangelism visitation to a greater degree and more completely supported by those who are now members.
- 2) For Bible study and meditation, since out of the Word comes life and growth.
- 3) For expansion of our facilities in Christian education, as our classes at present are crowded and becoming too large to teach effectively.
- 4) For reconsecration of time, talent, and treasure in a stewardship for God, so that means manpower for a progressive and aggressive program for new members can be achieved.

Let us have at least 75 new members for our 75th year!

EMANUEL — "God with us" — has been our past experience. As we look to the future and its challenge we know He shall continue, for Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever, and with Him all things are possible. In that faith we enter a new phase of Emanuel's life story.



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