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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
January 22, 1973

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*Alice Cox*  
Alice Cox, Secretary

First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.  
Special Cash Account-Hogge Property  
For Period September 22, 1972-January 22, 1973

Cash Receipts

Contributions	\$42,270.00
Short-term Loan	3,000.00
Rental Receipts	<u>529.50</u>
Total Cash Receipts	\$45,799.50

Cash Disbursements

Applied toward purchase price Hogge Property	\$40,000.00
Applied toward payment of short-term loan	3,000.00
Applied toward principal of \$35,000 note	
Peoples Bank of Morehead	2,155.00
Utilities-Brick house	108.35
Utilities-Garage apartment	85.74
Insurance	79.00
Repairs	<u>32.00</u>
Total Cash Disbursements	<u>45,460.09</u>
Cash Balance January 22, 1973 (\$200 to be applied toward principal)	<u>\$ 339.41</u>

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Balance on Hand July 1, 1972		\$1,121.58
Plus total receipts July 1, 1972 through Jan. 22, 1973		20,307.32
Receipts:	Total	<u>\$21,428.90</u>
Pledges	\$13,110.10	Less Expenditures
Identifiable	4,584.45	18,760.57
Loose	1,133.92	<u>\$ 2,668.33</u>
Sunday School	316.35	
Other	62.50	
Building	1,100.00	
Total	<u>\$20,307.32</u>	

	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Spent</u>	<u>Balance</u>
<b>Expenditures:</b>			
<b>Church Administration:</b>			
Pastor's Salary	\$14,250.00	\$ 7,718.75	\$ 6,531.25
Pastor's Pension Fund	1,568.00	989.59	578.41
Secretary's Salary	1,680.00	840.00	840.00
Office Expense & Bulletins	500.00	308.48	191.52
Typewriter	150.00	149.50	.50
Bookkeeper's Honorarium	240.00	120.00	120.00
Total	<u>\$18,388.00</u>	<u>\$10,126.32</u>	<u>\$8,261.68</u>
<b>Property Department</b>			
Church Utilities	1,800.00	985.04	814.96
Parsonage Utilities	500.00	265.69	234.31
Plant Repairs	1,500.00	813.14	686.86
Organ Expense	500.00	234.00	266.00
Cleaning	1,040.00	425.00	615.00
Insurance	1,000.00	44.00	956.00
Totals	<u>\$6,340.00</u>	<u>\$2,766.87</u>	<u>\$3,573.13</u>
<b>Stewardship Dept.</b>			
Debt Service	5,162.92	2,542.81	2,620.11
Misc. Stewardship Mtls.	100.00	11.10	88.90
Totals	<u>\$5,262.92</u>	<u>\$2,553.91</u>	<u>\$2,709.01</u>
<b>World Outreach</b>			
Unified Promotion	3,600.00	600.00	3,000.00
Composite Capital	600.00	100.00	500.00
Christian Church Homes	300.00	50.00	250.00
Councils (4 @ \$20)	80.00	80.00	--
Local Ministry	500.00	96.84	403.16
Totals	<u>\$5,080.00</u>	<u>\$ 926.84</u>	<u>\$4,153.16</u>
<b>Worship and Services</b>			
Organist's Salary	1,300.00	670.00	630.00
Choir Director's Salary	1,300.00	675.00	625.00
Nursemaid's Salary	260.00	116.00	144.00
Music	80.00	72.83	7.17
Broadcast Line Charge	120.00	70.00	50.00
P. A. System	500.00	--	500.00
Flowers	200.00	91.37	108.63
Guest Ministers	100.00	25.00	75.00
Miscellaneous	200.00	198.17	1.83
Totals	<u>\$4,060.00</u>	<u>\$1,918.37</u>	<u>\$2,141.63</u>
<b>Education Department</b>			
Recreation and Service	500.00	72.14	427.86
Church School Supplies	320.00	131.79	188.21
Bus Maintenance	300.00	10.00	290.00
Bus Insurance	200.00	196.00	4.00
Miscellaneous	300.00	58.33	241.67
Community Action & Service	200.00	--	200.00
Totals	<u>\$1,820.00</u>	<u>\$ 468.26</u>	<u>\$1,351.74</u>
Grand Totals	<u>\$40,951.92</u>	<u>\$18,760.57</u>	<u>\$22,191.92</u>

Our checking account shows a balance of \$2,668.33

From this amount plus whatever the collection is next Sunday we must pay January 31 the following:

Peoples Bank, Sandy Hook, interest and principle on note	\$1,290.98
Total salaries for all church employees for January	<u>1,099.75</u>
Total	\$2,390.73

The Board instructed me at the November meeting to try to put aside enough each Sunday to meet the insurance which will be due in March. This means at least \$900 for the church and parsonage plus whatever the insurance will cost on the Hogge property. I do not have this figure.

I have not been able to send anything toward world outreach since August. The total that should have been sent runs \$375.00 per month. For the past five months this would amount to \$1,875.00. Our income has been running about a hundred dollars short of the needed amount intended to meet all items on our budget.

Respectfully submitted,

Grace T. Apel, bookkeeper  
First Christian Church  
Morehead, Kentucky

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The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mr. Anderson.


The minutes of the January 22, 1973, board meeting were approved as published in The Echo.

Mrs. Apel presented the financial report which was accepted by the board.

Due to the absence of the Property Committee chairman there was no official report from this committee concerning the Hogge property.

Mr. Reynolds moved and Mr. Hunt seconded the motion that the by-laws be amended by adding the following provision: Upon dissolution of the Congregation of the First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc., the Board of Directors, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the Corporation, shall turn over the remaining assets to the Kentucky Association of Christian Churches (Disciples of Christ). Passed with one dissenting vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

  
Jane Caudill  
Acting Secretary

Treasurer's Report - February 26, 1973

Balance on Hand January 22, 1973 -----	\$2,668.33
Plus Receipts, January 22 - February 25 -----	3,190.69
Total	<u>\$5,859.02</u>
Less Expenditures, January 22 - February 25 -----	3,675.13
Balance on Hand February 26, 1973 -----	<u><u>\$2,183.89</u></u>

Receipts:

Pledges	\$2,058.20
Identifiable	524.78
Loose Offerings	419.15
Sunday School	49.86
Week of Compassion	138.70
	<u>\$3,190.69</u>

Expenditures:

<u>Church Administration:</u>	
Salaries, pension, car	\$1,488.87
Echo Mailing deposit	25.00
Office Supplies	18.62
Total	<u>1,532.49</u>

Property Department

<u>Utilities,</u>	
Church and parsonage	297.38
Cleaning (church)	67.00
Ky. Furnace Inspection	2.00
Orkin Pest Control	15.00
Total	<u>381.38</u>

World Outreach

<u>Worship and Services</u>	
Salaries	241.00
Other Miscellaneous	31.28
Total	<u>272.28</u>

Education & Service

<u>Kentucky Christian</u>	48.00
Wheel Chairs	150.00
Total	<u>198.00</u>

\$138.70 of the balance  
will be sent to  
Week of Compassion.

ALSO

<u>Payment on debt to</u>	
Sandy Hook Peoples Bank	\$1,290.98
Total, All Expenditures	<u><u>\$3,675.13</u></u>

Bills due to be paid by Feb. 28:

Salaries, car, pension fund -----	\$959.75
Christian Board of Publication	92.15
S.S. Materials, The Christian Secret Place	

\$1,051.90 + \$138.70 Wk of  
Compassion

Also: The insurance on the church and parsonage will be due in early March. This will be at least \$900.00.

Respectfully submitted,

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
March 26, 1973

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The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mr. Cline.

The minutes of the February 26 Board meeting were approved as read.

Copies of the treasurer's report for the third quarter and for the month ending on March 26 were distributed. Mrs. Apel reported a balance of \$2,409.61 with ~~\$2,669.75 to be paid by March 31.~~

Mr. Rice, chairman of Property Committee, Mr. Cline and others joined in discussion of repair and use or disposition of ~~Flora~~ buildings purchased from the Hogge estate. The chairman asked the Property Committee to prepare and present a formal resolution setting forth plans for the Hogge property not later than May Board meeting.

Mr. Conyers asked if there was any objection to the CWF replacing the present stoves in the kitchen with electric ones.

Mrs. Clayton asked for contributions toward the purchase of a brass cross for the communion table. The cross is to be dedicated to the memory of Mr. Gabriel Banks.

Reverend Roberson called a meeting of his cabinet for 3 p.m. on Sunday, April 1.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 following a prayer by Mr. Bayless.

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Minutes of Meeting of PASTOR'S CABINET  
or  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Date: Apr 1, 1973

The meeting was called to order at 3 p.m. by Reverend Roberson. Sixteen (16) members, including officers, staff and heads of committees of First Christian Church, were present.

Bob Walsh offered opening prayer.

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6:00 Wednesday evening was agreed upon.

Calendar in office will carry schedule of activities.

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Discussion led to following proposals:

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GOOD COMMUNICATION BETWEEN PASTOR AND CONGREGATION

By

Thomas A. Wood

From VANGUARD, January/ February/ March, 1973

Many congregations and pastors are reluctant to see a pastoral relations committee established. But it may be that this is the solution to the important problem of communication between the congregation and the pastor. This very personal matter may be seen as a function of the elders. If the board of elders is small and if it is skilled and sensitive in personnel matters, the function is rightly placed. It may be better, however, if a highly selective committee of elders and perhaps others, appointed by the general board, is chosen to serve as a pastoral relations committee.

In a day when bureaucracy and organizational structures are under increasing attack, only the brave or the foolish dare propose another committee for the local church! But true bureaucracy is a structure of relationships and tasks developed in order to get the job done more effectively and efficiently. That precisely is the rationale for the establishment of a Pastoral Relations Committee.

The purpose of the Pastoral Relations Committee is to foster constructive communication between the congregation and its pastoral leadership and to provide a channel for implementing the congregation's responsibility for the professional and personal wellbeing of that leadership. The assumption here is that the effectiveness of the congregation's fulfillment of mission is enhanced when pastor-people relations are good, and that when those relations suffer, the mission suffers.

There is no denying the fact that tensions between pastor and people are disruptive to the Christian witness. Studies reveal that the vast majority of ministers suffer certain periods of extreme stress, the most frequent cause of which is a breakdown of communication and relationships with the laity.

These periods of stress and tension are resolved most frequently by a termination of the relationship. The minister moves on to another congregation or perhaps even accepts secular employment, but the problems of broken communication and relationships are not dealt with. This, in a sense, is a denial of love and thus a denial of the very gospel that congregation and minister have sought to promote.

An effective Pastoral Relations Committee will seek to strengthen pastor-people relationships through mutual exploration of the role of pastoral leadership. The frequent sequence of misunderstanding, gradual distrust and open conflict may be avoided, if early and consistently throughout a ministry, a group of persons are charged with responsibilities of looking carefully at the response of people-to-pastor and vice versa. Differences of opinion may be readily explored, and the task of the mutual ordering of priorities and programs may be worked out. Through

this process, the pastor may see more clearly the unwritten assumptions made regarding his or her ministry, and the Pastoral Relations Committee will be in a position to interpret more adequately that ministry to the congregation.

Another productive task of the Pastoral Relations Committee shall be to review annually the church's responsibility for its material and spiritual support of the ministry. Too often the congregation has no prescribed system for reviewing compensation. When the subject arises, it is dealt with in terms of budget building and financial limitations rather than in seeking to understand ministerial needs. The Pastoral Relations Committee, by virtue of its intent to know more intimately the life of its minister, is much more likely to approach this task from the perspective of the adequacy of compensation rather than from the limitations of budget.

Likewise, the committee should become the counselor to the minister in matters of continuing education and renewal and an advocate of this need before the congregation. As the pastor and the committee work together, they both bring insights to the needs of pastor and people.

The Pastoral Relations Committee should be rather small - no more than 5-7 members - and representative of a cross-section of the life of the congregation. It calls for persons of exceptional maturity and understanding. There is no room here for impatience or inflexibility. Frustrated "ex-ministers," strong and dominant personalities and persons with solidified opinions are not the kinds of persons who can deal sensitive openness in exploring problem areas of potential tension.

Ideally, the committee should have a rotating membership, both for the educational value it provides for the laity and to ensure new insights for its work.

The committee should meet regularly, on schedule, perhaps 3-4 times per year. The committee that meets only on call becomes a committee that deals only with problems already producing anxiety. It is a threat to the ministry and committee membership alike.

Some congregations have benefitted by using the Pastoral Relations Committee as the core around which a pulpit committee can be built when needed. The continued involvement and dialogue with the minister about ministry has given them an experience of significant value to the process of selecting new leadership.

Minutes of Meeting of PASTOR'S CABINET  
or  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Date April 1, 1973

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MINUTES OF MEETING OF PASTOR'S CABINET

April 29, 1973

The Pastor's Cabinet met in Dr. Roberson's office following the Sunday morning service on April 29, 1973. Following a prayer by Dr. Roberson, the following answered to roll call: D. E. Bayless, Alex Conyers, Glenn Johnston, Robert Walshe, Jack Bizzel, Jane Holbrook, Agnes Williams, Louise Caudill, Jane Caudill, Faith Fannin, Alice Cox, Grace Apel, Lou Stetler and Edna Ashcraft.

Reverend Roberson displayed a crowded calendar--with many activities outside the church. He asked the members of the Cabinet to study his calendar and help him make decisions as to what obligations he should assume and free him for time with his family. (He asked Mrs. Apel to prepare copies of his calendar for each member of the Cabinet.)

The minister also proposed that a group of young boys be trained to act as deacons and ushers. He suggested that deacons and or elders take over this responsibility.

Mr. Walshe said that a group of college students had asked to use the brick residence next door. Mr. Bayless moved that we recommend to the Board that the group be allowed to use the residence if there are no other commitments. Dr. Bizzel seconded the motion.

Mr. Walshe

Dr. Bizzel moved that we recommend to the Board that the Comprehensive Care group be allowed to use the basement of the church on May 4 is there is an overflow from a meeting at the University on that date. Motion was seconded by Dr. Bizzel.

Dr. Bizzel proposed that a letter be sent to the funeral homes, explaining our new policy and that it would be necessary to get permission from the minister before he was committed for a funeral.

Mrs. Williams proposed that a regularly scheduled dinner be planned, probably the first Sunday in the month.

There was a discussion of removing the gas line in the kitchen.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:45 following a prayer by Mr. Conyers.

*Alice Cox*

Alice Cox, Secretary

*Discussion of 7 E. Pg*

*A call from State office of CWF asking Dr. Roberson to provide a program on July 15 between 11-12 for a state meeting of CWF at Cape Ridge. The minister agreed to*

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April 30, 1973

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The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mr. Bayless.

The minutes of the March 26 meeting were approved as published.

Copies of the treasurer's report for the March 26 - April 30 period were distributed, showing a balance on hand of \$970.20. It was brought out that the fiscal year ends June 30 and that all pledges should be paid by that time.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Stewardship - No report. Chairman Glenn Johnston was asked to submit a tentative budget by May Board meeting.

Worship and Education - No report.

Pastor's Cabinet - Dr. Roberson reporting

No action was taken on recommendation from Pastor's Cabinet that brick residence be used by group of college students for their meetings. More information is needed concerning who is to be responsible.

The Comprehensive Care group has asked to use the basement for an overflow meeting on the University campus.

The minister is to inform them that there is a charge of \$10 for use of facilities.

After a discussion of need for closer fellowship as proposed in Pastor's Cabinet, Mrs. May Williams moved that we have a fellowship dinner on the first Sunday of each month following morning worship. Dr. Bizzel seconded motion. Motion carried and the members of the Board who were present agreed to contribute money for ham which May Williams agreed to have cooked and sliced. Other plans were made for the dinner.

NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Conyers reported that Mr. Robert Walshe's term of office on the United Campus Board is up but that Mr. Walshe reported that he is willing to continue serving. Mr. Reynolds moved that Mr. Walshe be reappointed to the Campus Ministry. Motion, seconded by Mr. Hunt, passed.

Property - Attention was called to the need of removing shrubbery around brick house.

- Dr. Johnston estimated that \$300 would be needed to put the apartment over garage in shape. New sink, new cabinet tops, new faucets in bathroom, new carpeting, new paint job and new mattress are among the things mentioned. Note: The Property Committee is to give a full report of recommendations concerning property at May Board meeting.

Father J. Hurst, Episcopal minister, has agreed to assume part-time directorship of the Campus ministry. The present director's salary has been paid by the Reformed Church but no more money will come from that source.

Mr. Conyers asked Mr. Bayless, <sup>Chairman of Elders</sup> Dr. Holbrook, <sup>Acting</sup> and Mrs. Holbrook to present the names of those to serve on the nominating committee from their respective groups.

*Chairman of Deacons*  
*Chairman of Deaconesses*

### Pastor's Cabinet

Mr. Conyers brought before the Board a recommendation made by the Pastor's Cabinet that the minister be given a day off each week. He has become involved with many activities in the church and outside. The Cabinet feels that the minister needs some time with his family, which should have priority in his overall schedule.

Mrs. Agnes Williams moved that the minister be given either Monday or Friday off depending upon his choice. Motion, seconded by Mr. Bowne, passed without a negative vote.

The minister looked at the Organization Chart of First Christian Church. He pointed out the importance of the Sunday School. We need new classes. We need improvement in education. Other areas to be improved: (1) fellowship; (2) study--at least 2 study retreats next year--one geared toward entire family; (3) spiritual life strengthened

Dr. Roberson explained that the Pastor's Cabinet is helping him make decisions, evaluating his professional responsibility in the church, in the community and in State agencies.

The meeting was closed at 8:35 with a prayer by Mr. Anderson.

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May 28, 1973

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The minutes of the April 30 meeting were approved as published.

Mrs. Apel distributed copies of the Treasurer's Report, covering the July 1, 1972 - May 28, 1973 period. She also included a report for April 30 - May 28, 1973 and an estimated list of expenditures for June. The balance on hand was given as \$1,052.99. Discussion of report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Stewardship - Agnes Williams reporting said that all members should be urged to give according to their ability. Mr. Conyers added his feeling about the importance of gifts.

Mr. Walshe proposed a questionnaire that might be sent to each church member.

Worship - Mr. Walshe said that Mary Jane Bowne is having the cross engraved. It is to be dedicated to Dr. Banks.

Pastor's Cabinet

Dr. Roberson said that the Pastor's Cabinet will be responsible for the pot luck dinner on Sunday, June 3. (This is the dinner that had been planned for a once-a-month affair) Every one is urged to come and bring a dish.

Mrs. Venettozzi is concerned about the music program. She has had no response to announcement in THE ECHO for people to sing in the choir.

According to present plans, CYF will have charge of a July all-church dinner meeting; CWF, August and September dinners.

Mr. Conyers <sup>reviewed</sup> revealed sequence of events relating to the Hogge property. He read statements prepared by Dr. Glenn Johnston and Dr. Jack Bizzel, urging the rental of the property.

The apartment and the frame house are on tax rolls but the brick house is not.

Dr. Johnston estimated that it would cost \$300 to bring the garage apartment into livable condition. He will repair the apartment without cost to the church.



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statement into trustee condition. He will review the statement with  
Dr. Johnson estimated that it would cost \$300 to print the same

is not.  
The statement and the same money are on tax rolls and the other money  
making the center of the property.  
He had agreements made by Dr. Glenn Johnson and Dr. Jack Bissett,  
Mr. Conley released sentence of events relating to the Home Property.

per minutes.  
July 27-28 church dinner meeting: Mrs. Vignar and Rebekah  
according to present plans. She will have copies of a

for books to give in the choir.  
She has had no response to announcement in the Echo  
Mrs. Anderson is concerned about the Home Property.

plan.  
month since. Each one is asked to come and bring a  
(This is the dinner that has been planned for a once-a-  
month for the last year dinner on Sunday, June 3.  
Dr. Johnson said that the pastor, a sermon will be re-

Pastor's Sermon

emphasized. It is to be dedicated to Dr. Baska.  
Mr. Majors said that Mrs. Lane would be reading the cross

Motors

to each church member.  
Mr. Majors proposed a questionnaire that would be sent

added his feeling about the importance of gifts.  
asked to give according to their ability. Mr. Conley

Remarks - Mrs. Williams reported said that all members should be

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Report.  
The balance on hand was given as \$1,025.00. Discussion of  
April 30 - May 31, 1953 and an estimated list of expenditures for  
July 1, 1953 - May 31, 1953 period. She also included a report for  
Mrs. Abel distributed copies of the Treasurer's report covering the  
The minutes of the April 30 meeting were approved as printed.

Dr. Johnson and Mrs. Abel were also present.  
Sister Hunt, M. H. Rice, Albert Bittel, Robert Majors and Mrs. Williams.  
Roll call: John Beck, D. E. Walters, Della Gidditt, Alex Conley,  
1:30 P.M. on May 31, 1953. The following board members announced to  
organization church was called to order by Alex Conley, president, at  
the regular scheduled meeting of the Board of Directors of the First

May 31, 1953  
Moberg, Kentucky  
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
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May 28, 1973

Mr. Conyers offered to spend \$500 on the white house. It needs to be painted inside and out. The wiring needs to be improved, and some work should be done on the porch.

Reverend Roberson told of several offers to rent the property. He was concerned that only one member of the Property Committee was present. In spite of the low attendance, he recommended that we go ahead with a vote on the property. He asked that Dr. DeCaria be contacted to see if he <sup>wants to</sup> rent garage apartment.

Agnes Williams moved that we immediately prepare the property for rental and that this decision (to rent) should be binding until July 1, 1974. Motion, seconded by Mr. Bayless, passed with one opposing vote. The Property Committee, W. H. Rice, chairman, will have charge of rental. Mr. Conyers agreed to work with Mr. Rice.

#### NEW BUSINESS

Copies of proposed budget for July 1, 1973 - June 30, 1974, were distributed and discussed. No action was taken. Dr. Roberson plans to present information concerning budget at special Board meeting following dinner on June 3.

Reverend Roberson expressed some concern about lack of support for choir. He also said the Junior Choir needs musical direction.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 following a prayer by Mr. Bayless.

*Alice Cox*

Alice Cox, Secretary

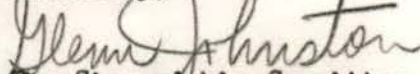
May 16, 1973

Mr. Robert Day  
306 East Main  
Morehead, Kentucky

Dear Mr. Day,

In reviewing the giving to the First Christian Church for the fiscal year 1972-73, The Stewardship Committee finds that you contributed \$500.00 toward the renovation of the sanctuary. This is a significant amount, and we would like to take this means to express our appreciation. It is through generous gifts of this type that the entire congregation and visitors can worship in a truly beautiful sanctuary. Thank you for your gift.

Sincerely,

  
The Stewardship Committee  
First Christian Church  
Glenn Johnston, Chairman

Yearly Report, July 1, 1972-May 28, 1973

<u>Receipts:</u>		Balance July 1, 1972	\$ 1,121.58
Pledges	\$21,957.35	Plus total receipts	34,385.35
Identifiable	7,898.59	Total	\$35,506.93
Loose	2,222.67	Less Disbursements	34,453.94
Sunday School	491.10	Balance May 28, 1973	\$ 1,052.99
Other	715.64		
Bldg.	1,100.00		
<u>Total</u>	<u>\$34,385.35</u>		

Disbursements

			Balance
<u>Church Administration</u>			
Pastor's Salary & Car	\$14,250.00	\$13,062.50	\$1,187.50
Pastor's Pension Fund	1,568.00	1,555.07	12.93
Church Secretary's Salary	1,680.00	1,540.00	140.00
Office Supplies + Bulletins	500.00	478.19	21.81
Typewriter	150.00	149.50	.50
Bookkeeping honorarium	240.00	220.00	20.00
Totals	<u>\$18,388.00</u>	<u>\$17,005.26</u>	<u>\$1,382.74</u>
<u>Property Department</u>			
Church Utilities	\$1,800.00	\$1,736.56	\$ 63.44
Parsonage Utilities	500.00	510.83	-10.83
Plant Repair, equip. etc	1,500.00	1,369.98	130.02
Organ Tuning etc	500.00	234.00	266.00
Cleaning	1,040.00	802.80	237.20
Insurance	1,000.00	344.00	656.00
Totals	<u>\$6,340.00</u>	<u>\$4,998.17</u>	<u>\$1,341.83</u>
<u>Stewardship and Finance</u>			
Note retirement	\$5,163.92	\$5,124.77	\$ 39.15
Miscellaneous	100.00	81.80	18.20
Totals	<u>\$5,263.92</u>	<u>\$5,206.57</u>	<u>\$ 57.35</u>
<u>World Outreach</u>			
Unified Promotion	\$3,600.00	\$2,100.00	\$1,500.00
Composite Capital	600.00	100.00	500.00
Christian Church Homes	300.00	50.00	250.00
Councils 4 @ \$20	80.00	80.00	
Local Ministry	500.00	270.54	229.46
Totals	<u>\$5,080.00</u>	<u>\$2,600.54</u>	<u>\$2,479.46</u>
<u>Worship and Services</u>			
Organist's Salary	\$1,300.00	1,190.00	\$ 110.00
Choir Director's Salary	1,300.00	1,200.00	100.00
Nursery Attendant	260.00	200.00	60.00
Masic	80.00	108.61	- 28.61
Broadcast Line Charge	120.00	110.00	10.00
Public Address System	500.00	65.48	434.52
Flowers	200.00	130.15	69.85
Guest Ministers	100.00	35.50	64.50
Miscellaneous	200.00	203.37	- 3.37
Totals	<u>\$4,060.00</u>	<u>\$3,243.11</u>	<u>\$ 816.89</u>
<u>Education Department</u>			
Recreation	\$ 500.00	\$ 492.98	7.02
Sunday School Supplies (includes Secret Place)	320.00	298.85	21.15
Bus Maintenance	300.00	50.00	250.00
Bus Insurance	200.00	196.00	4.00
Education - Miscellaneous	300.00	142.46	157.54
Christian Action	200.00	220.00	- 20.00
Totals	<u>\$1,820.00</u>	<u>\$1,400.29</u>	<u>\$ 419.71</u>
<u>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>\$40,951.92</u>	<u>\$34,453.94</u>	<u>\$6,497.98</u>

Monthly Report April 30 - May 28, 1973

<u>Receipts:</u>		Balance April 30, 1973	\$ 970.20
Pledges	\$2,670.20	Plus receipts	3,748.14
Identifiable	689.61	Total	\$4,718.34
Loose Offering	126.87	Less Disbursements	3,665.35
Sunday School	30.51	Balance, May 28, 1973	\$1,052.99
Jr. Choir Parents	70.00		
Gift for retired			
Minister	26.95		
Memorial Cross	134.00		
	<u>\$3,748.14</u>		

<u>Disbursements:</u>	
Salaries, pension, cleaning, mowing	\$1,795.87
Office Materials	68.09
Stewardship	59.35
Unified Promotion	1,000.00
Memorial Cross	133.75
WMKY radio	10.00
Parents dinner	70.00
Sunday School mtls & Secret Place	69.93
Utilities	195.68
Insurance	143.00
Music	35.78
Plant, repair, keys + Orkin	40.35
Flowers	23.50
Youth Work	20.05
Total Exp.	<u>\$3,665.35</u>

Estimated May Expenditures

Unified Promotion	\$1,500.00
Composite Capital	500.00
Christian Church Homes	250.00
Ferguson Electronics (bal)	500.00
M.U.P.B. - Church	30.00
M.U.P.B. - Parsonage	20.00
Kentucky Utilities - Church	40.00
Ky. Utilities - Parsonage	30.00
Telephone - Church	40.00
Mimeograph Ink	4.50
Baptismal & Membership certificates	4.50
Pension Fund	141.37
Minister's Salary and Car	1,191.50
Church Secretary's Salary	140.00
Bookkeeping honorarium	20.00
Choir Director's Salary	100.00
Organist (& sub) Salary	95.00
Nursery Attendant	16.00
Cleaning	60.00
Cutting Grass	16.00
Set aside for note retirement	900.00
Total estimates exp.	<u>\$5,598.87</u>
Estimated income:	
Outstanding pledges	\$2,955.35
Bal on hand May 28	1,052.99
Est. Loose Offering	120.00
Est. Identifiable	600.00
Sunday School	30.00
Total	<u>\$4,858.34</u>

IF the Sunday offerings come in as expected we will be short about \$740.53

Respectfully Submitted:

Grace T. Apel  
Bookkeeper

Note: The above does not include insurance which is being reconsidered.

Minutes of Special Meeting  
of  
Board of Directors  
First Christian Church

June 3, 1973

The special board meeting of the Board of Directors of the First Christian Church was called for 1 p.m. on June 3, 1973 by Reverend Roberson to discuss the budget for the fiscal year 1973-74. Alex Conyers, president, presided. The following Board members were present: D. E. Bayless, Andre Bowne, Jane Caudill, Louise Caudill, C. G. Clayton, Billie Jean Clayton, Alex Conyers, Harold Holbrook, Jane Holbrook, Cecil Hunt, N. C. Marsh, W. H. Rice, Robert Walshe, and May Williams. Reverend Roberson was also present.

Mr. Conyers presented copies of the budget for 1973-74 and discussion followed. Mr. Conyers said that Mrs. Apel, church secretary, has asked to be relieved of the bookkeeping duties. She also said her hours in the office have been increased. After discussion, it was proposed to increase her salary to \$2,100 and continue the honorarium of \$240 contingent upon her willingness to continue the clerical work and the duties she is performing now.

Reverend Roberson said we should set our goals toward increasing our World Outreach.

Reverend Roberson proposed that a committee be formed to decide where we are going musically and what we are to do. Mrs. Venettozzi needs help.

Mr. Conyers urged that we make plans to get the rest room out of the kitchen but this item was not included in the budget. He also said that the brick house is being rented for June, July and August for \$100 and for \$200 beginning in September. The garage apartment would be rented for \$80 per month, including utilities.

Mr. Walshe moved that the budget be adopted with changes indicated. Motion, seconded by Mr. Bowne, passed.

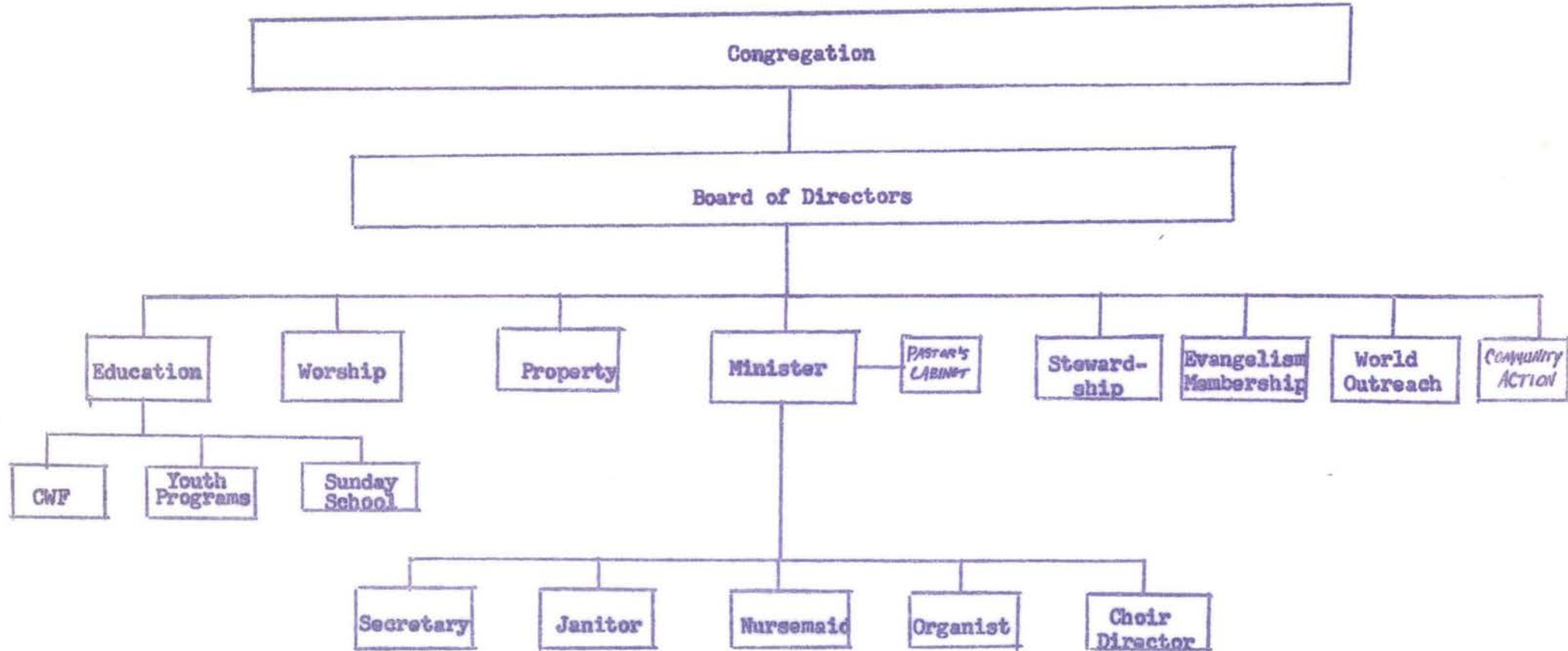
The meeting was adjourned at 1:45 after a prayer by Dr. Roberson.

*Alice Cox*

Alice Cox, Secretary to Board

First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.

Organization Chart



June 10, 1973

TO THE SECRETARY

I tried to rearrange some of the material in this book. The material relating to Campus Ministry, Marriage Service, Use of Building are in the back of the book.

On the roster of the Official Board I wrote telephone numbers and wives' names since I talked with them when I called about Board meetings.

Why all the check marks?

When I contacted a Board member about meeting, I placed check mark on vertical line following name. When I called the roll, I placed check mark in space under date of meeting.

I have neglected to call Mr. Ruley or to call his name at meetings. You might find out from Roy what you should do. Note that Mr. Ruley is listed as an honorary member.

Mr. Cline asked me to call his office and have his secretary place meeting date on his calendar.

Have fun!

*Alice Cox*



Proposed Budget  
July 1, 1972 - June 30, 1973

EXPENDITURES

<u>Church Administration</u>			
Pastor's Salary		\$14,250.00	
Pension Fund		1,568.00	
Secretary's Salary		1,680.00	
Office Expenses			
General Supplies	\$ 500.00		
Typewriter	150.00		
Secretary's Honorarium	240.00	890.00	\$18,388.00
<u>Property Department</u>			
Utilities			
Church	1,800.00		
Parsonage	500.00	2,300.00	
Repairs			
Plant	1,500.00		
Organ	500.00	2,000.00	
Cleaning		1,040.00	
Insurance		1,000.00	6,340.00
<u>Stewardship and Finance</u>			
Debt Retirement		5,163.92	
Miscellaneous		100.00	5,263.92
<u>World Outreach</u>			
Unified Promotion		3,600.00	
Composite Capital		600.00	
Local Ministry		500.00	
Christian Church Homes		300.00	
Councils			
World Council	20.00		
National Council	20.00		
Kentucky Council	20.00		
Christmount	20.00	80.00	5,080.00
<u>Worship and Services</u>			
Organist's Salary		1,300.00	
Choir Director's Salary		1,300.00	
P. A. System		500.00	
Nursemaid's Salary		260.00	
Flowers		200.00	
Broadcast Line Charge		120.00	
Guest Ministers		100.00	
Music		80.00	
Miscellaneous		200.00	4,060.00
<u>Education</u>			
Recreation and Service		500.00	
Church School Supplies		320.00	
Bus Maintenance		300.00	
Bus Insurance		200.00	
Miscellaneous		300.00	1,620.00
<u>Christian Action and Community Service</u>			
Miscellaneous		200.00	200.00
Total			\$40,951.92

Expenditures - July 1, 1972-June 30, 1973

	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Spent</u>	<u>Balance</u>
<u>Church Administration</u>			
Pastor's Salary and Car	\$14,250.00	\$14,250.00	\$
Pension Fund	1,568.00	1,696.44	- 128.44
Secretary's Salary	1,680.00	1,680.00	
Office Supplies & Bulletins	500.00	498.09	1.91
Typewriter	150.00	149.50	.50
Bookkeeping honorarium	240.00	240.00	
Totals	<u>18,388.00</u>	<u>18,514.03</u>	<u>- 126.03</u>
<u>Property Department</u>			
Church Utilities	1,800.00	1,858.04	- 58.04
Parsonage Utilities	500.00	565.90	- 65.90
Plant repair, supplies, equip.	1,500.00	1,459.71	40.29
Organ	500.00	234.00	266.00
Cleaning	1,040.00	862.80	177.20
Insurance	1,000.00	344.00	656.00
Totals	<u>6,340.00</u>	<u>5,324.45</u>	<u>1,015.55</u>
<u>Stewardship and Finance</u>			
Debt Service	5,163.92	5,374.77	- 210.85
Miscellaneous	100.00	81.90	18.10
Totals	<u>5,263.92</u>	<u>5,456.67</u>	<u>- 192.75</u>
<u>World Outreach</u>			
Unified Promotion	3,600.00	3,600.00	
Composite Capital	600.00	600.00	
Christian Church Homes in Ky.	300.00	300.00	
Councils	80.00	80.00	
Local Ministry	500.00	406.92	93.08
Totals	<u>5,080.00</u>	<u>4,986.92</u>	<u>93.08</u>
<u>Worship and Services</u>			
Organist's Salary	1,300.00	1,285.00	15.00
Choir Director's Salary	1,300.00	1,300.00	
Nursery Attendant	260.00	200.00	60.00
Music	80.00	108.61	- 28.61
Broadcast Line Charge	120.00	120.00	
Public Address System	500.00	265.48	234.52
Flowers	200.00	131.40	68.60
Guest Ministers	100.00	35.50	64.50
Miscellaneous	200.00	203.37	- 3.37
Total	<u>4,060.00</u>	<u>3,649.36</u>	<u>410.64</u>
<u>Education Department</u>			
Sunday School Materials	320.00	298.75	21.25
Recreation	500.00	492.98	7.02
Education, Miscellaneous	300.00	142.46	157.54
Bus Maintenance	300.00	110.59	189.41
Bus Insurance	200.00	196.00	4.00
Christian Action and Service	200.00	228.50	- 28.50
Totals	<u>1,820.00</u>	<u>1,469.28</u>	<u>350.72</u>
Grand Totals	<u>\$40,951.92</u>	<u>\$39,400.71</u>	<u>\$1,551.21</u>

Respectfully submitted,

Graco T. Apel  
Bookkeeper

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
July 1, 1972 - June 30, 1973

Beginning balance, July 1, 1972.....		\$ 1,121.58
Plus total receipts:		<u>38,806.46</u>
	Total	\$39,928.04
<b>Receipts:</b>		
	Less Expenditures	<u>39,400.71</u>
Pledges	\$24,945.82	
Identifiable	8,833.59	Balance, June 25, 1973
Loose Offering	2,339.80	\$ <u>527.33</u>
Sunday School	521.61	
Other	815.64	
Sanctuary Indebtedness	<u>1,350.00</u>	
Total Receipts	<u>\$38,806.46</u>	

Respectfully submitted

Grace T. Apel, bookkeeper

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8,833.59	2,339.80	521.61
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815.64	1,350.00	38,806.46
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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF MOREHEAD, INC.  
SPECIAL FUND  
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1973

CASH RECEIPTS

Cash Donations	\$43,620.00
Proceeds from Loans	35,000.00
Pledge Payments	1,250.00
Rental Property	<u>1,074.52</u>

Total Cash Receipts

\$80,944.52

CASH EXPENDITURES

Property Payment	\$75,000.00
Loan Repayments	3,155.00
Interest	1,013.92
Utilities	327.33
Insurance	79.00
Utility Deposits	70.00
Repairs and Maintenance	32.00
Miscellaneous	<u>47.75</u>

Total Cash Expenditures

79,725.00

CASH BALANCE JUNE 30, 1973

\$ 1,219.52

## PREAMBLE

We, the members of the First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc., a congregationally-governed body, in order to promote the work of the church in the spirit of Christ and thus advance his Kingdom, do hereby adopt this constitution.

## ARTICLE I. NAME AND PURPOSE

### Section A. Name.

The name of this non-profit corporation is and shall be First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc., affiliated with the brotherhood known as the Disciples of Christ and committed to the historic principles of this body whose local congregations are variously known as Christian Churches, Churches of Christ, or Disciples of Christ.

### Section B. Address.

The principal office and place of business is to be located at 227 East Main Street, Morehead, Kentucky, 40351.

### Section C. Purpose.

The nature of the business proposed to be transacted, promoted, and carried on is to promote the cause of Christian religion, to provide a place of worship for its members (Christian Church - Disciples of Christ) to be conducted in accordance with the rules and bylaws of the First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.; to own, lease, mortgage, and otherwise maintain suitable real estate and buildings for its purposes, and to do all things necessary and incident thereto; to receive, hold and disburse gifts, bequests and other funds for and on behalf of the said church. It is further provided that the purpose of this corporation is to execute all the power conferred by the Articles of Incorporation, the bylaws of the corporation, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky pertaining to corporations organized for non-profit as provided under Chapter 273 of KRS as heretofore set forth.

### Section D. Duration.

The duration of the corporation shall be perpetual unless sooner dissolved as provided by law.

### Section E. Agent.

The name and address of the agent upon whom process and other papers may be served upon the corporation is found in the Articles of Incorporation.

## ARTICLE II MEMBERSHIP

The membership of this church shall consist of those who are now identified as members of the congregation and those who shall unite with it by baptism or by transfer of membership.

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? ~~Those members who fail to take some identification with the congregation by attendance, support or participation in some phase of the church program for one year shall be placed on the "inactive" membership.~~

Persons temporarily located in this community who do not desire membership may at their desire, become "affiliate" members.

## ARTICLE III. ELDERS, DECONS, DEACONESSES

### Section A. Election.

The Elders, Deacons, and Deaconesses shall be elected by the congregation at its annual meeting and will serve as members of the Board of Directors:

1. Elders: for a term of three years, one third of whom shall be elected each year.
2. Deacons: for a term of three years, one third of whom shall be elected each year.
3. Deaconesses: for a term of three years, one third of whom shall be elected each year.

### Section B. Duties.

1. The Elders, in cooperation with functional committees, shall promote the growth and welfare of the church, give spiritual oversight to the members with respect to regular attendance at the Lord's Supper, visitation of the sick and concern for the morally delinquent and spiritually indifferent; give thoughtful consideration to the policies of the church that will enable it to fulfill its complete mission; encourage by example and word the missionary, evangelistic, educational and stewardship responsibilities of the church; serve at the Lord's Table; and perform such other duties as may be assigned.

2. The Deacons, in cooperation with functional committees, shall cooperate with the Elders in promoting the growth and welfare of the church; assisting in the greeting and ushering of the worshippers; distribute the Lord's Supper and receive the offerings; assist in financial canvasses, visitation projects and preparation of candidates for baptism; give counsel and service in the business affairs and program activities of the church; cooperate in ministering to the needy; and perform such other duties as may be assigned.

Article III Continued

3. The Deaconesses, in cooperation with functional committees, shall perform the same general duties as the Deacons and cooperate with them in promoting the growth and welfare of the church; take responsibility for the preparation and care of the communion service; minister to families in time of sickness or bereavement; counsel and serve in the business affairs and program activities of the church; and perform such other duties as may be assigned.

*officially*

→ Section C. Nominating Committee

*Name instead of (see note)*

ARTICLE IV. BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

Section A. Board of Directors.

*Does this mean that if only 5 were C they would represent a quorum for doing*  
*EX*

The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors consisting of not less than five (5) members of the congregation of the First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc., constituted as follows:

Such a number of Elders, Deacons, and Deaconesses as may be selected from time to time.

The presiding officers of such of the other church organizations as may be added.

Section B. Powers.

The Board of Directors shall have power to make all such bylaws and rules to regulate the business of the corporation as will not be inconsistent with the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation, its bylaws and the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Section C. Exemptions.

The members and officers of this corporation shall be forever exempt from all corporation debts of any kind whatsoever. No part of the property or assets of the corporation shall ever inure to the personal benefit of the members, officers, and directors of this corporation.

Section D. Officers of the Board of Directors.

The officers of this corporation shall be a president, vice president, secretary and a treasurer.

*Who are they?*

Section E. Election of Officers.

The Board of Directors shall, at their first annual meeting, elect one of their members as president, another vice president, another treasurer, and another secretary. Persons elected to these offices shall continue for a term of one year or until their successors are elected.



To be included in ARTICLE III.

Section C. Nomination Committee.

A nominating committee composed of one Elder, one Deacon, one Deaconess, and one young person, selected by their respective groups, and three representatives of the congregation shall be appointed by the President for the purpose of selecting nominees for Elders, Deacons, and Deaconesses, and presenting said nominees to the first annual meeting of the congregation for its approval.

The congregation will be permitted to write in names of other nominees. In the event additional nominations are made, selection will be made by secret ballot.

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Article IV Continued

Section F. Term of Office.

The term of office ~~for officers~~ will be for one year. No officer shall serve for more than three consecutive terms.

Section G. Duties of Officers.

1. The President shall fulfill the usual duties of such an officer, call and preside at all regular meetings or call meeting of the Board of Directors, and shall be ex-officio member of all committees selected by the Board of Directors.

2. The Vice President shall fulfill the usual duties of such an officer and in the absence of the President shall assume all the duties and prerogatives of the President.

3. The Secretary shall keep minutes of all regular or special business meetings of the Board of Directors, <sup>2</sup>meetings of the congregation, keep a record of all its regular or called meetings, <sup>3</sup>inform members of meetings and committee appointments, and such other duties as may be assigned.

4. The Treasurer shall disburse all funds of the church according to the authority designated to him by the Board of Directors, serve as a member of the stewardship committee, make regular reports at each regular meeting of the ~~general~~ Board of Directors, and a yearly report to the church.

Section H. Nominating Committee.

The President shall appoint a nominating committee of not less than three (3) members from the Board of Directors at the last regular meeting of the current year for the purpose of selecting nominees for offices of the Board of Directors for the coming year.

At the first meeting of the new church year, the nominating committee shall report its nominations to the Board of Directors for their consideration. In the event, additional nominations are made, selection will be made by secret ballot.

ARTICLE V. THE MINISTER

Section A. Duties.

The minister of the church shall perform the duties which usually pertain to that office, and as spiritual administrator of the church he shall be an ex-officio member of all organized groups, auxiliaries, committees, and shall serve as chief administrative officer of the church staff as directed by the Board of Directors.

Article V Continued

Section B. Selection.

The minister shall be chosen by the church in the following manner:

1. A representative committee nominated by the President and elected by the Board of Directors, shall serve as the pulpit committee and be responsible for recommending a prospective minister to the Board of Directors.

2. The Board of Directors shall consider the recommendation of the pulpit committee and if approved recommend the prospective minister to the church. It shall be the policy of the church to consider only one prospective minister at a time.

3. The recommendation of the Board of Directors must be accepted by at least a two-thirds majority of members present and voting in a regular or special business meeting of the church before a call may be extended.

4. The term of his ministry shall be for an indefinite period and may be terminated by either party upon sixty days notice. A written statement setting forth salary to be paid and other conditions of the call shall be made in duplicate, one copy for the minister and one for the church.

ARTICLE VI. MEETINGS

Section A. Meetings to be held.

The church shall hold an annual business meeting within the first fifteen days of the first month of the church year. Special meetings may be called by the President, the Vice President, or upon request of the Board of Directors or written petition of forty or more members of the church.

Section B. Notice.

Notice of regular or special business meetings of the congregation shall be given at a regular Sunday Service of the church at least one week in advance of the meeting.

Section C. Rules of Order.

All business meetings of the church and the Board of Directors shall be governed by Robert's Rules of Order, Revised.

ARTICLE VII. AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be amended at any business meeting of the Board of Directors by a two-thirds vote of those present, provided that no amendment shall be voted on unless the same shall have been submitted in writing at least one regular meeting prior to the time of voting on same.

If any such amendment shall be approved by the Board of Directors as set out herein, the same shall be submitted to the congregation at a regular Sunday Service and if approved, such an amendment shall be immediately become a part of this constitution.

BY-LAWS

I. The church year shall begin on July 1.

II. The Board of Directors shall hold its regular meetings on the fourth Tuesday night of each month. It shall hold special meetings as required on call of the President or upon request of nine or more members of the Board of Directors. It shall consider nine members of the Board of Directors as constituting a quorum.

III. The plan of procedure for administering the church program shall be as follows:

A. The task of administering the program of the church shall be delegated to the following functional committees:

1. Worship and Devotional Life.
2. Christian Education.
3. Evangelism and Membership Development.
4. Missions and Benevolences.
5. Stewardship.
6. Property.

B. All committees shall perform such duties as may be assigned them by the Board of Directors but no committee shall be authorized to create an indebtedness for which the Board of Directors would be liable without previous ~~express~~ express authorization of and by the Board of Directors.

C. Special committees shall be appointed when needed.

D. The membership of each functional committee shall be selected in the following manner, subject to the confirmation of the Board of Directors:

1. The President, Vice President, Secretary, and Minister shall constitute a committee to select the respective committee chairmen.

2. This committee shall then act with the respective committee chairman in the selection of the members of each committee.

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Minutes of Regular Monthly Meeting  
of  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
Morehead, Kentucky

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the First Christian Church, Morehead, Kentucky, was held at 7:30 on July 23, 1973, with Alex Conyers, president presiding. The following were present: Jack E. Bizzel, Andre Bowne, Mary Jane Bowne, Alex Conyers, Edith Conyers, Faith Fannin, Larry Fannin, Glenn Johnston, Harry Mayhew, Helen Patrick, Roy Roberson, Virgil Ruley, Ron Walke, Bob Walshe, Agnes Williams and May Williams.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Reverend Roberson.

Mr. Conyers expressed his appreciation to the Board for their support during his term as president. Then he called upon Agnes Williams, chairman of the nominating committee, for its report. Other members of nominating committee were Harry Mayhew and Harold Holbrook. Mrs. Williams presented the following slate of officers: President, Elmer Anderson; Vice President, Larry Fannin; Treasurer, Alex Conyers; Secretary - no nomination. After some discussion Helen Patrick agreed to act as secretary to the Board. There were no nominations from the floor. Dr. Bizzel moved that we elect those named above by acclamation. Motion passed.

Mr. Anderson asked Mr. Conyers to conduct the business for this meeting.

Mr. Conyers read a part of an audit report of the church records prepared by Mr. Stephen C. Huntsberger, Certified Public Accountant, which pointed out several weaknesses and gave recommendations. One weakness and recommendations are as follows:

Weakness - The offerings on Sunday mornings are collected, counted, deposited and recorded by the bookkeeper.

Recommendation - The members of the church board should collect the the church offering each Sunday and count it. Then they should prepare a list showing the source of the offering in duplicate. One copy would be kept by the Board and one given to the bookkeeper. Then the two board members would prepare the deposit and deposit the funds.

Dr. Bizzel reported that Mrs. Apel wants to be relieved of all bookkeeping duties. She will be glad to help train a new secretary. Discussion followed during which time Reverend Roberson expressed his confidence in Mrs. Apel and said that she would probable be willing to continue the secretarial job.

During the discussion of the bookkeeping duties, it was estimated that 10 hours a week would be required for them. Mr. Conyers agreed to make the deposits for awhile.

The treasurer reported a balance on hand on July 22 of \$1750.10. This balance is short \$1215.72 of the amount needed to meet all items that should be paid by July 31.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Stewardship - Dr. Johnston reported that \$16,004 have been pledged on cards. All cards have not been returned.

Property - Reported by Mr. Conyers and the minister.  
A concrete cap has been placed on a well that was open back of the white frame house.

The garage apartment is not rented.

The white house has been rented for \$100 a month; the brick house is being rented to Dr. James Jackson for \$100 until September when Dr. Jackson will occupy the house. Then the rent will be increased to \$200.

Mr. Conyers asked permission to build a concrete walk between the garage apartment and the church. No one expressed opposition.

Reverend Roberson said that the gutters have been cleaned out at the parsonage. Garage will be painted. Fence will be built between parsonage and Mayhalls to get people out of habit of walking through the yard.

Worship - Mr. Conyers reported the following results of the Opinion Survey which was made on July 15, 1973:

(1) Should elders be appointed for life: YES 19 NO 12

(2) Should women serve as elders: YES 22 NO 11

Reverend Roberson explained that an "elder" ordained is ordained for life. He is set apart as an individual is set apart for the ministry. A "deacon" is elected by the church to perform practical duties or to be the work horse for the church.

Pastor's Cabinet - The minister reported a very successful Bible School. On July 18 the children presented a program at Cand Ridge. Their picture will appear in Kentucky Christian.

The Sunday School will start at 9:30 and run a full hour so that there will be enough time for instruction. There will be a teacher training session in the fall. Dr. Cunningham and Dr. Falls will be added to the teaching staff.

Mr. Conyers recognized Dr. Roberson's excellent presentation on July 15 and 16.

Minutes of Regular Board Meeting  
July 23, 1973  
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Dr. Bizzel suggested that some word concerning the offering be said before the plates are passed. Discussion followed, and the minister agreed that some plan should be worked out before next Sunday.

Mr. Anderson expressed his appreciation to the nominating committee for recommending him for the presidency of the Board and said that "with the help of God and with your support we will get the job done."

Reverend Roberson responded that "was a beautiful statement from Elmer."

The minister asked that we remember the sick in our prayers.

Dr. Roberson recognized Mr. and Mrs. Conyers who were chosen by the Lions Club as OUTSTANDING CITIZENS OF ROWAN COUNTY. They were praised by the minister.

Mr. Anderson asked for a meeting with Reverend Roberson and the new vice president Larry Fannin.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 following a prayer by Dr. Johnston.

*Alice Cox*

Alice Cox, Acting Secretary

First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.  
Annual Congregation Meeting  
July 15, 1973

The annual meeting of the congregation of the First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc. met immediately following the worship service on July 15, 1973. Alex D. Conyers, president, presided.

Copies (attached) of the general fund and the special fund financial reports were distributed.

The Nominating Committee report (attached) was presented by Jack Bizzel. It was pointed out that we are moving to twelve deaconesses and that on the ballots we should vote for four. The four deaconesses with the highest number of votes will serve three years; the remaining two will serve two years.

Helen Patrick nominated Warren Lappin as an honorary deacon. Glenn Johnston seconded the nomination.

Mabel Reynolds moved that the vote on honorary deacons be for three honorary deacons. Glenn Johnston seconded the motion which carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

*Edith P. Conyers*

Edith P. Conyers  
Acting Secretary



FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF MOREHEAD, INC.  
 GENERAL FUND  
 STATEMENT OF CASH EXPENDITURES  
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1973

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Over (Under) Budget</u>
<u>Church Administration</u>			
Pastor's Salary and Car	\$14,250.00	\$14,250.00	\$ -0-
Pension Fund	1,568.00	1,696.44	128.44
Secretary's Salary	1,680.00	1,680.00	-0-
Office Supplies and Bulletins	500.00	498.09	(1.91)
Typewriter	150.00	149.50	(.50)
Bookkeeping Honorarium	240.00	240.00	-0-
Department Total	<u>\$18,388.00</u>	<u>\$18,514.03</u>	<u>\$ 126.03</u>
<u>Property Department</u>			
Church Utilities	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,858.04	\$ 58.04
Parsonage Utilities	500.00	565.90	65.90
Plant Repair, Supplies, Equipment	1,500.00	1,459.71	(40.29)
Organ	500.00	234.00	(266.00)
Cleaning	1,040.00	862.80	(177.20)
Insurance	1,000.00	844.00	(156.00)
Department Total	<u>\$ 6,340.00</u>	<u>\$ 5,824.45</u>	<u>\$ (515.25)</u>
<u>Stewardship and Finance</u>			
Debt Service	\$ 5,163.92	\$ 5,374.77	\$ 210.85
Miscellaneous	100.00	81.90	(18.10)
Department Total	<u>\$ 5,263.92</u>	<u>\$ 5,456.67</u>	<u>\$ 192.75</u>
<u>World Outreach</u>			
Unified Promotion	\$ 3,600.00	\$ 3,600.00	-0-
Composite Capital	600.00	600.00	-0-
Christian Church Homes in Ky.	300.00	300.00	-0-
Councils	80.00	80.00	-0-
Local Ministry	500.00	406.92	(93.08)
Department Total	<u>\$ 5,080.00</u>	<u>\$ 4,986.92</u>	<u>\$ (93.08)</u>
<u>Worship and Services</u>			
Organist's Salary	\$ 1,300.00	\$ 1,285.00	\$ (15.00)
Choir Director's Salary	1,300.00	1,300.00	-0-
Nursery Attendant	260.00	200.00	(60.00)
Music	80.00	108.61	28.61
Broadcast Line Charge	120.00	120.00	-0-
Public Address System	500.00	265.48	(234.52)
Flowers	200.00	131.40	(68.60)
Guest Ministers	100.00	35.50	(64.50)
Miscellaneous	200.00	203.37	3.37
Department Total	<u>\$ 4,060.00</u>	<u>\$ 3,649.36</u>	<u>\$ (410.64)</u>
<u>Education Department</u>			
Sunday School Materials	\$ 320.00	\$ 298.75	\$ (21.25)
Recreation	500.00	492.98	(7.02)
Education, Miscellaneous	300.00	142.46	(157.54)
Bus Maintenance	300.00	110.59	(189.41)
Bus Insurance	200.00	196.00	(4.00)
Christian Action and Service	200.00	228.50	28.50
Department Total	<u>\$ 1,820.00</u>	<u>\$ 1,469.28</u>	<u>\$ (350.72)</u>
Total for All Departments	<u>\$40,951.92</u>	<u>\$39,900.71</u>	<u>(\$1,051.21)</u>

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF MOREHEAD, INC.  
SPECIAL FUND  
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1973

CASH RECEIPTS

Cash Donations	\$43,620.00
Proceeds from Loans	35,000.00
Pledge Payments	1,250.00
Rental Property	<u>1,074.52</u>

Total Cash Receipts

\$80,944.52

CASH EXPENDITURES

Property Payment	\$75,000.00
Loan Repayments	3,155.00
Interest	1,013.92
Utilities	327.33
Insurance	79.00
Utility Deposits	70.00
Repairs and Maintenance	32.00
Miscellaneous	<u>47.75</u>

Total Cash Expenditures

79,725.00

CASH BALANCE JUNE 30, 1973

\$ 1,219.52

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BALLOT

DEACONS FOR THREE YEARS

Vote for six (6):

- \_\_\_ Hubert Allen
- \_\_\_ Andre Bowne
- \_\_\_ Rondal Hart
- \_\_\_ Cecil Hunt
- \_\_\_ Harry Mayhew
- \_\_\_ Wilford Waltz
- \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

DEACONESSES FOR THREE YEARS

Vote for four (4):

- \_\_\_ Mary Jane Bowne
- \_\_\_ Jane Caudill
- \_\_\_ Edith Conyers
- \_\_\_ Faith Fannin
- \_\_\_ Mary Alice Jayne
- \_\_\_ Helen Patrick
- \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

HONORARY DEACONS: Vote for two (2):

- \_\_\_ Nathan Gullett
- \_\_\_ W. H. Rice
- \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

OPINION SURVEY:

1. Should Elders be appointed for life? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_
2. Should women serve as Elders? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Dear friends, This is to convey my earnest thanks to every family of the official board of the church for the friendly reception given the rest of us at the dinner served on Sunday.

It was most beautiful and delicious and satisfying - I was glad to be there with my long-standing and newly-made friends -

Sincerely,

Opal B. Banks



On Sunday Morning January 7, some of the young people who staff the Human Concerns Office of the First Christian Church, Morehead, dedicated a new wheel chair, five sets of crutches and two canes. The Medical aids will be distributed by the young people free of charge to people in Rowan County in need. The young members of the Human Concerns staff have set five wheel chairs as a goal to be achieved before 1974. Pictured above immediately after dedication are: Standing: Left to Right: Glenn Proudfoot, Jamie Lucke, Anita Johnston, Audrey Phillips, Rachael Fulbright, Roy Roberson, Minister, First Christian Church. Seated: Virginia Beth Landreth.

March 15, 1973

## ROY ROBERSON HONORED AT MOREHEAD

Roy Roberson, minister of the First Christian Church at Morehead was honored by his community as the Outstanding Young Man for 1972 in Rowan County.

The award was made by the Morehead Jaycees. The award is based on the person's contribution to his profession and the general welfare of the people.

He serves as chaplain to the Morehead Girls Center, founded the Youth-Human Concerns Office, served as campaign director for the Morehead United Fund, a board member of the Rowan County Committee for Exceptional Children, vice-president of the Morehead Ministerial Association and a member of the Kiwanis Club.

His church activities include serving as district president and a representative of the Christian Church on the Kentucky Commission for United Ministries in Higher Education.



E C H O

First Christian Church Morehead, Kentucky

March 9, 1972

CYF AND COLLEGE TAKE ON IMPORTANT PROJECT

The CYF and college groups at First Christian Church have approved a special "sharing clinic" in the basement of the church. The clinic is designed to help provide clothes, toys, and food for needy families in Rowan County. The young people have been in a study session for six weeks designed to train them for working in the center.

In addition to the items listed above the office will also handle calling elderly people in our community who are alone, and providing help for itinerant and stranded people in our town. Donations needed for the clinic: diapers or pampers, baby formula (all kinds) blankets.

Pictured above:

Bobby Wells,  
Dick Patrick  
Audrey Phillips  
Jamie Lucke  
Sherry Hill  
Valerie Bohling  
Leslie Smith  
Cindy Carr

Virginia Landroth  
Tommy Queen  
Anita Johnston  
Kim Behling  
Cindy Queen  
Elizabeth Davis  
Glenn Proudfoot

Others not pictured  
include:  
Sandi Williams  
Janie Queen  
Robin Razor  
Jim Fred Cassity  
Paul Fulbright  
Bill Davis

SPECIAL SUNDAY EVENING PIE SUPPER  
FEATURING  
MIDWAY COLLEGE FOLK SINGERS

On Sunday evening, March 19 at 6:30 we will have a special "pie" (bring your favorite home-made) and "dessert" supper for the entire church. Eat dinner at home and then come and enjoy dessert and coffee with the rest of the members of our congregation. After dessert, the 40 voice folk ensemble from Midway Junior College will sing for us. At the close of the evening the minister will inform the congregation about the "fulfilling our spiritual potential" campaign to be held in the spring.

COME AND ENJOY AN EVENING OF FELLOWSHIP!!



It was a Merry Christmas for everyone in Echoland this year!!! The girls from Morehead Girl's Center (top left) the CYF and Chi Rho (top right) the children of the Church Sunday School (bottom left) and the little fellow on Santa's knee in the center picture all had a wonderful Christmas this year.



The members of our church with the special aid of the CYF and Chi Rho provided gifts, Christmas tree lights and ornaments for the Center, and food and toys were distributed to needy families throughout the community. Santa also brought the preacher a special gift from the congregation.

THANKS FOR A GOOD CHRISTMAS THIS YEAR!!







	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
QUEEN, Tom (1 year) Elder 4-5240	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
* REYNOLDS, Paul J. 4-7249	✓	EX	3 mos in church	✓	has 4/1/50	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
** RICE, W. H. 4-4518	✓	no obs	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	no house	✓	✓	✓	✓
** RULEY, Virgil 4-4805	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
TUCKER, Rom 4-4805	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
WELKE, Ronald (2 years) 4-9337	✓	EX	3 mos in church	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
* WALSHE, Robert 4-5167	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
WALTZ, Wilford (3 years) 4-5790	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
WILLIAMS, Agnes (1 year) 4-4460	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
WILLIAMS, May (1 year) 4-4759	✓	no obs	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
* WILLIAMS, Ward 4-5620	✓	✓	✓	no obs	no house	✓	no house	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Roberson, Rev. Roy	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Apel, Mrs.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Walshe, Pat	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Falls, Randy	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

\* Walter, Zell

\* Elders  
 \* Honorary Elders

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First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.  
Elders, Deacons, and Deaconesses

July 1973 - June 1974

Honorary

Elders

✓ Virgil Ruley  
Zell Walter

Deacons

✓ Wathan Gullett  
Warren Lappin  
✓ W. H. Rice

Elders

✓ Elmer Anderson  
✓ D. E. Bayless  
✓ Jack Bizzel  
✓ C. W. Caskey  
✓ George I. Cline  
✓ Alex Conyers

✓ Glenn Johnston  
✓ Russell McClure  
✓ Paul J. Reynolds  
✓ Robert Walshe  
✓ Ward Williams

Deacons

Three-Year Term

✓ Hubert Allen  
✓ Andre Bowne  
✓ Rondal Hart  
✓ Cecil Hunt  
✓ Harry Mayhew  
✓ Wilford Waltz

Two-Year Term

✓ Ival Bryant  
✓ C. G. Clayton  
✓ Warren Cooper  
✓ Larry Fannin  
✓ Henry Glover, Sr.  
✓ Harold Holbrook  
✓ Ronald Walke

One-Year Term

✓ John Back  
✓ Jerry Calvert  
✓ Terry Caudill  
✓ William Davis  
✓ N. C. Marsh  
✓ Tom Queen  
*Don Brumby*  
*Randy Hill*  
*Ron Senker*

Deaconesses

Three-Year Term

Mary Jane Bowne  
Edith Conyers  
✓ Faith Fannin  
Helen Patrick

Two-Year Term

✓ Jane Caudill  
✓ Jane Holbrook  
Mary Alice Jayne  
✓ Bruce McClure

One-Year Term

✓ Billie Jean Clayton  
✓ C. Louise Caudill  
✓ Agnes Williams  
✓ May Williams

*Deaconess*  
*24*  
*Mary Katharine Cline*  
*Eva Johnston*

*Elders*  
*Edith Bowne*  
*Mary Jane Bowne*

*Bob Richter*  
*Minister-Elder*

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First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.  
Proposed Budget  
For Period July 1, 1973 - June 30, 1974

EXPENDITURES

	1972-73 Budget		Proposed 1973-74	
<u>Church Administration</u>				
Pastor's Salary	\$14,250		\$14,963	
Secretary's Salary	1,680		1,680	
Pension Fund (11%)	1,568		1,646	
Office Expenses				
General Supplies	500		500	
Typewriter	150			
Secretary's Honorarium	240	\$18,388	300	\$19,089
			<u>300</u>	
<u>Property Department</u>				
Utilities				
Church	1,800		1,900	
Parsonage	500		600	
Repairs				
Plant (Guttering, \$500; Parsonage roof, \$500; Paint outside of Church, \$350)	1,500		2,350	
Organ	500		500	
Cleaning	1,040		1,040	
Insurance	1,000	6,340	1,200	7,590
			<u>1,200</u>	
<u>Stewardship and Finance</u>				
Debt Retirement	5,164		5,164	
Miscellaneous	100	5,264	100	5,264
			<u>100</u>	
<u>World Outreach</u>				
Unified Promotion	3,600		3,600	
Composite Capital	600		600	
Local Ministry	500		500	
Christian Church Homes	300		300	
Councils	80	5,080	80	5,080
			<u>80</u>	
<u>Worship and Services</u>				
Organist	1,300		1,300	
Choir Director	1,300		1,300	
Bell Choir (Repairs & Tuning, \$170; Table, \$100; One Bell, \$60; Gloves, \$25; Music, \$50)			405	
Nursemaid's Salary	260		260	
Music	80		150	
Broadcast Line Charge	120		120	
Flowers	200		100	
Hymnals (Rebinding or purchase)			100	
Guest Ministers	100		100	
Miscellaneous	200	3,560	300	4,135
			<u>300</u>	

	1972-73 Budget		Proposed 1973-74	
<u>Education</u>				
Recreation and Service	500		500	
Church School Supplies	320		320	
Bus Maintenance	300		300	
Bus Insurance	200		200	
Miscellaneous	<u>300</u>	1,620	<u>300</u>	1,620
<u>Christian Action and Community Service</u>				
Miscellaneous		<u>200</u>		<u>200</u>
Grand Total		<u>\$40,452</u>		<u>\$42,978</u>

Minutes of Meeting of PASTOR'S CABINET  
of  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Pastor's Cabinet met Sunday, August 26, 1973 after the morning worship. There were 16 members in attendance (Mrs. Venetozzi, Mrs. Apel, Mrs. Stetler, Edna Ashcraft, Bob Walshe, Alex and Edith Conyers, Glenn Johnston, Mabel RKeynolds, Agnes Williams, Jane Holbrook, Jack Bizzell, Elmer Anderson, Faith Fannin, Rev. Roberson and Helen Patrick).

Rev. Roberson and Elmer Anderson announced the following chairmen:

Chairman of the Elders - George Cline  
Chairman of the Deacons - Harold Holbrook (If he will accept)  
Chairman of the Deaconesses - Faith Fannin  
Chairman of Worship - Diane Walke  
Chairman of Property - W. H. Rice  
Chairman of Stewardship - Harry Mayhew  
Chairman of World Outreach - Bob Walshe  
Chairman of Education - Glenn Johnston  
Chairman of Membership <sup>Evangelism</sup> - Edith Conyers  
Chairman of Community Service - Agnes Williams  
Treasurer - Alex Conyers

Rev. Roberson announced the following important events:

August 26 - Services at Daniel Boone Nursing Home  
September 9 - Church Dinner - Promotion Day at Sunday School  
September 16 - District Meeting at Carlisle (Glenn Johnston is being nominated for Vice-chairman)  
October 26, 27, 28 & 29 - International General Assembly at Cincinnati (Our church is allowed 3 voting members)  
(The Board will vote on these members)

Rev. Roberson stated that there will be a congregational meeting after the services on Sunday, September 2.

The preacher announced that experiences will be felt through a laboratory on churchmanship (relating with other churches, the state officers and offices etc.)

Special emphasis will be made in church services with the Sunday before the students leave for Christmas vacation and Christmas Eve being the high points to be stressed.

Rev. Roberson asked that the elders adjust the microphone as they are not being received very well on radio. He also announced that he had bought new books for the use of the elders.

Alex Conyers brought up the question of how to make the deacons feel more responsible toward serving their turn at the communion table; adjusting heat and lights and seeing that the doors are open at the proper time.

He stated that it was a question - he did not have a solution.

Rev. Roberson stated that the office is open on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9 until 5. Mrs. Apel will be in her office at that time.

Meeting adjourned.

*Helen C. Patrick*

Helen C. Patrick  
Secretary

Minutes of the Regular Monthly Meeting  
of  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the First Christian Church was held at 7:30 on August 27, 1973 with Larry Fannin, vice-president, presiding. The following were present: Hubert Allen, D. E. Bayless, Andre and Mary Jane Bowne, Billie Jean Clayton, Alex and Edith Conyers, Larry Fannin, Faith Fannin, Cecil Hunt, Mary Alice Jayne, Glenn Johnston, Russell McClure, Helen Patrick, Virgil Ruley, Robert Walshe, Agnes Williams, Rev. Roy Roberson, Pat Walshe, Diane Walke and Mrs. Apel.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Alex Conyers.

The reading of the minutes were dispensed with as they had been published in the ECHO.

The treasurer, Alex Conyers, distributed a copy of the financial report July 23, 1973 to August 27, 1973 (Copy Attached). He emphasized that an average of \$800.00 per week was needed to meet obligations of the budget and we have been having an average of \$400.00 to \$500.00. Several bills are outstanding but not urgent. Bank balance as of August 27, 1973, \$540.87.

Rev. Roberson said that 64 persons have made pledges so far this year for a total of \$23,424.00. (20 raised their pledge, 5 lowered their pledge and 39 stayed the same)

Dr. Roberson read the chairmen of the standing committees:

Elders - George Cline  
Deacons - Harold Holbrook  
Deaconesses - Faith Fannin  
Worship - Diane Walke  
Property - W. H. Rice  
Stewardship - Harry Mayhew  
World Outreach - Bob Walshe  
Education - Glenn Johnston  
Membership and Evangelism - Edith Conyers  
Community Service - Agnes Williams  
Treasurer - Alex Conyers

Diane Walke asked to be relieved of the chairmanship of Worship as she would like to devote her time and talent to teaching her Sunday School Class (High School). Rev. Roberson accepted her resignation.

A discussion was held as to the combination of Membership and Evangelism. It was felt that each was too important to be grouped. Edith Conyers will stay as Membership chairman.

Bob Walshe, past chairman of Worship, called on Billie Jean Clayton who in turn explained color changes on the pulpit. She also mentioned that Mary Jane Bowne had been responsible for the flowers each Sunday.

Property Committee - Virgil Ruley reported that the Hogge property had been Painted and papered. Talmadge Cline bid \$250.00 painting the church. Russ McClure made wedges to be placed near the roof to ward off pidgeons.

The garage apartment has been rented to Mr. and Mrs. Larry McKinney.

Alex Conyers pointed out that a concrete sidewalk had been poured behind the church.

Rev. Roberson said estimates will be made on fencing for the back of our property. He said 2 persons have already promised donations on same.

Virgil Ruley stated that the front doors of the church had been finished as well as could be done at this time.

Mr. Walshe was told that the old clothes in his Sunday School room would be removed this week. His class resumes Sunday.

Old business - None

New business - Alex Conyers asked for a bookkeeper to assist him.

Rev. Roberson said that Elmer Anderson wants standing committees to have regular meeting each month. He also asked that members on these committees be taken out of congregation if possible as Board members are sometimes overused.

Mr. Conyers distributed proposed amendments (Copy Attached) needed to meet requirements stated by the Secretary of State (Kentucky). Mr. George Cline aided Mr. Conyers.

The amendments were brought to a vote, Mr. Conyers making the motion and Glenn Johnston seconding it. Motion passed.

The amendments will now be brought before the congregation for approval, Sunday, September 2.

Rev. Roberson commended the elders for being so faithful in attendance. Sunday, three of the elders had to serve as deacons. He asked that the elders speak into the microphone so that it would carry over the radio.

Rev. Roberson thanked all that helped with the services while he was away in August.

He also thanked the Walshes for their help in the service for Daniel Boone Nursing Home on Sunday. He reminded all to visit the sick in the nursing home, hospital and at home.



Rev. Roberson announced the Sunday School will have opening exercises on September 9th and there would also be a Fellowship Dinner following the morning worship.

The Presbyterian and Episcopal Churches have requested a joint dinner meeting on Sunday, October 7. It was suggested that Jay Hurst, student minister, meet with us all at that time.

The Methodist Church would like to communicate with our church, especially with the Board.

The Catholic Church wants to compare structure of each church.

Rev. Roberson said there would be special programs before Christmas.

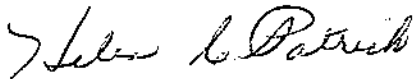
Mrs. Diane Walke encouraged members to increase her high school class.

Russ McClure mentioned that the choir sounded very good over the radio. He had heard the service all the way to Shelbyville, Kentucky.

Consideration is being made to start the Morning Worship at 10:50 so that visits could be made over a cup of coffee between Sunday School and Church.

Duard Bayless commented that he "felt like a puppet", jumping up and down from the pulpit, in sight and then out of sight. Rev. Roberson said the space was limited behind the pulpit. The situation was turned over to the Worship Committee.

The meeting was dismissed at 8:50 following a prayer by Rev. Roberson.



Helen C. Patrick  
Secretary

First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.  
Morehead, Kentucky

The following amendments are proposed for the Articles of Incorporation, First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc., a nonprofit corporation under the provisions of KRS 273.161-390 dated 22nd day of December, 1970; filed in office of Secretary of State of Kentucky December 23, 1970, and in the office of the Rowan County Court Clerk the 29th day of December, 1970:

1. Article 3 be amended as follows: "Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by a corporation, exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law)."
2. Upon dissolution of the Congregation of the First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc., the Board of Directors, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the Corporation, shall turn over the remaining assets to the Kentucky Association of Christian Churches (Disciples of Christ). Should the Kentucky Association of Christian Churches (Disciples of Christ) not qualify or not be in existence, any of such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Rowan County Circuit Court, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.  
Cash Receipts and Disbursements  
July 23, 1973 - August 27, 1973

Bank balance July 23, 1973	\$1,750.10
Add offering:	
Sunday School	\$ 36.88
Other*	55.00
Loose	109.83
Pledges & Identifiable	<u>2,318.10</u>
	<u>2,519.81</u>
	\$4,269.91

Disbursements

Check #	Payee	Amount
730	Edna Ashcraft	\$ 15.00
731	Earl Ginter-Painting bus	25.00
732	Roy Roberson	623.46
733	Peoples Bank Sandy Hook	1,040.98
734	Pam Allen	20.00
735	Vasile Venettozzi	100.00
736	L. Stetler	125.00
737	Ky. Utilities (Parsonage)	49.22
738	Morehead Utility Plant Bd. (church & parsonage)	33.42
739	Morehead TV Cable	5.00
740	D. Walke (Bible School)	18.26
741*	Anita Johnston	40.00
742	Wolfford Insurance (on account)	300.00
743	Ferguson Electronics (on account)	100.00
744*	Pack's (Rug for bus)	15.00
745	Church Softball League	80.00
746	Void	-0-
747	Grace Apel	195.00
748	Grace Apel (Petty Cash)	25.00
749	Roy Roberson	594.84
750	Ky. Utilities (church)	81.15
751	General Telephone	42.71
752	Ferguson Electronics (on account)	100.00
753	Wolfford Insurance (on account)	<u>100.00</u>
		<u>3,729.04</u>

Bank balance August 27, 1973	<u>\$ 540.87</u>
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Alex D. Conyers, Treasurer

First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.  
Special Congregational Meeting  
September 2, 1973

A special congregational meeting of the First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc. was held September 2, 1973, immediately following the morning worship service to consider amendment of Article 3 of the Articles of Incorporation as required by the Internal Revenue Service. The president, Elmer Anderson, presided.

Alex Conyers presented the amendments which are necessary for the church to classify as a nonprofit corporation. (A copy of the amendments is attached.) The amendments were approved by the Board at its August 27, 1973, meeting.

N. C. Marsh made the motion that the amendments be adopted as presented. Joan Back seconded the motion which carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 12 noon.



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Edith P. Conyers  
Acting Secretary

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Minutes of the Regular Monthly Meeting  
of  
BOARD OF DIRECTOR  
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, INC.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the First Christian Church, Inc. was held Monday, September 24, 1973 at 7:30 with Elmer Anderson, President, presiding. The following persons were present: Elmer Anderson, Jack Bizzel, Andre and Mary Jane Bowne, Ival Bryant, Jane Caudill, Dr. C. Louise Caudill, Billie Jean Clayton, Alex and Edith Conyers, Larry Fannin, Dr. Harold Holbrook, Jane Holbrook, Cecil Hunt, Mary Alice Jayne, Glenn Johnston, Dr. N. C. Marsh, Harry Mayhew, Helen Patrick, W. H. Rice, Virgil Ruley, Wilford Waltz, Agnes Williams, May Williams, Ward Williams, Rev. Roy Roberson, Mrs. Apel, and Mrs. Pat Walshe.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Glenn Johnston.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary and the following corrections made: The price for painting the outside of the church should have read \$350.00 instead of \$250.00 as recorded. Mrs. Edith Conyers is chairman of the Evangelism Committee, not the Membership Committee as was recorded. The minutes were then approved as corrected.

Mr. Anderson led a discussion concerning the publishing of the minutes of the Board meetings in the ECHO. As the ECHO is sent to several persons and churches other than our own members, Ival Bryant made a motion with Andre Bowne seconding it, that copies of the minutes be placed in the church and interested persons could pick them up. Such a notice to that effect will be posted on the bulletin board. Motion passed.

The treasurer, Alex Conyers, distributed copies of the Treasurer's Report from July 1, 1973 through September 22, 1973. The balance shown was \$4.76. The offering on Sunday, September 23 was more than \$700.00. He stressed that an average of \$838.00 per Sunday would be needed to meet the budget. Mr. Conyers pointed out that we were \$500.00 in arrear on insurance for last year and \$200.00 on the P. A. system. The insurance is also due on the bus. The last of October, interest and debt payment on the sanctuary will be due, approximately \$1,290.00.

Rev. Roberson noted that the church had worked closely with Daniel Boone Nursing Home concerning the estates of Arthur and Mabel Blair. It was their desire to leave something to the church. \$500.00 was set aside for the church.

**RENTAL PROPERTY:** Mr. Conyers reported that on October 4, interest will be due on note for the Hogge property, \$959.00.

There is \$489.00 in the account. October rent of \$395.00 is almost due and after utilities are paid the remainder will go on the note. As this will be short approximately \$200.00, Mr. Conyers volunteered to pay this amount with the understanding he was to be repaid when money is available. Dr. Louise Caudill made the motion and Ival Bryant seconded it that this proposal be accepted. Motion passed. Mr. Conyers said there was \$31,000.00 outstanding on the Hogge property.

Mr. Conyers called attention to the fact that \$1,200.00 was budgeted for World Outreach per quarter and as yet no payment has been made. He said stewardship must be stressed.

Rev. Roberson noted that \$82,000.00 went through the church books last year.

Dr. Jackson, the renter of the Hogge house wants to terminate his lease for several reasons, among them being no place to park close to the house, no yard for the children to play, plumbing deficiency etc..

**STEWARDSHIP:**

Harry Mayhew, chairman, reported that his committee consisting of Alex Conyers, Jane Caudill and William Falls, had met twice during the month and he had met with Rev. Roberson and Mrs. Apel. He said \$24,060.00 had already been pledged but at least \$30,000.00 would be needed so that together with loose offerings we should be able to meet the budget. He and his committee decided to:

1. Mail personal letters to membership
  - a. letter of thanks to those who have pledged
  - b. letter to those who have not pledged - to encourage their involvement
2. Make a list of names (approx. 20) to be contacted personally. Members of the committee have taken some of them and he asked that the Board volunteer to call on the remainder.

**PROPERTY-COMMITTEE:** W. H. Rice, chairman, discussed the parking problem for tenants. Suggestions made were to make a driveway from Normal Avenue to come between the Hogge House and little white house; gravel the back yard of the

little white house or cut hedge off side of alley, set fence back and park off the alley. (Proposal attached). The fencing previously mentioned is to be a link fence.

Rev. Roberson asked the Board if the Property Committee plus Alex Conyers could make final decision. All agreed.

**EDUCATION COMMITTEE:** Glenn Johnston, chairman, announced that Sunday School starts at 9:30 A.M. with opening exercises conducted by Rev. Roberson and Russ McClure. He suggested percentages be used when checking attendance instead of individual count.

Mr. Johnston made a motion that Sunday School dismiss at 10:30 and start the Morning Worship at 10:55 with the interval to be used for fellowship over coffee. Mr. Cecil Hunt seconded the motion. After a discussion concerning how this would affect the radio hook-up etc., with Rev. Roberson explaining that tapes could be used until the service actually started, the motion passed.

Rev. Roberson commented that if anyone should have occasion to speak with any of the WMKY personel, he should say a personal thanks to the station for their co-operation.

The new Morning Worship schedule will start October 4.

Mr. Johnston urged that children be brought, preferably, or sent, or dragged, if necessary, to Sunday School. The children will be benefited all their lives from having attended Sunday School.

**WORLD OUTREACH:** In the absence of the chairman, Mrs. Pat Walshe announced that a Bible Study is held every Wednesday at the United Campus Ministry Building and a Prayer Group meets on Thursday night at the Episcopal Church.

**EVANGELISM COMMITTEE:** Mrs. Edith Conyers, chairman, had nothing to report.

Jane Caudill commented that the church service Sunday, led by the Young People was beautiful and so well done. Mr. Anderson asked that Rev. Roberson express the thank fo the Board for the impressive service, to the Young People.



Dr. Roberson reminded the Board of the International General Assembly meeting in Cincinnati, Ohio, October 26, 27, 28 and 29. Our church is allowed 3 voting delegates other than the minister who automatically has a vote. He asked if there were any volunteers. He stated that Mabel Reynolds planned to go up one day. Glenn and Eva Johnston and Alex and Edith Conyers said they were planning to attend on October 27 and 28th.

May Williams made a motion that the 3 delegates be chosen from Glenn and Eva Johnston and Alex and Edith Conyers. Mr. Hunt seconded the motion. Ival Bryant moved that an amendment be added to the motion, that the church pay the registration fees for the delegates which would be approximately \$50.00. May Williams seconded the amendment. Discussion was held, then the amendment was voted on and passed and then the motion, as amended, was passed.

Rev. Roberson encouraged the deacons to please serve or find a replacement for the Sunday they were to serve. Mrs. Apel sends a list of who is to serve and when, to all deacons.

Mrs. Pat Walshe, president of the CWF, stated that the CWF has ordered the material for new table-cloths at a cost of \$97.40. All donations will be welcome. Two of the circles have already donated \$25.00. It is hoped the the cloths will be ready by October 7 when the combined churches dinner will be held.

Rev. Roberson reminded all to bring extra food as we ran out at the last dinner.

Mr. Anderson thanked everyone for attending the Board Meeting.

The meeting was dismissed at 9:05 P.M. with prayer by Alex Conyers.

Helen C. Patrick  
Secretary

Amendment: Mr. Roberson asked permission to erect a storage shed on the parsonage property to be left permanently. (Proposal attached). All agreed.

First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.  
Treasurer's Report  
July 1 - September 22, 1973

	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Spent</u>
<u>Church Administration</u>		
Pastor's Salary	\$11,963.00	\$3,117.30
Pension Fund	1,945.00	364.16
Secretary's Salary	2,100.00	340.00
Office Supplies and Bulletins	500.00	122.50
Bookkeeping	240.00	20.00
<u>Property</u>		
Church Utilities	1,900.00	420.72
Parsonage Utilities	600.00	98.76
Plant Repairs, Equipment, and Supplies	2,350.00	467.52
Organ Maintenance	500.00	
Cleaning	1,040.00	165.00
Insurance	1,200.00	
<u>Stewardship and Finance</u>		
Debt Service	5,164.00	1,040.98
Miscellaneous	100.00	29.00
<u>World Outreach</u>		
Unified Promotion	3,600.00	
Composite Capital	600.00	
Local Ministry	500.00	
Christian Church Homes in Kentucky	300.00	
Councils	80.00	
<u>Worship and Services</u>		
Organist's Salary	1,300.00	225.00
Choir Director's Salary	1,300.00	200.00
Nursery Attendant	260.00	28.00
Music	150.00	
Broadcast Line	120.00	
Flowers	100.00	
Guest Ministers	100.00	
Bell Choir	405.00	
Hymnals	100.00	
Miscellaneous	300.00	45.01
<u>Education</u>		
Recreation	500.00	140.10
Sunday School Materials	320.00	
Bus Maintenance	300.00	40.00
Bus Insurance	200.00	
Miscellaneous	300.00	95.19
Christian Action and Service	200.00	
Nonbudgeted and Special Gift Items (P.A. sept + insurance)		1,069.93
<b>TOTALS</b>	<u><u>\$43,637.00</u></u>	<u><u>\$8,029.17</u></u>
Bank balance July 1, 1973		\$ 77.33
Total Receipts July 1 - September 22, 1973		7,956.60
		<u>\$8,033.93</u>
Less Expenditures July 1 - September 22, 1973		8,029.17
Bank balance September 22, 1973		<u><u>\$ 4.76</u></u>

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, INC.

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The meeting was opened with a prayer by Rev. Roberson.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary and the following correction made: The total number of votes at the International General Assembly is 3. This figure includes the vote of the minister. Minutes approved as corrected.

Rev. Roberson clarified the time of meetings for the Board which is on the fourth Monday night and the Pastor's Cabinet which meets on the Sunday preceding the Monday Board meeting. The Pastor's Cabinet is made up of Board Officers, Chairmen of the Elders, Deacons and Deaconesses, Church Staff, Organist, Housekeeper, Choir Director and others. The purpose of this group is to be a sounding board for counseling, etc., (a dialogue unit - communicative).

**COMMITTEES:**

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** Agnes Williams, Chairman, stated her committee was unorganized although she had talked with Rev. Roberson and they are using the Christmas season as one of the highlights of the year. Several ideas have been mentioned. During the month of December it was suggested to have a manger scene out front, a large Christmas tree in Fellowship Hall decorated with symbols made by each family group in the church and a family worship scene. The public would be invited to visit especially through the Christmas season. It was suggested that a memorial be set up in memory of Rev. Charles Brooks and those who wished could donate money toward the manger scene with pieces to be added when money was available. They plan to have the CYF assist in these projects.

**EDUCATION COMMITTEE:** Glenn Johnston, chairman, has appointed all of the Sunday School teachers and Billie Jean Clayton on his committee. He encouraged all to be on time for Sunday School.

STEWARDSHIP: Harry Mayhew, Chairman, has appointed Randy Falls, Jane Caudill and Alex Conyers for his committee. To date \$26,694.00 has been pledged. The committee is to begin personal visitation very soon.

PROPERTY: No report.

The treasurer, Alex Conyers, distributed a copy of his report (attached) showing a balance of \$582.10 as of October 20, 1973. The \$500.00 given by Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Blair estate is included in this amount. The collection for Sunday, October 21, is not included. (Approx. \$597.00). Mr. Conyers reminded the Board that wages were soon due and also the interest on the note. (Around \$2,400.00 total). There are small miscellaneous debts outstanding amounting to approximately \$500.00 due also.

OLD BUSINESS: Rev. Roberson stated that a report of giving toward World Outreach will be published in our district very soon.

NEW BUSINESS: Rev. Roberson announced a cleaning day for the church on Saturday, November 24 and from November 25 through 30 the church will be decorated for the Christmas Season.

Russ McClure encouraged all the men to join the Men's Choir which will make it's first appearance this coming Sunday. Rehearsal is on Wednesday night.

Rev. Roberson went over the calendar he distributed (copy attached).

Faith Fannin asked that the deaconesses remain for a meeting concerning the dinner November 4 which they will host.

Mr. Conyers reported that Hogge House has not been rented as they were holding out for a more permanent renter. Don DeKorte is renting the garage.

Mary Jane Bowne called the Board's attention to the fact that May Williams, a deaconess, was named "Woman of Achievement" by the Morehead Business & Professional Woman's Club.

The meeting was dismissed at 8:30 P.M. with a prayer by Russ McClure.

Helen C. Patrick  
Secretary

First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.  
 Treasurer's Report  
 July 1 - October 20, 1973

	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Spent</u>
<u>Church Administration</u>		
Pastor's Salary	\$11,963.00	\$4,364.22
Pension Fund	1,945.00	546.24
Secretary's Salary	2,100.00	505.00
Office Supplies and Bulletins	500.00	122.50
Bookkeeping	240.00	20.00
<u>Property</u>		
Church Utilities	1,900.00	491.36
Parsonage Utilities	600.00	163.81
Plant Repairs, Equipment, and Supplies	2,350.00	692.52
Organ Maintenance	500.00	
Cleaning	1,040.00	225.00
Insurance	1,200.00	
<u>Stewardship and Finance</u>		
Debt Service	5,164.00	1,040.98
Miscellaneous	100.00	29.00
<u>World Outreach</u>		
	5,080.00	
<u>Worship and Services</u>		
Organist's Salary	1,300.00	385.00
Choir Director's Salary	1,300.00	325.00
Nursery Attendant	260.00	44.00
Music	150.00	
Broadcast Line	120.00	
Flowers	100.00	
Guest Ministers	100.00	25.00
Bell Choir	405.00	
Hymnals	100.00	
Miscellaneous	300.00	45.01
<u>Education</u>		
Recreation	500.00	140.10
Sunday School Materials	320.00	138.82
Bus Maintenance	300.00	40.00
Bus Insurance	200.00	
Miscellaneous	300.00	95.19
<u>Christian Action and Service</u>		
	200.00	
<u>Nonbudgeted and Special Gift Items</u>		
		1,447.29
TOTALS	<u>\$43,637.00</u>	<u>\$10,886.04</u>
Bank balance July 1, 1973		\$ 77.33
Total Receipts July 1 - October 20, 1973 (Includes \$500 Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Blair Estate)		11,390.81
		<u>\$11,468.14</u>
Less Expenditures July 1 - October 20, 1973		10,886.04
Bank balance October 20, 1973		<u>\$ 582.10</u>

October	24	First Practice - Men's Choir	8:00 P. M.	<i>CYF - Adult</i>
October	26-30	General Assembly		
October	31	8:00 - Halloween Party - All Kids		<i>(Sunday School Children)</i>
		(Refreshments - prize for best costume)		
NOVEMBER	1	ASSIGN FAMILYS SYMBOLS		
NOVEMBER	3	Chi Rho Basket Ball Day - (Ashland)		
November	4	Fellowship Dinner		
November	9 - 10	CYF to Louisville		
November	11-12-13	Roberson's to Murray		
November	16-17	KC/UMHE Meeting - Lexington		
	<i>Nov. 17</i>	<i>Bake Sale</i>		
November	18	All Church Thanksgiving Breakfast		
		(9:00-10:00 - Mr. Hart in Charge)		
November	18-19-20	Purchase Christmas Decorations		
November	21 <i>(Wed)</i>	Community Thanksgiving Service		
<i>Sat.</i>	November 24 <i>(Sat)</i>	All Church Cleaning Day		
November	25-30	Decorate Church		
December	2	10:50 Musical Program		
		7:00 All Family Advent Program		
		Trimming Tree - Turning on Lights		
		White Gifts		
December	22	Deliver Christmas Baskets		
December	23	Sunday School Program		
December	24	10:00 P. M. Christmas Eve Program		

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Sunday School Materials	320.00	138.82
Bus Maintenance	300.00	40.00
Bus Insurance	200.00	
Miscellaneous	300.00	95.19
<u>Christian Action and Service</u>	200.00	
<u>Nonbudgeted and Special Gift Items</u>		1,447.29
<b>TOTALS</b>	<u><u>\$43,637.00</u></u>	<u><u>\$10,886.04</u></u>
Bank balance July 1, 1973		\$ 77.33
Total Receipts July 1 - October 20, 1973 (Includes \$500 Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Blair Estate)		11,390.81
		<u>\$11,468.14</u>
Less Expenditures July 1 - October 20, 1973		10,886.04
Bank balance October 20, 1973		<u><u>\$ 582.10</u></u>

Minutes of the Regular Monthly Meeting  
of  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, INC.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the First Christian Church, Inc. was held Monday, November 26, 1973 at 7:30 P.M. with Elmer Anderson, president, presiding. The following persons were present: Elmer Anderson, Jack Bizzell, Mary Jane Bowne, Jane Caudill, Louise Caudill, Billie Jean and C. G. Clayton, George Cline, Alex and Edith Conyers, Faith Fannin, Harold and Jane Holbrook, Cecil Hunt, Mary Alice Jayne, Glenn Johnston, Helen C. Patrick, W. H. Rice, Virgil Ruley, Ron Walke, Robert Walshe, Wilford Waltz, Agnes Williams, May Williams, and Mrs. Grace Apel.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by George Cline.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Alex Conyers, Treasurer, reported disbursements of \$13,389.29 for the previous month and the bank balance as of November 24, 1973 was \$1,093.21. All current bills have been paid with the aid of a check for \$750.00 he received, except World Outreach. No bills are outstanding on rental property except taxes. George Cline has rented the Hogge House.

Mrs. Grace Apel distributed copies of the Church Calendar (copy attached) and explained same. She emphasized the bringing of white gifts for the next three Sundays. Mrs. Apel also distributed a list of all youth organizations of the church (copy attached).

OLD BUSINESS - None

NEW BUSINESS - Bob Walshe recommended keeping the notice of Campus Ministry Prayer Groups in bulletin.

Alex Conyers stated that he had received official letter concerning amendment article for tax exemption. The number and other pertinent facts will be noted and then put in lock box.

Mary Jane Bowne told of decorations for doors for Christmas. She suggested using the new symbol (a red chalis, St. Andrew's cross cutting across red field). Mrs. Bowne checked with Ezelle Florist and she estimated that it could be made for about \$12.00. Jane Caudill made a motion that the decoration be made. C. G. Clayton seconded the motion. Motion passed.



## COMMITTEE REPORTS:

**EDUCATION:** Glenn Johnston, Chairman, has called a meeting for Thursday to discuss celebration of Christmas in the Church School.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** Agnes Williams, Chairman, announced that everything was going according to plans. Approximately 60-65 Chrismons were distributed. She said that Rev. Roberson was in New York at this time to pick up nativity scene. There will be publicity in the MOREHEAD NEWS next week announcing our Christmas open house. Mrs. Williams asked that families volunteer to be on duty at least one night during the open house starting Monday, December 3, from 6-9.

**PROPERTY:** W. H. Rice, Chairman, stated that the plaster had been repaired on the third floor. There has been nothing done toward getting rid of the pigeons. Mr. Rice has contacted a company to inspect the stained glass windows. There is no charge for the inspection.

**WORLD OUTREACH:** Bob Walshe, Chairman, had nothing to report.

**EVANGELISM:** Edith Conyers, Chairman, had nothing to report.

Mr. Anderson asked that Edith Conyers take care of subscriptions for DISCIPLE magazine. The charge is \$5.15 in groups. Mr. Conyers mentioned that the publications that the church had been buying had not been voluntarily picked up; therefore he suggested that individuals buy their own.

Mary Jane Bowne has appointed the following on the Worship Committee;

Mr. and Mrs. Cedil Hunt  
Billie Jean Clayton  
Mike Killeon  
Don Cunningham  
Lola Belle Blair  
Frances Helphenstine

**STEWARDSHIP:** JANE Caudill, member of the committee, reported in the absence of the chairman, that they had met last week, discussed persons who had not pledged and took names to call upon.

Bob Walshe suggested reattaching the rack that was in the vestibule to hold materials that members may want.

Mr. Anderson thanked the Board, especially the committees and their chairmen for working so diligently.

The meeting was dismissed at 8:15 with a prayer by Glenn Johnston.

*Helen C. Patrick*  
Helen C. Patrick, Secretary

First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.

Treasurer's Report  
July 1 - November 24, 1973

Total Disbursements	\$25,006.11
Less Nonbudgeted and Special Gifts	<u>1,616.82</u>
Disbursements Per Budget	<u>\$23,389.29</u>
Total Budget	<u>\$23,637.00</u>
Bank Balance November 24	<u>\$1,093.21</u>

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YOUTH REPORT  
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First Christian Church of Morehead, Inc.  
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	Budgeted	Spent
<u>Church Administration</u>		
Pastor's Salary	\$14,963.00	\$ 7,481.52
Pension Fund	1,945.00	910.40
Secretary's Salary	2,100.00	1,000.00
Office Supplies and Bulletins	500.00	243.48
Bookkeeping	240.00	20.00
<u>Property Department</u>		
Church Utilities	1,900.00	784.70
Parsonage Utilities	600.00	247.12
Plant Repairs, Equipment and Supplies	2,350.00	1,020.49
Organ Maintenance	500.00	
Cleaning	1,040.00	373.00
Insurance	1,200.00	
<u>Stewardship and Finance</u>		
Debt Service	5,164.00	2,331.96
Miscellaneous	100.00	29.00
<u>World Outreach</u>		
Unified Promotion	3,600.00	
Composite Capital	600.00	
Local Ministry	500.00	
Christian Church Homes of Kentucky	300.00	
Councils	80.00	
<u>Worship and Services</u>		
Organist's Salary	1,300.00	710.00
Choir Director's Salary	1,300.00	625.00
Nursery Attendant	260.00	52.00
Music	150.00	30.50
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	200.00	
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	\$43,637.00	\$18,441.67
Bank Balance, July 1, 1973		\$ 77.33
Total Receipts, July 1 - December 31, 1973		21,939.91
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