

The Session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met on Monday, November 25, 1974 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Evans, Frazier, Garnham, Harrington, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Schuman

Elders Excused: Fuhrman, McClurg, O'Dwyer, Rosenberger, Smith, Thurling

Ministers Present: W. Showalter, W. Thompson

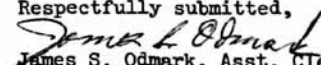
The meeting was opened with prayer by W. Showalter. There was a time of sharing and testimony.

The following were received by the Session and voted into the membership of Parkminster Presbyterian Church.

Terry R. Coggeshall	Letter of Transfer,	Moved by Pinneo
Mrs. Andrea Coggeshall	Covenant Pres. Church	Seconded by Preston
	West Lafayette, Ind.	
Richard A. Garth	Letter of Transfer	Moved by Evans
Mrs. Cherie S. Garth	Greece Baptist Church	Seconded by Garnham
Miss Laurie J. Privitera	Profession of Faith	Moved by Christopher
		Seconded by Frazier
Kurt W. Litzenberger	Profession of Faith	Moved by Pinneo
		Seconded by Harrington
Miss Kathleen E. Couse	Profession of Faith	Moved by Evans
		Seconded by Pinneo
Hampton J. Brown	Letter of Transfer,	Moved by Harrington
Mrs. Constance M. Brown	Irondequoit United	Seconded by Pinneo
	Church of Christ	
Paul O. Goettel	Letter of Transfer	Moved by Frazier
Mrs. Marguerite Goettel	Downtown Presbyterian	Seconded by Odmark
	Church	
David S. Sakowski	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Evans
Mrs. Sandra M. Sakowski	Reaffirmation of Faith	Seconded by Odmark
Craig A. Weise	Letter of Transfer,	Moved by Pinneo
	First United Methodist	Seconded by Harrington
	Church, Mayville, N. Y.	
Mrs. Janet Weise	Reaffirmation of Faith	
Richard H. Percy	Letter of Transfer	Moved by Christopher
Mrs. Eugenie Percy	Downtown Presbyterian	Seconded by Garnham
	Church	

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by W. Thompson.


William P. Showalter, Moderator

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark, Asst. Clerk of Session

The Session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met for breakfast on Saturday, December 8, 1974 at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Evans, Frazier, Fuhrman, Harrington, McClurg, Odmark
Pinneo, Preston, Rosenberger, Schuman, Smith, Thurling

Elders Excused: Garnham, O'Dwyer

Ministers Present: W. Showalter and W. Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by W. Showalter. There was a time of sharing and ministry by the session.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Pinneo that the discount policy of Parkminster Bookstore be changed to the following, effective December 9, 1974.

1. 25% discount for all Parkminster Church departments and personnel, including ministers, store staff, and ministerial students.
2. 15% discount for other churches and their ministers.

The motion was carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by W. Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,



James S. Odmark
Asst. Clerk of Session



William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met on Monday, December 16, 1974 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Evans, Frazier, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Rosenberger, Schuman, Smith, Thurling

Elders Excused: O'Dwyer

Ministers Present: W. Showalter, W. Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Frazier.

Vanguard was reviewed by N. Middleton and W. Showalter.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg that the minutes for November 11, 1974 be approved as submitted and that the minutes for November 25, 1974 and December 7, 1974 be approved with the following corrections:

1. 11/25/74 minutes - paragraph #2 should read "The following were received..."
2. 12/7/74 minutes - the date to be recorded as "Saturday, December 7, 1974 at 7:00 a.m."

The motion was carried.

Correspondence: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Schuman that Parkminster continue its involvement with the Open Door Mission and that requests concerning the Open Door Mission mentioned in the 12/5/74 correspondence from Domenic Mancini be dealt with under the Outreach committee. The motion was carried.

It was agreed by common consent to forward the 12/11/74 correspondence from the moderator of Presbytery, which concerned hunger needs, to the Outreach committee for action on the requests contained therein.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Evans to delegate the authority to the Nominating committee to choose a nominee from Parkminster for youth delegate to the General Assembly. The session recommended that the Nominating committee give Bob Shannon consideration for this nomination. Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members: It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Pinneo that a letter of transfer be granted to Dr. Norman and Mrs. Nancy L. Wetterau to Free Methodist Church, Dansville, N. Y.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman that William A. Sr. and Mrs. Beverly W. Vandersee be granted a letter of transfer to Northminster Church, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Harrington to drop Mrs. Delores B. Yawman from the rolls of Parkminster. Motion carried.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the first and fifth days of December, 1974.

The following were baptized in Parkminster Church:

David S. Sakowski	(adult) - 12/1/74
Daisy Josephine Berencsi	(child) - 12/8/74
James Robert Weise	(child) - 12/8/74
Ginni Lyn Willoughby	(child) - 12/8/74

Old Business

A report on the November Presbytery meeting was presented by Fuhrman, Preston and Odmark.

Fuhrman reported on the meeting of the Western Caucus of the Presbytery.

Deacons: Report by W. Thompson.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Thurling to approve the Brunch/Tarry and Talk Program recommended by the deacons in their 11/12/74 minutes. Motion carried.

It was moved by Smith and seconded by Rosenberger to have the deacons give a "Moment for Missions" on a Sunday directly preceding a communion Sunday. Motion carried. This action was taken in response to item #13 of the Deacons' Minutes of December 10, 1974.

Committee Reports

Stewardship: Report presented by W. Showalter.

Christian Education: Report presented by N. Middleton and R. Jackson. It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Rosenberger that Parkminster join the Christian Education Ministries of New York Association. Motion carried.

Tape Ministry: Report presented by E. Morse. It was moved by Smith and seconded by Preston to make cassettes available for purchase at the following prices in 1975:

Contact and sermons	\$2.00 each
Specials	\$3.00 each

Motion carried.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

Proposed budget for 1975: It was moved by Preston and seconded by Rosenberger to add a \$350 line item for "Workmen's Compensation" under "Benefits and Allowances" and to decrease the line item under "Other Expenses" for "Insurance" by \$350 and list the item as "Property Insurance - \$4,150.00." Motion carried.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by McClurg that under "Building", the line item for "Storm Sash" be increased to \$400 and that a line item of \$500 be added for "Smoke Detection System." Motion carried.

An updated copy of the proposed budget for 1975 is attached.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

3-D: Report presented by C. Showalter and D. Thompson.

Nomination: Report presented by McClurg.

It was moved by Rosenberger and seconded by Harrington that the Nominating committee's report be approved. 13-yes, 1-no.

Church in Society: No report.

Music and Worship: Report presented by Frazier. It was moved by Frazier and seconded by Rosenberger to serve communion to Senior Highs December 25, 1974 and to the congregation December 31, 1974. Motion carried.

It was moved by Frazier and seconded by Pinneo that the \$100 honorarium for the Archers be paid out of the Outreach contingency fund. Motion carried.

Evangelism: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Evans. A quarterly financial statement was submitted for file.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: Report presented by Preston.

New Business

The Deacons will continue to pay the annual dues for "ONE" (\$10.00) in the name of Parkminster.

The next Session breakfast will be held January 4, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

The next Session meeting will be held on Monday, January 6, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

The annual meeting of the congregation will be held Sunday, January 12, 1975.

The Elder-Deacon retreat will be held January 24-25, 1975 at the Cenacle Retreat house.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Preston that this year's Christmas offering be used by the deacons to serve the needy in this area. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by W. Thompson at 12:15 a.m., 12/17/74.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Asst. Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met on Saturday, January 4, 1975 at 7:00 a.m. for breakfast and sharing.

Elders Present: Christopher, Evans, Frazier, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, McClurg, Pinneo, Preston, Rosenberger, Schuman, Smith, Thurling

Elders Excused: Odmark, O'Dwyer

Ministers Present: W. Showalter and W. Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo that the 1974 obligations for Outreach and \$300 from Stan Voth's pension fund, which were not paid in 1974, be reduced by using the \$1800 from the Grace Covenant account with the balance to be added to the 1975 budget and be paid in 1975. The motion was carried.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerald D. Frazier
Gerald D. Frazier
Clerk pro tem

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met on Monday, January 6, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Evans, Frazier, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Rosenberger, Schuman, Smith, Thurling

Elders Excused: McClurg, O'Dwyer

Ministers Present: W. Showalter, W. Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Smith.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Thurling that the minutes for December 16, 1974 and January 4, 1975 be approved as submitted. Carried.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo that the minutes for January 4, 1975 be amended to read, "It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo that the 1974 obligations for Outreach and \$300 from Stan Voth's pension fund, which were not paid in 1974, be reduced by using the \$1800 from the Grace Covenant account with the balance to be added to the 1975 budget and be paid in 1975. The motion was carried." Motion carried.

Carl Smith, Presbytery Executive, and Paul Crookshank, Presbytery MR committee, met with the session to discuss the role of the church in Presbytery.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper: The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the 19th, 25th, and 31st days of December, 1974.

Dismissal of Members: It was moved by Frazier and seconded by Rosenberger to drop Thomas R. and Virginia K. Maher and Julia F. Elling from the rolls. Carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Fuhrman that Barbara V. Allen be dropped from the rolls. Carried.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Fuhrman that Janice Barney (Smith) be dropped from the rolls. Carried.

Deacons: No report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Stewardship: Report presented by W. Showalter.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Rosenberger that the major organizations of the church, as reflected in the 1975 budget, work through their session representatives on a budget committee to make a monthly expense schedule to forecast budget expenditures for 1975, and that said organizations prioritize their budget items to determine those items which could be dropped should funds be lacking. Carried.

Music and Worship: Report by Frazier.

It was moved by Frazier and seconded by Rosenberger that Parkminster have an Ash Wednesday service in 1975 similar to the one held last year, which will include an opportunity for ministry by the elders in some form. Carried.

It was moved by Frazier and seconded by Fuhrman that starting February 16, 1975 and ending March 30, 1975, the time of the second Sunday morning worship be changed from 11:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. (Jr. High, Sr. High, and Adult S.S. - 10:15 a.m. to 10:55 a.m.) and that the Music and Worship committee evaluate the change in program time and present their recommendations to session March 23, 1975. Carried.

Christian Education: Report presented by N. Middleton and R. Jackson.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Christopher that C.E. be authorized to proceed with plans for a pilot Neighborhood Bible Study when a qualified leader is found, and that C.E. report back to session upon completion of said pilot program. Carried.

It was moved by Frazier and seconded by Fuhrman that the "Lenten Institute" program take the place of Sunday evening services during Lent (Feb. 16, 1975 - March 23, 1975). Carried.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo that the proposed 1975 budget line item under "Christian Education" for "Youth Club" be changed from \$250 to \$300, and that the item for "New Equipment" be changed from \$900 to \$600. Carried.

It was moved by Rosenberger and seconded by Garnham that the proposed 1975 budget line item under "Building" for "Acoustic Partitions" be changed to read, "Acoustic Partitions and East Hall Curtain." Carried.

Church in Society: No report.Evangelism: No report.Tape Ministry: No report.3-D: Report presented by C. Showalter and D. Thompson.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Rosenberger that the session authorize 3-D to proceed immediately with incorporation and registration of its name, "Discipleship, Discipline, and Diet" (incorporation fees to be paid from 3-D funds), and that a study group be formed to report back to session with further recommendations concerning the programs. Carried.

Outreach: No report.Women of the Church: No report.Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Frazier that \$1,000 of bookstore profits be paid out to Bridge under Outreach by January 15, 1975. Carried.

Preschool: Written report submitted.Credit Union: Report presented by Preston.NEW BUSINESS

Garnham, Thurling, and Fuhrman will attend Presbytery meeting January 28, 1975 at Dewey Avenue Presbyterian Church.

Fuhrman will attend the western caucus of Presbytery January 20, 1975 at Dewey Avenue Presbyterian Church.

The next Session breakfast will be held February 1, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

The Session will meet with new members Thursday, January 30, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting was closed with prayer by W. Thompson at 11:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Asst. Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminsted Presbyterian Church met on Thursday, January 30, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused:

The meeting was opened with prayer by W. Showalter.

The following were received by the session and voted into membership:

Thomas R. Doughty	Letter of Transfer, West Ave. Methodist Church	Moved by Coombs Seconded by Pinneo
Ronald E. Jacobs Mrs. Joan V. Jacobs	Profession of Faith Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Pinneo
Miss Nancy I. Middleton	Letter of Transfer, Hudson Wesleyan Church Hudson, Michigan	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Harrington
John R. Newhall	Letter of Transfer, United Presbyterian Church of Webster	Moved by Fuhrman Seconded by Odmark
Matthew T. Robinson	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Priestley
Gary Allen Sanders Mrs. Evelyn J. Sanders	Letter of Transfer, Baldwin United Presby- terian Church, Pitts- burgh, Pa.	Moved by Carey Seconded by Odmark
William M. Schutz	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Evans Seconded by McClurg
Mrs. Edith K. Williams	Letter of Transfer First Reformed Church, Rochester	Moved by Odmark Seconded by Christopher
Robert F. Williams Mrs. Susie G. Williams	Reaffirmation of Faith Letter of Transfer, First Mexican Baptist Church Alice, Texas	Moved by Preston Seconded by Priestley
Miss Elizabeth A. Whittingham	Letter of Transfer, Bethany Free Methodist Church	Moved by Harrington Seconded by McClurg

The meeting was closed with prayer by S. Voth.

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

Respectfully submitted,
James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Asst. Clerk of Session

The Session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met for breakfast Saturday, February 1, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Priestley

Elders Excused: Neal, Preston, Thurling

Ministers Present: W. Showalter, W. Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by W. Showalter.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman to dissolve the partnership between D. O'Dwyer and Parkminster Presbyterian Church doing business as Parkminster Bookstore, and that G. Evans enter into a partnership with Parkminster Presbyterian Church doing business as Parkminster Bookstore. Motion carried. 12-Yes, 0-No.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Garnham that the Senior Citizens group be allowed to play Bridge at the Valentine's Day party, February 10, 1975. Motion carried.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham that the session commit itself to pray daily about the "Community Concept" for Parkminster presented by D. Mancini, and that said concept be put on the agenda for the March session breakfast for further discussion. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by W. Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Asst. Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met on Monday, February 10, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: W. Showalter, W. Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Showalter.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Preston and seconded by Priestley that the minutes for January 6, 1975 and January 30, 1975 be approved as submitted and that the minutes for February 2, 1975 be approved with the following amendment: The date of the meeting should be recorded as "Saturday, February 1, 1975." Motion carried.

Correspondence: It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham that the Clerk of Session be authorized to write a letter to Genesee Ecumenical Ministries (GEM) regarding the announced discontinuance of their audio-visual operation. Motion carried.

Election of Clerk and Asst. Clerk of Session: Thurling nominated J. Odmark as Clerk of Session for 1975. It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Preston that nominations for Clerk of Session be closed and that the clerk cast one unanimous ballot for Odmark. Motion carried.

McClurg nominated G. Letson and Letson nominated E. Carey for Asst. Clerk of Session for 1975. It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Priestley that nominations for Asst. Clerk of Session be closed. Motion carried.

An election was conducted with the following results:

G. Letson 8 (Asst. Clerk elect, 1975)
E. Carey 6

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham that the "Wedding Brochure" presented to session by L. Metzger be approved as amended. Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members: It was moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg to grant Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crider a letter of transfer to First Presbyterian Church, Eustis, Florida. Motion carried.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Priestley to drop Laureen Young from the rolls. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Christopher to grant Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Husband a letter of transfer to John Knox Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Letson to drop Beverly Spencer from the rolls of Parkminster. Motion carried.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Coombs to drop Bonnie Miller from the rolls of Parkminster. Motion carried.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to drop Barbara Mitchell from the rolls of Parkminster. Motion carried.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Garnham that we, the session, not reinstate Judith Gambrell (Stern) as a member of Parkminster (after an absence of over 2 yrs.) for the purpose of granting a transfer of said membership to Chili Presbyterian Church, and that we, the session, recommended that Mrs. Gambrell be encouraged to join Chili First Presbyterian Church by reaffirmation of faith and thereby reaffirm her commitment. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

A report was presented on the Western Monroe County caucus of Presbytery by Fuhrman.

Garnham reported on the January meeting of Presbytery.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Preston that the Session rescind its January 6, 1975 action to pay \$1,000.00 of 1974 Bookstore profits to "Bridge" under Outreach, and that instead \$500.00 of 1974 Bookstore profits be paid to "Bridge" under Outreach. Motion carried.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham that in order to clarify the distribution of bookstore profits it be understood that the session's intent is to use said money for unbudgeted Outreach projects in the area. Motion carried.

Deacons: Written report submitted.

1975 Committee Lists: The following people were nominated for the Ministerial Relations committee:

	<u>Nominated by</u>
G. Fuhrman (Chairman)	Preston
E. Smith	Fuhrman
N. Coombs	Carey
J. Leyland	Fuhrman
Carolyn Chizk	Thurling

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Garnham to close the nominations for the M.R. committee and that the clerk cast one unanimous ballot for the above names. Motion carried.

E. Carey and W. Christopher were nominated to serve as the session representatives on the Nominating Committee.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham that nominations for the 1975 Nominating Committee be closed and that the clerk cast one unanimous ballot for the above names. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Priestley that W. Christopher serve as Chairman of the Nominating Committee. Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Stewardship: It was agreed by common consent that the money counters are to be responsible to the Stewardship committee.

Trustee and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

Music and Worship: It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Priestley that the Houghton College Choir be invited to give a concert at Parkminster April 27, 1975. Motion carried.

Christian Education: Report presented by N. Middleton.

It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Preston that the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper be administered to the Senior High group at their retreat, March 2, 1975. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg that C.E. be authorized to use the "Gospel Light" Sunday School curriculum for the trial period of Feb. - June, 1975. Motion carried.

Evangelism: Report presented by Evans.

Tape Ministry: No report.

3-D: Written report submitted.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham that the Session serve as the Board of Directors for 3-D with W. Showalter as moderator and the following as Executive committee: Evans, Preston, Schuman, C. Showalter (Executive Director) and D. Thompson (Assistant Executive Director). Motion carried.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

Women of the Church: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: Report presented by Preston.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper: The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the 16th and 30th of January and 2nd of February, 1975.

The following were baptised at Parkminster Church:

Ronald E. Jacobs (Adult) February 2, 1975

NEW BUSINESS

Audrey Klick met with the Session to share her feelings about the caring aspects of our church.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by McClurg that the Session invite a representative from the Rochester Christian Academy in Gates to appear at the March session meeting to present their program. Motion carried.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Neal that permission be granted to the Salvation Army to leave a clothing collection box in our parking lot for a time period not to exceed 3 months. Motion carried.

The next Session breakfast will be held March 1, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 12:14 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met on Monday, March 10, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: W. Showalter

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Priestley.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Fuhrman to approve the minutes for February 10, 1975 with the following corrections and additions:

1. Pg. 1, Par. 4 "----that nominations for Clerk of Session be closed and---."
2. Pg. 1, Par. 5: "McClurg nominated G. Letson and Letson nominated E. Carey for Asst. Clerk---."
3. Pg. 2, Par. 1: "----recommended that Mrs. Gambrill be encouraged to join Chili First Presbyterian Church---."
4. Pg. 2, Par. 2: "Monroe County caucus of Presbytery---."
5. Pg. 2, Par. 5: "----bookstore profits it be understood-----."
6. Pg. 2, Par. 7: "----G. Fuhrman (Chairman)-----."

Motion carried.

Correspondence: None

Dismissal of Members: It was moved by Preston and seconded by Thurling that a letter of transfer be granted Richard and Barbara Cole to Mt. Hope Community Church, Penn Hills, Pa. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Evans, Harrington, Fuhrman, Coombs, Thurling, and Carey, and Preston.

OLD BUSINESS

Three representatives from the Rochester Christian Academy met with the session to present their program. It was agreed by common consent that the Christian Education committee would evaluate the program and present their recommendations to session in April.

Rev. R. Jones and A. Rice of Grace Covenant met with the session to present a status report.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Letson to appoint D. Mancini to be in charge of organizing a community garden project at Parkminster as a tool for further growth in "caring", and that D. Mancini consider "living in" at the Community of Jesus as a possible preparation for his part in this project. Motion carried.

Deacons: Written report submitted.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

Christian Education: Report presented by N. Middleton.

Stewardship: No report.

Music and Worship: Report presented by R. McKibben. It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Thurling to approve the recommendation of M. and W. to maintain the time of the second Sunday worship service at 11:15 a.m. through June, 1975. Motion carried.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

Tape Ministry: No report.

3-D: No report.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Pinneo to grant permission to the W. C. to move the church's good silverware to a locked cupboard in the pantry. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Coombs that money for travel expense and testing of Parkminster's ministerial students at the Princeton Careers Counseling Center be paid by the Scholarship Committee, and that money be transferred from Outreach contingency to the Scholarship Committee to cover this expense in 1975. Motion carried.

Evangelism: Report presented by Evans.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: Report presented by Preston.

Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.

NEW BUSINESS

W. Showalter shared his concerns and desires for clear discernment of the Lord's Will and direction in his ministry. There was a time of prayer by the session.

Pinneo, Harrington, and Fuhrman will attend the March 22, 1975 Presbytery meeting at South Presbyterian Church.

Garnham will attend the March 17, 1975 meeting of the Western Monroe caucus of Presbytery.

The session will meet with the new members class Maunday Thursday, March 27, 1975 following the 7:30 p.m. communion service.

The session will meet with the communicants' class Sunday, March 23, 1975 at 3:30 p.m.

The next session breakfast will be held on Saturday, April 5, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Preston to grant W. Thompson's request to attend a minister's retreat March 31-April 4, 1975 (5 days of his study leave and \$100 of his study allowance to be used for that purpose), and to grant W. Showalter's request to attend the same retreat (March 31-April 4, 1975). Motion carried.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Odmark that session grant permission to World Wide Pictures to show the motion picture "Gospel Road" at Parkminster 7:00 p.m., May 4, 1975.

It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Priestley that permission be granted to Grace Covenant to park their bus in Parkminster's parking lot at a place to be determined by the trustees. Motion carried.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by McClurg to transfer Parkminster's checking account from the Airport branch of Central Trust to the Westgate branch of Lincoln First Bank. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Evans at 11:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter
Moderator

The session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met on Sunday, March 23, 1975 at 3:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, Neal, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley

Elders Excused: Coombs, McClurg, Odmark, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Elders Shared with Communicant Class: Carey, Evans, Fuhrman, Neal, Pinneo

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Carey to accept this entire class into church membership:

Barrows, Paul A.
Burtner, Barbara J.
Carey, Jeanne
Earle, Karen L.
Evans, Jonathan H.
Hyder, Robert J.
Leiske, Daniel H.
Leyland, John
McKibben, Richard E.

Pitcher, Patricia A.
Shaw, Beverly K.
Shewan, Stephen C.
Trokanski, Philip R.
Wetzel, Lisa M.
Wetzel, Scott L.
Zavacki, Diane M.
Zavacki, Thomas E.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 5:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

George M. Letson
George M. Letson
Asst. Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met on March 27, 1975 at 8:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Prestley

Elders Excused: Carey

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

There was a time of sharing by the session and each candidate for membership. The following were voted into membership in Parkminster Presbyterian Church.

Alan H. Lake	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Preston
Mrs. Wilma E. Lake	Reaffirmation of Faith	Seconded by Garnham
Mrs. Dawn E. Close	Letter of Transfer, Bethany Presbyterian Church	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Odmark
Mrs. Mary L. Baker	Letter of Transfer, Sierra Vista United Presbyterian Church Yuma, Arizona	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Garnham
Miss Kimberlee Hoderland	Profession of Faith	Moved by Odmark Seconded by Priestley
Mrs. Ethel Speigel	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Priestley Seconded by Christopher
Paul R. Brown	Letter of Transfer, Gates Presbyterian Church	Moved by Odmark Seconded by Pinneo
Mrs. Phoebe M. Brown		
Charles W. Quinn	Letter of Transfer, Gates Presbyterian Church	Moved by Coombs Seconded by Neal
Mrs. Martha K. Quinn		
Miss Cynthia E. Brown	Letter of Transfer, Irondequoit United Church of Christ	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Priestley
Kevin Brown	Letter of Transfer, Gates Presbyterian Church	Moved by Fuhrman Seconded by Garnham

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter
Moderator

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The session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met on Sunday, April 6, 1975 at 11:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Evans, Fuhrman, Harrington, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: Christopher, Letson, Neal

Ministers Present: Showalter

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Cathy Brown was examined by the session for church membership. It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Pinneo to accept Cathy Brown into membership of Parkminster Presbyterian Church by Letter of Transfer from the Gates Presbyterian Church.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, April 14, 1975.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Evans, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: Coombs, Fuhrman

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Carey.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to approve the minutes for March 23, 1975 and March 27, 1975 as submitted, and approve the minutes for March 10, 1975 with the following correction: Approval of minutes, item 3 should read: "....that Mrs. Gambrill be....." Motion carried.

Correspondence: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Odmark that Parkminster not contribute funds from the 1975 budget to the Candidates Aid Fund of Presbytery as requested in the April 4, 1975 correspondence from Presbytery, but that consideration be given to said fund for the 1976 budget of Parkminster as recommended by the Scholarship committee. Motion carried.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Thurling that an appeal to the congregation be made expressing the needs of the Candidates Aid Fund of Presbytery (4/4/75 correspondence) through Parkminster Life and a "moment for mission," and that a special offering be taken May 11, 1975 to respond to this need. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Carey, Evans, McClurg, Neal, and Preston.

OLD BUSINESS

Grace Covenant: It was moved by Preston and seconded by McClurg that Grace Covenant be requested to present monthly status reports to session on their progress towards relocation. Motion carried.

Presbytery: Report on last Presbytery meeting presented by Harrington and Pinneo.

Western Monroe Caucus: Report presented by Garnham.

Archers: Report presented by Odmark. The session will meet with the Archers for prayer and sharing at 6:30 p.m., April 16, 1975.

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper: The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the 7th, 10th and 24th days of April, 1975.

Sacrament of Baptism: The following were baptised:

Richard T. Bentley (child)	February 9, 1975
Jonathan H. Evans (child)	March 27, 1975
Ralph Montinarelli (child)	April 13, 1975
Juliana Herrick (child)	April 13, 1975

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The following child was dedicated:

Brian Krolak April 13, 1975

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

Music and Worship: No report.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

Christian Education: Report presented by N. Middleton.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to accept the recommendation of the C. E. committee to neither endorse nor not endorse the Rochester Christian Academy and to leave evaluation of their program to the individual. Motion carried.

It was agreed by common consent to post a disclaimer beneath the Rochester Christian Academy poster, on the church bulletin board, which reflects the above action of session concerning R. C. A.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Carey to approve C.E.'s recommendation to split Vacation Bible School sessions by age group and that C.E. give further consideration to a 1-week/2-week V.B.S. session split. Motion carried.

3-D: Report presented by C. Showalter.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Evans that the 3-D organization be authorized to open a checking account at Lincoln First Bank of Rochester. Motion carried.

Tape Ministry: Report presented by J. Houpt and H. Houpt.

It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Christopher to grant the T.M.'s request to purchase equipment necessary for placing tape libraries in the Attica State Prison and the Monroe County Jail. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Women of the Church: No report.

Bookstore: No report.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Jane Glassbrook: It was moved by Odmark and seconded by Neal that the summer staff position of Ministerial Intern be offered to Jane Glassbrook (20 hours

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per week for three months beginning June 1, 1975) and that in lieu of salary, Parkminster donate \$600.00 to Colgate-Rochester in the form of a scholarship for Mrs. Glassbrook's tuition in September, 1975. Motion carried.

Gideons: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to invite the Gideons to present a "Moment for Missions" at Parkminster and receive donations at the door on a Sunday in September, 1975. Motion carried.

Other: Garnham and Thompson will attend the next meeting of the Western Monroe Caucus of Presbytery.

The next session breakfast will be held May 17, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

It was agreed by common consent to invite Doug Simpson (a ministerial student under care of session) to the next session breakfast (5/17/75).

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 12:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, May 12 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: W. Showalter, W. Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Letson.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham that the minutes of the April 6, 1975 and April 14, 1975 meetings of session be approved as submitted. Motion carried.

Correspondence: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Letson that F. Schuman and J. Leyland consult with the Genesee Ecumenical Ministries (GEM) about the possibility of buying out their film service, and that a report on said consultation be presented at the June, 1975 meeting of session. Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members: It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Priestley that a letter of transfer for Kenneth Jermyn be sent to The First Presbyterian Church of Avon, Avon, New York. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Pinneo, Harrington, Evans.

OLD BUSINESS

Grace Covenant: Report presented by Rev. Rodney Jones.

Archers: Report presented by Odmark. It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham that the Senior High Youth Fellowship be given the opportunity to share the burden of approximately \$630 of uncovered expenses incurred for the Archers' program April 16-18, 1975 and that other church organizations also be made aware of the need and be invited to help as they feel led. Motion carried.

The session hopes that the above action will give the Senior High group and others in the church the opportunity to grow into a new understanding of their responsibilities as members of the body of Christ.

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Christopher to form an ad hoc committee to evaluate the Radio and Tape Ministry committee's request for a recording booth to be built in the choir loft, and that the ad hoc committee bring its recommendations to session at the June session meeting. The ad hoc committee will be composed of the following:

R. Thurling (Trustees) - Chairman
 E. Morse (Radio and Tape Committee)
 R. McKibben (Music and Worship Committee)
 R. Schewan (Choir)
 J. Wallace (Chancel Committee)
 C. Chisk (Deacons)
 P. Price (Organ Committee)

Christian Education: Report presented by Middleton.

Music and Worship: Report presented by Neal.

It was moved by Priestley and seconded by Garnham to table the M & W recommendation to permanently schedule the second worship service at 11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m., and that M & R confer with Christian Education committee concerning this action before the June meeting of session. Motion carried.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Coombs that the starting and finishing times for church Sunday School activities be published in Parkminster Life. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Letson to accept the M & W recommendation that the summer schedule (July 6 - August 31) be as follows:

Sunday morning worship: 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.
 Wednesday Evening program (family dinner, classes and service)

Motion carried.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Letson that \$2,300.00 be borrowed from the Grace Covenant account to be paid for Outreach toward our General Assembly commitment and that the account be paid back at year end 1975 with any surplus funds. Motion carried. 8 - Yes
 6 - No
 1 - Abstain

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Evangelism: No report.

3-D: Report presented by C. Showalter.

Women of Parkminster: Written report presented.

Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: Report presented by Preston

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper: Administered on the 6th, 10th, and 24th of April, 1975, and the 8th of May, 1975.

NEW BUSINESS

Christopher and Carey will attend the May 27, 1975 meeting of Presbytery at Caledonia.

There will be a session breakfast June 7, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

The session will meet with new members on Thursday, May 29, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Priestley to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Thompson at 11:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
 James S. Odmark
 Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
 William P. Showalter
 Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster Presbyterian Church met May 29, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: W. Showalter, W. Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter. There was a time of sharing and testimony. The following were voted into membership in Parkminster Presbyterian Church:

Richard Scott Flaherty	Letter of Transfer, Brighton Presbyterian Church	Moved by Harrington Seconded by Priestley
Mrs. Susan L. Flaherty	Letter of Transfer, Community Church of Smoke Rise, Kennelon, New Jersey	
Miss Diane M. Glitzer	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Evans Seconded by Odmark
Mrs. Francoise M. Lynn	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Fuhrman Seconded by Garnham
Kevin Schuman	Profession of Faith	Moved by Fuhrman Seconded by Pinneo
Miss Karen J. Siebert	Profession of Faith	Moved by Odmark Seconded by Priestley
Miss Ruth E. Vincent	Profession of Faith	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by McClurg
Mrs. Nancy A. Wiley	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Neal Seconded by Pinneo

It was moved by Priestley and seconded by Fuhrman to approve the form proposed by the Christian Education committee for use in a church census, with the recommendation that Christian Education encourage people to use both sides of the form. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, June 9, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Pinneo, Preston, Thurling

Elders Excused: Coombs, Odmark, Priestley

Ministers Present: W. Showalter, W. Thompson

Student Intern Minister Present: J. Glassbrook

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Neal.

Vanguard: articles in the May issue were reviewed by:

W. G. Fuhrman - "On Being a Delegate to Presbytery", page 3

J. Preston - "Planning/Budgeting/Evaluating One Church's Experience with PBE", page 6

K. Neal - "Planning for Better Ushering", page 10

W. Thompson - "A Plan for Union", page 13

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McClurg that the minutes of May 12, 1975 and May 29, 1975, meetings of session be approved as submitted. Motion carried.

Correspondence: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham that YWCA be permitted to meet for another year at the Church on the same basis as last year. Motion carried. In the request letter the YWCA stated they will donate \$3.00/month for this coming year.

Dismissal of Members: It was moved by Preston and seconded by Evans that a Letter of Transfer for Mr. and Mrs. Eric Young be sent to the First United Church of Rushville, Rushville, New York. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports were presented by Neal, Thurling, Fuhrman, Pinneo, McClurg, Harrington, Letson, Christopher

OLD BUSINESS:

Presbytery Meeting: Reports presented by Carey, Christopher, Fuhrman. At this meeting Robert Shannon was taken under care of Presbytery after presenting his statement of faith and credentials.

Caucus Meeting: Reports presented by Garnham and Fuhrman.

Ad hoc Committee on tape booth: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo that the office at the top of the stairs adjacent to the choir loft be given to the Radio and Tape Ministry Committee, as well as cutting through the wall separating this office from the choir loft. (Details will be carried out by the trustees) Motion carried.

GEM film service: Report presented by F. Schuman. It was moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg not to pursue the purchasing of the film library. Motion carried.

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Christian Education: Report presented by Middleton. The Wednesday Evening Summer Program will begin on June 25, 1975 and end in August. It will include a dinner (6:00 - 6:40), a discussion-type program with the theme "Rejoice" for both children and adults (6:45 - 7:45), and ending with a worship service (7:45 - 8:15).

Church in Society: Report presented by D. Fray. It was moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg that the Church in Society committee be given time during the morning worship service June 22, 1975, to present the children-to-children program, which interfaces with inner city kids and host family from our Christian community. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg that the Church in Society committee begin proceedings for sponsoring a family from Viet Nam. Motion carried.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston. The Salvation Army clothing collection center will be located in the parking lot until further notice.

Music and Worship: Report presented by Neal. It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Garnham that the permanent schedule for the second worship service be 11:15 - 12:15. Motion carried.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo. The Mission Conference will be held October 17-19, 1975.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Stewardship: Report presented by T. Preston.

3-D: No report.

Women of the Church: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Vacation Request: It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Christopher to grant vacation requests to W. Thompson (July 7 to July 20, 1975) and to W. Showalter (July 21 to July 31). Motion carried.

Dr. Castaneda: It was moved by Carey and seconded by Garnham to have Dr. Castaneda work in her private practice one day per week at Parkminster United Presbyterian Church for a trial period of three months starting some time after July 31. Motion carried.

The next Session breakfast will be July 12, 1975.

The Caucus meeting at Brockport on July 14, 1975 will be attended by J. Glassbrook and W. G. Fuhrman.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Garnham to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Thompson at 11:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

George M. Letson
George M. Letson
Asst. Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, July 7, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: Garnham, Neal

Ministers Present: Showalter

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Showalter.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley that the minutes for June 9, 1975 be approved with the following correction: On page 1 the minutes should read, "Student Intern Minister Present: J. Glassbrook." Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports were given by Carey, Christopher, Pinneo and Fuhrman.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates in June: 1st., 4th and 18th.

OLD BUSINESS

Archers' Financing: It was agreed by common consent to allow the Senior High Fellowship to conduct a car wash on the church property on two Saturdays in July for the purpose of raising money for the Archers.

Pro Ranata: Report presented by Christopher.

Deacons: No report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report submitted by Preston.

Christian Education: No report.

Music and Worship: No report.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

Church in Society: Report presented by Showalter.

Stewardship: No report.

3-D: No report.

Women of Parkminster: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.

Credit Union: No report.

Preschool: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Study Leave: It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Priestley to grant permission for W. Thompson to use one week of study leave to live in at the Community of Jesus August 2-9, 1975. Motion carried.

New Members' Meeting: The Session will meet with the new members' class, August 1, 1975 at 7:00 p.m.

Session Breakfast: The August Session breakfast will be held Saturday, August 2, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

Presbytery Meeting: Coombs, Fuhrman and Priestley will attend the July 22, 1975 Presbytery meeting at Corfu.

Coombs and Fuhrman will attend the Western Monroe County Caucus July 14, 1975.

Grace Covenant: It was moved by Preston and seconded by Christopher to grant permission for Grace Covenant to install a "Care and Share" bulletin board in the area beneath the narthex (exact location to be determined in cooperation with the trustees). Motion carried.

Synod: Report presented by Evans. It was agreed by common consent that the Session would pray for Mr. Keesaker, the moderator of Presbytery at every Session meeting.

The meeting was adjourned in prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met at 7:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 12, 1975.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Harrington, McClurg, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: Garnham, Letson, Neal, Odmark

Minister Present: Showalter

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Christian Education: It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Coombs to authorize the Christian Education Committee to make reservations (with \$100 deposit) at the Watson Homestead for a family retreat on the weekend of May 7-9, 1976. Specific plans will be presented to Session at a later date. Motion carried.

Outreach: It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Christopher to use \$500 of the \$600 Bookstore profit for the scholarship commitment to Jane Glassbrook. The remaining \$100 to be paid toward the remaining Archers balance. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer at 10:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert J. Thurling

Robert J. Thurling
Acting Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Friday, August 1, 1975 at 7:00 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Garnham, Harrington, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Priestley

Elders Excused: Fuhrman, Letson, Neal, Preston, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter. The following were received by the Session for membership in Parkminster:

Dr. Lina L. Castañeda	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Carey Seconded by Christopher
William B. Dermody	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Odmark
Mrs. Marion E. Dermody	Reaffirmation of Faith	Seconded by Evans
Miss Esther L. Hadley	Letter of Transfer, Gates Presbyterian Church	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Odmark
Miss Denise A. Koston	Letter of Transfer, Church of the Epiphany	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Harrington
Danny David Presicci	Profession of Faith	Moved by Coombs Seconded by Priestley
Herbert C. Schmalzriedt, Jr.	Letter of Transfer, Brighton Community Church	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Priestley
Mrs. Barbara S. Schmalzriedt		
Miss Astrid Siefert	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Coombs

The meeting was closed with prayer by Coombs at 9:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met for breakfast
Saturday, August 2, 1975, at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Garnham, Harrington, McClurg,
Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Priestley

Elders Excused: Fuhrman, Letson, Preston, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

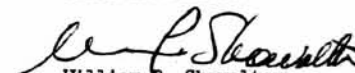
It was moved by Garnham and seconded by McClurg to have the Director of
Christian Education bring the Session's feelings (as discussed in this meeting),
concerning the Christian Education Committee's July 28, 1975 report, back to C.E.
and that C.E. report to Session with further recommendations at the August 11, 1975
Session meeting. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,



James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session



William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, August 11, 1975.

Elders Present: Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston

Elders Excused: Carey, Priestley, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by J. Glassbrook.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Garnham to approve the minutes for July 12, 1975 as submitted and those for July 7, 1975 with the following amendment: Page 2, New Members' Meeting:....."August 1, 1975 at 7:00 p.m." Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Christopher, Evans, Garnham, Neal, Odmark, and Pinneo.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: July 16 and 30, and August 3 and 6, 1975.

Baptisms:

Danny David Presicci	(Adult)	August 3, 1975
Kristin Ann Merrill	(Child)	August 17, 1975
Andrea Nicol Sanders	(Child)	August 17, 1975

OLD BUSINESS

Western Monroe County Caucus: Report presented by Coombs and Fuhrman. It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Coombs to request the Western Monroe County Caucus of Presbytery to prayerfully consider, as a priority item at its next meeting, the needs of Gates Presbyterian Church as stated at the July caucus meeting. Motion carried.

Presbytery: Report presented by Coombs, J. Glassbrook and Fuhrman.

Archer Financing: Report presented by Christopher. It was agreed by common consent to allow the Senior High Fellowship to conduct another car wash to enable them to reach their goal of \$200. for Archer financing.

Grace Covenant: Report presented by Showalter.

Vanguard Article: Report presented by Coombs.

Deacons: Written report submitted.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustee and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

Music and Worship: No report.

Christian Education: Report presented by Middleton.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Evans to grant C.E. permission to adopt the "Gospel Light" Sunday School curriculum for ages preschool through senior high effective Fall 1975. Motion carried.

After further deliberation C.E. chose to withdraw its July 28, 1975 recommendation to Session concerning the times and structure of Sunday School and extended session.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Letson to approve the following requests to Session from Outreach:

- 1) To place a large world map in the narthex during the Outreach Conference.
- 2) To use an Outreach booth for taking reservations in the narthex for the three consecutive Sundays previous to the Outreach Conference.
- 3) To take a special missionary offering on Sunday, October 19, 1975 in both services.

Motion carried.

Church in Society: No report.Stewardship: No report.Women of Parkminster: No report.Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.Credit Union: Report presented by Preston.Preschool: No report.NEW BUSINESS

Dom Mancini met with Session to share a need for guidance concerning his call to minister. There was a time of sharing and prayer.

Dance Class: It was moved by Preston and seconded by McClurg to deny a request for the use of Parkminster facilities for a dance studio. Motion carried.

ONE: It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Neal to grant permission for Our Neighborhood Ecumenical Society (ONE) to place brochures in the narthex and have a representative in the library after the service August 17, 1975. Motion carried.

Parkminster Life: H. King, Editor of Parkminster Life, met with Session to request constructive criticism concerning P.L.

Church Direction: David & Linda Fray and Jan Rogger met with the Session to share their concern for the spiritual direction of Parkminster. There was a time of sharing and exchanging ideas.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by McClurg to express the Session's appreciation to David and Linda Fray and Jan Rogger for coming and sharing their concerns with the Session. Motion carried.

It was agreed by common consent that a representative from Session would meet with the above visitors at a time to be determined to further discuss said matters of concern, and that the Session would, at that time, provide answers to the following questions:

1. Is there an imbalance in teaching at Parkminster as the Session perceives it?
2. What is the direction of Parkminster?
3. What is Parkminster's association with the Community of Jesus on Cape Cod?

Vacation: It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham to grant vacation leave for Showalter August 18-31, 1975. Motion carried.

H. Rosenberger: It was moved by Garnham and seconded by McClurg that the Session give H. Rosenberger (Cork) a gift of appropriate books, to be chosen by Showalter, at a price not to exceed \$50.00 cash outlay. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: The next Session breakfast will be at 7:00 a.m., Saturday, September 6, 1975.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham that the Session deal with the three questions submitted by David and Linda Fray and Jan Rogger at the September 6, 1975 Session breakfast and to also determine the time, place, and form of the promised second meeting with Frays and Rogger at that time. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 11:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter
Moderator

EXAMINED AND APPROVED

date 11-14-75

with no exceptions listed

SESSIONAL RECORDS COMMITTEE

Presbytery Genesee Valley

Bruce J. Bonser, Ch.

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met for breakfast at 7:00 a.m. September 6, 1975.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Thurling

Elders Excused: Letson, McClurg, Priestley

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson, Voth

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

The questions concerning the direction of Parkminster that were received by the session at its August 11, 1975 meeting were discussed.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Fuhrman to continue the discussion concerning the church's direction at the September 8, 1975 session meeting and at that time determine the time and place for a second meeting with David and Linda Fray and Jan Rogger. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Coombs to let the local Jaycees use Parkminster's babysitting service during their September 9, 1975 meeting here. Motion carried.

Richard Scott Flaherty met with the session to share about the call he has felt to the ministry.

It was moved by Carey and seconded by Christopher to affirm the call Scott has felt to the ministry and to take him under care of session. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, September 8, 1975.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Thompson.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Priestley to approve the minutes for August 2 and 11, 1975 as submitted and to approve the minutes for August 1, 1975 as corrected (list Thurling as being excused from the meeting). Motion carried.

Correspondence: It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Garnham to refer the August 2, 1975 correspondence regarding Church Film Service of Buffalo to Christian Education. Motion carried.

It was moved by Carey and seconded by Thurling to accept the offer from Black Creek Publications for free publicity in their paper. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Carey, Harrington, Christopher, Pinneo, McClurg.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: August 14, 28, 1975.

Baptisms:

Kristin Ann Merrill	8/17/75	(Infant)
Andrea Nicol Sanders	8/17/75	(Infant)

OLD BUSINESS

It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Coombs to appoint Fuhrman to a second term as permanent representative from Session to Presbytery (Sept. 1975 to Sept. 1976). Motion carried.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Christopher to affirm that the Session believes the Lord is leading the ministry at Parkminster. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Garnham to accept Robert Shewan's resignation as choir director and to extend the Session's grateful appreciation for his service. Motion carried.

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Music and Worship: Report presented by McClurg and R. McKibben.

It was moved by Neal and seconded by Odmark to approve the M.W. recommendation that invitations for World Communion Sunday be given to elders and deacons for distribution to those on their responsibility lists. Motion carried.

It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Odmark to approve the M.W. recommendation that the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper be offered every Thursday evening and that the Sunday communion schedule (first Sunday of every other month) remain unchanged. Motion carried.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Preston to send an official letter of thanks to Ralph Rebert for the work he has done for the church. (letter to be written by Preston) Motion carried.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Priestley to invite the Mission Council of Presbytery to conduct a Missions Fair at Parkminster November 22, 1975 from 2 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Christian Education: No report.

Stewardship: No report.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Church in Society: No report.

Nominating Committee: No report.

Budget Committee: No report.

Women of Parkminster: Written report submitted.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Garnham to grant W.P. permission to establish a fund for purchase of a dishwasher and that the specifics of the purchase be subject to approval of trustees. Motion carried.

3-D: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.

Credit Union: Report presented by Christopher.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to instruct the clerk to write a letter of thanks to Raymond Stuart for the rug he donated to Parkminster. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Caucus Meeting: Thompson and Thurling will attend the September 14, 1975 meeting of the Western Monroe County Caucus at Christ Church.

Presbytery Meeting: Carey, McClurg, Fuhrman and Evans will attend the September 23, 1975 Presbytery meeting at Webster church.

New Members: The Session will meet with the new members class October 2, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Session Breakfast: The Session will meet for breakfast October 4, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

Statement of Faith: It was moved by Evans and seconded by Coombs to use the proposed statement of faith for the September new members and to make a final decision concerning its lasting use at the October session meeting. Motion carried.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 1:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met at 7:30 on Thursday, October 2, 1975.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston

Elders Excused: Letson, Priestley, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

There was a time of sharing personal testimonies by session and the membership class.

The following were examined and received into membership by the session.

James B. Quinn	Letter of Transfer, Covenant Presbyterian Church, West Lafayette, Ind.	Moved by Carey Seconded by Odmark
Scott Mason	Communicants' Class POF	Moved by Neal Seconded by Pinneo
Harry E. Boeff Dorothy E. Boeff	Letter of Transfer, First Baptist Church in Chili	Moved by Odmark Seconded by Christopher
Alice L. Spencer	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Evans Seconded by Fuhrman
James Mason	Communicants' Class POF	Moved by Christopher Seconded by McClurg
Donald E. Webb	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Evans Seconded by Coombs
Daniel R. Levering Carole D. Levering	Letter of Transfer, Greece United Methodist Church	Moved by Preston Seconded by McClurg
Sharon Zentner	Letter of Transfer, Cayuga United Methodist Church, Cayuga, N. Y.	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Christopher
Carl W. Schultz	Letter of Transfer, Mendon First Presbyterian Church, Mendon, N. Y.	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Fuhrman
John H. VanHaghen	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Odmark Seconded by Carey
Pamela L. Hirschy	Profession of Faith	Moved by Odmark Seconded by Carey

George J. Mover
Carol M. Mover

Letter of Transfer, Gates
Presbyterian Church

Moved by Christopher
Seconded by Evans

Gail L. Boeff

Letter of Transfer, First
Baptist Church in Chili

Moved by Odmark
Seconded by Neal

Kim Steele

Profession of Faith

Moved by McClurg
Seconded by Fuhrman

The meeting was closed in prayer by W. Thompson at 10:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met for breakfast at 7:00 a.m., Saturday, October 4, 1975.

Elders Present: Carey, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: Christopher

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson, Voth

The meeting was opened with prayer by Voth.

Dismissal of Members: It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham to grant Douglas Simpson a Letter of Transfer to the Downtown Presbyterian Church of Rochester, N. Y. Motion carried.

Caucus Meeting: Thurling and Pinneo will attend the October 6, 1975 meeting of the Western Monroe County Caucus of Presbytery.

Session Meeting: It was moved by Evans and seconded by Fuhrman to hold the October Session (business) meeting on the third Monday, October 20, 1975. Motion carried.

Vacation: It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Priestley to approve Thompson's request for vacation October 10-13, 1975. Motion carried.

Sports Expenses: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Coombs that Parkminster reimburse G. Elder for his out-of-pocket expense for equipment for the church softball team (up to \$75.00 maximum). Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Showalter at 9:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, October 20, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: McClurg

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson

The meeting was opened with Scripture reading and prayer by Christopher.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham to approve the minutes of September 6, 8 and October 4, 1975 as submitted and to approve the minutes for October 2, 1975 with the following corrections:

- 1) The date of the meeting should be recorded as "October 2, 1975."
- 2) Page 1: "The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter."

Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Fuhrman, Christopher, Preston, Evans, Harrington, Coombs, Garnham, Odmark.

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling.

Presbytery: Report presented by Carey, Fuhrman, Evans.

Statement of Faith: It was moved by Evans and seconded by Harrington to approve the use of the attached Statement of Faith for teaching the new members' class at Parkminster. Motion carried.

Vanguard: Reports by Odmark, Thompson, and Showalter.

Deacons: Report by Thompson.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Church in Society: Report presented by J. Bradley. It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Neal to approve the goals and guidelines set forth by C. in S. for 1976:

1. People to people ministry - involvement with needy individuals and groups in the local community.
2. To increase the awareness of the members of Parkminster to the needs of the community.
3. To support mission projects of the Genesee Valley Presbytery.
4. Specific involvements to include:
 - a) Children-to-children
 - b) Refugee resettlement
 - c) Candidates nights at election time
 - d) BRIDGE
 - e) Inter-faith jail ministries

Motion carried.

Music and Worship: Report presented by R. McKibben

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to approve the hiring of Jeanne Houpt for the position of Junior Choir Director. Motion carried.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Coombs to give the Senior High Choir permission to present the musical, "If My People," at a date to be determined by M. and W. Motion carried.

It was moved by Neal and seconded by Pinneo to approve the M. and W. recommendation that we invite a musical group from Wheaton College called "Shalom" to give a concert at Parkminster December 9, 1975. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Carey to approve the M. and W. recommendation for a single Christmas Eve service in 1975 with the same seating arrangement as was used in 1974 and that M. and W. consider the use of the social hall for an over-flow crowd this year. Motion carried.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham to accept M. and W's recommendation to invite Lura Morey to continue as interim director for the adult choir through the end of 1975 and to express the session's affirmation and appreciation of her dedication and work. Motion carried.

Stewardship: Report presented by T. Preston.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

Christian Education: Report presented by N. Middleton.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

Evangelism: Report presented by Evans. It was moved by Evans and seconded by Thurling to grant the Evangelism committee the authority to actively pursue the possibilities of having an evangelistic series at Parkminster and then return to session with recommendations. Motion carried.

Nominating: Report by Christopher.

Budget: Report presented by Preston. It was moved by Preston and seconded by Thurling to approve the Christian Education portion of the attached 10/20/75 budget draft as corrected for distribution in the stewardship campaign. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Carey to approve the Outreach portion of the 10/20/75 Budget draft as presented for distribution in the Stewardship campaign. Motion carried.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Priestley to approve the Radio and Tape Ministry portion of the 10/20/75 Budget draft as presented for distribution in the Stewardship campaign. Motion carried.

Women of Parkminster: No report.

3-D: Written report submitted.

Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: No report.

Baptisms: The following were baptized at Parkminster:

Robyn Franceen Batz	(Child)	10/26/75
Derek Arthur Boddy	(Child)	10/26/75
David Charles Kuhlkin	(Child)	10/26/75
Karen Lynn Priestley	(Child)	10/26/75
Kate Elizabeth Whitney	(Child)	10/26/75
Brendan Arthur Wiley	(Child)	10/26/75
Pamela L. Hirschy	(Adult)	10/5/75
Kim Steele	(Adult)	10/5/75

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: September 11, 18, 25, 1975 and October 2, 5, 9, 16, 1975.

NEW BUSINESS

Request for Panel Member at Presbytery: It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Harrington to appoint Coombs as the Session's representative on a panel on Homosexuality to be held at the November 8, 1975 Presbytery meeting. Motion carried.

Presbytery Meeting: Coombs, Christopher and Fuhrman will attend the November 18, 1975 Presbytery meeting at New Life Church.

Study Leave: It was moved by Evans and seconded by Priestley to grant Showalter study leave to go on retreat November 1 - 8, 1975. Motion carried.

Souvenir Program Advertisement: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Harrington to buy two half-page advertisements (one ad for the church and the other for the bookstore) in a souvenir program of a testimonial dinner at Aeon Baptist Church. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: The next Session breakfast will be held November 1, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Pinneo to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 1:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, October 26, 1975 at 12:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: Carey, Harrington, Neal

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

OLD BUSINESS

Budget: It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Letson to accept figure \$2,255 for Director of Music as presented in the 10/26/75 budget draft as a maximum figure and to inform the Music and Worship Committee that the Session feels last year's figure of \$2,080 would be a more realistic one for that position. Motion carried.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Letson to rescind the above motion. Motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to instruct the Ministerial Relations Committee to recommend a salary policy to session by December 9, 1975. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Priestley to add a \$300 item for "Study Tuition Allowance" to the "Benefits and Allowances" portion of the 1976 budget draft which will be distributed during the stewardship campaign. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Evans to approve the corrected budget draft, dated October 27, 1975, for distribution in the stewardship campaign (see attached). Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, November 10, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: Harrington, Neal, Odmark

Ministers Present: Showalter, Thompson

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Showalter.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Thurling to approve the minutes for October 20 and 26, 1975 as submitted. Motion carried.

Letter of Transfer: It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Priestley that Mrs. Tom (Diana) Ridings' membership records be sent to First United Methodist Church, Gering, Nebraska. Motion carried.

Responsibility List: Reports presented by Carey, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Thurling.

Vanguard: Report by Showalter.

OLD BUSINESS

Presbytery: Reports presented by Coombs, Christopher, Fuhrman.

G. Elder Visit: Report by Priestley.

Deacons: Report by Thompson.

COMMITTEES

Trustees and Treasurer: Report by Preston.

Music and Worship: No report.

Stewardship: No report.

Christian Education: Report by N. Middleton.

Evangelism: Report by Evans.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Christopher to invite Myron Augsburg (President of Eastern Mennonite College, Harrisonburg, Va.) to speak at evangelistic series at Parkminster on May 13-16, 1976.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Nominating Committee: Report presented by Christopher.

Outreach: Report by Pinneo.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Christopher to permit a non-staff organist to use Parkminster's organ during the Mission Fair (11/22/75) providing he is approved by our staff organist.

Church in Society: No report.

Women of Parkminster: Written report submitted.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

3-D: No report.

Bookstore: Report by Evans.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Coombs to renew the Bookstore lease with Lincoln First Bank of Rochester as stated by the leasor. Motion carried.

Credit Union: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Session Breakfast: The next Session breakfast will be held December 6, 1975 at 7:00 a.m.

New Members' Meeting: The Session will meet at church with new members on Thursday, December 4, 1975 at 7:00 p.m.

Mrs. Simpson's request: The Session agreed to post in the church bulletin the announcement of the ordination of her son, D. Simpson, at Downtown Presbyterian Church on Sunday, November 23, 1975 at 7:00 p.m.

Vacation Leave: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Christopher to accept Rev. Thompson's request for a four-day vacation leave December 1 through December 4, 1975. Motion carried.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by McClurg to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 11:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

George M. Letson

George M. Letson
Asst. Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met with new members at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, December 4, 1975.

Elders Present: Carey, Coombs, Christopher, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Preston, Thurling

Elders Excused: Pinneo, Priestley

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Voth

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

There was a time of mutual sharing of personal faith by the Session and the new members' class. The following were received by the Session and voted into membership at Parkminster:

Mr. R. Dawn Attridge	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Odmark
Bruce Allen Baxter	Letter of Transfer, First United Presbyterian Church, Cambridge, Mass.	Moved by Carey Seconded by Garnham
William G. Boyles Mrs. Doris B. Boyles Miss Janice Boyles	Letter of Transfer, Greece Baptist Church	Moved by Coombs Seconded by Christopher
Mrs. Joy Alice Brower	Letter of Transfer, Ogden Presbyterian Church, Spencerport, N. Y.	Moved by Preston Seconded by Christopher
Miss Mary Anne Chorley	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Harrington
Mrs. Kathleen Falvo	Letter of Transfer, Grace Community Presbyterian Church, Burrell, Pa.	Moved by Evans Seconded by Harrington
Miss Gayle K. Hamilton	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Evans Seconded by Coombs
Miss Delores A. Horner	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Coombs Seconded by Evans
Mrs. Ruth H. Kaufmann	Profession of Faith	Moved by Thurling Seconded by Letson
Mrs. Linda M. Kusse	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Coombs Seconded by Fuhrman
Quentin W. Nickolaus Mrs. Polly J. Nickolaus Miss Dawn C. Nickolaus	Letter of Transfer, Central Presbyterian Church, Tarentum, Pa.	Moved by Odmark Seconded by Fuhrman

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James F. Onthank	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Thurling
Mrs. Priscilla J. Onthank	Reaffirmation of Faith	Seconded by McClurg
Dr. Richard D. Pearson	Letter of Transfer, Griggs	Moved by Carey
	St. United Methodist Church,	Seconded by Odmark
	Grand Rapids, Mich.	
Mrs. Janet S. Pearson	Reaffirmation of Faith	
Jacob Schulklopper	Letter of Transfer, John	Moved by Neal
Mrs. Gerritje Schulklopper	Calvin Presbyterian Church,	Seconded by Odmark
	Henrietta, N. Y.	
Mrs. Mary Ann Schutz	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Carey
		Seconded by Letson
James Walter Wheeler	Letter of Transfer, Calvin	Moved by McClurg
	Sinclair Presbyterian Church,	Seconded by Harrington
	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	

The meeting was closed with prayer by Voth at 10:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met for breakfast at 7:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 6, 1975.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: Garnham

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Barry Belknap, a Parkminster member and a senior at Gordon-Conwell College, met with the Session to seek guidance concerning his future plans for seminary.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Carey to take Barry Belknap under care of Session and thereby affirm the call he has felt from the Lord to the ministry. Motion carried.

Organ Committee: Report presented by P. Price.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Odmark to table the organ committee's report until the December 8, 1975 meeting of Session. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 9:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, December 8, 1975 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Elders Excused: --

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Showalter.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Priestley and seconded by McClurg to approve the minutes for November 10, 1975 with the following addition: under committee reports add "Nominating: Report presented by Christopher." Motion carried.

Correspondence: It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham to accept R. Morey's letter of resignation as organist at Parkminster. Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Thurling to remove James Green from the rolls of Parkminster. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Evans, McClurg, Coombs, Thurling, Neal, and Pinneo.

OLD BUSINESS

Organ Committee Report: It was moved by Priestley and seconded by McClurg to form an ad hoc committee to study the fund raising possibilities for a new organ. Motion carried.

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson.

It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Garnham to donate the Christmas Eve offering to the Deacons benevolence fund. Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Stewardship: Report presented by T. Preston.

Christian Education: Report presented by N. Middleton

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

Partitions for social hall - Report presented by T. Doughty and W. Priestley. It was moved by Preston and seconded by Garnham to approve the space committee's proposed direction concerning partitions for the social hall and to direct the space committee to report back to Session with a firm proposal as soon as possible. Motion carried.

Music and Worship: It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Odmark to approve the Music and Worship committee's recommendation to use a poster describing the "Week of Prayer for Christian Unity" in the narthex January 18, 1976. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham to table the Music and Worship's recommendation for Director of Music until 8:15 a.m. Sunday, December 14, 1975. Motion carried.

Evangelism: Report presented by Evans.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Thurling to approve the attached report of M.R. as a formally stated salary policy at Parkminster. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham to accept S. Voth's resignation as assistant minister at Parkminster. Motion carried.

Nominating: Report presented by Christopher.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Pinneo to approve the attached December 8, 1975 nominating report of 1976 nominees. Motion carried.

Church in Society: No report.

Discovery Groups: Report presented by Showalter.

Women of Parkminster: No report.

Preschool: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.

Credit Union: Report presented by Preston.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: November 13, 20, 27 and December 1, 4, 1975.

Sacrament of Baptism: The following were baptized:

Allison Elizabeth Attridge (child)	December 14, 1975
Kristen Heather Smith (child)	December 14, 1975
Corinne Renee Williams (child)	December 14, 1975

NEW BUSINESS

Food Cooperative: Report presented by D. Mancini.

It was moved by Carey and seconded by Garnham to approve the Parkminster Food Cooperative effective January 1, 1976. Motion carried.

Prayer Vigil Report: It was moved by Priestley and seconded by Preston to approve the recommendation of "Prayer Vigil" to urge the congregation to fast on the first Friday of each month throughout the bicentennial year for revival and renewal in the country. Motion carried.

The Elders and Deacons Retreat will be held at the Canacle Retreat House February 6-7, 1976.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 11:45 p.m.

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

Respectfully submitted,
James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Sunday, December 14, 1975 at 8:15 a.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham to offer the position of Director of Music at Parkminster to Lura Morey effective January 1, 1976, and that her call be reviewed in June 1976. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg to set the salary of the Director of Music at \$50.00 per week. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer at 8:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met at 12:45 p.m.
Sunday, January 4, 1976.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington,
Letson, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley

Elders Excused:

Ministers Present: W. Showalter (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by W. Showalter.

Budget for 1976

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Garnham to approve the 10/27/75
of the budget as amended. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Garnham to maintain the total
figure for the "Outreach" portion of the '76 budget at \$46,227, but to reduce
the individual 1976 outreach budget items by the \$13,250 of unmet 1975 commit-
ments. It was further moved to drop the parking lot item under "building" and
to use any overages in 1976 for outreach. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by W. Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Monday, January 12, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Harrington, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling.

Elders Excused:

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Harrington.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Priestley to approve the minutes for December 6, 8, 14, 1975 as submitted and to approve the minutes for December 4, 1975 with the following amendments: "Elders Excused: Pinneo." Motion carried.

Vanguard: The article in the January 1976 issue were reviewed by Showalter.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Garnham to recommend that the Music and Worship Committee utilize the ideas presented in "The Congregation and the Bicentennial", Vanguard, January, 1976, to design a suitable worship service for July 4, 1976, and the Session further recommends that the Church in Society Committee also utilize said article as an idea resource for any other Bicentennial activity. Motion carried.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Priestley to make copies of the article "Questions on Presbyterian Law and its Interpretation", Vanguard, Jan., 1976, available to the congregation near the end of the year 1976. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham that the Nominating Committee consider the ideas presented in the first and second full paragraphs in the January 1976 issue of Vanguard, and that the Nominating committee release its 1976 report to the congregation in December, immediately following the session's approval of same. Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members:

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham to remove the names of Merlyn, Jane, Darren, and Jodie Stowe from the Church membership per their request.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Odmark to drop Carl and Mary Strobel from the rolls. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham to drop Nancy and Fitch Davis from the rolls. Motion carried.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Garnham to drop Mrs. David Cansdale from the rolls. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Evans and Carey. The names of inactive members were distributed by responsibility list assignment.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: 11, 18, 25, 31 December 1975, and 1 and 8 January 1976.

OLD BUSINESS

Partition Report - It was moved by Carey and seconded by Priestley to authorize the Space Committee to spend up to \$100 for structural consulting (\$100 to be taken from the \$8000 budget item for Partitions in the 1976 budget). Motion carried.

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson. It was moved by Priestley and seconded by McClurg to have the deacons display the "Parkminster Map" for a month with a legend explaining its use and thereby publicize its existence. Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Music and Worship - Lura Morey met with the session to share her call as Director of Music at Parkminster. There was a time of prayer.

Music and Worship report presented by McKibben. It was moved by Carey and seconded by Neal to approve the Music and Worship recommendation to Hire Kathy Couse as interim director of the Senior High Choir for the period 14 January - 17 April, 1976. Motion carried.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Priestley to approve the Music and Worship recommendation for an Ash Wednesday service (3/3/76) of the same format as was used in 1975. Motion carried.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

Christian Education: Report presented by Middleton.

Stewardship: No report.

Nominating: Report presented by Christopher. It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Odmark to accept the attached nominating committee report of recommended chairpersons for Parkminster committees. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Outreach: No report.

Evangelism: Report presented by Evans.

Church in Society: No report.

3 D: Written report submitted.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Women of Parkminster: No report.

Preschool: Report presented by M. Preston. M. Preston expressed the Preschool's concern that it needs to become more closely tied to the body at Parkminster.

Bookstore: Report presented by Evans.

Credit Union: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Greg Osterberg met with session to share the call he has felt to the ministry. Because the session could not discern a clear call at this time, it was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Thurling to refer G. Osterberg to the Ministerial Relations Committee for further dialogue and that the Ministerial Relations committee report back to session at the May session meeting. Motion carried.

Session laid hands on and prayed for the healing of David Beinetti.

New Life Community United Presbyterian Church: Rev. Jay Leshner and Elder Malcolm Judd of New Life Church met with session to share their ministry and needs. It was moved by Preston and seconded by Pinneo to table the "New Life Church request" until the February session meeting. Motion carried.

Committee Chairmen: It was moved by common consent to invite the Parkminster committee chairmen to the January 31, 1976 session breakfast.

Presbytery Meeting: Fuhrman, Garnham and McClurg will attend the January 27, 1976 Presbytery meeting at Geneseo.

Caucus: Thurling and Carey will attend the Western Monroe County Caucus meeting at Bethany Presbyterian Church January 20, 1976.

Jim Bradley met with session to seek guidance regarding the purchase of a house and a possible job change. There was a time of prayer.

Officer Installation: Elders will be installed 1/25/76
Deacons will be installed 2/8/76

Vacation: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Priestley to approve Thompson's request for the remainder of 1975 vacation January 16-23, 1976. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: The next session breakfast will be held January 31, 1976 at 7:00 a.m.

New Members: The session will meet with the new members class January 29, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by McClurg to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 12:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark

Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday,
January 29, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark,
Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: Christopher, Coombs, Pinneo

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator)

The following persons were examined and approved by the Session for membership at Parkminster:

Miss Herma L. Bunke	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Mc Clurg Seconded by Letson
Mrs. Donna L. Carr	Profession of Faith	Moved by Garnham Seconded by Fuhrman
Miss Lianne C. Hughett	Letter of Transfer, Trinity Lutheran Church, Newport News, Va.	Moved by Fuhrman Seconded by McClurg
Miss Sharon Licciardi	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Evans Seconded by Neal
William E. Royall	Letter of Transfer, Williamsburg Baptist Church, Williamsburg, Va.	Moved by Priestley Seconded by Odmark
Miss Linda M. Trudeau	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Evans Seconded by Priestley

The Meeting was closed with prayer by McClurg at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met at the church on Monday, February 9, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: ~~XXXXX~~ Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling.
Alternate Elder Present: Brule.
Elders Excused: Odmark

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Schuman.

Approval of Minutes:

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Priestley to approve the minutes for Jan. 4, 1976 as submitted, and to approve the minutes for Jan. 12, 1976 with the following amendments:

Under new business (Greg Osterberg) - substitute May for March.

Under new business - add new paragraph:

Session laid hands on and prayed for the healing of David Beinetti.

Under new business (Vacation) - add after "for" the remainder of 1975.

Motion carried.

Election of Clerk and Asst. Clerk of Session:

Thurling nominated Odmark as Clerk of Session for 1976. It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Letson that nominations for Clerk of Session be closed and that the clerk cast one unanimous ballot for Odmark. Motion carried.

Neal nominated G. Letson for Asst. Clerk of Session for 1976. It was moved by Neal and seconded by Priestley that nominations for Asst. Clerk of Session be closed and that the clerk cast one unanimous ballot for Letson.

1976 Ministerial Relations Committee: The following people were nominated:
 1976 Ministerial Relations Committee: The following people were nominated:

W. G. Fuhrman
 D. Mancini
 N. Coombs
 Carolyn Chizk
 T. Doughty

Nominated by
 Thurling
 Evans
 Priestley
 Neal
 Thurling

It was moved by Carey and seconded by Evans to close the nominations for the Ministerial Relations Committee and that the clerk cast one unanimous ballot for the above nominees. Motion carried.

Gift of Appreciation: It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Thurling that the Session would give N. Middleton her reception in Parkminster Church following her wedding in April. Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members:

It was moved by Neal and seconded by Fuhrman to drop John and Mary Waugh from the rolls. Motion carried.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Schuman to drop Curtis and Linda Oakley from the rolls. Motion carried.

It was moved by Neal and seconded by Thurling to drop Ronald Pikuet from the rolls. Motion carried.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Priestley to drop Sue Cummings from the rolls. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Fuhrman to drop James, Marion and Suzanne Coyne from the rolls. Motion carried.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Carey to drop Alton M. Colling from the rolls. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Neal to drop the following members from the rolls if they are not heard from before the next session meeting (March).

Richard Case
Mrs. David Frey
Steven Hauch
Ross D. Leggett
Eric and Alan Smith

Motion carried.

It was moved by Priestley and seconded by Pinneo to grant Loren Burnett a letter of transfer to Gates Presbyterian Church, Gates, New York. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Report was made by Pinneo.

Old Business:

Western Monroe caucus reported on by Thurling and Carey.

Presbytery report by Fuhrman and Garnham.

New Life Church request—It was moved by Priestley and seconded by Thurling that Dr. William Showalter will contact Rev. Jay Leshner, minister of New Life Church, and propose that their session and an equal number of our session members meet together to discuss their request for help. Motion carried.

Clarification of salary for Director of Music—Fuhrman reported that \$50 per week for 41 weeks will be granted for 1976.

Deacons Report: Report presented by Mr. Thompson.

Committee Reports:

Christian Education: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Schuman to approve

the Job Description of Director of Christian Education, submitted by Bob Jackson. Motion carried.

Report by T. Doughty:

It was moved by Evans and seconded by Thurling to approve the proposed sliding wall paneling for the social hall as described by T. Doughty in his report. Motion carried.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Christopher to sign the purchase order with McGuire Company for the amount stated, \$14,218. Motion carried.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to form a committee of two, Carolyn Chizk and Mary Jane Preston, to select the wall panel colors. Motion carried.

Trustees & Treasurer: Report submitted by Preston.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Evangelism: Report by Evans.

Music and Worship: No report.

Outreach: Report by G. Frazier and Claire Griffith.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Priestley to approve plans for One Great Hour of Sharing. Motion carried.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Letson to reserve the dates of Oct. 15, 16, and 17 for the outreach conference, and to hold a brunch on May 2 for all college students wishing to see a movie on the Urbana conference. Motion carried.

Church in Society: No report

Stewardship: No report

3-D: Report submitted

Radio and Tape: No report

Preschool: Report Submitted

Bookstore: Report by Schuman

It was moved by Schuman and seconded by Garnham to change the discount rates to 20% for the church and 10% for those outside Parkminster Church. Motion defeated.

Credit Union: Report by Preston

New Business:

Staff replacement - report by Fuhrman.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Neal to table the discussion until the next meeting about filling the two staff vacancies (Director of Christian Education and Assistant Pastor) with one qualified person. Motion carried.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Preston to permit Dr. W. Showalter to attend a speaking engagement at the Owego Presbyterian Church Feb. 13-15, 1976. Motion carried.

It was moved by Evans and seconded by McClurg to permit Dr. W. Showalter to attend a speaking engagement in Erskine, South Carolina, March 22, 23, 24, 1976. Motion carried.

It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Christopher to deny the request of Walter Hoving Home to visit Parkminster on a fund-raising drive. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Mr. Thompson at 12:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

George Letson
George Letson,
Asst. Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Sunday, February 22, 1976 at 12:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston.

Elders Excused: Letson, Neal, Coombs, Thurling, Priestley, Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter, (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

It was agreed by common consent to invite Bob Barcus to meet with the session at the March 6, 1976 breakfast.

R. McKibben, chairman of the Music and Worship Committee, presented his committee's recommendation for organist at Parkminster.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Pinneo to approve the M & W Committee's recommendation to hire Johannes W. de Groote as organist at Parkminster beginning February 29, 1976. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Thompson at 1:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Monday, March 8, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling.

Elders Excused:

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson.

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Odmark.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Garnham and seconded by McClurg to approve the minutes for February 9 and February 22, 1976 with the following corrections:

February 9, 1976 - Add "Alternate Elder present: Brule" and remove Brule's name from the list of "Elders Present".

February 22, 1976 - Record the minutes as "Respectfully submitted, J. S. Odmark, Clerk of Session".

Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members:

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to grant Floyd C. and Dorothy M. Sterner a Letter of Transfer to Pierce Free Methodist Church. Motion carried.

Correspondence: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to accept with regret and congratulations, Nancy Middleton's resignation as Director of Christian Education, effective March 28, 1976. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Pinneo, Schuman, Thurling, Letson, Preston, Odmark and Neal.

Nominating Committee For 1976: The following persons were nominated as Session representatives for the Nominating Committee for 1976: Neal nominated by McClurg and Fuhrman nominated by Preston.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Thurling that the nominations be closed and that the clerk cast one unanimous ballot for the above slate. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham to appoint Neal as Chairman of the Nominating Committee for 1976. Motion carried.

Church Committee Appointments: The following persons were appointed as Session representatives to church committees for 1976:

Bookstore - Fred Schuman
Cassette Ministry - Wm. Christopher
Christian Education - Walt Priestley
Church in Society - Norman Coombs
Evangelism - George Evans and James Odmark
Ministerial Relations - Wm. Fuhrman
Music and Worship - John McClurg
Kirk Neal

Outreach - Rose Pinneo and George Letson
Publicity - Edward Carey
Space - Robert Thurling
Stewardship - Fred Brule
Preschool - Robert Thurling
Credit Union - John Preston
Scholarship - George Letson

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Priestley to appoint Fuhrman as Chairman of the Ministerial Relations Committee for 1976. Motion carried.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates:
February 12, 19, 26, 1976 and March 4, 1976.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Steven Donald Buchvald	(Child)	2/8/76
Joy Kathleen Preston	(Child)	2/8/76

OLD BUSINESS:

New Life Church: It was agreed by common consent to send representatives from the Session, names to be chosen by Showalter, to meet with representatives of the New Life Churches' Session March 21, 1976.

Partitions: Report presented by Preston.

S. Voth Pension: Report presented by Showalter.

R. Barcus: It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Schuman to call R. Barcus to a position as Assistant Minister at Parkminster, specific time and terms to be proposed by the Ministerial Relations Committee as soon as possible. Motion carried.

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Organ Committee: Report presented by W. Abbett and P. Price.

It was moved by Schuman and seconded by Odmark to endorse the organ Committee's recommendation that Parkminster purchase a pipe organ if it receives the support of the congregation. Motion carried.

It was agreed by common consent to have the organ committee devise a plan for presenting their recommendation of a pipe organ to the congregation, and to survey the commitment and interest of the congregation concerning a pipe organ.

Christian Education: Report presented by N. Middleton.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

The Spring cleanup work day will be held Saturday, May 1, 1976.

Music and Worship: Report presented by Neal and McClurg.

It was moved by Neal and seconded by Coombs to approve the M&W recommendation to allow the Senior High Choir to present "If my People" on request at area churches subject to approval by the M&W committee. Motion carried.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

Evangelism: Report presented by Evans.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Stewardship: Report presented by Showalter.

Church in Society: No report.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Showalter.

3-D: Written report submitted.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Women of Parkminster: Written report submitted.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Caucus Meeting: Neal, Thurling and Garnham will represent the Session at the March 15 caucus meeting.

Presbytery Meeting: Fuhrman and Schuman will represent the Session at the March 23 Presbytery meeting to be held at Calvary St. Andrews Presbyterian Church.

Danny Taylor: It was moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg to invite Danny Taylor to come and share in song and word with the Senior High Fellowship Wednesday, March 17 at 7:00 p.m., and that the free will offering be given to him for the meeting. Motion carried.

The New Members class will meet with the Session Thursday, April 1, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Session Breakfast: It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Carey to have the next Session breakfast Saturday, March 27, 1976 at 7:00 a.m. instead of the first Saturday in April. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 12:00 midnight.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Sunday, March 21, 1976, at 12:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Carey.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

R. Barcus: The Ministerial Relations Committee recommendation on the terms of R. Barcus' call to Parkminster was presented by Fuhrman (see attachment).

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Priestley to approve the MR recommendation for the terms of R. Barcus' call to Parkminster, effective May 1, 1976. Motion carried.

Food Coop: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to amend the by-laws of the Parkminster Food Coop to allow participants in church programs and church employees to become members of the Food Coop. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met for Breakfast on Saturday, March 27, 1976, at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Pinneo, Preston.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson.

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Showalter.

It was moved by Schuman and seconded by Priestley to have the Ministerial Relations Committee, in consultation with McClurg and Thurling, begin looking for another manse for Parkminster and to present their recommendations to the Session. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met with the New Members Class on Thursday, April 1, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Priestley, Thurling.

Alternate Elder Present: Brule.

Elders Excused: Coombs, Evans, Preston, Schuman.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator).

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

There was a time of sharing and testimony by everyone present.

The following were received and voted into membership by the Session:

David J. Beinetti	Profession of Faith	Moved by Thurling
Mrs. Joan S. Beinetti	Reaffirmation of Faith	Seconded by Carey
Duane M. Elling	Letter of Transfer, Trinity Emmanuel Presbyterian Church	Moved by Odmark Seconded by Letson
Mrs. Deborah McClurg	Letter of Transfer, United Methodist Church of North Chili	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Priestley
William H. Mets	Letter of Transfer, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church	Moved by Garnham Seconded by Neal
Mrs. Ruth L. Mets		
Miss Melinda Mets		
Robert D. Newman	Letter of Transfer, John Knox Presbyterian Church	Moved by Carey Seconded by Thurling
Mrs. Jean Ann Newman		
Leo E. Ostberg	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Pinneo
Mrs. Joyce B. Ostberg	Letter of Transfer, Third Presbyterian Church	Seconded by Garnham
Mrs. Margaret Schmidt	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Odmark

Organ Fund: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Fuhrman to establish an Organ Fund Account: and that existing memorial organ funds (approximately \$4,000) be transferred to this account along with the \$3,000. grant from the Davenport Hatch Foundation: and that all future grants, pledges and contributions designated for the new organ be deposited in this account. Motion carried.

Senior High Communion: It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Odmark to grant the Senior High Fellowship permission to have communion at their retreat on April 4, 1976. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned with a time of prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
J.S. Odmark
J.S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William R. Showalter
William R. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, April 11, 1976 at 2:00 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Garnham, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Priestley, Preston, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: Evans, Letson, Neal

Ministers Present: W. P. Showalter, (moderator), W. G. Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

The following communicants were examined by the session concerning membership in Parkminster Church.

David Scott Boyles
Beth Ruth Coombs
Scott M. Frazier
Karen L. Fuhrman
Douglas E. Garnham
Robert W. Larsen
Sandra Lusk
Douglas W. Mayne
Michael C. Quinn

Peter J. Rugg
Sherry Lee Rugg
Jeffrey R. Steffler
Marci A. Swinehart
David Sylvester
Joanne Schutz
Michael W. Schutz
Timothy Showalter

It was moved by Carey and seconded by Pinneo to receive the afore mentioned communicants into membership in Parkminster Church. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Pinneo at 3:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Monday, April 12, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Schuman, Thurling.

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: Priestley, Letson, Neal

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Fuhrman.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to approve the minutes for March 27, April 1 and April 11, 1976 as submitted and to approve the minutes for March 8, 1976 with the following corrections:

1. Committee Reports: Organ Committee - "It was moved by Schuman and seconded by Odmark - - -"

2. New Business: Caucus Meeting - "Neal, Thurling and Garnham will represent - -" (omit Brule).

Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members: It was moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg to grant Dr. Fred Herrick a Letter of Transfer to the First Congregational Church of Fairport. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Garnham to drop Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Wilkins from the rolls. Motion carried.

Correspondence: It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Coombs to refer Greg and Deborah Osterberg's April 2, 1976 letter to the Ministerial Relations Committee for further consideration and follow up. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by McClurg, Coombs, Christopher, Garnham, Preston, Fuhrman, Schuman, Evans and Carey. Garnham, Priestley, Schuman and Odmark will report at the May meeting.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered - March 11, 18, 25, April 1, 4, 8, 1976.

Baptisms: The following were baptized at Parkminster:

Clint Steven Bentley	(child)	April 11, 1976
Sarah Stewart	(child)	April 11, 1976
Timothy Edmund Hilton	(child)	April 11, 1976
Paula Lynn Refici	(child)	April 11, 1976
Carl Anthony Refici	(child)	April 11, 1976

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus Meeting: Report presented by Garnham and Thurling. It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Garnham to direct the Clerk to write a letter of appreciation to the women of the church for the meal they prepared for caucus. Motion carried.

Presbytery Meeting: Report presented by Fuhrman and Schuman.

Presbytery Evangelism Conference: Report presented by Thurling.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Deacons: No report.

Outreach: Report presented by G. Frazier. Members of the Committee met with the Session.

Trustee and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

The family breakfast and workday. to be held May 1, 1976 at 8:00 a.m., was presented. It was agreed by common consent to approve the workday as presented by Preston.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by Coombs that it be resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Church in the person of Board Chairman, John S. Preston, is hereby authorized to arrange for borrowings from Lincoln First Bank of Rochester in the amount of \$2,532.00 at a rate of interest and on terms authorized to him for the purpose of financing the purchase of (1) Xerox 660-1 copy machine to be located and used in the office of the church, located at 2710 Chili Avenue, Rochester, New York. Motion carried.

Music and Worship: Report presented by McClurg. It was moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to approve the M & W recommendation that the church paraments be replaced (financed with deacon's moneys), and to approve the purchase of mater' or the paraments prior to approval of a design. Motion carried.

Evangelism: Report presented by Evans.

Radio and Tape: Report by Showalter.

Church and Society: No report.

3-D: Written report submitted.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Stewardship: Report presented by Showalter.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: No report.

Ministerial Relations: It was moved by Coombs and seconded by McClurg to recommend to the congregation that we build an additional manse on existing church property for an assistant minister. Motion carried.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Preston to call a congregational meeting May 2, 1976 to recommend that we build a manse of style and location as proposed by M.R. in their report. The recommendation carries the following restrictions:

1. Total cost limit of \$35,000.
2. Subject to execution of suitable mortgage terms by the Trustees. Motion carried.

Christian Education: R. Belt presented a report on Boy Scout Troop #258. It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Pinneo to grant Boy Scout Troop #258 permission to take orders for light bulbs after two Sunday services and to further grant the troop permission to have a car wash at the church on one Saturday during June. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Ministers Leave: It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Schuman to grant Showalter study leave to attend a minister's retreat, April 19-21, and vacation time for April 22-25, 1976, and also to grant Thompson study leave April 19-21 for the Minister's retreat. Motion carried.

It was moved by Preston and seconded by McClurg to grant study leave to Thompson May 3-5, 1976 to attend the New York Clergy Economic Education Conference. Motion carried.

Reception for Barcus: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Christopher that a family supper, sponsored by the Session and organized by the Ministerial Relations Committee, be held May 2, 1976 at 6:00 p.m. to introduce R. Barcus and his family to the congregation. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: The Session will meet May 1, 1976 at 7:00 a.m. and have breakfast at 8:00 a.m. for the Family Work Day.

Minister's Travel Request: It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Pinneo to allow Showalter to go to the Presbyterian Charismatic Communion May 11, 12, 1976 and General Assembly May 18-19, 1976. Motion carried.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by McClurg to adjourn.
The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 12:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Monday, May 10, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Garnham, McClurg, Neal, Odmak, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: Evans, Letson

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Thompson, Barcus

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Fuhrman to approve the minutes for 4/12/76 with the following addition:

Correspondence: Greg and Deborah Osterberg.

Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to grant Patricia Saucke a Letter of Transfer to Irondequoit Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Pinneo to grant David and Linda Fray's request to be dropped from the rolls but to continue the process of care for one year (letter to be written by Showalter). Motion carried.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Thurling to grant Mrs. Louise Mattes a Letter of Transfer to the Riga Congregational Church. Motion carried.

It was moved by Coombs and seconded by Fuhrman to drop J. Douglas Causey from the rolls. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: April 15, 22, 29 and May 6.

The following were baptized at Parkminster Church:

David Scott Boyles	(Child)	April 15, 1976
Karen L. Fuhrman	(Child)	April 15, 1976
David C. Sylvester	(Child)	April 15, 1976

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Garnham, Priestley, Schuman, Odmak, Carey, Coombs, Neal.

OLD BUSINESS

PRO: Neal (elder) and Lish (deacon) will organize the 5/16/76 luncheon for Parkminster leaders and Dr. Myron Augsburg.

Christopher and McClurg will act as hosts at the 5/15/76 luncheon for area clergy and lay leaders.

Pro Re Nata Meeting at Presbytery: Report presented by Fuhrman.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson.

Chancel: C. Chizk presented designs for new paraments for approval. It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Thurling to approve the parament designs presented by the Chancel committee with the sessions comments and suggestions concerning the Pentecost and marriage designs. Motion carried.

Organ Feasibility: Report presented by W. Abbett. It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Coombs to call a congregational meeting June 13, 1976 at 12:45 to propose to the congregation that Parkminster contract for the purchase and installation of a pipe organ costing approximately \$110,000. Motion carried.

Christian Education: Report presented by Priestley. It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Coombs to deny the Girl Scouts request to sell baked goods Sunday, 5/16/76, after church services.

Trustee and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

Stewardship: Written report submitted.

Ministerial Relations: Report by Fuhrman.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo. It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Garnham to grant permission for the use of the "outreach dollars" program in 1976. Motion carried.

Music and Worship: Report presented by Neal. It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Carey to grant permission for the Senior high choir to sing at the Salvation Army. Motion carried.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by John and Connie Lish. It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by Christopher to allow the Radio and Tape to make PRO '76 tapes available in the library after PRO services. Motion carried.

Evangelism: Report presented by Odmark.

Church and Society: No report.

3-D: Written report submitted.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Women of the Church: No report.

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: Report by Preston.

NEW BUSINESS

Retirees Chairperson: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to approve Hazel Rugg as chairperson of the retirees. Motion carried.

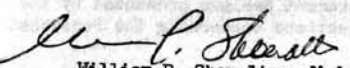
Presbytery meeting June 8, 1976 at Attica: Fuhrman, Coombs, and Priestley will attend.

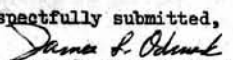
Caucus meeting, May 24, 1976 at Grace Church: Thurling and Christopher will attend.

New members meeting: June 3, 1976, 7:30 p.m.

Next Session breakfast will be held with the deacons June 5, 1976 at 7:00 a.m.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Thompson at 11:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

 William P. Showalter, Moderator

Respectfully submitted,

 James S. Odmark, Clerk of Session

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Sunday, May 16, 1976.

Elders Present: Christopher, Evans, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Carey, Coombs, Garnham, Preston.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator)

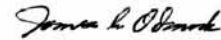
The meeting was opened in prayer.

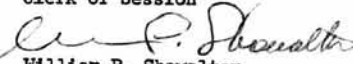
It was moved by Priestley and seconded by Thurling to grant Showalter permission to accept a nomination to serve on the Board of the Presbyterian Charismatic Communion (P.C.C.). Motion carried.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Schuman to grant Showalter permission to attend the P.C.C. congress in Pasadena, California May 28 - June 4, 1976. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,


 James S. Odmark
 Clerk of Session


 William P. Showalter
 Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met at the church on Thursday, June 3, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Fuhrman, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Carey, Coombs, Evans, Garnham, Letson, Neal.

Ministers Present: Barcus (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

The following people met with the Session and were examined concerning membership in Parkminster:

Mrs. Robert Barcus	Letter of Transfer, First Presbyterian Church, Caledonia, New York
Miss Susan E. Gresens	Profession of Faith
Miss Sharon K. Lamos	Letter of Transfer, Long Lake Wesleyan Church, Long Lake, N.Y.
Walter A. Palmer	Letter of Transfer, Greece Baptist Church, Greece, N.Y.
Mrs. Joyce F. Palmer	
Miss Sandra Brown	Communicants Class

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to receive the new members' class, as listed above, into membership in Parkminster. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McClurg to approve the parament design for Pentecost as revised by the Chancel Committee. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with a time of informal sharing at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met at the church on Saturday, June 5, 1976 at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Preston

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened in prayer by Showalter.

Organ Committee: Ward Abbett presented a report.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Christopher to grant permission to the committee to do the following if the purchase of a new organ is approved at the June 13, 1976 congregational meeting:

1. Send a mailing to the congregation requesting pledges for the new organ.
2. Declare June 27, 1976 as Organ Pledge Sunday.

Motion carried.

Bob and Mary Jane Shannon met with the Session (Bob is a ministerial student under the care of the Session) to share God's workings in their lives throughout this past year in Boston.

Note: The Session will meet with Rev. Peter Marshall Wednesday, June 9, 1976 at 5:45 p.m.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,



James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session



William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Sunday, June 6, 1976 at 10:55 a.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Evans, Fuhrman, Letson, Neal, Pinneo, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus

The meeting was called to order to meet with a new member.

It was moved by Neal and seconded by Pinneo to accept into membership Munroe H. Kuhlkin by Profession of Faith.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by W. Showalter at 11:05 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

George Letson
George Letson
Asst. Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, June 14, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling, Letson

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Barcus.

Approval of Minutes: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to approve the minutes for May 16, June 3, 5 and 6, 1976, as submitted and to approve the minutes for May 10, 1976, with the following correction:

OLD BUSINESS: PRO: "Neal (elder) and Lish (deacon) will organize the 5/16/76 luncheon for -----".
Motion carried.

Correspondence: A Presbytery Concerns list was distributed to Session and reported on by Barcus. The Session will complete and return the information forms to Barcus by July 3, 1976.

Carl Smith Farewell Reception - Evans and Fuhrman will represent the Session at the June 20, 1976 event.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Priestley, Odmark, Christopher, Carey, Letson, Neal, Thurling.

OLD BUSINESS

General Assembly - Report presented by Showalter.

Presbyterian Charismatic Communion (PCC) - Report presented by Showalter.

Organ - It was moved by Priestley and seconded by Neal to hold the funds that have been donated for a new organ until the January, 1977 congregational meeting. Motion carried.

It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Christopher to refer the forming of a new organ committee to the Nominating Committee. Motion carried.

Western Caucus Meeting - Report presented by Christopher and Thurling. Christopher was elected as the representative from caucus to the nominating committee of Presbytery.

Presbytery Meeting - Report presented by Coombs and Priestley.

Installation of Barcus: It was moved by Priestley and seconded by Thurling to grant Barcus' request for an installation service July 11, 1976 at 9:30 a.m. with the installation commission to be:

The Rev. William W. Young, Moderator, Presbytery of Genesee Valley
 The Rev. William P. Showalter
 The Rev. William G. Thompson
 Ruling Elder William G. Fuhrman
 Ruling Elder Jean Leyland
 Ruling Elder Robert W. Barcus, Clarence, N.Y.

Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates:
 May 13, 20, 27, June 3, 6, 10.

The following were baptized at Parkminster:

Gregory Preston Hill	(Child)	June 13, 1976
Jennifer Ann Kiser	(Child)	June 13, 1976
Rebecca Jane Long	(Child)	June 13, 1976

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Evangelism: Report presented by Odmark and Evans.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston and Fuhrman. Preston will receive the Session's donations for the manse financing charges.

Music and Worship: Report presented by Neal.

Outreach: No report.

Christian Education: Report presented by Priestley.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman. Fuhrman also reported on a follow-up meeting of MR with the Greg Osterberg's.

Stewardship: No report.

Radio and Tape: No report.

3-D: Written report submitted. It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Priestley to approve 3-D's tentative plans for a summer program as outlined in their 6/9/76 report to Session. Motion carried.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: Report presented by Preston.

NEW BUSINESS:

Tom Lynn met with the Session to share the call he has felt to full time Christian service. It was moved by Carey and seconded by McClurg to take Tom Lynn under care

of Session and thereby affirm the call he has felt to Christian ministry. Motion carried. There was a time of prayer for Tom.

The next Session Breakfast will be held July 3, 1976, at 7:00 a.m.

Vacation Time: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Schuman to grant Barcus' request for vacation June 27 - July 10, 1976. Motion carried.

It was moved by Priestley and seconded by McClurg to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with a time of prayer at 11:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
 James S. Odmark
 Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
 William P. Showalter
 Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, July 12, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling, Letson.

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: Carey, Coombs

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus.

The meeting was opened with scripture reading and prayer by McClurg.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Priestley and seconded by Garnham to approve the minutes for June 14, 1976 as submitted. Motion carried.

Correspondence:

YWCA : Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Priestley to approve the YWCA's request to use Parkminster's facilities for their 1977 program as outlined in their June 17, 1976 correspondence. Motion carried.

D. Mancini request: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Odmark to approve D. Mancini's request for reimbursement for travel expenses to Grenville College. Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to grant Miss Grace Cummings a Letter of Transfer to Grace Covenant Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Garnham and seconded by Neal to grant Robert L. Shannon and Mrs. Mary Jane Shannon a Letter of Transfer to the First Presbyterian Church of Cambridge, Mass. as of July 27, 1976, pending Presbytery action to release Robert to the care of the Boston Presbytery. (Robert is a ministerial student under care of the Presbytery of Genesee Valley and this Session). Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Evans and Schuman.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: June 30 and July 7, 1976.

The following were baptized at Parkminster: None since June 14, 1976.

OLD BUSINESS

Carl Smith Reception - Report presented by Fuhrman and Evans.

Presbytery Concerns Questionnaire - Report presented by Barcus.

Donation to Presbytery Candidates - Moved by Evans and seconded by Thurling to donate \$50. to the Presbytery Candidates Fund in connection with Barcus' installation service. Motion carried.

Deacons - Written report submitted by T. Doughty and presented by Thompson.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Nominating - Report by Neal. The committee chose the following people to serve on the new Organ Committee:

Joyce Ostberg	Howard Galton
Grace Dennison	William Metz
Ward Abbett	Dan Levering
John Cochran	

Music and Worship - No report.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston. It was moved by Preston and seconded by Christopher to use the amount in the Grace Covenant account at First Federal Savings and Loan and any accrued interest for payment for the new social hall partitions. Motion carried.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

Evangelism: Report by Evans.

Christian Education: No Report.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Christopher.

Stewardship: Report submitted by Avery and presented by Showalter.

3-D: Written report submitted.

Women of the church: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Church and Society: Report presented by J. Bradley.

Space: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Minchen's concern - Dan and Sandy Minchen met with Session to share their feelings concerning God's direction for their lives and to seek the Session's guidance. Prayer was offered by Schuman after a time of mutual sharing.

Christian School - Written report submitted by D. Mancini. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Schuman to direct Nominating Committee to select an ad-hoc committee to investigate the need (or lack of a need) for a Christian school at Parkminster. Motion carried.

Presbytery Meeting - July 27, 1976 at Penfield. Fuhrman, Evans and Schuman will attend.

Caucus Meeting - July 19, 1976 at Brockport. Barcus, Christopher and McClurg will attend.

New Members Meeting - Session will meet July 29, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Next Session Breakfast - will be held Saturday, August 7, 1976 at 7:00 a.m.

Vacation - Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Pinneo to approve the following vacation requests:

Thompson: July 19 - Aug. 1, 1976; Aug. 9 - Aug. 16, 1976.
Barcus: Aug. 2 - 8, 1976.

Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer at 11:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, August 1, 1976.

Elders Present: Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Schuman.

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: Carey, Garnham, Letson, Preston, Pinneo, Priestley, Thurling.

Ministers Present: Showalter, (moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

The following were examined by the session and voted into membership in Parkminster Church:

Wilfred E. Miller	Letter of Transfer, First Baptist Church Albion, N.Y.	Moved by Coombs Seconded by McClurg
Richard P. Shomper	Letter of Transfer, Wesley United Methodist Church, Rochester, N.Y.	Moved by Fuhrman Seconded by Neal

The meeting was closed with prayer by Barcus.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, August 9, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Garnham, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Preston, Priestley, Schuman.

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: Fuhrman, Letson, Pinneo, Thurling.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Brule.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Neal and seconded by Odmark to approve the minutes for July 12, 1976 as submitted. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Odmark, Christopher, Priestley, Carey, Neal and Coombs. Odmark, Christopher, Evans and Priestley will report at the September meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

Presbytery Meeting - Report presented by Evans and Schuman.

Caucus Meeting - Report presented by Barcus, Christopher and McClurg.

Parkminster Garden and Food Coop - Written report submitted by D. Mancini.

Presbytery Concerns - Written report submitted by Barcus.

Dismissal of Members - Moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg to grant Myrtle Haschmann a Letter of Transfer to the Ridgeland Baptist Church. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: July 14, 21, 28 and August 1, 4, 6, 1976.

The following were baptized at Parkminster:

Kenneth Denzil Carr	(Child)	August 8, 1976
Julie Ann Carr	(Child)	August 8, 1976
Sara Jean Dementint	(Child)	August 8, 1976
Jeffrey Stephen Jordan	(Child)	August 8, 1976

Deacons: Written report submitted by M. Harrington.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Nominating - Report presented by Neal.

Trustees and Treasurer - Report presented by Preston.

Music and Worship - Report presented by McClurg.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Garnham to grant M&W permission to make arrangements for an all Parkminster Choir retreat at the Community of Jesus. Motion carried.

Church and Society - No report.

Evangelism - No report.

Christian Education - Report presented by Barcus.

Ministerial Relations - No report.

Stewardship - No report.

Radio and Tape - Report presented by Christopher.

Moved by Garnham and seconded by Christopher to have R&T look into the possibilities (in consultation with Parkminster's interior decorators and librarian) of moving the tape lending facilities to the library. Motion carried.

3-D - Written report submitted by L. Pappa.

Outreach - Report presented by G. Frazier and T. Coggeshall.

Moved by Garnham and seconded by Preston to approve the committee's plans for the Outreach Conference (Oct. 14-17), and to approve the use of the Outreach dollar program with the receipts from the dollars to go to the Guatemalan relief fund. Motion carried.

Women of the Church - No report.

Bookstore - Report presented by Schuman.

Preschool - No report.

Credit Union - No report.

Ad Hoc Church School Committee - Written report submitted by D. Mancini.

NEW BUSINESS

Session Breakfast - September 4, 1976, 7:00 a.m.

Vacation - Moved by Garnham and seconded by McClurg to grant Showalter vacation August 22 - September 4, 1976. Motion carried.

Colgate Program - Moved by Christopher and seconded by Carey that Parkminster participate in the student intern program at Colgate Divinity School in 1976-77 school year. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg to appoint Barcus and Carolyn Chizk to head up said program. Motion carried.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by McClurg that the meeting be adjourned.

The meeting was closed with a time of prayer at 10:17 p.m.

EXAMINED AND APPROVED

date Nov 10, 1976

with 2 Exceptions listed

SESSIONAL RECORDS COMMITTEE

Presbytery Genesee Valley

Shirley J. Brown, Ch.

Respectfully submitted,

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter
Moderator

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark
Clerk of Session

The session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, September 4, 1976 at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: Carey, Coombs, Evans, Garnham, Schuman

Ministers Present: Thompson (moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer and scripture by Thompson.

Swine Flu: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Fuhrman to grant the Monroe County Health Department's request to use Parkminster facilities as a swine flu vaccination center Sept. 27 - 30 and Nov. 9 - 20, 1976. Motion carried.

First Assembly of God Church request: It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo to refer First Assembly's correspondence requesting help to the Church and Society Committee for action. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with a time of prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William G. Thompson
William G. Thompson,
Moderator

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The session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, September 5, 1976,

Elders Present: Christopher, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: Carey, Coombs, Evans, Garnham, Neal

Ministers Present: Barcus, (moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

Steven Pearson and his wife, Carol, met with session to share the call they have felt into the ministry.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Thurling to take Steven under care of session and thereby affirm the call he has felt to the ministry. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Schuman.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

Robert M. Barcus
Robert M. Barcus,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, September 13, 1976.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Preston, Priestley, Pinneo, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Barcus, Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Garnham.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Evans and seconded by Priestley to approve the minutes for Aug. 1, Aug. 9, Sept. 4 and Sept. 5, 1976, as submitted. Motion carried.

Correspondence: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Christopher to have the session members receive The Presbyterian Layman on three month trial period. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by McClurg to ask the nominating committee to recommend someone to attend the ONE meeting. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Odmark, Christopher, Evans, Garnham, Neal and Priestley.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Fuhrman to grant Bruce Baxter a letter of transfer to the First Presbyterian Church, Bath. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Priestley to drop Robert P. Cirre from membership in order that he may join St. Pius Tenth Catholic Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Priestley to drop Sharon M. Licciardi from membership in order that she may join "Founders Church", Brockport. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

CRDS Program: Carolyn Chizk and the Rev. Robert Barcus will attend this meeting.

Pearson's Status: Odmark will write to Presbytery.

Deacon's Report: Written report submitted by T. E. Doughty.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Music and Worship: Report presented by Neal.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo.

Stewardship: Report presented by Brule.

Trustee and Treasurer: Moved by Coombs and seconded by Thurling to have J. Preston talk on the social hall divider during the Moment for Missions on Sunday, Sept. 26, 1976, and also contact the stewardship committee about taking a collection from the adult classes that meet on Sunday. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Carey to have J. Preston ask First Federal Savings and Loan for a mortgage on the manse to the sum of \$35,000. Motion carried.

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Radio and Tape: Report presented by J. Lish.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Evangelism: Report presented by Evans.

Church in Society: Report presented by Coombs.

3-D: Written report submitted.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by L. Powers.

Bookstore: Report presented by Odmark.

Preschool: Report presented by Thurling.

Credit Union: No report.

School Committee: No report.

Publicity Committee: Report presented by Carey.

NEW BUSINESS

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Christopher to allow the Boy Scouts to have a car wash on Sept. 18, 1976 at the church. Motion carried.

Moved by Evans and seconded by Carey to underwrite expenses incurred by the Rev. Thompson at "Risk" September 20 to September 23, 1976. Motion carried.

Moved by Odmark and seconded by McClurg to permit the Senior Highs to have a musical performance at church this year. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Carey to have the dedication service and open house for the new manse September 26, 1976 at 3:00 p.m. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: October 2, 1976, 7:00 a.m.

New Members Class: Meet with session September 30, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Presbytery: At Parkminster September 28, 1976.

It was moved by Garnham and seconded by Priestley to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting was closed with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

George M. Letson,
Asst. Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, September 19, 1976 at 11:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo

Elders Excused: Priestley, Preston, Thurling

Ministers Present: Barcus (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Coombs to hold a congregational meeting on Sunday, October 3, 1976, at 12:30 p.m. to obtain permission to increase the total expenditure for the manse beyond the present limit established in June, 1976.

It was moved by Carey and seconded by Pinneo to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was closed at 11:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

George M. Letson
George M. Letson,
Assistant Clerk of Session

Robert M. Barcus
Robert M. Barcus,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, September 30, 1976, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Preston, Schuman

Elders Excused: Christopher, Garnham, Pinneo, Priestley, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by W. Showalter. There was a time of sharing by the session and the new members class.

The following people were examined by the session and voted into membership at Parkminster:

Thomas D. Wolcott	Letter of Transfer, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Owego, N.Y.	Moved by Carey Seconded by Odmark
Diane C. Wolcott	Letter of Transfer, First Presbyterian Church, Owego, N.Y.	Moved by Carey Seconded by Odmark
Robert C. Illi	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Preston
Virginia H. Illi	Letter of Transfer, Westminster Presbyterian Church, Utica, N.Y.	Seconded by McClurg
Mrs. Janet Steffler	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Fuhrman Seconded by Schuman
Joyce Miles	Letter of Transfer, Second Baptist Church, Mumford, N.Y.	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Letson
Catherine L. Coates	Letter of Transfer, College Hill Presbyterian Church, Cincinnati, Ohio	Moved by Evans Seconded by Fuhrman
Bradford W. Chaney	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Coombs Seconded by Carey

It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Letson to ask the congregation to authorize a maximum spending on the new manse of \$44,100. Motion carried.

It was moved by Letson and seconded by Schuman to contract for a mortgage of \$36,000, or the maximum amount the bank will offer for the new manse. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Coombs at 9:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clark of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, October 3, 1976, at 8:45 a.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Priestley, Schuman

Elders Excused: Carey, Letson, McClurg, Preston, Thurling.

Ministers Present: Showalter

Moved by Neal and seconded by Garnham to accept Ronald Steffler into membership of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

It was moved by Odmark and seconded by Coombs to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Evans
George E. Evans,
Pro-Tem

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, October 11, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Thurling

Elders Excused: Coombs, Neal, Priestley, Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Christopher.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by McClurg to approve the minutes for September 13, 19 and 30, 1976, as submitted and to approve the minutes for October 3, 1976, with the following addition:

Elders Excused: Carey, Letson, McClurg, Preston, Thurling. Motion carried.

Correspondence: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Evans to invite the Gordon College Players to put on their Lenten program at Parkminster March 3, 1977. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by McClurg, Fuhrman, Preston, Odmark, Pinneo and Christopher.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Evans and seconded by Odmark to grant Dionis Owens a Letter of Transfer to the East Dennis Community Church, East Dennis, Mass. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Christopher to grant Christy Adams a Letter of Transfer to John Calvin Church, Henrietta, New York. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling, Pinneo, Thompson.

Presbytery: Report presented by Odmark, Christopher, Fuhrman.

Ski Club: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Christopher to approve the establishment of a Parkminster Ski Club. Motion carried.

ONE: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Christopher to budget \$25. in 1977 for Parkminster's membership dues for ONE (Our Neighborhood Ecumenical counsel) and to direct the Church and Society committee to find a representative to serve on the counsel. The motion was defeated.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper: Was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: September 16, 23, 28 (Presbytery meeting), 30, 1976, and October 3, 7, 1976.

The following were baptized at Parkminster:

Steven John Gears	(Child)	October 10, 1976
James Kevin Onthank	(Child)	October 10, 1976

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Carey to concur with the Deacon's acquisition of an oxygen tank. Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Outreach: No report.

Stewardship: Report presented by Tom Preston. The Fall stewardship campaign was outlined and discussed.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Christopher to negotiate with First Federal for the maximum mortgage they will allow on the new manse and to authorize the trustees to take out a short term loan for \$3800. to cover interim builders expenses until the mortgage is approved. Motion carried.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Christopher.

Music and Worship: Lura Morey met with the session and shared her feelings about her work at Parkminster over the last 9 months.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Thurling to appoint Betty Schuman to serve on the M.R. committee for the next 5 months to fill out Carolyn Chizk's term. Motion carried.

Church and Society: No report.

Evangelism: Report presented by Evans.'

3-D: Written report submitted by Lois Pappa.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by Louise Powers.'

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Odmak.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to renew the lease with Lincoln First for Bookstore (\$250.00/mo.). Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Retreats and Speaking Engagements: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Odmak to grant Showalter permission to lead a clergy retreat in Bermuda October 29-31, 1976 and to go on a retreat October 31 - November 6, 1976 in Bermuda. Motion carried.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Pinneo to grant Showalter permission to accept speaking engagements at PCC (Presbyterian Charismatic Communion) meetings November 11-12, 1976 in Columbus, Ohio, and November 13, 1976 in Owego, N.Y. Motion carried.

Dr. Lina Castenada met with the session for prayer in preparation for an upcoming speaking engagement.

A Budget Meeting to consider the proposed 1977 budget for Parkminster will be held Monday, October 25, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Next Session Breakfast to be held Saturday, November 6, 1976 at 7:00 a.m.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Pinneo to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 12:10 a.m.

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmak
James S. Odmak, Clerk of Session

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, October 25, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmak, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Proposed 1977 Budget: Report presented by Preston.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Fuhrman to approve the attached October 25, 1976 draft of the proposed 1977 budget as amended, to be published in the stewardship campaign folder. Motion carried.

Moved by Coombs and seconded by Garnham that the two requests to have dancing at wedding receptions at Parkminster (Wimer and Moore) not be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Garnham and seconded by Fuhrman to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 10:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmak
James S. Odmak,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met for breakfast Saturday, November 6, 1976 at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Preston, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: Carey, Christopher, Pinneo, Priestley, Schuman

Ministers Present: Thompson (moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Thompson.

Scott Flaherty, a seminary student under care of session, and his wife, Sue, met with session to share their experiences over the past year at school.

Moved by Garnham and seconded by Fuhrman to recommend Scott Flaherty as a candidate to be taken under care of Presbytery. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Barcus at 9:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William G. Thompson
William G. Thompson,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, November 8, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Thompson.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Carey to approve the minutes for October 11, 25 and November 6, 1976 as submitted. Motion carried.

Correspondence: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Fuhrman to approve the YWCA request to extend their use of Parkminster facilities to include Thursdays, 12:45 - 2:45 p.m. with the understanding that rescheduling may be required for occasional conflicts with church activities. Motion carried.

Baroque Nunette: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to invite the musical group, "Baroque Nunette", to perform at Parkminster during the Good Friday services April 8, 1977. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Coombs, McClurg, Neal, Brule, Odmark, Fuhrman.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman to grant C. Frederick and Mrs. Jane G. Schultz a Letter of Transfer to the First Presbyterian Church of Chili, and to drop Dr. Thomas A. and Mrs. Ruth W. Brackbill and Catherine J. McMahon from the rolls. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Ski Club: Report presented by Odmark.

Manse Financing: Report presented by Preston.

Bermuda Retreat: Reports presented by Christopher, Schuman and Showalter.

Jews For Jesus: Report presented by Showalter. Moved by Evans and seconded by Odmark to invite the musical group, "Liberated Wailing Wall", to perform at Parkminster October 7, 1977. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lords Supper was administered on the following dates: October 14, 21, 28 and November 4, 11, 18, 1976.

The following people were Baptized at Parkminster: None recorded.

Deacons: Report by Barcus. Moved by Schuman and seconded by Garnham that the deacons buy a steel drum for the storage of used clothes and that they find a suitable place to locate the drum in the church and that they make arrangements with an inner city minister (F. Brule will provide the name) for weekly pickup of the clothes. Motion carried.

Stewardship: Report presented by Brule.

B.J.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston. Moved by Preston and seconded by Christopher to direct the treasurer to use the following priorities to pay the bills, after fixed expenses: (1) Garnham Enterprise, (2) Outreach, and that the Thanksgiving and Christmas Eve offerings be used for Outreach. Motion carried.

Music and Worship: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Neal to approve the November 1, 1976 Music and Worship committee report to session which includes a trial plan for the adult choir to sing at the 9 a.m. service periodically. Motion carried.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus.

Outreach: No report.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Church and Society: Report by Coombs.

Evangelism: No report.

Nominating: Report by Neal.

Organ Committee: Report presented by W. Abbett.

The committee will report back to session in December with a qualitative statement about Parkminster organ needs.

Radio and Tape: No report.

3-D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by L. Powers.

Freschool: Written report submitted.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Credit Union: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Presbytery Candidates Committee: Larry Hickel and Willda VanOstrand of the committee, met to review candidates procedures with session.

Presbytery Meeting November 23, 1976 at Lakeside: Carey, Fuhrman and Letson will attend.

The New Members Class will meet with session December 2, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Caucus Meeting: November 15, 1976, 6:30 p.m. Christopher, Thurling and Thompson will attend.

Lancaster Retreat: Moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg to grant Showalter permission to lead an elders and deacons retreat in Lancaster, N.Y. November 19-20, 1976. Motion carried.

Showalter Vacation: Moved by Odmak and seconded by Pinneo to approve vacation for Showalter November 26-28, 1976. Motion carried.

Clergy Retreat: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Garnham to grant permission for Barcus, Thompson and Showalter to attend the Clergy Retreat at the Community of Jesus November 29 - December 2, 1976 (coverage to be arranged during absence). Motion carried.

Music School: Moved by Schuman and seconded by Priestley to allow J. Houpt and L. Morey to survey the congregation, under the oversight of the Music and Worship Committee, for needs and interests in vocal and instrumental music instruction aimed at performing sacred music. Motion carried. J. Houpt and L. Morey have expressed an interest in using Parkminster's facilities for such a music school.

Ministers Housing Allowance: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Odmak that \$2,000 of the total compensation of each of the ministers salaries for 1977 be designated "Housing Allowance" and that the balance will constitute salary. Motion carried.

The next session breakfast will be Saturday, December 4, 1976, at 7:00 a.m.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Priestley to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 11:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmak

James S. Odmak,
Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, December 2, 1976, at 7:30 p.m.:

Elders Present: Carey, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: Christopher, Coombs, Letson, Thurling

Minister Present: Showalter (moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

The following were examined by the session and voted into membership in Parkminster Church:

Eugene L. Edwards Mrs. Karoly Edwards	Letter of Transfer from Twelve Corners Presbyterian Church	Moved by Carey Seconded by McClurg
Frank L. Edwards Mrs. Ethel Edwards	Letter of Transfer from Lutheran Church of our Savior	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Priestley
Michael Polizzi Mrs. Norma C. Polizzi	Letter of Transfer from Gates Presbyterian Church	Moved by Neal Seconded by Odmark
Jeanette VanWormer (Mrs.)	Re-Affirmation of Faith	Moved by Garnham Seconded by Pinneo
Deborah Steele (Miss)	Affirmation of Faith	Moved by Priestley Seconded by Odmark
Stanley P. Gallup Mrs. Elaine S. Gallup	Letter of Transfer from Irondequoit Presbyterian Church	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Priestley
Ronald E. Long Mrs. Jane G. Long	Re-Affirmation of Faith Letter of Transfer from the Henrietta Church of Christ	Moved by Schuman Seconded by Garnham

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 10:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, December 11, 1976, at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: Pinneo

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Garnham, to grant permission for Thompson to take a six-month leave of absence beginning January 15, 1977 (time to include 1977 study leave and vacation allowance), to live in at the Community of Jesus in Cape Cod, and to have the MR committee consider necessary financial arrangements and recommendations for fill-in help. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, December 13, 1976, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Preston.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Garnham and seconded by Priestley to approve the minutes for the November 6 and 8, 1976 meetings as submitted and to approve the minutes for December 2, 1976 with the following amendment:

Deborah Steele (Miss) Affirmation of Faith Moved by Priestley
Seconded by Odmark

Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Carey, Garnham, McClurg, Fuhrman, Evans, Schuman.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates:
November 11, 19, December 3, 5, 10, 17, 1976.

The following were baptized at Parkminster:

Bryan Franklyn Ericson	(child)	November 28, 1976
Deborah Steele	(adult)	December 5, 1976

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Garnham and seconded by Christopher to grant Marion Mohnkern a Letter of Transfer to the Pearce Memorial Free Methodist Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Priestley to drop John Sextone from the rolls of Parkminster.

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus - Report presented by Thurling and Christopher.

Presbytery - Report presented by Carey, Fuhrman and Letson.

Owego Mission - Report by Showalter.

Lancaster Retreat - Reports by Showalter, Christopher, Schuman, McClurg and Preston.

Ski Club - Report by Odmark.

Christian School - Report presented by D. Mancini. Moved by Garnham and seconded by McClurg to table considerations for a Christian School at Parkminster for one year.

Motion carried: 14 Yes
1 No.

It was moved by Odmark and seconded by Letson to pay the expenses incurred by the Christian School committee (\$19.53), from the Christian Education budget. Motion carried.

Deacons - written report submitted by T. E. Doughty and presented by Thompson.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Organ Committee: no report

Stewardship: report presented by Showalter

Discovery Groups: report presented by Mr. and Mrs. P. Price

Nominating: Report presented by Neal. Moved by Schuman and seconded by Pinneo to approve the committee's 12/31/76 report of proposed nominees for 1977 church officers as submitted. Motion carried.

Trustees and Treasurer: report presented by Preston and Thurling. Moved by Preston and seconded by Odmark to transfer \$300 from the New Equipment portion of the proposed 1977 budget to Improvement Projects section for the purchase of Emergency Lighting. Motion carried.

Music and Worship: report presented by McClurg

Christian Education: report presented by Barcus

Outreach: no report

Ministerial Relations: report presented by Fuhrman

Church and Society: report presented by Coombs

Evangelism: report presented by Evans

Radio and Tape: no report

3 D: written report submitted by L. Pappa

Women of the Church: report presented by Preston

Preschool: written reports submitted by C. M. Ryan

Bookstore: report presented by Schuman

Credit Union: no report

NEW BUSINESS

Annual Meeting: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to set the date for the annual congregational meeting at January 16, 1977. Motion carried.

PCC Board Meeting: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to grant Showalter permission to attend the PCC Board Meeting. Motion carried.

Counseling Money: Moved by Schuman and seconded by Christopher to allow Showalter to use said monies to help defray expenses incurred for the Bermuda retreat in November. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: January 8, 1977 at 7 a.m.

Elder/Deacon retreat: January 21-22, 1977.

Moved by Garnham and seconded by Carey to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with a time of prayer at 11:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, January 3, 1977, at 12:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Evans, Garnham, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Priestley, Schuman.

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

The Session met with Bruce Wallace who told about his desire to join the Campus Crusade for Christ this year after graduating from Purdue University. This was followed with the session ministering to him in Christian love.

The meeting was closed with a time of prayer at 1:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

George M. Letson
George M. Letson,
Assistant Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, January 10, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, Letson, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: Coombs, McClurg

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Evans.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Priestley and seconded by Fuhrman to approve the minutes for December 11 and 13, 1976, and January 3, 1977, as submitted. Motion carried.

Vanguard: The January 1977 issue was reviewed by Barcus, Neal and Preston.

Responsibility Lists: Report presented by Evans.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Garnham to grant Carol Calhoun a Letter of Transfer to the Bergen Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper: was administered on the following dates: December 16, 23, 31, 1976 and January 6, 1977.

The following people were Baptized at Parkminster: None recorded.

OLD BUSINESS

Presbyterian Charismatic Communion (PCC): Report presented by Showalter. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to grant Showalter permission to attend a PCC meeting in Pittsburg January 25-26, 1977. Motion carried.

Music School: No report.

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Organ: No report.

Stewardship: Report presented by Showalter and Preston. It was agreed by common consent to approve the 1977 Stewardship of Time campaign consisting of a mailing 1/21/77, a "Moment for Mission" 1/23/77, and the return of pledge cards 1/30/77.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Preston. Moved by Priestley and seconded by Garnham to pay a fixed percentage of the church's net weekly receipts (percentage of the Outreach budget to the total 1977 budget) to Parkminster's Outreach commitment. Motion carried.

Moved by Preston and seconded by Odmark to drop the item for "Payroll taxes (FICA)" from the proposed 1977 budget. Motion carried.

Outreach: Report presented by Pinneo. Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Garnham to approve plans for the Outreach Conference to be held Oct. 15-16, 1977, featuring Keith McCaffety as speaker. Motion carried.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus.

MR: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Christopher. Moved by Christopher and seconded by Carey to approve the committee's plan for moving the tape lending library from the bookstore to the church library. Motion carried.

Church and Society: No report.

Evangelism: Report presented by Evans.

Men's Club: Written report submitted by P. Bender.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by L. Powers.

3D: No report.

Preschool: No report

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman

Credit Union: No report

Music and Worship: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Caucus Meeting: Garnham and Christopher will attend.

Presbytery Meeting: (Jan. 25, 1977 at Third Presbyterian Church) -Fuhrman, Schuman, P. Price will attend.

New Members Meeting: Thursday, Feb. 3, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Session Breakfast: Saturday, Feb. 5, 1977 at 7:00 a.m.

It was moved by Odmark and seconded by Priestley to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 12:10 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, January 15, 1977.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Evans, Fuhrman, Garnham, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Preston, Priestley, Schuman

Alternate Elder Present: Brule

Elders Excused: Coombs, Thurling, Letson, Christopher, Neal

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by W. P. Showalter.

Replacement for W. G. Thompson: Report for MR presented by Fuhrman.

Moved by Fuhrman, seconded by Garnham that R. Kingsbury Chase, currently a licentiate in the Boston Presbytery, be called to serve as a temporary assistant at Parkminster Presbyterian Church. The call will begin on or about February 5, 1977, and continue to on or about July 15, 1977. Terms of call:

Salary:	\$825./month
Car allowance:	\$.15/mile
Manse and utilities:	Provided
Vacation:	1 day per month of service, cumulative to maximum of one full week at any given point in the call
Pension:	16% of salary and/or allowances based on ruling by Board of Pensions
Moving expenses:	\$175.

Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with a time of prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, February 3, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Fuhrman, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: Coombs, Letson, Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by W. P. Showalter.

There was a time of mutual sharing by the Session and the new members. The following were examined and voted into membership in Parkminster:

Ewart, Lowell C.	Letter of Transfer, Ogden	Moved by Carey
Ewart, Mrs. Jo Lou	Presbyterian Church, Spencerport, N.Y. 14559	Seconded by Priestley
Kamery, Kenneth L.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by McClurg
Kamery, Mrs. Lois V.	Letter of Transfer, Hamburg Presbyterian Church, Main St., Hamburg, N.Y.	Seconded by Christopher
Manning, Miss Lynne A.	Profession of Faith	Moved by Brule
		Seconded by Price
Milley, Gregory J.	Letter of Transfer, The	Moved by Odmark
Milley, Mrs. Jeanne	Presbyterian Church, R. D. 22, Croton Falls, N.Y. 10519	Seconded by Neal
Palmer, Dwight S.	Letter of Transfer, Lutheran	Moved by Priestley
Palmer, Mrs. Marjorie M.	Church of the Resurrection St. Paul Blvd.	Seconded by Brule
Tribley, William T.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Pinneo
		Seconded by Fuhrman

The meeting was closed with prayer by Barcus at 9:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

B.J.

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, February 14, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price Schuman

Alternate Elder Excused: Frazier

Elders Excused: Neal, Priestley, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus, D. Chase

The meeting was opened with prayer by D. Chase.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Odmark to approve the minutes for January 10, 15 and February 3, 1977, as submitted. Motion carried.

Correspondence:

E. Logan Letter - The clerk will answer

S. Shaw Letter - The clerk will answer

Election of Officers for 1977

Clerk of Sessions: Odmark was nominated by Brule. Moved by Pinneo and seconded by McClurg that nominations be closed and that the clerk cast one unanimous ballot for Odmark. Motion carried.

Assistant Clerk of Session: Letson was nominated by Carey. Moved by Christopher and seconded by Fuhrman that nominations be closed and the clerk cast one unanimous ballot for Letson. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations Committee: Fuhrman was nominated by McClurg and McKibben was nominated by Schuman to serve as session representative on MR (two positions to fill). Moved by Price and seconded by McClurg that nominations be closed and the clerk cast one unanimous ballot for Fuhrman and McKibben. Fuhrman to serve as chairperson. Motion carried.

Nominating Committee: The following were nominated for the two Elder representative positions:

Price, nominated by Brule,
Thurling, nominated by McKibben,
Coombs, nominated by Fuhrman,
Pinneo, nominated by Letson,
and Brule, nominated by Carey.

Brule withdrew his name from nomination. Moved by Odmark and seconded by Fuhrman to close nominations. Motion carried. Coombs and Pinneo were elected by secret ballot. It was agreed by common consent to appoint Coombs chairperson of the Nominating Committee for 1977.

Responsibility Lists: All members of session reported on their progress to date in making initial contacts.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Odmark and seconded by Letson to send Letters of Transfer for:

Mr. Joseph and Mrs. Sandra Kloba to First Baptist Church, Radford, Va.;
Mrs. Janice Rissberger to First Presbyterian Church of Chili;
and to drop Audrey Klick and Janice Rogger from the rolls. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESSMusic School - No report.Caucus - No report.Presbytery - Reports presented by Fuhrman and Price.Deacons - Written report submitted by T. Doughty.COMMITTEE REPORTSPreschool: Carolyn Chizk, chairperson of the Preschool committee, presented a movie describing the preschool program to the session.Boy Scouts: Rodger Doyer, chairman of the Troop #258 committee at Parkminster, came to share with session the troop's need for a scoutmaster. Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McClurg to grant the boy scouts permission to sell MacDonald's coupons at the Men's Club Film Festival 2/19/77. Motion carried.Outreach: Report presented by R. Stewart and P. Bender. Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Price to approve the proposed One Great Hour of Sharing Campaign for 1977 as amended by session. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman to allow the Outreach Committee to utilize bookmark Bulletin inserts 4 times in 1977 to publicize Parkminster supported missionaries (book marks to be printed at Parkminster). Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Letson to send the \$100. Bookstore donation to Outreach in February to the Prison Action Group. Motion carried.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus. Moved by McClurg and seconded by Coombs to allow the 5th and 6th grade Sunday School class to sell cookies on a Sunday at the Adult Sunday School classes. Motion carried.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Fuhrman to serve communion to the church school staff March 6, 1977. Motion carried.

Music and Worship: Report presented by McClurg.Stewardship: No report.Radio and Tape: No report.Evangelism: No report.Men's Club: No report.Women of the Church: No report.3D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa. Moved by Fuhrman to consider the matter of the sponsorship of Winterfest and other family programs under Old Business in March. Motion carried.Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman. Moved by Schuman and seconded by Carey to allow the Bookstore to sell crucifixes. Motion carried (8 - yes, 2 - no, 1 - Abstain).Credit Union: No report.NEW BUSINESSNext Session Breakfast: March 5, 1977 at 7:00 a.m.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Barcus at 1:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

*James S. Odmark*James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session*William P. Showalter*
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, March 14, 1977, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Barcus, Chase

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Showalter.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by McClurg to approve the minutes for February 14, 1977, with the following amendment:

Alternate Elder Frazier was not present. Motion carried.

Vanguard was reviewed by Barcus.

Correspondence: No action taken.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Priestley and seconded by Christopher to grant the following Letters of Transfer:

Mr. Thomas Wolcott	-to-	Adirondack Community Church
Mrs. Diane Wolcott	-to-	First Presbyterian Church, Naples, N.Y.
Mrs. Louise Huck	-to-	Gates Presbyterian Church
Mr. Lewis Gracey	-to-	First Presbyterian Church of Chili
Mrs. Jane Gracey	-to-	
Dr. Charles Lowell	-to-	
Mrs. Susan Lowell	-to-	

Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Brule, Coombs, Fuhrman, Priestley, Letson, Odmark, Neal, McClurg, Christopher, Carey, Price.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: January 13, 20, 27, February 3, 10, 17, 24, March 3, 10, 13, 1977.

The following were baptized at Parkminster:

Christina Lynn Ambeau	(Child)	February 13, 1977
Howard William Decker	(Child)	February 13, 1977
Theodore Raymond Illi	(Child)	February 13, 1977
Mark Adam Bullock	(Child)	March 13, 1977

OLD BUSINESS

Music School: Written report submitted by L. Morey. Moved by Coombs and seconded by Schuman to approve the idea of a music school at Parkminster as presented and to have L. Morey report back to Session with detailed plans in May. Motion carried.

Sponsorship of Winterfest: Moved by Coombs and seconded by Pinneo to recommend that 3-D plan on co-sponsoring such events in the foreseeable future. Motion carried.

Deacons: Written report submitted by T. E. Doughty and presented by Barcus. Moved by Christopher and seconded by Priestley to accede to the deacon's request for reimbursement of \$150. which was deducted from the Deacons' Fund for Monsalves' rent, and to transfer said \$150. from the Outreach: Contingency portion of the budget by the March 20, 1977 offering, and also to pay an outstanding \$12. doctor bill from contingency funds. Motion carried.

Moved by Coombs and seconded by Christopher to have Coombs write to Church World Service to look into the possibility of any reimbursement for expenses incurred with the Monsalves' family rent.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Outreach: No report.

Evangelism: Report presented by G. Evans and Chase. Moved by Schuman and seconded by McClurg to have Parkminster join the "Risk Evangelism" program. 13 - Yes, 2 - No.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Pinneo to have Session review the film on "Here's Life America" as soon as possible. Motion carried.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Christian Education: Report presented by Price.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McKibben. Moved by McClurg and seconded by Priestley to have a service on the afternoon of Pentecost Sunday to talk about the baptism of the Holy Spirit. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman. Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McKibben to call a congregational meeting Sunday, May 1, 1977, for the purpose of calling Robert M. Barcus to the position of Associate Minister at Parkminster. Motion carried.

Stewardship: Report presented by Brule.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Men's Club: Written report submitted by P. Bender.

Women of the Church: No report.

3-D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa. Moved by Schuman and seconded by Odmark to approve the plans for a men's 3-D program (orientation Mar. 16, group to begin week of Mar. 20, 1977) and to approve the plans for a refresher course for past 3-D members (orientation April 11, groups to begin week of April 18, 1977). Motion carried.

Preschool: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Credit Union: Report presented by Letson.

Singles: Report presented by Chase.

Fun and Fellowship: Report presented by Barcus.

NEW BUSINESS

Presbytery Meeting: (Downtown Pres.) - Fuhrman, Coombs and Schuman will attend.

Furniture of Inmates: Moved by Coombs and seconded by Brule to invite the "Furniture of Inmates" group to use the east hall to display and sell their furniture March 25-26, 1977. Motion carried.

Approval to Speak in Detroit: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Priestley to grant Showalter permission to speak in Detroit April 22-23, 1977. Motion carried.

Cay and Judy to lead retreat: For Session members and spouses and discovery group leaders April 15-16, 1977.

Movie: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Price to have the movie entitled "Corrie" at Parkminster May 1, 1977. Motion carried.

April Session Meeting: Will be held in two parts:
Saturday, April 2, 1977, 7:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. and
Thursday, April 7, 1977, following the Maundy Thursday service.

New Members: Meet with the Session Thursday, March 31, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Ministers Retreat: It was agreed by common consent to grant permission for two of the ministers to attend the ministers retreat April 4-11, 1977 at the Community of Jesus.

Communicants Class: The Session will meet with the Communicants class Palm Sunday afternoon (April 3, 1977).

CPR Class: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman to allow Pinneo and associates to teach a CPR course at Parkminster on a Saturday that fits in with the regular schedule of activities. Motion carried.

Communion for Sr. Highs: Moved by Odmark to grant permission to serve communion to the Sr. High group while on retreat. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Price to adjourn at 12:15 a.m.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Chase.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, March 20, 1977, at 12:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling.

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (moderator), Barcus, Chase

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Christopher that Parkminster participate in the Campus Crusade program entitled "Here's Life, America." Motion carried.

Moved by Odmark and seconded by Brule to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, March 31, 1977, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Christopher, Coombs, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley

Alternate Elder Excused: Frazier

Elders Excused: Brule, Carey, Fuhrman, Schuman, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus, Chase

The meeting was opened with prayer by W. Showalter.

The following were examined by the Session and voted into membership at Parkminster:

Bradford Emery	Letter of Transfer from	Moved by Priestley
Carol S. Emery(Mrs.)	Woodland Presbyterian Church	Seconded by Letson
	4209 Pine St.	
	Philadelphia, Pa. 19104	
Timothy M. Ewart	Profession of Faith	Moved by Pinneo
		Seconded by McClurg
Glenn E. Jones	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Christopher
Joyce P. Jones(Mrs.)	Reaffirmation of Faith	Seconded by Price
Phyllisann R. Dyson(Mrs.)		Moved by McClurg
	Reaffirmation of Faith	Seconded by Odmark

The meeting was closed with prayer by Christopher at 9:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, April 2, 1977 at 7:30 a.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus, Chase

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Brule.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Fuhrman to approve the minutes for March 14 and 20, 1977 as submitted. Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Priestley to grant E. Gail Elder, Mrs. Sally Elder, Janene Elder and Maureen Elder Letters of Transfer to the First Presbyterian Church of Chili. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by McKibben, Thurling and Neal.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper: was administered on the following dates: March 17, 24, 31, 1977.

The Following were Baptized at Parkminster: -

OLD BUSINESS

Risk Evangelism: Committee will be chaired by D. Mancini. The Session suggests that Minchens, Beinetti's, Irvines, Morses, E. Logan, H. Rugg and Blairs be considered in forming the committee.

Presbytery: Report presented by Coombs and Fuhrman. Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McClurg to invite Margrethe Brown, the new Executive of Presbytery, to the Session Breakfast May 7, 1977. Motion carried. The clerk will send an invitation.

CPR Class: To be offered at Parkminster April 28, May 5 and 12, 1977 at 7:00 p.m. for one hour each night. The cost will be \$2.00 per person with an enrollment limit of 35.

Deacons: Written report submitted by M. Harrington.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Christian Education: Report presented by Price. Moved by Price and seconded by Priestley to declare May to be Sunday School Commitment month and to allow CE to conduct its drive to recruit teachers for 1977-78 in May. Motion carried.

MR: Report presented by Fuhrman and Coombs. The clerk will write a letter of response to W. Thompson's letter concerning the Thompson's finances.

Nominating Committee: Report presented by Coombs. Moved by Coombs and seconded by Pinneo to accept the Nominating Committee report on suggested names of persons to serve as congregational representatives on the MR committee, and to direct MR to proceed by asking these people in the order suggested by Nominating Committee until the vacant seats on MR are filled. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

YWCA Request: Moved by Coombs and seconded by Carey to grant permission to the YWCA to have a summer day program for children (ages 5-12) July 11 - 19 August, 1977, Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (limit 75 children) as per their March 29, 1977 request. Motion carried.

Dental Practice: Moved by Priestley and seconded by McClurg that the Session's position concerning the proposed dental practice at 2728 Chili Avenue be as follows:

1. The Session believes there is a need for another dental clinic in the Chili ares.
2. The Session has agreed to allow the staff workers from the proposed dental clinic at 2728 Chili Avenue to park their cars in the church parking lot during working hours.
3. The Session has no objection with the proposal that the property at 2728 Chili Avenue be rezoned for use as a dental clinic.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to adjourn the meeting until April 7, 1977. The motion was carried at 9:30 a.m.

The meeting was called to order by Showalter at 8:00 p.m. April 7, 1977. A prayer was offered by Chase.

COMMITTEE REPORTS (continued)

Outreach: Report presented by Neal.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Worship and Music: No report.

Stewardship: Report presented by Brule.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Christopher.

Evangelism: Report presented by Odmark and Chase. Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Priestley to take a special offering Sunday, May 1, 1977 to support the "Here's Life America" campaign in Rochester. Motion carried.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by L. Powers.

Men's Club: No report.

30: No report.

Preschool: No report.

Bookstore: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Singles: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: Report presented by Barcus.

NEW BUSINESS (continued)

Montreat: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Coombs to grant Showalter permission to speak at Montreat May 12-15, 1977. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: Saturday, May 7, 1977, at 7:00 a.m.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Pinneo to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Coombs at 11:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, April 3, 1977.

Elders Present: Brule, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: Carey, Letson, McClurg, Neal, Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter, Barcus (Moderator), Chase

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

The Communicants' class met with the Session. There was a time of sharing by the Session and the class.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Christopher to vote the communicants as listed below into membership at Parkminster, all by profession of faith.

Charles David Ardizzone
Cynthia Ann Bishop
Todd Douglas Benedict
Robin Joy Brower
Stuart Clayton Brundidge
Julie Lynn Carlson
Kimberly Ann Christopher
Terrence Robert Cirre
Janet Lynne Edwards
Dina Marie Garnham

John Andrew LeRoy
Natalie Nicole Bernadette Lynn
Jean Suzanne McKibben
Holly Eileen Mets
James Richard Pappa
Dan William Shay
Cindy Louise Webb
Debra Jeanne Zavacki

The meeting was closed in prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

Robert M. Barcus
Robert M. Barcus,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, April 17, 1977.

Elders Present: Brule, Christopher, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: Thurling, Coombs, Carey.

Ministers Present: Showalter, Barcus (Moderator), Chase

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

It was moved by Priestley and seconded by Brule to request that the Community of Jesus minister to William G. Thompson in the area of personal finances, and that the Community be given permission to take authority over Thompson's financial management while he is "Living In" as part of their ministry. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

Robert M. Barcus
Robert M. Barcus,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, May 9, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: Coombs

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus, Chase

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by McKibben.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Letson and seconded by Neal to approve the minutes for April 2, 3 and 17 as submitted and to approve the minutes for March 31, 1977 as corrected (Frazier was not present at the 3/31/77 meeting). Motion carried.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Odmark and seconded by Fuhrman to drop Mrs. Mae Davis from the rolls. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Thurling, Christopher, Schuman, Pinneo, Carey, Fuhrman, McClurg, Neal, Price, Priestley.

OLD BUSINESS

Easter Offering Designation: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Thurling to designate the 1977 Easter offering to be applied toward the outstanding balance on the social hall partition loans. Motion carried.

Music School: Report presented by L. Morey. The following guidelines for a summer music school program at Parkminster were presented for approval:

1. School will meet 3 afternoons per week from 3 to 5 p.m. each day.
2. The school will require one room with one piano.
3. Enrollment will be limited to 15 students.
4. School will run for 8 weeks.
5. Students will pay the school for lessons and the school will pay the church for the use of its facilities (figure to be stipulated by the trustees).

Moved by Christopher and seconded by McKibben to approve the above guidelines. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: April 3, 7, 14, 21, 28, May 5, 1977.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Stuart Clayton Brundidge	(child)	April 7, 1977
Kimberly Anne Christopher	(child)	April 7, 1977
Daniel William Shay	(child)	April 7, 1977
Melissa Marie Culp	(child)	April 17, 1977
Michelle Lee Odmark	(child)	April 17, 1977

Deacons: Written report submitted by T. E. Doughty.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Thurling to pay the minimum allowable contribution towards W. G. Thompson's retirement fund for the period of March 15 - July 15, 1977. Motion carried.

The service of ordination as associate minister for R. M. Barcus will be held Sunday, June 12, 1977, at 7:30 p.m.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Outreach: Report presented by Neal. Moved by Neal and seconded by Fuhrman to transfer the \$600 budget item designated for "Bridge" to the Cephas Attica prison work. Motion carried.

Evangelism: Report presented by Chase.

Stewardship: Report presented by Showalter.

Christian Education: Report presented by Price. Moved by Price to grant CE permission to solicit people to participate in a summer child evangelism program. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Fuhrman to grant permission for the Jr. high fellowship to have a car wash Saturday, May 14, 1977 at the church. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to grant permission for the Boy Scout troop to have car washes at Parkminster June 4 and 18, 1977. Motion carried.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Women of the Church: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman to grant permission for the women of the church to establish a fund for a new stove (women of the church will match the funds contributed by others). Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Schuman to grant permission for the women of the church to have a cupboard built next to the refrigerator for the purpose of housing the coffee makers. Motion carried.

Men's Club: Report presented by Schuman.

3D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Singles: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: Report presented by Barcus.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McKibben.

NEW BUSINESS

H. Schmalzriedt met with the session to share the call he has felt to the ministry. Moved by McClurg and seconded by Brule that the session cannot at this time discern that H. Schmalzriedt has a call to the ministry. Motion carried.

Gates Police Ad: It was agreed by common consent not to advertise in the Gates Police Publication.

American Cavalcade: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Christopher not to have the American Cavalcade program at Parkminster. Motion carried.

Caucus: Thurling and McClurg to attend.

Presbytery Meeting: May 24, Dansville. Fuhrman and Neal to attend.

NCF Camp: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Thurling to grant Showalter permission to speak at a Nurses Christian Fellowship (NCF) camp in the upper peninsula of Michigan June 5 - 9, 1977. Motion carried.

New Members: Will meet with the Session May 26, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Session Breakfast: Will be held June 4, 1977 at 7:00 a.m.

Moved by Odmark and seconded by Priestley to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Chase at 12:28 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, June 2, 1977, at 8:00 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Fuhrman, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Priestley, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: -

Elders Excused: Christopher, Letson, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Coombs

Ministers Present: Barcus (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus at 8:00 p.m.

The following met with the Session and were voted into membership at Parkminster:

Mr. James P. Blonsky	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Priestley
Mrs. Susan M. Blonsky		
Patricia Ann Ugino	Letter of Transfer from Westminster Presbyterian Church	Moved by Carey Seconded by Brule

The meeting was closed in prayer by Brule.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

Robert M. Barcus
Robert M. Barcus,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, June 13, 1977 at 8:40 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: Letson, Odmark

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus, Chase

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Price.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Priestley and seconded by Pinneo to approve the minutes for May 9 and June 2 as amended (Boy Scout car washes were to be June 4 and 18, not 14 and 18). Motion carried.

Vanguard: Report given by Barcus.

Correspondence:

1. AD - Moved by Thurling and seconded by Brule to decline the invitation to subscribe to AD magazine. Motion carried.
2. Belknap - distributed to be read.
3. Thompson - Showalter read month's letter and reported that the Thompsons plan to leave the Community of Jesus on August 1 and return to Parkminster on August 4. Moved by Fuhrman of MR and seconded by McClurg to seek the approval of Presbytery for an extension of the Thompsons leave of absence from July 15 to August 1, and to extend Chases stay at Parkminster from July 15 until July 31.
4. Camp Whitman - No action taken. Discussion regarding staffing.
5. Pearson - Showalter read letter reporting on Pearson's recent candidate counseling in Chicago and reporting on expenses incurred for our payment (\$131.00). The Bearsons will hopefully be at the next Session meeting, and will be at the July Presbytery meeting.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Carey and seconded by Priestley to transfer the membership of Gary and Sarah Funk to the Mt. Hope Community United Presbyterian Church in Penns Hills, Pennsylvania. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Neal to transfer Christine Brown to the First Baptist Church of Chili. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman to transfer Sherwin Austin to Grace Covenant Church. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by McClurg, Christopher, Schuman, Brule, and Fuhrman. Coombs and Priestley need to be on July's list.

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling and McClurg.

Presbytery: Report presented by Neal and Fuhrman.

Nurses' Christian Fellowship: Report presented by Showalter.

Deacons: Written report submitted by T. E. Doughty.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Evangelism: Report presented by Chase.

Worship and Music: No report.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey and Fuhrman.

Outreach: Report presented by Neal.

Moved by Neal and seconded by Pinneo that "The Church Around the World" be subscribed to by the church (ap. 200 copies per month) on a trial basis starting in September, for distribution at different spots in the church. Motion carried.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus. A recognition dinner for C.E. persons is being held on June 20.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McKibben to have the MR committee select one of five people to serve on the MR committee: Jean Leyland, Candice Garnham, Beverly Evans, Nellie Morse, Betty Schuman. Motion carried.

Discussion held pertaining to the departure of the Chase family. Action taken.

Stewardship: Report presented by Brule.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Christopher. The wording of last year's minutes need to be investigated to see if the committee can request the session's permission to use tape money for radio broadcasting.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by Louise Powers.

3D: Written report submitted by Lois Pappa.

Men of the Church: Report presented by Schuman. Thompson is scheduled to speak at their July 23 dinner, therefore needing a replacement. Chase will speak.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Preschool: Written report submitted by J. Thurling.

Credit Union: No report.

Singles and Young Adults: Reports presented by Chase.

Fun and Fellowship: Report given by Barcus.

NEW BUSINESS

Use of Church by Reynolds Securities: It was agreed by common consent not to grant permission for use.

Review of policy on non-church counseling: Session was in agreement that Showalter should spend most of his counseling time with Parkminster members (referring most non-members to Chase and Barcus), that he should spend more time with his family, and that others should assume his counseling schedule while he is away to prevent getting behind. All three ministers should decide on times off for next meeting.

Bob Barcus Vacation Request: It was agreed by common consent to grant permission for Barcus to take the following vacations: June 25 - July 16, August 7 - 13.

Speaking request: It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McClurg that Showalter speak in Kansas City July 20 - 24 and attend a P.C.C. Board meeting July 17 - 20, with personal vacation July 10 - 17 and July 24 - 30. Motion carried.

YWCA request: It was moved by McClurg and seconded by Brule to refuse permission to the YWCA to provide exercises employing some bellydancing techniques in the church. Motion carried.

Westminster: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Price to formally invite Westminster Church to be our guests at a session breakfast at the end of the summer. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: Will be held July 9 at 7:00 a.m.

Brunch for Session members and spouses: August 7 at the church after the worship service. Children will be cared for.

Moved by Coombs and seconded by Price to adjourn at 12:35 a.m. Motion carried.

Meeting closed with prayer. Next Session meeting scheduled for Thursday, July 7, at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Frazier
Diane Frazier,
Clerk Pro Tem

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, July 7, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Fuhrman, Letson, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price

Alternate Elder Present: -

Elders Excused: Coombs, McClurg, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Chase

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Chase.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Price to approve the minutes for June 13, 1977, as submitted. Motion carried.

Correspondence: Thompson - no action
Belknap - no action
Westminster Presbyterian - no action
Church support - no action

Mancini: Moved by Price and seconded by McKibben to instruct the full Risk Evangelism Committee for Parkminster to meet and choose a range of programs to propose to the Session at the August meeting. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: May 12, 26, 1977, June 2, 5, 9, 16, 23, 29, 1977 and July 6, 1977.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Jeffery James Blonsky	(child)	June 12, 1977
George Robert Jones	(child)	June 12, 1977
Bruce Allen Jones	(child)	June 12, 1977
Julie Ann Ugino	(child)	June 12, 1977

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Pinneo to grant Mr. and Mrs. Donald Putnam a Letter of Transfer to the Chili First Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Carey and Price.

OLD BUSINESS: No action

Deacons: No action

COMMITTEE REPORTS

MR: Report presented by Fuhrman

Worship and Music: Report presented by McKibben. The Nominating Committee will find a replacement for J. Thiel as chairperson for Worship and Music.

Stewardship: Report presented by Brule.

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Outreach: Report presented by Neal.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey. Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Brule to accept the trustees June 28, 1977 recommendation for affirmative action concerning Parkminster's finances. The motion was defeated.

Christian Education: No report

Evangelism: No report

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by C. Griffith

3-D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa

Men of the Church: No report

Bookstore: No report

Preschool: No report

Credit Union: Report presented by Letson

Singles/Young Adults: No report

Fun and Fellowship: No report

NEW BUSINESS

New Members meeting will be held August 4, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Session Breakfast: Saturday, July 9, 1977 at 7:00 a.m.

Presbytery Meeting: July 26, 1977 at John Knox Presbyterian Church. Christopher, McKibben and Pinneo will attend.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Showalter at 11:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, August 4, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Barcus (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

The following were examined by the Session and voted into membership in Parkminster:

DePollo, Miss Jeanne L.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Brule Seconded by Priestley
Hopkins, Mrs. Norma L.	Letter of Transfer, John Calvin Presbyterian Church Henrietta, N.Y. 14467	Moved by Priestley Seconded by McClurg
LaSala, Miss Patricia L.	Letter of Transfer, Brighton Presbyterian Church	Moved by Brule Seconded by McKibben
Oppedisano, Donald V.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Price
Roberts, Ronald G.	Profession of Faith	Moved by Priestley Seconded by Fuhrman
Weeks, Lorne E. III	Letter of Transfer, Westminster Presbyterian Church, 420 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, N.Y.	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Letson

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Odmark to adjourn.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Odmark at 9:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

Robert M. Barcus
Robert M. Barcus,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, August 8, 1977, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Price, Priestley

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: Carey, Letson, Pinneo, Schuman, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Thompson.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Priestley and seconded by McKibben to approve the minutes for Aug. 4, 1977 as submitted, and for July 7, 1977 as corrected:

Correspondence: Mancini: to instruct the full Risk....

NEW BUSINESS

Presbytery Meeting:Christopher, McKibben and Pinneo.....

Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Priestley to amend the minutes for June 13, 1977 to grant Showalter permission to be gone June 19-23 for General Assembly. Motion carried.

Correspondence: No action.

Dismissal of Members:

Moved by Priestley to grant Virginia Anderson a Letter of Transfer to Perinton Community Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Coombs to remove Robert Booth from the rolls. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Coombs, Fuhrman, Neal, Brule, Christopher.

OLD BUSINESS

Kansas City Report: Presented by Showalter

Presbytery: Reports presented by Christopher and McKibben

YWCA Status: Report presented by Showalter

Music School: Report presented by L. Morey. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Price to approve the plans for the 1977-78 Parkminster music school year as presented (church staff to work out details concerning scheduling and facilities). Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: July 13, 20, 27, 1977, and August 3 and 7, 1977.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Sarah Elizabeth Kuyt	(child)	August 21, 1977
Danielle Parent	(child)	August 21, 1977

Deacons: Written report submitted by M. Harrington

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Outreach: Report presented by G. Frazier, S. Minchen and D. Minchen. Plans for the 1977 Outreach Conference were presented for approval.

Moved by Priestley and seconded by Odmark to approve the basic plans for the Outreach Conference as presented in the committee's 7/11/77 report to Session. Motion carried. The Conference will be held October 14-16, 1977.

Worship and Music: No report

Nominating: Report presented by Coombs. McClurg will act as chairperson pro tem for Worship and Music until a permanent chairperson can be found in the fall.

Christian Ed.: Report presented by Price

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by McClurg

Stewardship: Report presented by Showalter

MR: Report presented by Fuhrman

Evangelism: No report

Publicity: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Priestley to approve the Parkminster publicity brochure as presented. Motion carried.

Women of the Church: No report

3D: No report

Men of the Church: No report

Singles: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Coombs to grant permission to the Singles group to invite the "Mark IV Quartet" to present a concert at Parkminster on a Friday or Saturday in September or October. Motion carried.

Bookstore: No report

Preschool: Written report presented

Credit Union: No report

Young Adults: No report

Fun and Fellowship: No report

Radio and Tape: Moved by Brule and seconded by McKibben to allow Radio and Tape to apply any profit money received from tape sales toward CBN radio programming costs. Motion carried.

Church and Society: Report presented by Priestley. Moved by Priestley and seconded by Fuhrman to drop our affiliation with MGPPEARL. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Permission to Preach: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Odmark to grant Showalter permission to speak in Whitinsville Presbyterian Church August 28, 1977. Motion carried.

Presbyterian Home Request: Moved by Price and seconded by Odmark to grant the Presbyterian Home permission to use Parkminster's facilities as a place for immediate disaster relief in the event of an emergency. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Priestley to adjourn.

Next Session breakfast will be held Saturday, September 10, 1977 at 7.a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, August 21, 1977
at 10:45 a.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Pinneo, Price,
Thurling,

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Ministers Present: Barcus (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Pinneo to permit the Boy Scouts to
have a car wash at the church on September 10, 1977, from 9-2.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Brule to adjourn.

Meeting was closed with prayer by Brule.

Respectfully submitted,

George M. Letson
George M. Letson,
Assistant Clerk of Session

Robert M. Barcus
Robert M. Barcus,
Moderator

EXAMINED AND APPROVED

date 11/5/77

with 0 Exceptions listed

SESSIONAL RECORDS COMMITTEE

Presbytery Genesee Valley

James J. Bonnar, Chr.

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, September 10, 1977 for breakfast at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Thompson.

Bruce Wallace met with Session to share his need for financial support in his work with Campus Crusade for Christ.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Coombs to grant B. Wallace permission to give a Moment for Mission at both services Sunday, Sept. 11, 1977 to share his need for support in his Campus Crusade for Christ work. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 9:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, September 12, 1977, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: Brule, Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

Vanguard: Reviewed by Barcus, Fuhrman and Odmark.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Priestley to approve minutes for August 8, 1977 and August 21, 1977, with the following additions/corrections/amendments:

August 8, 1977: COMMITTEE REPORTS - Publicity: should read "----to approve the Parkminster publicity brochure as ----".

August 8, 1977: COMMITTEE REPORTS - Church and Society: should read "----to drop our affiliation with MCPEARL. ----"

August 21, 1977: Elders Present: Add PRICE.

August 21, 1977: Record that the meeting was closed in prayer by Brule. Motion carried.

Correspondence:

Barry Belknap: two letters were shared.

Westminster Church: Showalter will negotiate for a date when we can invite their Session to breakfast.

Elim Bible Institute: Moved by Price and seconded by Priestley to participate in Elim's program where seniors would come to Parkminster and observe the pastoral ministry in January 1978. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Report presented by McKibben.

OLD BUSINESS

Whitinsville: Report presented by Showalter.

RISK Evangelism: Written report submitted.

Moved by Coombs and seconded by Odmark to accept the committee's 9/7/77 report as submitted and to request that a representative of the committee come before Session in October to explain the "working out" of the RISK program in our church. Motion carried.

Presbytery Staff and Budget: W. Wilson visited Session to present the proposed Unified Budget for 1978.

D. Shaw and J. Mason met with Session to share their concern about the direction of the church and to request a meeting of Session with a group of concerned families.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Fuhrman to hold a Session meeting September 26, 1977, at 8 p.m. with the above group. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: August 10, 17, 24, 31, 1977, and September 1 and 8, 1977.

The following were baptized at Parkminster:

Ronald G. Roberts (adult) August 7, 1977

Deacons: No report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey. Moved by Priestley and seconded by Carey to delegate to the trustees the authority to make evaluations and decisions concerning a plan (presented by Christian Education) for improving the nursery area; trustees to determine how much can be spent in addition to memorial funds and consider the matter in light of other 1977 budgeted improvement projects. Motion carried.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Fuhrman to let Boy Scout Troop 258 have two car washes at the church parking lot; one, October 1, 1977 (Oct. 8, rain date) and the other at a time yet to be determined in coordination with the church schedule. Motion carried.

Evangelism: No report.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McKibben. Moved by Coombs and seconded by Fuhrman to place the Parkminster Music School under the authority of the director of music at Parkminster. Motion carried.

It was agreed by common consent to approach Dick Percy or John Horn to be treasurer of the Parkminster Music School.

Outreach: Report presented by Neal. Moved by Neal and seconded by Letson to approve the 1978 Outreach budget item of \$150 per month for Bruce Wallace's support with Campus Crusade. Motion carried.

Moved by Neal and seconded by Letson to allow the Outreach map and booth to be placed in the narthex on Sept. 25 - Oct. 16 in preparation for the Outreach conference. Motion carried.

Moved by Neal and seconded to have the clerk write a letter to Rev. M. Brown, the executive presbyter, inviting her and other interested parties in Presbytery to attend the Outreach Conference. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Church and Society: Report presented by Barcus. Moved by Coombs and seconded by Odmark that Parkminster decline the offer to join ONE (Our Neighborhood Ecumenical) society. Motion carried.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Christopher.

Stewardship: No report.

Publicity: No report.

Nominating: No report.

Men of Church: No report.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by C. Griffith.

Singles: Report presented by Thompson.

3D: Written report submitted by L. Papps.

Agreed by common consent that 3D should confer with RISK committee on their plans for a family retreat.

Preschool: No report.

Bookstore: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

Fun and Fellowship: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Presbytery Meeting (Sept. 27 at Scottsville): Odmark, McKibben, Letson and Fuhrman will attend.

Caucus Meeting (Sept. 19): Thurling and Christopher will attend.

New Members Meeting: To be held Thursday, Sept. 29, 1977, at 7:30 p.m.

Speaking Engagements

Moved by Priestley and seconded by Price to grant Showalter permission to preach at R. Shannon's and D. Chase's ordination in Cambridge, Mass., October 7, 1977. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Odmark to grant Showalter permission to speak at a PCC (Presbyterian Charismatic Communion) meeting in Pittsburgh October 21-22, 1977. Motion carried.

Counseling Supervision: Moved by Price and seconded by Coombs to grant permission for M. DeMeo, a student from a Syracuse school, to observe the counseling ministry at Parkminster as part of her graduate study (arrangements to be worked out by Showalter). Motion carried.

Moved by Priestley and seconded by McClurg to adjourn.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 12:09 a.m.

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

Respectfully submitted,
James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, September 26, 1977, at 8 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Thompson.

The Session met with members of the congregation for a period of time to discuss the general direction of ministry at Parkminster.

Moved by Priestley and seconded by Odmark to grant permission to serve communion at the Senior High Fellowship retreat on Sunday, October 2, 1977. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, September 29, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Schuman

Elders Excused: Neal, Price, Priestley

Ministers Present: Barcus (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus at 7:30 p.m.

The following met with the Session and were voted into membership at Parkminster:

Burke, Darrell B.	Profession of Faith	Moved by McClurg
Burke, Mrs. Susan E.	Profession of Faith	Seconded by Christopher
Hargrove, Mrs. Dottie Sue	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Odmark Seconded by McKibben
Kelly, Miss M. Corinne	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Coombs Seconded by Schuman
Kuyt, Michael	Profession of Faith	Moved by Fuhrman
Kuyt, Mrs. Julie M.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Seconded by Schuman
Tribley, Mrs. Wm. (Nancy)	Letter of Transfer St. James Episcopal Church, E. Genesee St., Skaneateles, New York	Moved by Schuman Seconded by Fuhrman
Whitlock, Mrs. Betty A.	Letter of Transfer Gates Presbyterian Church	Moved by Christopher Seconded by McKibben
Wright, Daniel B.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Carey Seconded by Christopher

The meeting was closed in prayer by McClurg.

Respectfully submitted,

George M. Letson
George M. Letson,
Assistant Clerk of Session

Robert M. Barcus
Robert M. Barcus,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, October 10, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Priestley.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Carey to approve the minutes for September 10, 1977 and September 29, 1977 as submitted, and to approve the minutes for September 12, 1977 and September 26, 1977, with the following additions and corrections:

9/12/77: OLD BUSINESS: "D. Shaw and J. Mason met...."

9/12/77: NEW BUSINESS: Counseling Supervision: "....grant permission for M. DeMeo, a student...."

9/26/77: Elders Present: Record Pinneo as being present.

9/26/77: After the opening prayer add "The Session met with members of the congregation for a period of time to discuss the general direction of ministry at Parkminster."

Motion carried.

Correspondence: No action.

OLD BUSINESS

Meeting with Westminster Session: Tentatively scheduled for November 19, 1977 at 7:00 a.m. Showalter will confirm.

Presbytery Meeting: Report presented by Odmark, McKibben, Letson and Fuhrman.

Caucus: Report presented by Christopher.

Ordination of Chase and Shannon: Report presented by Showalter.

Counseling Supervision: Report presented by Showalter.

Follow-up on Special Session Meeting: Agreed by common consent to meet Monday, October 17, 1977 at 8:30 p.m. to discuss further the direction of ministry in the church.

Dismissal of Members:

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo to grant Peter C. Morse a Letter of Transfer to Christ Memorial Reform Church, Holland, Michigan. Motion carried.

Moved by Schuman and seconded by Brule to grant N. Minier's request to be dropped from the rolls. Motion carried.

Responsibility Lists: Reports presented by Pinneo, Carey, Frazier, McClurg, Priestley, Letson, Neal and Fuhrman.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: September 15, 22, 29, 1977, October 2 and October 6, 1977.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Michael Kuyt	(adult)	October 2, 1977
Livia Berencsi	(child)	October 9, 1977
Bridget Bernice Cochran	(child)	October 9, 1977

Deacons: Written reports submitted by T. E. Doughty.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Price to empower Barcus to work with the trustees to carry out implementation of the nursery improvement project. Motion carried.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus.

Stewardship: Report presented by Brule.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Carey to direct the Stewardship committee to distribute to elders and deacons the names of the people on their responsibility (caring) lists who are behind in their pledges. Motion carried.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McClurg.

Moved by Odmark and seconded by Christopher to serve communion with the "Common Cup" December 4, 1977 at the 11:15 a.m. service on a trial basis. Motion carried.

It was reported that John Horn accepted the position of treasurer of the Parkminster Music School and Dick Percy accepted that of assistant treasurer.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Outreach: Report presented by Neal.

Church and Society: Report presented by Barcus.

Nominating: Report presented by Coombs.

Publicity: Moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg to have the clerk send the committee a letter of appreciation for the fine work that has been done on the church bulletin boards. Motion carried.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by C. Griffith.

3D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa.

Singles: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Credit Union: Report presented by Letson.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Fun and Fellowship: Report presented by Barcus.

Young Adults: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Shirley and Dennis Shaw met with the Session to share their feelings and concerns about direction of the church's ministry.

Ordination Congratulations: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Pinneo to have Showalter and MR coordinate the purchase of ordination gifts for R. Shannon, D. Chase and J. R. Crabtree. Motion carried.

Acknowledgment of Special Gift: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Priestley to have the clerk write a letter of appreciation to the donor. Motion carried.

Vacation: Moved by Priestley and seconded by Schuman to grant Showalter vacation October 28 - November 5, 1977. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 12:10 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, October 17, 1977 at 8:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: Coombs, Odmark

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

It was moved by Priestley and seconded by McClurg to adopt the Risk Evangelism Committee's plan which included Parkminster Option, Option 21, and Option 32. The motion was carried.

It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Carey to ask the Risk committee to reconsider Option 34 and bring an alternative plan back to the Session in November. The motion was carried.

It was moved by Pinneo and seconded by McClurg to close the meeting. Motion carried.

Meeting was ended with prayer by Thompson at 11:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

George M. Letson
George M. Letson,
Assistant Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, November 7, 1977, at 8:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

The Proposed church budget draft for 1978, dated November 3, 1977, was reviewed.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Priestley to approve the "Building" section as submitted. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Price to approve the "Salaries" section as amended (see attachment). Motion carried.

G. Frazier, chairman of the Outreach Committee, presented the Outreach portion of the budget. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to approve the "Outreach" section as submitted. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Price to approve the "Benefits" section as submitted. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Thurling to approve the "Christian Education" section as submitted. Motion carried.

Moved by Priestley and seconded by McClurg to approve the "Other Expenses" section as submitted. Motion carried.

Moved by Odmark and seconded by Priestley to approve the Stewardship campaign theme and message for 1978 as submitted. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Price to adjourn at 10:50 p.m.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, November 14, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture reading and prayer by Carey.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Pinneo to approve the minutes for October 10 and October 17, 1977, as corrected:

10/10/77 - OLD BUSINESS: Meeting with Westminster Session: ".... for November 19, 1977 at".

10/17/77 - Third paragraph: "....seconded by Carey to ask the RISK committee to reconsider Option 34 and bring an alternative plan back to the Session in Nov. The motion....".

Motion carried.

Correspondence: No action taken.

OLD BUSINESS

Session Breakfasts: To be held November 19, 1977 and December 3, 1977 at 7:00 a.m.

Westminster Church: The breakfast with Westminster's session will be postponed until sometime after January 1, 1978; time to be determined by Showalter.

Gift to Ordained: It was agreed by common consent that each member of Session would donate \$3.00 toward the gifts given to D. Chase, J. R. Crabtree and R. Shannon, balance to be paid from ministerial supplies portion of budget.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Fuhrman, Schuman, Thurling, Odmark, McClurg, Price, Coombs, Neal, McKibben, Priestley and Carey.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Schuman to grant Constance D. Newell, John A., Beverly, Mark A., Scott, James Mason, Robert E., Elizabeth H., Deborah S., Linda Snaith, and Norman L., Marion J. Jermyn Letters of Transfer to Gates Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

Deacons: Written report submitted by T. E. Doughty.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: October 13, 20, 27, 1977, and November 3, 10, 1977.

The Following were Baptized at Parkminster: -

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey. Moved by McKibben and seconded

by Coombs to allow the trustees to spend at their discretion an additional \$3,000 given as part of the fall re-commitment. Motion carried.

Stewardship: Presented by Brule.

Christian Education: Presented by Price.

Outreach: Presented by Neal.

Nominating: Presented by Coombs. It was agreed by common consent to select W. Fuhrman as Parkminster's suggestion as nominee for Presbytery elder representative to Synod in New Jersey.

Worship and Music: Presented by McClurg.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Evangelism: Presented by Coombs and Thompson.

RISK: Written report submitted. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Priestley to ask the RISK committee to submit a proposal for a one-way family visitation program as a revised Option 34 to be implemented in early 1978. Motion carried.

It was agreed by common consent to have a moment for mission for RISK in January 1978.

Church and Society: Presented by Priestley.

Moved by Priestley and seconded by McClurg to allow Church and Society to sponsor a moment for mission 11/27/77 and to have a special collection box in the library for donations to Teen Challenge 12/4 and 12/11. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Priestley to invite a member of Family Health Associates to come to the December Session meeting to share their program. Motion carried.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Christopher.

Publicity: No report.

Women of the Church: Moved by Coombs and seconded by Odmark to table the request to sell knives as a fund raiser for the new stove until the December Session meeting and to invite a representative of the W. of C. to come and present additional ideas at that time. Motion carried.

Preschool: Written report presented.

3D: Written report presented by L. Pappa. Moved by McKibben and seconded by McClurg to suggest that 3D offer the housecleaning program to the "Women of the Church", but that 3D should feel free to sponsor the program if W. of C. decline. Motion carried.

Bookstore: Presented by Schuman.

Credit Union: Report presented by Letson.

Fun and Fellowship: Report presented by Barcus.

Singles/Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

NEW BUSINESS

Caucus Meeting: November 21, Ogden: Thurling and Carey to attend.

Presbytery Meeting: November 22, LeRoy: Fuhrman and Coombs to attend.

Christmas Offering: Moved by Priestley and seconded by Letson to use the Christmas Eve offering for 1977 for the Deacons Benevolence Fund. Motion carried.

Travel Permission: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Neal to grant Showalter permission to go to the Cape Nov. 25 - 28 and to attend a workshop on the homosexual issue in the Presbyterian church Nov. 29 in Philadelphia. Motion carried.

Moved by Priestley and seconded by Odmark to grant permission for Barcus or Thompson to attend a ministers retreat at the Cape Nov. 28 - Dec. 1, 1977. Motion carried.

Special Session Meeting: November 27, 1977 after second service to meet with Rosenbergers.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Barcus at 11:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, November 19, 1977 at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Price, Priestley, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: Coombs, Pinneo, Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to approve an observance of the National Day of Prayer December 15, 1977. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by McKibben to approve the Fun and Fellowship's request to sponsor a dance at Parkminster Friday, January 13, 1978. Motion carried (6 - yes, 5 - no).

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Fuhrman to grant Linda Snaith a Letter of Transfer to Gates Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Carey and seconded by Priestley to adjourn.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Barcus.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, December 12, 1977 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Neal.

Vanguard was reviewed by Barcus, McClurg, and Price.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by McKibben and seconded by McClurg to approve the minutes for November 7, 1977 as submitted and to approve the minutes for November 14, 1977 and November 19, 1977 as corrected:

11/14/77: COMMITTEE REPORTS: Church and Society: "....to invite a representative of Family Health Associates to come....."

11/19/77: Record Neal as being present.
Motion carried.

Correspondence: No formal action taken.

OLD BUSINESS

Presbytery: Report presented by Fuhrman and Carey.

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling and McClurg.

Wade Nye: Thompson reported on his meeting with Rev. Nye.

Monday Morning: It was agreed by common consent to have the alternate elder review one of the minister's copies of "Monday Morning" each month in 1978 and share pertinent articles from same with the session.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Coombs, Priestley, Christopher, Pinneo, McClurg, Brule, Frazier and Neal.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Coombs and seconded by Odmark to remove Harold S. Munger from the rolls. Motion carried.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Fuhrman to grant John and Vivian Thiel Letters of Transfer to the Aveleigh Presbyterian Church in Newberry, S. Carolina. Motion carried.

Moved by Priestley and seconded by Odmark to dismiss Cecelia Crabtree by Letter of Transfer to the Barre Center Presbyterian Church in Barre Center, New York. Motion carried.

Deacons: Report presented by Barcus.

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COMMITTEE REPORTS

Church and Society: Mr. Paul Kane of Family Health Associates (St. Mary's Hospital), shared the health program with the session. Church and Society will make pamphlets on the organization available to the congregation.

Stewardship: Report presented by J. Preston (chairman of the Stewardship). The session will contact those people on their caring lists who have not yet pledged for 1978.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Nominating: Report presented by Coombs. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Neal to approve the committee's report for 1978 Elder and Deacon nominations dated 12/12/77 as submitted. Motion carried.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus.

Outreach: Report presented by Neal.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Neal. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to officially designate \$2,000 of the total compensation paid to R. M. Barcus in 1978 as "Housing Allowance". Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to officially designate \$2,000 of the total compensation paid to W. P. Showalter in 1978 as "Housing Allowance". Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Priestley to officially designate \$2,000 of the total compensation paid to W. G. Thompson in 1978 as "Housing Allowance". Motion carried.

Evangelism: Report presented by Thompson.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McClurg. Moved by McClurg and seconded by Priestley to have one worship service from 10-11 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 25, 1977, and on Sunday Jan. 1, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Priestley and seconded by Odmark to provide a special sharing time for children through second grade in the East Hall after the children's sermon Sunday, Dec. 25, 1977. Motion carried.

Moved by Carey and seconded by Price to provide a special "extended-session-like" activity for children through fourth grade after the children's sermon Sunday, Jan. 1, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo to hold over (in the Credit Union) moneys designated for organ repairs in 1977 for 1978 expenditure toward same, assuming funds are available. Motion carried.

Moved by Price and seconded by Priestley to request that the church organist counsel with the senior minister regarding the spiritual aspects of his performance for one month and that, at the end of that time, the senior minister report to session on the organist's willingness to receive counsel and seek to change. Motion carried.

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Discovery Groups: Report presented by Price.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Christopher.

Publicity: No report.

Women of the Church: C. Griffith met with session to share plans to raise funds for a new stove.

Freschool: No report.

3D: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Credit Union: Report presented by Letson.

Fun and Fellowship: No report.

Singles/Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

NEW BUSINESS

PWP: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman to grant permission for Parents Without Partners (PWP) to use Parkminster's facilities (15-40 people) to meet bi-weekly, 8-10 p.m. Mondays, for a trial period of two months. Motion carried.

WPS Speaking Engagement: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McClurg to grant Showalter permission to speak in Florida January 27 - February 4, 1978. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: January 7, 1978, at 7:00 a.m.

Congregational Meeting: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Priestley to call a congregational meeting January 15, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. Motion carried.

Rental Request: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Coombs to deny the request by DeVirgilio to rent the church for a communion party. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Pinneo to adjourn.

The meeting was adjourned in prayer by Showalter at 12:58 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, January 9, 1978, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Carey, Christopher, Coombs, Fuhrman, Letson, McClurg, McKibben, Neal, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Priestley, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Frazier

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer and scripture reading by Thompson.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded to approve the minutes for December 12, 1977 as submitted.

Correspondence: Agreed by common consent to hold a special session meeting February 20, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of considering future mission directions for life and witness in the Presbytery. Representatives from Presbytery will interview the session at that meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

Annual Meeting: To be held January 15, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Stewardship: Report presented by Brule.

Christian Education: Report presented by Price.

Outreach: Report presented by Neal. The Outreach Conference for 1978 will be held October 6-8, 1978.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Evangelism: Report presented by Thompson.

Worship and Music: No report.

Church and Society: No report.

Nominating Committee: Report presented by Coombs.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Publicity: No report.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted. Moved by Priestley and seconded by McKibben to allow the Presbyterial to use the church for their October 5, 1978 meeting. Motion carried.

3D: Written report submitted.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Preschool: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: Report presented by Barcus.

Singles/Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

Deacons: Written report submitted by T. E. Doughty, Jr.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Brule, Price, Carey, Christopher and Pinneo.

NEW BUSINESS

Presbytery Meeting (Jan. 24, Bethany Church): Price, Christopher and Fuhrman will attend.

Caucus Meeting (Jan. 16, Christ Church): Thurling and Neal will attend.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Brule to appoint Priestley as permanent delegate and Neal as alternate delegate to caucus from Parkminster. Motion carried.

New Members Meeting: To be held Thursday, February 2, 1978, at 7:30 p.m.

Elder-Deacon Retreat to be held Feb. 10-11, 1978.

Session Breakfast: February 4, 1978 at 7:00 a.m.

Ordination/Installation of Elders and Deacons:

Elders: January 22, 1978

Deacons: January 29, 1978

YWCA Request: Moved by Coombs and seconded by McClurg to deny the YWCA request to use church facilities for day camp in the summer of 1978. Motion carried.

CPR Class: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Brule to grant Pinneo permission to organize and conduct a CPR course at Parkminster at a to-be-determined time.

Clergy/Wives Retreat: Moved by Priestley and seconded by Price to grant permission for Barcus to attend a Clergy and Wives Retreat Feb. 13-17, 1978. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned in prayer by Barcus at 10:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Wednesday, January 25, 1978 at 9:40 p.m.

Elders Present: Brule, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price

Elders Excused: Bender, Carey, Schuman, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson

Moved by Brule and seconded by Christopher that it be resolved that we the Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church are opposed to the ordination of self-affirming practicing homosexuals to any office in the church and that we are therefore opposed to the majority report of the Task Force to Study Homosexuality. Motion carried unanimously.

There was a time of prayer which was closed by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, February 2, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: -

Ministers Present: Barcus (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

There was a time of sharing by the elders and the new members. The following were examined and voted into membership in Parkminster:

Cole, Richard	Letter of Transfer, Mt. Hope	Moved by McClurg
Cole, Mrs. Barbara H.	Community Church - United	Seconded by Pinneo
	Presbyterian, Penn Hills, Pa.	
Ramsey, Mrs. Jane	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Pinneo
		Seconded by McKibben
Stern, Mrs. Linda	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Brule
		Seconded by Christopher

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Odmark to grant permission for communion to be served at the Christian Education mini-retreat Saturday, February 4, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Odmark to adjourn.

The meeting was closed in prayer by McClurg at 9:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

Robert M. Barcus
Robert M. Barcus,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Saturday, February 4, 1978 at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Bradley, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price

Elders Excused: Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Thompson (Moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Thompson.

Moved by Carey and seconded by Brule to send a bill to the Parkminster UPC Federal Credit Union for \$260. for facility rental in 1977. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Pinneo to deny the request from the Rochester Aquarium Society to use the East Hall for an auction March 11, 1978. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William G. Thompson
William G. Thompson,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, February 13, 1978 at 8:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Bender.

Vanguard: Reviewed by Pinneo and McKibben

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Carey to approve the minutes for January 9, 1978 and February 2, 1978 as submitted, and to approve the minutes for January 25, 1978 as amended: "...practicing homosexuals to any office in the church and that we are therefore opposed to the majority report of the Task Force to Study Homosexuality. Motion carried unanimously."

Motion carried.

Election of Clerk: Brule nominated Odmark for Clerk of Session. Moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to close nominations and to instruct the Clerk to cast one unanimous ballot for Odmark. Motion carried.

Election of Assistant Clerk: Brule nominated Frazier for Assistant Clerk of Session. Moved by Brule and seconded by Bradley that nominations be closed and that the Clerk cast one unanimous ballot for Frazier. Motion carried.

Correspondence: No formal action taken.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Thurling, Bradley, Bender, Mancini, Price.

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report presented by Frazier and Thurling. Moved by Christopher and seconded by Price that the session serve the meal at the March 20, 1978 Caucus meeting at Parkminster. Motion carried. The dinner will be organized by the Clerk, Assistant Clerk and Thurling.

Presbytery: Report presented by Price, Fuhrman and Christopher.

NYC Press Conference: Report presented by Showalter.

Florida Speaking Mission: Report presented by Showalter.

Chicago Plan Meeting: Report presented by Showalter and Odmark.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Christopher to grant a Letter of Transfer to Brighton Community Church for James Wheeler. Motion carried.
Moved by Christopher and seconded by Bradley to grant a Letter of Transfer to Gates Wesleyan Church for Martha White. Motion carried.

Election of Session Representatives for Ministerial Relations:

Pinneo nominated Fuhrman
 McClurg nominated Mancini
 Odmark nominated Price
 Brule nominated McKibben

Moved by Bradley and seconded by Odmark that nominations be closed.
 Motion carried.

An election was held with the following results: Fuhrman and McKibben were elected.

Price nominated Fuhrman as chairperson of Ministerial Relations Committee for 1978.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Christopher to close nominations for MR chairperson and to instruct the Clerk to cast one unanimous ballot for Fuhrman.
 Motion carried.

Election of Session Representatives to the Nominating Committee:

Pinneo nominated Price.
 Brule nominated Mancini.
 McKibben nominated Bender.

Moved by Bradley and seconded by Carey to close nominations.
 Election Results: Price and Mancini were elected.

Price was nominated by Odmark for Chairperson of the Nominating Committee.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Odmark to close nominations and to instruct the Clerk to cast one unanimous ballot for Price. Motion carried.

Election of Permanent Elder Delegate to Presbytery: Brule nominated Fuhrman.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo to close nominations and instruct the clerk to cast one unanimous ballot for Fuhrman. Motion carried.

Session Committee Assignments for 1978 follow:

Bookstore	- Schuman (Chairman)
Radio & Tape Ministry	- Odmark
Christian Education	- Price
Credit Union	- Bender
Church and Society	- Frazier
Evangelism	- Christopher (chairman), Pinneo
Worship and Music	- McKibben, Mancini
Outreach	- Bradley
Preschool	- Thurling
Publicity	- Carey
Scholarship	- Harp
Stewardship	- McClurg

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Deacons: Written report submitted by L. Pappa. George Reynolds shared plans for the Parkminster "Yellow Pages." Moved by McKibben and seconded by Price that the RISK committee develop a form to tabulate the information for the Yellow Pages, and that the Elders and Deacons gather the information through contacts with their caring lists. Motion carried. This calling will be done in April.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey. Moved by McClurg and seconded by Fuhrman to reaffirm our commitment to pay a fixed percentage of the weekly receipts (proportional to the Outreach part of the Budget) to Outreach each month. Motion carried.

Christian Education: No report.

Stewardship: Report presented by Brule.

Outreach: Report presented by G. Frazier (chairman) and S. Miller (chairperson for One Great Hour of Sharing).

Moved by Price and seconded by Pinneo to approve the proposed plans for the One Great Hour of Sharing program for 1978 as presented. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Evangelism: Report presented by Thompson.

Worship and Music: No report.

Church and Society: No report.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Publicity: No report.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by C. Griffith.

3D: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Brule.

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: No report.

Singles/Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

NEW BUSINESS

Session Breakfast: March 4, 1978.

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Clergy/Wives Retreat: Moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to grant Showalter permission to take 3 days study leave to attend a clergy/wives retreat at Cape Cod. Motion carried.

April Breakfast: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Odmark to invite all past elders of Parkminster to a Session breakfast April 8, 1978 at 7:30 a.m. Motion carried. (This will take the place of our regular monthly breakfast).

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Brule to adjourn at 12:55 a.m.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, March 13, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Bradley

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Mancini.

Vanguard: Reviewed by Thompson and Odmark.

Moved by Carey and seconded by Pinneo that the Assistant Clerk submit a summary of the monthly Session meeting to Parkminster Life for a 3-month trial. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Odmark to approve the minutes for February 4, 1978 as submitted, and to approve the minutes for February 13, 1978 with the following corrections:

Election of Clerk: "Brule nominated Odmark for Clerk . . ."

Election of Session Representatives to the Nominating Committee: "Election results: Price and Mancini . . ."

Session Committee Assignments for 1978: "Radio and Tape Ministry - Odmark."

Bookstore: "Report presented by Schuman."

Motion carried.

Correspondence: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Price to invite Robert Gibson (second year ministerial student) to come before Session and share his desires to work as a student intern at Parkminster this summer, and to offer some help for Gibson's travel expenses should he accept our invitation to come. Motion carried.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Mancini, Pinneo, Price and Bender. Odmark and Christopher to report in April.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by McClurg to drop Robert and Marjorie St. John from the rolls. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Odmark to grant a Letter of Transfer to the Grace Covenant Church in Rochester, N.Y. for Deborah Snaith. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Odmark to drop Carol and Gerald Vattimo from the rolls. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: January 12, 19, 26, February 2, 5, 9, 16, 23, March 2, 9, 1978.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Stephen George LaFontaine	(child)	February 12, 1978
Christina Marie Neelin	(child)	February 12, 1978

OLD BUSINESS

Homosexual Update: Report presented by Showalter.

Caucus Dinner: No action taken.

Session Breakfast with Inactive Elders: To be held April 8, 1978 at 7:30 a.m. Showalter will handle invitations.

YWCA Request: Nan L. Bliss of the YWCA summer camps program met with Session. Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Brule to rescind the former action which denied the YWCA permission to use Parkminster facilities for summer day camp (January action), and to invite the YWCA to use Parkminster facilities for their summer day camp program July 10, 1978 - August 18, 1978 (5 days/week) with the details to be worked out by the church staff. Motion carried.

Deacons: Report presented by Barcus.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustee & Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Stewardship: Report presented by Carey.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Odmark.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Fuhrman to allow R&T to negotiate a contract with CBN for a "Moments For Life" type program (5 days per week) for up to \$2,500, (the budgeted amount for Radio in 1978), and that R&T will report back to Session with further recommendations two months prior to the contract's expiration date. Motion carried.

Evangelism: Report presented by Christopher.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McClurg.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Price to serve communion by the "common cup" with water and wine on Maundy Thursday (3/23/78). Motion carried.

Outreach: no report.

RISK Evangelism: Report presented by Thompson.

Nominating: Report presented by Price.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus.

Church in Society: No report.

Publicity: No report.

3D: Written report presented by L. Pappa.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Singles/Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: Report presented by Barcus.

Community Gardens/Food Coop: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Fuhrman to grant permission for the Food Coop to have a "Food Fair" March 31, 1978 to promote the coop. Motion carried.

Women of the Church: Report presented by C. Griffith and C. Garnham.

Moved by Schuman and seconded by Brule to authorize the Women of the Church to purchase the recommended range and convection oven for the kitchen immediately, and that the trustees will arrange for financing through a loan, and that the W.ofC. agree to ultimately raise 50% of the money for the new range and oven. Motion carried.

Men's Association: Report presented by Bender.

Moved by Bender and seconded by Pinneo to grant permission for communion to be served at the Men's Quiet Day March 18, 1978. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Don Williams: Moved by Odmark and seconded by Schuman to invite Don Williams (member of the minority on the Task Force to Study Homosexuality) to speak at Parkminster April 6, 1978 and to invite lay persons from other churches in our Presbytery to hear Williams speak. Motion carried.

Retreat: Moved by Christopher and seconded by McKibben to grant Showalter permission to lead a retreat in Indianapolis April 14-16, 1978. Motion carried.

New Members Meeting: March 30, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Communicants Class meets with Session March 19, 1978 at 2:00 p.m.

Presbytery Meeting: (March 28, 1978 at Pittsford First Presbyterian). Fuhrman, Brule and Pinneo to attend.

Clergy Retreat: Moved by Price and seconded by Frazier to grant Thompson permission to take study leave to attend a clergy retreat March 27-30, 1978. Motion carried.

Car Wash: Moved by Brule and seconded by McClurg to grant the Boy Scouts permission to have a car wash in the church parking lot May 13, 1978 (May 20, 1978 - rain date). Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Price to adjourn at 12:35 a.m.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Barcus.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, March 19, 1978 at 3:00 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman.

Alternate Elder Present: -

Elders Excused: Mancini.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

It was moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McClurg that 24 communicants be received into the membership of Parkminster:

Chris Edward Belt	Dominique Michele Lynn
Jeffrey Richard Carlson	Rebecca Ann Mayne
Jennifer Lois DeLapp	David Jonathan Morgan
Helen Marie Foreman	Rabin Lynn North
Todd David Frazier	Lynne Marie Pappa
Daniel Peter Gallup	Christopher David Privitera
Todd Calvert Garth	Christina Susan Roat
Christina Anne Jones	Evelyn Joan Schlenklopper
Cynthia Ann Keefe	Brian Thomas Shaw
Elizabeth Anne Levering	Douglas Charles Steinmiller
Nathalie Anne Ley	Andrew Joseph Thurling
Henry Staley Lish	Loreen Annette VanWormer

It was moved by Schuman and seconded by McClurg that Parkminster make the necessary arrangements to reserve Camp Whitman for a period covering August 27 to September 2. Motion carried.

Showalter requested permission to lead a retreat in Indianapolis April 14, 15, and 16. There is a wedding conflict. Agreed by common consent to investigate the possibility of Showalter flying back to Rochester for the wedding and then returning to Indianapolis. More action to follow.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Bradley to adjourn at 4:30 p.m.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Assistant Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, March 30, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: -

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture reading and prayer by Showalter.

New Members: The following persons were examined by the Session and voted into membership at Parkminster:

Fike, Gertrude	Letter of Transfer, Lutheran Church of Our Saviour	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Brule
Hunt, William A.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Price Seconded by Pinneo
Nice, Thaddeus G.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Schuman Seconded by Frazier
Wood, Robert C. Wood, Mrs. Donna L.	Letter of Transfer, Elmgrove Methodist Church	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Fuhrman
Woodbury, Robert W. Woodbury, Mrs. Therese C.	Reaffirmation of Faith Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Carey Seconded by Schuman
Wolf, Miss Ann K.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Brule Seconded by McClurg

Boy Scouts: Moved by Schuman and seconded by Odmark to grant the Boy Scout troop permission to sell MacDonald coupons after church April 2, 1978 in order to raise funds for summer camp. Motion carried.

Gift: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Pinneo to accept D. Carey's offer to give the church her paintings of the Stations of the Cross. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Barcus at 10:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter,
Moderator

B.J.

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, April 10, 1978

Elders Present: Bender, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: Mancini, Bradley

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture reading and prayer by Thompson.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Brule to approve the minutes for March 19, 1978 as submitted, and to approve the minutes for March 13, 1978, as corrected:

Caring Lists: "Reports presented by Mancini, Pinneo, Price and Bender." Motion carried.

Correspondence:

First Spanish Church: Moved by Brule and seconded by Frazier that Thompson write to the First Spanish Church informing them that we will consider their request as soon as possible after May 1, 1978. Motion carried.

Gibson: Agreed by common consent to invite R. Gibson and his wife to visit Parkminster and meet with the Session during the weekend of May 14, 1978.

Kahler: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo to make no decision on the request to sell Maude Kahler's book of poetry, "Hark the Lark", until several Session members have had a chance to review the manuscript. Motion carried.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Brule, Christopher, Odmark, McClurg, McKibben, Bender and Price.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Odmark to drop Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Edwards from the rolls effective when they identify the Roman Catholic Church that they want to join. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Thurling to grant Barbara and Robert Gauldin a Letter of Transfer to the Westminster Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Frazier to grant Quentin W., Polly J. and Dawn Nickolaus a Letter of Transfer to the First United Presbyterian Church of Northeast, Pennsylvania. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Christopher to drop William Royall from the rolls. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Christopher to drop Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shewan and family from the rolls. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to grant Edward Owens a Letter of Transfer to East Dennis Community Church, East Dennis, Mass. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper: Was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: March 16, 23, 30, 1978, April 2, 6, 1978.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Jennifer Lois DeLapp	(child)	3/23/78
Loreen Annette VanWormer	(child)	3/23/78
Brian Michael Hrankowsky	(child)	4/9/78

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling and Frazier. Moved by Thurling and seconded by McKibben to recommend that Presbytery consider holding ten monthly meetings per year, each to begin with a dinner meal. Motion carried.

Note: Special Caucus meeting 5/24/78 at Gates Presbyterian Church, 7:30 p.m. The commissioners to General Assembly will present the issues at this meeting.

Presbytery: Report presented by Pinneo and Brule.

YWCA Guidelines: Report presented by Barcus.

Homosexual Update: Report presented by Showalter.

Indianapolis: Report presented by Showalter. The retreat was cancelled.

Church History Committee: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Brule to approve the committee's request for permission to design a pamphlet highlighting Parkminster's history in honor of the Church's 25th Anniversary. Motion carried.

Monday Morning: The publications for Feb. and March were reviewed by Harp.

Deacons: Written reports for Feb. 21, 1978 and Mar. 21, 1978 submitted by T. E. Doughty and presented by Barcus.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Frazier to designate the 1978 Easter for Outreach and to use part of that money to pay for hosting a dinner at Parkminster for the retired ministers in our Presbytery if the Pensions Committee approves. Motion carried.

Worship and Music: Presented by McClurg. Moved by McClurg and seconded by Thurling to grant permission for the choir to organize a music retreat to be led by members of the Community of Jesus. Motion carried.

Christian Education: Presented by Barcus. Moved by Odmark and seconded by Thurling to grant permission for communion to be served at the senior high retreat Apr. 30, 1978. Motion carried.

Nominating: Presented by Price.

Outreach: Written report presented by G. D. Frazier.

Evangelism: No report.

Stewardship: No report.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

RISK Evangelism: Presented by Thompson.

Church and Society: No report.

Publicity: No report.

Women of the Church: No report.

3D: Presented by C. Showalter and L. Pappa.

Bookstore: Presented by Schuman. Thurling and Odmark will meet with the bookstore committee to discuss the bookstore's financial situation.

Singles and Young Adults: No report.

Preschool: No report.

Men's Association: Presented by Bender.

Credit Union: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Brule to grant permission for Fun and Fellowship to schedule a dance similar to the last time, at the church Sept. 30, 1978. Motion carried.

Garden and Food Co-op: Presented by Showalter and Barcus.

Radio and Tape: Presented by Odmark.

Scholarship: Presented by Harp.

NEW BUSINESS

Session Breakfast: Agreed by common consent to hold the next breakfast May 13, 1978 at 7 a.m.

Showalter Travel/Vacation: Moved by McKibben and seconded by McClurg to allow Showalter to take three weeks vacation Aug. 23 - Sept. 22, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Price to grant Showalter permission to lead a family camp at Westminster College, New Wilmington, PA., July 1-8, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Odmark to grant Showalter permission to attend a Presbyterian Charismatic Communion board meeting June 1-2, 1978 and to attend an international PCC conference June 3-7, both to be held in Pittsburgh, Pa. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo to grant Showalter permission to attend Montreat (May 26-27) for a PCC meeting. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to grant Showalter permission to take study leave May 15-23, 1978 to attend the General Assembly in California. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Price to grant Showalter permission to go to Wilmington, April 29, and conduct Renee Wylie's wedding, and to spend the remainder of the weekend with his father. Motion carried.

Thompson Study Leave: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Brule to grant Thompson permission to take 1-week study leave April 17-23, 1978. Motion carried.

Wilson Anniversary: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Brule to authorize Showalter to appoint a committee to provide a reception and appropriate gift for Walter and Jane Wilson on their 25th Wedding Anniversary. Motion carried.

Pentecost: Moved by Brule and seconded by McClurg to grant permission for there to be a special Pentecost service on Pentecost Sunday evening. Motion carried.

Boy Scouts: Agreed by common consent to adjust the dates which were in error when approved, for the Boy Scout car wash.

Special Meeting: Sunday, April 23, 1978, at 12:30 p.m. to review the Mission Task Force report.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Odmak to adjourn at 1:00 a.m.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmak
James S. Odmak,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, May 8, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmak, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling.

Elders Excused: -

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with Scripture reading and prayer by Carey.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to approve the minutes for March 30, 1978 as submitted and to approve the minutes for April 10, 1978 with the following three corrections:

- 1) Baptisms: Remove Lori Jean Irvine from the list (she was dedicated).
- 2) New Business: Showalter Vacation/Travel: Paragraph 6: "...Wilmington, April 29, and conduct Renee Wylie's wedding, and to spend the remainder of the weekend with his..."
- 3) New Business: Thompson Vacation: Item should be listed as "Thompson Study Leave Moved by Pinneo and...to take one-week study leave April 17-23, 1978..."
Motion carried.

Correspondence:

Presbyterian Layman: Moved by Carey and seconded by Pinneo to request that the current list of elders on Session and the ministers names be placed on the circulation list for the Presbyterian Layman. Motion carried.

Others: No formal action taken.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Mancini, Bradley, Bender, Pinneo, Brule and Fuhrman.

Monday Morning: The articles for April were reviewed by Harp.

Communion: The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: April 13, 20, 27, 1978, and May 4, 1978.

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus Meeting: Report presented by Thurling and Frazier.

Wilson Anniversary Reception: Report presented by Odmak.

G.A. Update: Report presented by Showalter.

Kahler Book: Moved by Carey and seconded by Brule to deny the request that Parkminster sponsor the publishing of Miss Kahler's book, "Hark, Hark, the Lark." Motion carried.

Pension Committee Dinner: Moved by Thurling and seconded by McKibben to sponsor financially a Presbytery Pensions Committee dinner for retired ministers and missionaries at Glen Iris Inn. Motion carried.

Out-of-Town Member Letters: Report presented by Barcus. Moved by Odmark and seconded by Fuhrman that Mrs. J. A. Jones, Mrs. Linda M. Kusse, and Edwin P. Rahn, Jr. be dropped from the rolls. Motion carried.

Deacons: Written report submitted by L. Pappa.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Brule to allow the Deacons to sponsor a brunch at church Sunday, June 11, 1978. Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus.

Outreach: Written report submitted by G. Frazier and presented by Bradley.

Worship and Music: Report presented by Barcus.

Evangelism: No report.

Stewardship: No report.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

RISK Evangelism: Written report submitted by D. Mancini and presented by Thompson.

Church in Society: Report presented by Frazier.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by C. Griffith.

3D: Written report submitted.

Moved by Price and seconded by Schuman to have 3D submit a sketch of their proposed shelving for the East Hall stage to the Session, and that 3D further consider using the east and north walls of the stage and the small room in the southeast corner of the East Hall for additional shelving. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Price that the trustees investigate our projected needs for additional space and that present alternatives for meeting those needs to the Session as soon as possible (major organizations within the church such as 3D, Christian Ed., etc. will provide input to the trustees). Motion carried.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Moved by Odmark and seconded by Schuman to grant permission for the Bookstore to sponsor a movie at the church Saturday, June 10, 1978 (Evangelism Committee to cooperate for follow-up). Motion carried.

Singles/Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Men of the Church: Report presented by Bender.

Scholarship: Report presented by Harp.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: Report presented by McKibben.

Credit Union: No report.

Gardens/Food Co-op: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Carey to grant permission for the Food Co-op to sponsor a Food Fair June 9, 1978 and to allow publicity sheets for the Food Fair to be distributed in the library May 14, 21 and 28. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Breakfast: Joint breakfast with Deacons will be June 3, 1978 at 7:00 a.m.

Presbytery: Bender and Bradley to attend at Batavia May 30, 1978.

Caucus: Frazier, Thurling and W. Priestley to attend at Grace Presbyterian Church, May 22, 1978.

New Members Meeting: To be held June 1, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Use of Facilities: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Brule to grant permission for the McClurg, Christopher, Reynolds, Davidson families to use the church facilities Sunday, June 25, 1978 for a graduation party for their graduating children. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Frazier to adjourn.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Barcus at 11:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, May 15, 1978,
at 6:30 a.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg,
McKibben, Odmark, Price, Schuman, Thurling.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Baraus

The meeting was opened in prayer.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by McClurg that we employ Bob Gibson
as student assistant for a period beginning June 10, 1978 to approximately September
4, 1978, with his compensation to be recommended by the Ministerial Relations
Committee. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer at 6:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Frazier
Diane Frazier,
Clerk Pro Tem

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, June 1, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman

Elders Excused: Bender, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

There was a time of sharing by the Session and the prospective members. The following were examined by the Session and voted into membership in Parkminster:

Beisecker, Miss Lynda S.	Letter of Transfer, Fourth Presbyterian Church, Friendship and Roup, Pittsburgh, PA 15232	Moved by Schuman Seconded by Price
DeRoo, Robert N.	Profession of Faith	Moved by Brule Seconded by Pinneo
DeRoo, Mrs. Lois C.	Letter of Transfer, Brighton Community Church	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by McKibben
Garland, Walter C.	Letter of Transfer, Wesley United Methodist Church, Charleston, Ill.	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Schuman
Garland, Mrs. Eunice		Moved by Brule Seconded by McClurg
Garland, Miss Martha A.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Mancini Seconded by Christopher
Henderson, Mrs. Sandra M.	Profession of Faith	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Fuhrman
Oette, William E.	Profession of Faith	Moved by McKibben Seconded by Frazier
Oette, Mrs. Linda H.	Profession of Faith	Moved by Carey Seconded by McKibben
Stube, Miss Karen R.	Letter of Transfer, Gates Presbyterian Church	Moved by Mancini Seconded by Odmark

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 10:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, June 12, 1978, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Thurling

Elders Excused: Schuman

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with Scripture reading and prayer by Frazier.

Vanguard: Reviewed by Barcus and Carey.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by McKibben to approve the minutes for May 15, 1978 and June 1, 1978 as submitted, and to approve the minutes for May 8, 1978 with the following correction: Delete the reference to Baptisms, as there were none in April. Motion carried.

Correspondence: D. Mancini - Moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to approve the forming of a Food Co-op planning committee as outlined in Mancini's correspondence. Motion carried.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Mancini, Bradley, Price, Christopher, Brule, Fuhrman.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Bradley to grant Donald P. and Karen S. Wait a Letter of Transfer to the Ogden Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

Monday Morning: Reviewed by Harp.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Sandra M. Henderson	(adult)	June 4, 1978
Jeffrey Ryan Rash	(child)	June 4, 1978
Sarah Catharine Blonsky	(child)	June 11, 1978
Heather Jo Gogolsky	(child)	June 11, 1978
Denyse Jean Meier	(child)	June 11, 1978
Brooke Elizabeth Montgomery	(child)	June 11, 1978
Karen Lynn Ramsey	(child)	June 11, 1978

The sacrament of the Lord's supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: May 11, 18, 25, 1978, June 1, 4, 8, 1978.

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling and Frazier.

Presbytery: Report presented by Bender and Bradley.

GA Update: Report presented by Showalter.

Pittsburgh and other travel updates: Reports by Showalter.

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Gibson update: Report presented by Showalter.

Kahler: Report presented by Showalter.

Rosenberger: Report on his graduation presented by Showalter.

Deacons: Written report submitted by T. E. Doughty.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey, Brule, Bender and Thurling.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McKibben. Moved by Brule and seconded by Price to approve the purchase of a new communion chalice to be paid for out of memorial funds (approximately \$75 expense). Motion carried.

Christian Education: Report presented by Price.

Evangelism: No report.

RISK Evangelism: Report presented by Thompson.

Stewardship: No report.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Church in Society: Report presented by Frazier.

Women of the Church: No report.

3D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Book Store: Written report submitted by Schuman.

Scholarship: Written report submitted and presented by Harp.

Outreach: Written report submitted by G. D. Frazier and presented by Bradley.

Men of the Church: Report presented by Bender.

Singles/ Young Adults: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Garden/Co-op: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: Report presented by Barcus.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Odmark.

NEW BUSINESS

Session Breakfast: To be held July 15, 1978, 7:00 a.m.

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Showalter Vacation: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Price to grant Showalter permission to attend a meeting of the Advisory Council on Discipleship and Worship in St. Louis June 27-29, 1978 (time granted as work away from Rochester), and to grant Showalter one-week vacation, July 21-28, 1978, to go to Bermuda. Motion carried.

Note: Correct dates for the family camp at Westminster College (see April 10, 1978 minutes) are July 3-8, 1978.

Barcus Vacation: Moved by Bender and seconded by Pinneo to grant Barcus vacation June 30 - July 14, 1978 to go to the Thousand Islands. Motion carried.

Thompson Vacation: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Frazier to grant Thompson vacation June 20-28 and July 31-Aug. 13, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Odmark to adjourn.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Barcus at 12:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Sunday, June 18, 1978 at 10:10 a.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Brule, Christopher, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Pinneo, Price, Schuman

Elders Excused: Bradley, Carey, Odmark, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Dr. Showalter.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Christopher that the Gibsons, Robert and Gail, be granted a stipend of \$75. per week for the duration of his internship at Parkminster, as per the Ministerial Relations Committee's recommendation. Motion carried.

Meeting was adjourned with silent prayer at 10:22 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

William G. Fuhrman
William G. Fuhrman,
Clerk Pro-Tem

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, July 10, 1978, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Bender, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Schuman.

Alternate Elder Present: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson

Guest Present: Gibson.

The meeting was opened with Scripture reading by Gibson and prayer by Thompson.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Mancini and seconded by Frazier to approve the minutes for June 12, 1978 and June 18, 1978 as submitted. Motion carried.

Correspondence: YWCA Wives: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Fuhrman to grant permission to use the church building for a "Welcome Back Coffee Hour" and weekly Thursday meetings as in previous years. Motion carried.

Others: No action taken.

Caring Lists: Report presented by Christopher.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Brule to drop Dr. Norman, Mrs. H. Jean and Beth Ruth Coombs from the rolls. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Price to drop Miss Elizabeth J. Pitcher from the rolls. Motion carried.

Monday Morning: No report.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster: -

The sacrament of the Lord's supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: June 15, 22, 29, 1978 and July 5, 1978.

OLD BUSINESS

St. Louis and Pittsburgh travel updates: Reports by Showalter.

Intern Minister Update: Report by Gibson.

Deacons: Written report submitted by M. Harrington.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey. It was moved by Carey and seconded by Bradley to remove the Coke machine from the Social Hall narthex as soon as possible. Motion carried.

Outreach: Written report submitted by G. D. Frazier and presented by Bradley. Showalter agreed to host Ransom Rice when the missionary visits Parkminster on July 26.

Christian Education: No report.

Worship and Music: No report.

Evangelism: Report given by Christopher.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Church in Society: No report.

RISK Evangelism: No report.

Ministerial Relations: No report. Showalter gave update on Rosenberger.

Stewardship: Report presented by Showalter. Moved by Brule and seconded by Fuhrman that Elders and Deacons be given responsibility of approaching members of their respective caring lists who are significantly in arrears on their pledges. Motion carried.

Women of the Church: No report.

3D: Written reports submitted by L. Pappa and H. Bradley. Moved by Christopher and seconded by Bradley to grant permission to Mother's Group to store a lock-up cupboard for supplies in Social Hall. Motion carried.

Bookstore: Report presented by Showalter. Agreed by common consent to recommend that windows be cleaned weekly.

Music School: Report presented by L. Morey. Moved by Christopher and seconded by Bradley to open the service of the Music School to the community. Motion carried.

Preschool: Thurling reported.

Scholarship: No report.

Men of Parkminster: No report.

Singles: Thompson reported.

Young Adults: Gibson reported.

Garden/Co-op: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Session Breakfast: To be held August 5, 1978, 7:00 a.m.

Change Showalter's vacation week: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Brule to change Showalter's vacation from week of 12th to week of 19th of August. Motion carried.

Presbytery Meeting: Frazier and Fuhrman to attend at Pavilion July 25, 1978.

New Members Meeting: To be held August 3, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Next Session Meeting: To be decided on August 3 at New Members meeting if it will be held on August 14, 1978.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Fuhrman to adjourn.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 11:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier
Diane S. Frazier,
Assistant Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, July 23, 1978.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Fuhrman, Mancini,
McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Price, Schuman.

Elders Excused: Frazier, Pinneo, Thurling.

Alternate Elder Present: Harp.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Brule to approve 3-D's plan (dated July 13, 1978) to add shelves and cupboards to the chancel of the East Hall. Motion carried.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Bender to adjourn.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, August 3, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price.

Elders Excused: Schuman, Thurling, Bender.

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

The following were examined by the Session and voted into membership at Parkminster:

Coates, Jay Daniel	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Brule Seconded by Pinneo
Harrington, Roy W. Harrington, Mrs. Elsie A.	Letter of Transfer, Downtown United Presbyterian Church	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Pinneo
Heydweiller, George W.	Letter of Transfer, Downtown United Presbyterian Church	Moved by Fuhrman Seconded by Frazier
Igoe, Michael J.	Profession of Faith	Moved by McClurg Seconded by Brule
Rockey, Earl A. Rockey, Mrs. Polly R. S.	Letter of Transfer, Hope Lutheran Church	Moved by McKibben Seconded by Fuhrman
Schaich, Mrs. Wendy S.	Letter of Transfer, Huntingdon Valley Methodist Church, Huntingdon Valley, PA	Moved by Mancini Seconded by Odmark
Woodbury, Miss Elizabeth J.	Profession of Faith	Moved by Carey Seconded by McClurg
Woodbury, Miss Margaret Mary	Profession of Faith	Moved by McKibben Seconded by Frazier
Woodbury, Miss Marianne T.	Letter of Transfer, Penfield Wesleyan Church	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Odmark

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 11:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, August 13, 1978 at 11:45 a.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Thurling

Elders Excused: Fuhrman, Schuman

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Bradley.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to approve the minutes for July 23, 1978 and August 3, 1978 as submitted, and to approve the minutes for 10 July with the following two corrections:

- 1) Record the date of the meeting as July 10, 1978.
- 2) COMMITTEE REPORTS: Trustees and Treasurer: Do not record defeated motion. Delete from the record.

Motion carried.

Correspondence: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Brule that Parkminster not sponsor publication of "Hark, Hark, the Lark" because it is not fitting for the mission of the church. Motion carried.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by McClurg, McKibben, Carey, Frazier, Mancini, Bradley, Brule and Odmark.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Odmark and seconded by McKibben to grant Vivian and Edward M. Donner a Letter of Transfer to Grace Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Price to grant Thomas A. and Karen Miller a Letter of Transfer to the Presbyterian Church of Wyoming, New York. Motion carried.

Monday Morning: Reviewed by Harp.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: July 12, 19, 26, August 2, 6, 9, 1978.

The following were baptized at Parkminster:

Amanda Marie Burnett	(child)	July 23, 1978
Margaret Mary Woodbury	(child)	August 5, 1978
Hannah Marie Emery	(child)	August 13, 1978
Susan Marie Frazer	(child)	August 13, 1978
Christopher Thomas Gabel	(child)	August 13, 1978
Scott Myr Pearson	(child)	August 13, 1978
Alison Jean Ferraro	(child)	September 3, 1978

OLD BUSINESS

Intern Update: Report presented by Gibson.

Coke Machine: Follow up report presented by Showalter.

Nursery Project: Report presented by Carey.

Space: Report presented by Carey. Note: All committees are to provide inputs to trustees ASAP.

Presbytery Meeting: Report presented by Carey.

New Sidewalk: Report by Carey (hope for Fall '78 installation).

Deacons: Written report submitted by M. Harrington and presented by Barcus.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Outreach: Report presented by G. Frazier and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Irvine.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo to approve the use of the "Outreach Dollars" program by the committee this year. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Frazier that it be a policy of the Session not to allow individual solicitation of the church membership with or without Session endorsement. Motion carried.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McKibben. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Christopher to approve the W&M committee's recommendation that Kathy Quinn be terminated as Sr. High choir director. Motion carried.

It was agreed by common consent that, if there is to be a Sr. High singing group, it should flow out of the Sr. High Fellowship ministry as a result of praise and experience of God's presence, and that an emphasis should not be placed on producing a performing group per se.

Christian Education: Report presented by Price.

Radio and Tape: No Report.

Stewardship: No Report.

Evangelism: No Report.

Risk: No Report.

Church in Society: Moved by Frazier and seconded by Price to approve the Church in Society Fair to be held September 29, 1978. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Women of the Church: No report.

3-D: Report presented by Bradley. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Price to approve the plans for the 3-D Conference to be held at church September 22-24, 1978, and to recommend that the objective of conference presented as item 1 of the 3-D report to Session (8/9/78) be changed to read "...The conference is designed for any persons who are presently leading a 3D group or" Motion carried.

Bookstore: No report.

Preschool: Report presented by Thurling.

Scholarship: Report presented by Harp.

Men of Parkminster: No report.

Singles/Young Adults: No report.

Food Coop/Gardens: Moved by Odmark and seconded by McKibben to approve the Food Coop request to have a "Country Store Food Sale" for all the congregation members Sept. 29, 1978, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the East Hall and to further grant permission for the Coop to distribute order forms in the library for the sale. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Rosenberger Ordination: Moved by Price and seconded by McClurg to grant permission for Harold Rosenberger's ordination to be held at Parkminster October 1, 1978 at 8 p.m. Motion carried.

T. Lynn: Moved by Carey and seconded by McClurg to recommend that T. Lynn be taken under care of Presbytery and thereby sustain the call he has felt to the ministry. Motion carried.

Young Marrieds Program: Moved by Odmark and seconded by Frazier that Christian Ed. investigate the need for a young marrieds type of fellowship and report back to Session in October. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: To be held September 9, 1978 at 7 a.m.

Session Meeting: To be held September 11, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Tom Smail: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Bender to invite Tom Smail to preach at Parkminster on Sunday, October 22, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Frazier to adjourn.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Barcus at 4:36 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, August 27, 1978,
at 10:30 a.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, McClurg,
McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Schuman.

Elders Excused: Carey, Price, Thurling

Minister Present: Thompson (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Thompson.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Christopher to grant the trustees permission
to borrow \$2,146.00 from Lincoln First Bank of Rochester (90 day note) to pay for
the Showalter manse roof, a budgeted item. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Odmark to grant permission for communion to
be served to the camping group at Whitman, August 30, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Pinneo that the Session present R. Gibson,
student intern, with a Thompson Chain Reference Bible as an appreciation gift.
Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Pinneo to adjourn.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Pinneo.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William G. Thompson
William G. Thompson,
Moderator

EXAMINED AND APPROVED

date 9/1/78
with 0 Exceptions listed

SESSIONAL RECORDS COMMITTEE

Presbytery Genesee Valley

James J. Bonner, Chs.

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, September 11, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Christopher, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Carey, Frazier.

Alternate Elder Present: Harp.

Ministers Present: Thompson (Moderator), Barcus.

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Thompson.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Odmark to approve the minutes for August 13, 1978 as submitted and to approve the minutes for August 27, 1978 as corrected:

1. List Thurling as being excused from the August 27, 1978 meeting.
2. Second Motion: "...for communion to be served to the camping group at Whitman, August 30, 1978."

Motion carried.

Correspondence: No formal action taken.

Dismissal of Member: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo to grant Marion Howell a Letter of Transfer to the First United Methodist Church of Coral Springs, Florida. Motion carried.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Odmark, Brule, Harp and Mancini.

Vanguard: Report presented by Bradley and Barcus.

Monday Morning: Report presented by Harp.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates: August 16, 23, 30, 1978, and September 6, 1978.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Amanda Marie Burnett	(child)	July 23, 1978
Margaret Mary Woodbury	(child)	August 5, 1978
Hannah Marie Emery	(child)	August 13, 1978
Susan Marie Frazer	(child)	August 13, 1978
Christopher Thomas Gabel	(child)	August 13, 1978
Scott Myr Pearson	(child)	August 13, 1978
Alison Jean Ferraro	(child)	Sept. 3, 1978

OLD BUSINESS

Intern Update: Report presented by Thompson.

3D Printing/Space Recommendation: No action until October.

Sidewalk: Report presented by Fuhrman. Installation is planned for this fall.

Deacons: All elders are to inform M. Preston or N. Harmon of the needs of people on their caring list which might be met by workfest Oct. 14, 1978.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Brule to approve the deacons sponsorship of a Thanksgiving dinner at church. Motion carried. Two elders and spouses are needed to coordinate the planning with the deacons. Contact Thompson or Barcus if you are to be one.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Outreach: Report presented by Bradley. Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Bradley to approve Outreach request to set up the Outreach booth in the narthex Sept. 24, 1978 and Oct. 1, 1978. Motion carried.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Fuhrman and Brule.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McKibben. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Pinneo that weekly communion be held Wednesday nights in 1978-79 church year. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Christopher to approve the M&W recommendation that Johannes DeGroot (church organist) be asked to continue counseling with Showalter on an every-other-week basis. Motion carried.

Note: All elders are to call people on their caring list to invite them to worldwide communion Sunday, Oct. 1, 1978.

Christian Education: Report presented by Barcus. Moved by Bradley and seconded by Pinneo that the librarian be requested to remove the "Book of Mormon" from our church library. Motion carried.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Odmark.

Stewardship: No report.

RISK: Report presented by Thompson. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Schuman to continue the group "Adventure for 12" (started under RISK) as a church-sponsored function. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by McClurg to invite representatives of the RISK committee to meet with the Session Sept. 30, 1978 at 8 a.m. to share their recommendations for year number 2 of the RISK program. Motion carried.

Evangelism: No report.

Church in Society: Written report submitted.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by C. Griffith. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Pinneo to grant WoC permission to have a clothing "barrel" in the basement (under the narthex) Oct. 1-5, 1978, provided that the area be maintained daily for neatness. Motion carried. (This clothing drive is being done in cooperation with Christian Women United).

3D: Written report presented by L. Pappa.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Preschool: Report presented by Thurling.

Scholarship: No report.

Men of Parkminster: No report.

Singles/Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

Food Co-op/Gardens: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Caucus: Thurling and Frazier to attend Sept. 18, 1978.

Presbytery Meeting: Pinneo, Fuhrman and McKibben to attend Sept. 26, 1978 in Avon.

Session Breakfast: To be held Sept. 30, 1978 at 7 a.m.

Session Meeting: To be held Oct. 9, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

New Members Meeting: To be held Sept. 28, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Moved by Odmark and seconded by Thurling to adjourn.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Barcus at 11:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William G. Thompson
William G. Thompson,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Friday, September 22, 1978 at 7:00 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Carey, Christopher, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, Odmark, Pinneo, Schuman.

Elders Excused: Brule, Frazier, McKibben, Price, Thurling.

Alternate Elder Present: Harp.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Odmark.

Moved by Odmark and seconded by Schuman to grant permission to serve communion to the 3-D conferees September 24, 1978. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Barcus at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, September 28, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman.

Elders Excused: Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

There was a time of sharing by the Session and the new members class.

The following were examined by the Session and voted into membership in Parkminster:

Buchiere, Mrs. Rosina M.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Brule
Buchiere, Miss Jean M.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Carey Seconded by Pinneo
Chudoba, Peter J.	Letter of Transfer, New Covenant Fellowship Webster, New York	Moved by Bradley Seconded by Brule
Dietz, Mrs. Kathleen A.	Letter of Transfer, Gates Presbyterian Church	Moved by Odmark Seconded by Pinneo
Fleischauer, Kenneth Fleischauer, Mrs. Dorothy H.	Letter of Transfer, Pearce Memorial Free Methodist Church	Moved by Fuhrman Seconded by Price
Hankins, Harold Lee	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Frazier Seconded by Price
Kraft, Kenneth A.	Letter of Transfer, Randolph U.P. Church, Randolph, N. Y.	Moved by Christopher Seconded by McKibben
Miller, Craig A.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Pinneo Seconded by Price
Park, George H. Park, Mrs. Patricia A.	Reaffirmation of Faith Letter of Transfer, United Church of Christ Churchville, N. Y.	Moved by Price Seconded by McClurg
Reece, Charles	Letter of Transfer, Northwest Baptist Church Oklahoma City, OK	Moved by Brule Seconded by Frazier

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The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 10:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, September 30, 1978 at 7:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: Fuhrman

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus.

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Showalter.

Moved by Price and seconded by McClurg to approve the RISK committee's recommendation to enter into a long-range ministry to Westgate Nursing Home, Rochester Psychiatric Center, and Attica, for our second year of the RISK program. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Brule to grant permission for Showalter to speak at H. Rosenberger's installation October 8, 1978. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, October 9, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: -

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Schuman.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Thurling and seconded by McClurg to approve the minutes for September 22, 28, 30, 1978 as submitted, and to approve the minutes for September 11, 1978 with the following correction: Record Price as being present. Motion carried.

Correspondence: Gates Presbyterian: Thurling and possibly L. Merrill will represent Parkminster at Gates' sesquicentennial celebration.

Elim: Moved by Price and seconded by Pinneo to participate in Elim's student intern program for 1979. Motion carried.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Christopher, Pinneo, Frazier, Fuhrman, Thurling, Carey, Bradley, Harp, Mancini.

Dismissal of Members:

Moved by Odmark and seconded by McClurg to drop Eugene and Karoly Edwards from the rolls. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman to drop Timothy St. John from the rolls. Motion carried.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by McKibben to drop David R. Nagle from the rolls. Motion carried.

Moved by Carey and seconded by McClurg to grant Mary C. Lougee a Letter of Transfer to the United Church of Christ in Liverpool, N.Y. Motion carried.

Monday Morning: Report presented by Harp.

OLD BUSINESS

Space Report: Presented by Carey. Moved by Odmark and seconded by Price that it be resolved that we, the Session, believe there is a valid need for additional space at Parkminster, as described by the trustees' report, and that we appoint the Board of Trustees to act as a space committee and ask them to report to Session on their best recommendations for meeting our space needs as soon as possible. Motion carried.

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling.

Presbytery: Report presented by Pinneo, McKibben and Fuhrman.

Showalter Travel Request: Moved by McClurg and seconded by McKibben to grant permission for Showalter to lead a retreat at Christ Presbyterian Church in Bermuda Nov. 2-5, 1978, and to attend the Community of Jesus sponsored retreat in Bermuda Nov. 5-11, 1978. Motion carried.

Young Marrieds Program: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Thurling to approve the Christian Education Committee's proposal for a program for newly marrieds as presented in the October 3, 1978 C.E. report to Session. Motion carried.

25th Anniversary: Report written by J. Wilson and presented by Showalter. Moved by Frazier and seconded by Pinneo to approve the idea of a booklet being prepared for distribution as part of Parkminster's 25th anniversary celebration. Motion carried.

Session Report in PL: Moved by McClurg and seconded by Schuman that the assistant clerk continue submitting monthly summaries of Session action to Parkminster Life for regular publication. Motion carried.

Deacons: Written report presented by M. Harrington and presented by Barcus.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: September 13, 20, 27, 1978, October 1, 4, 1978.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster: -

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey. Agreed by common consent to hold a special Session meeting October 30, 1978 at 8 p.m. for the purpose of reviewing the proposed 1979 budget.

Stewardship: No report.

Outreach: Written report submitted by G. Frazier.

Evangelism: No report.

Christian Education: Moved by Schuman and seconded by McClurg to reserve Camp Whitman for a Parkminster family camp August 18-25, 1979. Motion carried.

RISK: Report presented by Thompson. Moved by Price and seconded by Odmark to ask the RISK Committee to incorporate an international student outreach as part of their program. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McKibben. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Brule to grant W&M permission to develop an adult bell choir if a director and enough members can be found. Motion carried.

Church in Society: Report presented by Frazier.

Women of the Church: No report.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman. Moved by Schuman and seconded by Frazier to approve the Bookstore's sponsorship of the movie entitled "He Restoreth My Soul" and a concert by the "Love Covenant" as a Book Fair October 20, 1978 at church. Motion carried.

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Scholarship: No report.

3D: Report presented by C. Showalter and D. Mancini.

Singles and Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

Fun and Fellowship: Report presented by McKibben.

Food Co-op: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Caucus Meeting: October 23, 1978 at Bethany Presbyterian Church. Frazier and Thurling to attend.

Presbytery Meeting: October 24, 1978 at Brockport. Fuhrman, Brule and McClurg to attend.

Breakfast: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Fuhrman to have a breakfast with Tom Small for elders, deacons and spouses Saturday, October 28, 1978 at 8 a.m. Motion carried.

Halloween: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Mancini to have a Halloween party at church October 30, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by McClurg and seconded by Brule to adjourn.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Thompson at 1:10 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, October 30, 1978 at 8:00 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Pinneo, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Odmark, Price, Schuman.

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Budget: It was decided by common consent to approve the budget for 1979 by sections delineated in the proposed budget which was circulated to all present.

1. Building: Moved by Carey and seconded by Thurling to accept as proposed. Motion carried.

Moved by Bradley and seconded by Christopher that the Session ask the Trustees to investigate the possibility of additional space in the Showalter manse and to report back to Session before the end of this year. Motion carried.

2. Salaries: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Brule to approve the ministers' salaries as printed. Motion carried.

It was agreed by common consent to grant \$2800 to the Director of Music instead of the \$2782 listed, and also to leave the salary of the Organist at \$2200 (not \$2310 as listed).

Changes were made in the salaries of the Junior Choir Director, the Treasurer and the Financial Secretary in an amended motion made by Carey and seconded by Thurling. Motion carried.

3. Benefits: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McClurg to accept the benefits as listed with one exception: to grant \$780 for miscellaneous ministerial expenses (instead of \$300) to be used for monthly out-of-pocket expenses. Motion carried.
4. Christian Education: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Pinneo to approve as printed. Motion carried.
5. Other Expenses: Moved by Carey and seconded by Christopher to approve as printed. Motion carried.
6. Outreach: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by McClurg to accept as printed. Motion carried.

The total budget amounted to \$265,183, an increase of 12.2%.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Brule to adjourn. The meeting was closed in prayer by Thompson at 11:40 p.m.

William P. Showalter,

Moderator

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier, Asst. Clerk of Session

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, November 13, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmak, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: -

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Fuhrman.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Pinneo to accept the minutes for October 9 and October 30, 1978 as submitted. Motion carried.

Correspondence: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Odmak to grant Cynthia, Kathleen and Susan Rosenberger Letters of Transfer to the Middle Smithfield Presbyterian Church, Middle Smithfield, Pa. Motion carried.

Vanguard: Articles were reviewed by Price and Showalter.

Monday Morning: Articles reviewed by Harp.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by McClurg, Mancini, Frazier.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Odmak and seconded by Brule to grant William B. and Marion E. Dermody a Letter of Transfer to the Community Covenant Church in St. Petersburg, Florida. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Bermuda Report: Presented by Showalter, Odmak, McKibben, Mancini, Frazier, Schuman.

Caucus: Report presented by Frazier and Thurling.

Presbytery: Report presented by Fuhrman, McClurg and Brule.

Space: Report presented by Carey.

25th Anniversary: Written report submitted by J. Wilson. Moved by Bradley and seconded by Odmak to approve the History Committee's request for permission to contract with Vincent Printing of 136 N. St., Rochester, to print 1,000 copies of the 25th Anniversary booklet, and to add a \$1,000.00 line item to the proposed 1979 budget designated to help pay for said booklet. Motion carried.

Deacons: Written report submitted by T. Doughty.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: October 11, 18, 25, 1978, November 1, 8, 1978.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Stewardship: Report presented by McClurg. Moved by Brule and seconded by McKibben that the elders and deacons contact the people on their caring lists who are significantly behind on their pledges. Motion carried.

Outreach: Written report submitted by G. Frazier.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Showalter.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McKibben. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Price to approve B. Reynolds as director of the adult bell choir. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Pinneo to increase the fee for the organist at weddings from \$25. to \$35. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Thurling to delete the children's sermon from the second service. Motion carried. (This action was taken to shorten the 11:15 service).

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Christopher that Worship and Music try having the anthem sung during the offering on those Sundays when the service is expected to be long, and that W&M bring their evaluation of this change to Session. Motion carried.

Evangelism: No report.

RISK: Report presented by Thompson.

Nominating: Report presented by Price. Moved by McClurg and seconded by Pinneo to approve the committee's recommendation that Mancini be nominated to serve as a delegate to the General Assembly in 1979. Motion carried.

Christian Education: No report.

Church and Society: Written report submitted.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by C. Griffith.

3D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa. Moved by Carey and seconded by Christopher to grant 3D permission to use the alcove in the rear of the East hall for additional office space in coordination with Christian Education. Motion carried.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: No report.

Scholarship: No report.

Singles and Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

Fun and Fellowship: No report.

Food Co-op: Report presented by Barcus. Moved by McKibben and seconded by McClurg to approve a "Country Fair" to be held December 1, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Session Breakfast: December 2, 1978, 7 a.m.

New Members Meeting: November 30, 1978, 7:30 p.m.

Presbytery meeting at Laurelton November 28, 1978: Odmak, Fuhrman and Carey will attend.

Caucus meeting at Ogden November 20, 1978: Frazier, Thurling, Christopher will attend.

Jews For Jesus: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Price to invite the Jews for Jesus to Parkminster May 1, 1979. Motion carried.

Christmas Offering: Moved by Price and seconded by Frazier to designate that 1/3 of the Christmas offering be given for the discretionary use of the Presbyterian Pensions Committee of Genesee Valley within this Presbytery, and that 2/3 of the offering be given to the Deacon ministry (50 per cent of deacons portion is to be used for ministry to the poor). Motion carried.

Thompson Retreat: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Carey to grant Thompson permission to attend a clergy retreat at the Community of Jesus November 27-30, 1978 (study leave). Motion carried.

Moved by Odmak and seconded by Frazier to adjourn.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 12:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmak
James S. Odmak,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, November 19, 1978 at 12:45 p.m.

Elders Present: Bradley, Brule, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price

Elders Excused: Bender, Carey, Mancini, McClurg, Schuman, Thurling.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

Moved by Odmark and seconded by Brule to approve Bud Palmer as the Adult Sunday School coordinator for 1979. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Frazier to grant Barcus study leave to attend a clergy retreat at the Community of Jesus Nov. 27-30, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Bradley and seconded by Price to grant permission for Rev. Ronald Minor to work at Parkminster as an unpaid staff member for two months, starting November 28, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Fuhrman to adjourn.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, November 30, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bradley, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, Pinneo, Thurling

Elders Excused: McClurg, Odmark, Price, Bender, McKibben, Brule, Schuman

Alternate Elder Present: Sheila Harp

Minister Present: Showalter (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

There was a time of sharing by the Session and the new members class.

The following were examined by the Session and voted into membership in Parkminster:

Gaudelli, Mrs. Toni J.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Frazier
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Kazmierczak, Mrs. Shirley	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Mancini Seconded by Frazier
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Vandenbergh, Peter J., Jr.	Letter of Transfer Brighton Community Church	Moved by Fuhrman Seconded by Pinneo
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The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Assistant Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, December 2, 1978 at 7:00 a.m. for breakfast.

Elders Present: Bradley, Brule, Christopher, Carey, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: Bender, McClurg

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus, R. Minor

The meeting was opened in prayer by Showalter.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by McKibben to accept Lura Morey into membership at Parkminster by Letter of Transfer from Pierce Memorial Free Methodist Church, Rochester, New York. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Thompson at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, December 11, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: -

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by McClurg.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Thurling to approve the minutes for November 19, 1978 and December 2, 1978 as submitted, and to approve the minutes for November 13, 1978 and November 30, 1978, with the following corrections/amendments:

11/13/78 - Delete the reference to Baptisms since there were none during November.

- New Business: Christmas Offering: "...that 1/3 of the Christmas offering be given for the discretionary use of the Presbyterian Pensions Committee of Genesee Valley within this Presbytery, and that 2/3..."

11/30/78 - "The following were examined by the Session and..."

- Record all motions as seconded by someone instead of ended by. Motion carried.

Correspondence: No formal action taken.

Monday Morning: Reviewed by Harp.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Price, Pinneo, Schuman, McClurg, Bender, Carey.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Odmark and seconded by Brule to grant Jimmie and Dottie Hargrove a Letter of Transfer to the Stone Presbyterian Church of Caledonia. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Frazier to grant Lianne Hughett a Letter of Transfer to the Menlo Park Presbyterian Church, Menlo Park, California. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Brule to grant Steven and Carol Pearson a Letter of Transfer to the Sixth Reformed Church, Holland, Michigan. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling, Christopher and Frazier. Agreed by common consent that Session would organize, prepare and serve dinner for the Caucus at Parkminster January 15, 1979.

Presbytery: Report presented by Fuhrman, Carey and Odmark.

Party: Moved by McKibben and seconded by McClurg to have a Session and spouses Christmas party December 22, 1978 at 7 p.m. Motion carried. Odmark and McKibben will plan the party.

Space: Report presented by Carey. Agreed by common consent to form a space committee and that the ministers should recommend persons for that committee to the trustees.

25th Anniversary Committee: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Price to approve Helen McClurg and George Evans as members of the committee. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: November 15, 29, 1978, December 3, 6, 1978.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Jeffrey Andrew Onthank (child) December 17, 1978

Deacons: Report presented by Thompson.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Nominating: Report presented by Price. Moved by Price and seconded by Odmak to approve the nominating committee report dated December 11, 1978 as submitted. Motion carried.

Stewardship: Report presented by Showalter.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey. Moved by Odmak and seconded by Christopher to authorize the trustees to (1) Work with the staff to determine whether or not there is a valid need for an upgrade of the church's phone system, (2) Take steps to implement necessary changes to the phone system by January 5, 1979 (providing the need is established). Motion carried.

Moved by Bradley and seconded by Odmak to authorize the trustees to pursue formalizing plans for the proposed expansion of the Showalter manse (2704 Chili Ave.) and that those plans be included in the space committee's report to the congregation in 1979 (Manse plans to be completed by mid-April 1979). Motion carried.

Worship and Music: Report presented by McKibben.

Ministerial Relations: Report presented by Fuhrman. Moved by Odmak and seconded by Christopher to designate \$2000 each from the total compensation for W. P. Showalter, R. M. Barcus and W. G. Thompson as housing allowance for 1979. Motion carried.

The Presbytery candidates committee's latest action concerning S. Pearson was presented by Fuhrman and discussed at length. No formal action was taken other than the previously recorded granting of Pearson's request for a Letter of Transfer.

Outreach: Report presented by Bradley. Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Price to approve the following dates for the 1979 Outreach Conference: Oct. 5-7, 1979 and Oct. 12-14, 1979 (alternate). Motion carried.

Moved by Bradley and seconded by Brule to grant Outreach permission to sponsor a brunch January 7, 1979, following the 11:15 a.m. service, for the purpose of allowing Bruce Wallace and other Campus Crusade workers in the area to share their ministries with the congregation. Motion carried.

Evangelism: No report.

RISK: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Carey to pay the outstanding dues for our participation in the RISK program with funds from the Outreach contingency fund. Motion carried.

Christian Education: No report.

Church in Society: Report presented by Frazier.

Radio and Tape: Report presented by Odmak.

Bookstore: Report presented by Schuman.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: No report.

Scholarship: No report.

3D: Written report presented by L. Pappa.

Singles/Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

Fun and Fellowship: No report.

Co-op: No report.

Men of the Church: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Fuhrman to approve S. Gallup, L. Ostberg and D. Palmer to serve on men's committee. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Concern: V. Price and M. Christopher met with Session to share their concern that greater care of the church facilities needs to be exercised as an expression of Christ's love to all who enter Parkminster. The Session discussed this at length and each committed himself/herself personally to care more for the building.

Bruce Tucker: Moved by Brule and seconded by Fuhrman to have Showalter and either Thompson or Barcus pursue the possibility of Rev. Bruce Tucker working in some capacity at Parkminster for one year and to make subsequent recommendations to Session as to whether or not this seems like God's will. Motion carried.

Showalter Travel: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Price to grant Showalter permission to attend a meeting of the G.A. committee on Discipleship and Worship January 18-20, 1979 in Denver, Col., and permission to attend a PCC board meeting Feb. 2-4, 1979 in Oklahoma City. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: January 6, 1979, 7:00 a.m.

Session Meeting: January 8, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Annual Meeting: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Carey to hold Parkminster's annual meeting January 14, 1979 at 4:30 p.m. Motion carried. The ecclesiastical part will start at 4:30 p.m., followed by dinner, and finally the corporate meeting.

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Thompson Vacation: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Frazier to grant Thompson permission to take vacation Dec. 14-17, 1978 and Dec. 28-30, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Christopher to grant permission to use the church Pinto on the above vacation if necessary. Motion carried.

Barcus Vacation: Moved by Brule and seconded by Odmark to grant Barcus permission to take vacation Dec. 26-28, 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Frazier to adjourn.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 12:53 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, December 16, 1978, at 6:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: Brule, Fuhrman

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Mancini to approve Glenn Jones and Paul Irvine as President and Treasurer of the Men's Association, respectively. Motion carried. The above names were submitted by the nominating committee.

Richard Riss, a Parkminster member planning to attend Trinity Theological Seminary, met with the Session to share his call to full time Christian work. There was a time of mutual sharing between the Session and him. No formal action was taken at that time.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Schuman that the clerk be instructed to send a letter to Paul and Phoebe Brown, thanking them for the beautiful decorations they have provided in the sanctuary. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Showalter at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Friday, December 22, 1978, at 10:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: Pinneo

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Brule to approve the trustees' recommendations concerning Christmas gifts for the paid and unpaid staff in 1978. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Fuhrman to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed at 11:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark
James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, January 8, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Fuhrman, Mancini, McClurg, McKibben, Odmark, Pinneo, Price, Schuman, Thurling

Elders Excused: -

Alternate Elder Present: Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer by Odmark.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Odmark to approve the minutes for December 11, 16, and 22, 1978, with the following corrections:

December 11, 1978 - Record Barcus as present.
 - Dismission of Members: "...Dottie Hargrove a Letter of Transfer to the Stone Presbyterian..."
 - New Business: Concern - "...and each committed himself/herself personally to care more..."

December 16, 1978 - Record the day of meeting as Saturday, not Sunday.
 - Record Brule as excused and Schuman as present.

December 22, 1978 - Record the day of meeting as Friday, not Saturday.

Motion carried.

Vanguard: Report presented by Mancini and Frazier.

Correspondence: No formal action taken.

Monday Morning: Report presented by Harp.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Harp, Bender, Pinneo and Brule.

Dismission of Members: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Fuhrman to grant Dennis and Shirley Shaw a Letter of Transfer to the Bardstown Road Presbyterian Church in Louisville, Kentucky. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: December 13, 20, 27, 1978, January 3, 1979.

OLD BUSINESS

Space Committee: Report presented by Showalter. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Frazier to approve the following to make up the space committee: J. McClurg, P. Irvine, B. Reynolds, J. Quinn, B. Steinmiller, D. Beinetti, W. Garnham and a trustee (yet to be named). Motion carried.

25th Anniversary: Agreed by common consent to approve the following make-up of the 25th Anniversary celebration committee: G. Frazier (chairman), J. Thurling, H. McClurg, and G. Evans.

Tucker: Report presented by Showalter. Consider this matter in February.

Congregational Meeting Dinner: Report presented by Odmark and Frazier.

Caucus Dinner: The Women of the Church will be asked to prepare the meal for Caucus January 15, 1979, and the elders will serve. Price, Mancini, Thurling, Brule, Frazier and Christopher will attend the dinner and meeting.

1979 Budget Changes: Report by Fuhrman. Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by Price to adopt the medical health plan described in attached resolution as an optional benefit available to the ministers at Parkminster. Motion carried.

Moved by Fuhrman and seconded by McKibben to increase the "Car Expense" item in the proposed 1979 budget from \$5600 to \$6000. to reflect the additional cost of trading the leased Pinto for a Fairmont wagon. Motion carried.

(See p. 385 for attached resolution)

Deacons: Written report submitted.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Stewardship: No report.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey. The Session sang the doxology in praise to God for the way He has blessed the Church's finances in 1978.

Worship and Music: L. Morey (Director of music at Parkminster) met with Session to share her feeling that our organ needs to be replaced.

Moved by Schuman and seconded by McClurg that Price look into the possibilities of obtaining a suitable used pipe organ in Rochester and that findings and recommendations be reported at the February 1979 Session meeting. Motion carried.

Evangelism: Presented by Christopher.

Christian Education: Report by Barcus. Moved by Odmark and seconded by Fuhrman to grant permission for communion to be served Sunday, February 4, 1979 at the Jr.High Retreat. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Outreach: Moved by Odmark and seconded by Fuhrman to approve Oct. 19-21, 1979 as the dates of the 1979 Outreach Conference. Motion carried.

Moved by Schuman and seconded by Bradley that representatives of Session meet with Bruce Wallace and report back at the February Session meeting. Motion carried.

RISK: Report by Thompson.

Church in Society: No report.

Radio and Tape: Report by Odmark.

Bookstore: Report by Schuman. Moved by Frazier and seconded by Price to grant the Bookstore Committee permission to hold an appreciation dinner for the 1978 clerks in the social hall, Feb. 17, 1979. Motion carried.

Preschool: No report.

Men of the Church: No report.

Women of the Church: Written report submitted by C. Griffith.

3-D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Fuhrman to approve J. Odmark and L. Pappa as members of the 3-D Board. Motion carried.

Credit Union: No report.

Singles and Young Adults: Report by Thompson.

Fun and Fellowship: No report.

Food Co-op: Report by Barcus.

NEW BUSINESS

Caucus Meeting: January 15, 1979 at Parkminster. Price, Mancini, Thurling, Brule, Frazier and Christopher to attend.

Elder/Deacon Retreat: To be held January 26-27, 1979.

Brick Bradford: Moved by Carey and seconded by McKibben to invite Rev. B. Bradford to preach at Parkminster Feb. 25, 1979. Motion carried.

WPS Retreat: Moved by Pinneo and seconded by Frazier to grant Showalter permission to take study leave to attend a clergy and wives retreat at the Community of Jesus in Cape Cod, Feb. 11-15, 1979. Motion carried.

Barcus Vacation: Moved by Thurling and seconded by McKibben to grant Barcus permission to take vacation Jan. 18-20, 1979 (This is held over 1978 vacation). Motion carried.

Beinetti's Direction: David and Joan Beinetti met with Session to seek guidance concerning their involvement with youth ministries. There was a time of mutual sharing by the Beinettis and Session.

Garth Direction: Dick and Cherie Garth and Ron and Joan Jacobs came to Session to share the call they are feeling from God to open their (Garth's) home for some type of ministry. There was a time of sharing by Garth's and Session concerning same.

New Members Meeting: To be held February 1, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Session Breakfast: To be held February 3, 1979, at 7:00 a.m.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 1:25 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

James S. Odmark

James S. Odmark,
Clerk of Session

William B. Showalter
William B. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, January 27, 1979, at 1:25 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Bradley to grant approval for a charismatic worship service on Sunday evening, February 25, 1979. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Brule to grant approval for Bob Barcus and wife to attend a clergy/wives retreat at the Community of Jesus on Feb. 12-15, 1979. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Brule to hold the February Session meeting on Saturday, February 10, 1979, beginning at 7:00 a.m. with breakfast. Motion carried. Agreed by common consent to devote the first part of the meeting to sharing.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Carey to secure a volunteer from Session each month on a rotating basis to attend the monthly meetings of the 3D Board. Motion carried. F. Brule to attend on February 6, 1979 at 7:30 p.m.

Moved by Bender and seconded by Bradley to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer at 1:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Assistant Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, February 1, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Bender, Doughty, Harp

Alternate Elder Present: Schuman.

Ministers Present: Barcus (Moderator), Thompson.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Thompson.

There was a time of sharing by the Session and the new members class.

The following were examined by the Session and voted into membership in Parkminster:

Crombe, John Robert	Letter of Transfer First Presbyterian Church, E. Rochester, N.Y.	Moved by Brule Seconded by Price
Habeck, Gene L.	Profession of Faith	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Reynolds
Lagana, George	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Carey
Lagana, Mrs. Rita A.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Seconded by Price
Pasztor, Judith R.	Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Mancini Seconded by Christopher
Zucco, Jeanette E.	Profession of Faith	Moved by Christopher Seconded by Frazier

Moved by Carey and seconded by Ardizzone to grant approval for a Moment for Mission for Stewardship of Time on February 11, 1979, and approval for a special offering for Stewardship of Time commitment cards on February 18. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Bradley to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Barcus at 10:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Assistant Clerk of Session

Robert M. Barcus

Robert M. Barcus,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, February 10, 1979 at 8:30 a.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Barcus.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Carey to approve the minutes for January 8, January 27, and February 1, 1979, as submitted. Motion carried.

Election of Clerk: Thurling nominated Frazier for Clerk of Session. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Reynolds to close nominations and to instruct the Clerk to cast one unanimous ballot for Frazier. Motion carried.

Election of Assistant Clerk: Thurling nominated Doughty for Assistant Clerk of Session. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Price that nominations be closed and to instruct the Clerk to cast one unanimous ballot for Doughty. Motion carried.

Correspondence: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Mancini to grant approval for a Moment for Mission to the Gideons on April 29, 1979 for five minutes at the 9:00 and 11:15 services. Permission also was granted for a Gideon to be available on that date after the services in order to answer questions, and for an offering plate to be placed in the narthex for donations. Motion carried.

Monday Morning: Report presented by Schuman.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by all elders present.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Brule to grant Glenn Sickles a Letter of Transfer to the Union Presbyterian Church in Scottsville, New York. Motion carried.

— Moved by Thurling and seconded by Levering to grant Donald H. and Jean L. Leiske a Letter of Transfer to Chili Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Price to grant Michael and Norma C. Polizzi a Letter of Transfer to Gates Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Christopher to drop Mrs. Virginia and Miss Barbara Mestler from the rolls with a letter of encouragement to find another church home as soon as possible. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: January 10, 17, 24, 31, 1979, February 4, 7, 1979.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Gene L. Habeck	(adult)	February 4, 1979
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OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report presented by Brule, Frazier and Thurling.

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Presbytery: Report presented by Christopher, Mancini and Price.

Bruce Tucker: Report presented by Showalter. Moved by Bender and seconded by Doughty to invite Dr. Tucker to the next Session breakfast on March 3. Motion carried.

Bruce Wallace: Report presented by Bradley.

Advisory Council on Discipleship and Worship: Report presented by Showalter.

PCC Meeting: Report presented by Showalter.

Election of Chairperson of Ministerial Relations Committee: Thurling nominated McKibben for MR chairperson. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Bender to close nominations and to instruct the Clerk to cast one unanimous ballot for McKibben. Motion carried.

Election of Session Representatives for Ministerial Relations: Carey nominated Doughty; Brule nominated Christopher; Bradley nominated Price.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Mancini that nominations be closed. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by McKibben that a total of 3 elders (instead of the previous 2) represent the Session on the MR Committee. Motion carried.

An election was held with the following results: Christopher and Price were elected.

Election of Congregational Representatives for Ministerial Relations:

McKibben nominated Richard Stewart; Frazier nominated Walter Priestley; Reynolds nominated Helen McClurg.

An election was held with the following results: McClurg and Stewart were elected.

Election of Session Representatives to the Nominating Committee:

Brule nominated Ardizzone; Christopher nominated Levering; Bender nominated Doughty; Carey nominated Mancini.

Moved by Frazier and seconded by Harp to close nominations. An election was held with the following results: Levering and Mancini were elected.

Mancini was nominated by Thurling for Chairperson of the Nominating Committee.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Price to close nominations and to instruct the Clerk to cast one unanimous ballot for Mancini. Motion carried.

Election of Permanent Elder Delegate to Presbytery: Reynolds nominated Thurling.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Mancini to close nominations and to instruct the Clerk to cast one unanimous ballot for Thurling. Motion carried.

Session Committee Assignments for 1979 follow:

Ardizzone	- Christian Education (include Discovery Groups)
Bender	- Credit Union
Bradley	- Outreach
Brule	- Report for Publicity (includes <u>Parkminster Life</u>)
Carey	- Report for Retirees
Christopher	- Evangelism
Doughty	- Stewardship
Frazier	- Church in Society
Harp	- Christian Education (include Discovery Groups)

Session Committee Assignments (cont.)

Levering	- Space
Mancini	- Bookstore
McKibben	- Worship and Music (include Chancel Committee)
Price	- Radio and Tape
Reynolds	- Worship and Music (include Chancel Committee)
Thurling	- Report for Preschool
Schuman	- Scholarship; report for Food Co-op and Gardens

Deacons: Written reports submitted by Doughty and Pappa. Agreed by common consent to recommend that the Church in Society Committee look into the needs of the now-dissolved FISH in Gates-Chili.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

25th Anniversary: Report presented by G. Frazier. Moved by Ardizzone and seconded by Harp to approve the plan outlined by Chairperson Frazier. Motion carried.

Space: Report presented by D. Beinetti. Chairperson Beinetti shared that 7 groups had requested an additional 6,000 square feet of space. He requested prayer for the committee's direction and vision.

Trustees and Treasurer: Report presented by Carey.

Worship and Music: Reynolds reported. Communion assignments for 1979 distributed.

Moved by Reynolds and seconded by McKibben to initiate a communion service every Wednesday at 6:45 p.m. starting on Ash Wednesday, February 28, 1979. Motion carried.

Moved by Reynolds and seconded by Ardizzone that a policy be adopted that memorial handbells not be inscribed. Motion carried.

Moved by Reynolds and seconded by McKibben that Johanne DeGroot be terminated as organist, effective within one month of action taken (by March 10, 1979). Motion carried.

Pipe organ report presented by Price.

Christian Education: Report by Ardizzone. Moved by Ardizzone and seconded by Harp to grant permission for service of Communion on March 17 for Christian Education mini-retreat and on March 25 for senior high retreat. Motion carried.

Evangelism: No report.

Stewardship: Report by Doughty.

Outreach: Report by Bradley.

RISK: Thompson reported. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Reynolds to grant permission for RISK to sponsor Dr. T. E. Koshy to speak at Lenten program on March 25. Motion carried.

Church in Society: Report presented by Frazier.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Ministerial Relations: Showalter reported.

Bookstore: Report by Mancini.

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Men of the Church: Reynolds reported for Schuman.

Women of the Church: Harp reported.

3D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa. Report also presented by Brule. Carey to represent Session at next 3D meeting.

Credit Union: No report.

Singles/Young Adults: Report presented by Thompson.

Fun and Fellowship: No report.

Food Co-op: No report.

Publicity: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Margarethe Brown Visitation: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Price to invite Executive Presbyter Rev. Mrs. Margarethe Brown to April Session breakfast meeting. Motion carried.

Summer Camp Program: Barcus reported. Moved by Brule and seconded by Levering that organized camping should come under the sponsorship of the church through the Christian Education Committee. Motion carried.

Permission for WPS to go to Grand Haven, Michigan March 17, 18: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Price to grant permission. Motion carried.

Permission for WGT to preach at Attica and take study leave: Moved by Brule and seconded by Christopher to grant Thompson permission to take study leave on February 18-25 in order to live in at the Community of Jesus. Motion carried.

Moved by Carey and seconded by Harp to grant approval for Thompson to preach at Attica Prison on February 18, taking some choir members with him. Motion carried.

Presbytery Meeting: February 27, 1979 at Parkminster. Harp, Reynolds and Thurling to attend.

Caucus Meeting: February 19, 1979 at Dewey Avenue. Bender, Carey and Thurling to attend.

Session Breakfast: To be held March 3, 1979 at 7:00 a.m.

Next Session Meeting: March 12, 1979 at 7:30 p.m.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Doughty to adjourn at 1:20 p.m.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson.

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

Respectfully submitted,
Diane S. Frazier
Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, March 3, 1979 at 7:30 a.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling.

Alternate Elder Present: Schuman

Elder Excused: Christopher

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

Moved by Reynolds and seconded by Frazier to grant approval for service of communion on March 3 for the women's retreat. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Price to call the Rev. Dr. Bruce Tucker to Parkminster as parish associate, with car expenses compensated. Motion carried. Presbytery's approval will be sought through Ministerial Relations.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, March 12, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Bender

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus.

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Ardizzone.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Ardizzone to approve the minutes for February 10 and March 3, 1979 as submitted. Motion carried.

Correspondence: Moved by Frazier and seconded by Carey to grant the request of Barry Belknap for financial aid to attend a church retreat at the Community of Jesus. The aid is to be sought through the Deacons' Fund. Motion carried.

Vanguard: Report presented by Carey and McKibben.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Brule, Harp, Levering, Mancini, Frazier, Reynolds, Bradley, Christopher, Ardizzone and Price.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: February 14, 21, 28, 1979, March 7, 1979.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Jeffrey Charles Close	(child)	February 11, 1979
Rachel Danielle Rockey	(child)	February 25, 1979

Committee Memberships: List distributed by Barcus.

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report presented by Carey and Thurling.

Presbytery: Report presented by Harp, Reynolds and Thurling.

Bruce Tucker: Report presented by Showalter. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Brule to introduce Bruce to the congregation at both services on March 25, and if possible, to have the Deacons sponsor a Tarry and Talk afterwards. Motion carried.

Margrethe Brown: Report presented by Showalter. She will attend the Session breakfast on April 7.

Deacons: Written report submitted.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Worship and Music: Report presented by Reynolds. Moved by Reynolds and seconded by McKibben to approve a cherub choir to be led by Ruth Vincent. Motion carried.
Moved by Reynolds and seconded by Christopher to approve the following organist replacement committee: Joy Barcus, Grace Dennison, Lura Morey, Phil Price and George

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Reynolds. Motion carried. Committee is to report back to Session.

Space: Report presented by chairperson Beinetti, along with committee members, M. Doughty, W. Garnham, J. McClurg and B. Reynolds.

25th Anniversary: Chairperson G. Frazier reported.

Trustees and Treasurer: Carey reported.

Outreach: Report given by Bradley. Moved by Bradley and seconded by Mancini to adopt the following schedule for One Great Hour of Sharing: March 18 - Moment for Mission, bulletin insert; March 25 - Moment for Mission; March 26 - Letter to all members with offering envelope; April 1 - Reminder of offering on April 8; and April 8 - offering to be received. Motion carried.

Christian Education: Ardizzone reported.

Evangelism: No report.

Stewardship: No report.

RISK: Thompson reported.

Church in Society: Report by Frazier. Moved by Frazier and seconded by Christopher that the church sponsor an Indo-Chinese refugee family if a group can be secured to take responsibility for same. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: Report by McKibben. Moved by McKibben and seconded by Reynolds that for a trial period of 3 months Showalter be required to take 1 day off per week with the ability to accumulate up to 4 days in succession. He should submit his schedule to MR one month in advance. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Price that a circulated list of proposed requests for time away from Parkminster for Showalter to meet requests for ministry be accepted as outlined. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Bradley that Session recommend that all 3 ministers schedule periodic physical examinations to be compensated by the church. Motion carried.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Bookstore: Written report submitted by Mancini.

Scholarship: No report.

Men of the Church: No report.

Women of the Church: Harp reported.

3D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa.

Preschool: Written report submitted.

Credit Union: Ardizzone reported.

Singles/Young Adults: Report by Thompson.

Fun and Fellowship: McKibben reported.

Food Co-op: No report.

Publicity: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Presbytery Meeting: March 27, 1979 at 5:00 p.m., South Presbyterian Church. Bradley, Frazier and Thurling to attend.

Caucus Meeting: March 19, 1979 at 6:30 p.m. at John Knox. Frazier and Thurling to attend.

New Members Meeting: To be held March 29, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Communicants meet with Session: April 8, 1979, 3:00 p.m.

Session Breakfast: To be held April 7, 1979, 7:00 a.m.

Maundy Thursday: Moved by Frazier and seconded by Bradley to hold a traditional Passover meal prior to the Maundy Thursday services, open to the entire church body. Motion carried. Referred to Worship and Music.

Nurses' Christian Fellowship Dinner: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Ardizzone to approve hosting at Parkminster on April 3, 1979.

Next Session Meeting: Monday, April 9, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Presbytery Meals: Showalter and McKibben reported. Elders Doughty and Mancini to meet with A. McKibben.

Garth Resignation: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Bradley to consent to resignation of R. Garth from Board of Deacons with regret. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 12:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, March 22, 1979,
at 6:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty,
Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds,
Thurling.

Alternate Elder Present: Schuman.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Reynolds that the Session approve the recommendation of the Ministerial Relations Committee that W. Showalter accompany the 3D delegation to Houston and El Paso, Texas from Sunday, March 25 (evening) to Friday, March 30. Showalter would participate in informational meetings in Houston on the 26th and 27th and in a mini-conference in El Paso on the 28th. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by McKibben to grant permission for the service of communion at the Wallace-Igoe wedding March 31, to those in attendance in the corporate body who desire it. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Frazier to adjourn at 6:55 p.m. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, March 29, 1979,
at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier,
Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Doughty, Harp.

Ministers Present: Thompson (Moderator), Barcus.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Thompson.

There was a time of sharing by the Session and the new members class.

The following were examined by the Session and voted into membership in
Parkminster:

Fitch, Mr. Norman Lee
Reaffirmation of Faith

Moved by Mancini
Seconded by Price

Fitch, Mrs. Nancy L.
Reaffirmation of Faith

Moved by Brule
Seconded by Bradley

Kirvan, Mrs. Esther G.
Letter of Transfer
Downtown U.P. Church

Moved by Christopher
Seconded by Frazier

Woodbury, Mr. Michael D.
Profession of Faith

Moved by Brule
Seconded by McKibben

Moved by Ardizzone and seconded by Levering to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William G. Thompson

William G. Thompson,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, April 8, 1979,
at 3:00 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Christopher, Doughty, Harp,
Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling

Elders Excused: Carey, Frazier

Alternate Elder Excused: Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Brule that 12 communicants be
received into the membership of Parkminster, with communicants Norman R. Groves
and Lee D. Schmidt receiving the Sacrament of Baptism prior to becoming members:

Timothy J. Barcus
Jeff A. Cole
Cheryl Fike
John Frazer
Tracy A. Garnham
Norman R. Groves

Susan E. Hamblen
Karen J. LeRoy
Tracy L. Palmer
Lee D. Schmidt
Diane L. Thurling
Deborah Wood

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson at 4:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas E. Doughty

Thomas E. Doughty,
Assistant Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, April 9, 1979 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Levering

Alternate Elder Present: -

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus.

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Doughty.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Price and seconded by Brule to approve the minutes of March 22 and 29, 1979, as submitted, and to approve the minutes of March 12, 1979, as corrected:

- Delete Brule from list of those to meet with A. McKibben under "Presbytery Meals."

Correspondence: No formal action taken.

Caring Lists: Reports presented by Frazier, Ardizzone, Thurling, Reynolds, Bradley.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Frazier to grant Marjorie Voth a Letter of Transfer to Ogden Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Christopher to grant Robert B. Thorp a Letter of Transfer to First Presbyterian Church of Glens Falls, New York. Motion carried.

Moved by Doughty and seconded by Bender to grant Nancy A. and Ward Abbott a Letter of Transfer to the Irondequoit United Church of Christ. Motion carried.

Committee Memberships: List distributed by Showalter.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: March 14, 21, 28, 1979, April 1, 4, 1979.

The Following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Melissa Jeanette Gears	(child)	April 8, 1979
Jaime Ann Traver	(child)	April 8, 1979

OLD BUSINESS

Bruce Tucker: Tucker reported on progress of becoming acquainted at Parkminster.

Presbytery: Report presented by Bradley and Frazier.

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling and Frazier.

Presbytery Meals: Doughty reported.

Ruth Vincent Installation: It was agreed by common consent to install Vincent as Deacon on a Sunday soon after Easter at the discretion of the ministers. A new alternate is to be chosen by the Nominating Committee with Session approval.

Deacons: Written report submitted by K. Avery.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Carey reported.

Worship and Music: Reynolds reported. Moved by Reynolds and seconded by McKibben to discontinue the service of Communion on Wednesday mornings at 6:45 a.m. (done on a trial basis during Lent). Motion carried.

Moved by Reynolds and seconded by McKibben to serve grape juice and unleavened bread at the altar rail for Communion at the Maundy Thursday service on April 12, 1979. Motion carried.

Moved by Reynolds and seconded by Bradley to pay the interim organist the same rate of salary as the principal organist had been receiving. Motion carried.

Bookstore: W. G. Fuhrman reported. Moved by Doughty and seconded by Thurling to give a single level discount at the Bookstore to all ministers organizations and churches, to be determined by the Bookstore Committee. Motion carried.

25th Anniversary Committee: G. Frazier reported. Moved by Price and seconded by Brule to authorize the committee to place a minimum order for 300 trivets denoting Parkminster's 25th Anniversary to be paid for through donations of \$4 to \$5 per trivet. Motion carried.

Moved by Carey and seconded by Thurling to authorize the committee to take offerings at the various anniversary functions to cover costs incurred by the celebration not covered in the budget. Motion carried.

Outreach: Report given by Bradley.

Christian Education: Ardizzone reported.

Stewardship: Report given by Doughty. Moved by Brule and seconded by Christopher to have the names of members in arrears in their pledges made available to the elder or deacon whose caring list they are on, for follow-up. Motion carried.

Evangelism: No report.

RISK: Thompson reported.

Church in Society: Frazier reported. Moved by Frazier and seconded by Brule that Parkminster (hopefully children) sponsor an athlete at the Special Olympics for Mentally Retarded at a cost of \$200. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Reynolds that the elders sponsor one additional athlete, inviting the deacons to join the sponsorship. Motion carried.

Moved by Frazier and seconded by Bradley that the Church in Society Committee co-sponsor with Mothers' Group and Preschool a panel discussion or other type informational meeting on the FTC Hearings on children's TV commercials. Motion carried.

Ministerials Relations: McKibben reported. Showalter to take four-day compensatory time off, April 17 - 20, 1979.

3D: Report by Doughty and Bradley.

Radio and Tape: No Report.

Scholarship: No report.

Men of Church: No report.

Women of Parkminster: No report.

Preschool: Thurling reported.

Credit Union: No report.

Singles/Young Adults: Report by Thompson.

Fun and Fellowship: No report.

Food Co-op/Gardens: No report.

Publicity: No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Presbytery Meeting: April 24, 1979 at 4:30 p.m., Webster Presbyterian Church. Ardizzone, Brule and Thurling to attend.

Caucus Meeting: April 16, 1979 at 6:30 p.m., Gates Presbyterian Church. Frazier and Thurling to attend.

Session Breakfast: To be held May 5, 1979, 7:00 a.m.

Boy Scout Car Wash: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Harp that the Boy Scouts be given permission to sponsor car washes on April 28 and May 19 at the church. Motion carried.

Thompson Study Leave: Moved by Ardizzone and seconded by McKibben to grant approval for Thompson to take study leave from April 16 - 19, 1979, to attend a clergy retreat. Motion carried.

Communion at Junior High Retreat: Moved by Ardizzone and seconded by Doughty that permission be granted for communion to be served at the Junior High retreat on May 13. Motion carried.

Moved by Mancini and seconded by Christopher to adjourn at 12:15 a.m. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier, Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, May 7, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Reynolds, Thurling

Elders Excused: Brule, Price

Alternate Elder Present: Schuman

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Levering.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Thurling to approve the minutes of April 8 and 9, 1979, as submitted. Motion carried.

Vanguard: Reports presented by Barcus and Showalter.

Correspondence: Moved by Carey and seconded by Frazier that the Philip Truesdale family be invited to participate as live-ins at Parkminster as outlined in their letter of April 16. This would be during September, October and November. Motion carried.

Caring Lists: Reports made by Doughty, Bender and Bradley.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Reynolds to grant Ruth Lortz Batzel a Letter of Transfer to the Walnut Creek California Evangelical Free Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Ardizzone to grant a Letter of Transfer to Robert P. Davis for the First United Presbyterian Church of Fairborn, Ohio. Motion carried.

Moved by Levering and seconded by Christopher to grant Patricia LaSala a Letter of Transfer to the Chili Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by McKibben to dismiss (Book of Church Discipline Ch.II, Section 15) the following inactive members from the roll: Marilyn Cole, Mrs. Jean Cropsey, Douglas Davis, Mrs. Donna M. Meir, David and Sandra Sakowski, Mrs. Bernice Williams, Mrs. Maxine W. Colling, Miss Christy Davis and Kenneth C. Schnabel. Motion carried.

Monday Morning: Report presented by Barcus.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: April 11, 12, 18, 25, 1979, and May 2, 1979.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Norman Ronald Groves	(child)	April 12, 1979
Lee David Schmidt	(child)	April 12, 1979
Robin Annette Williams	(child)	April 15, 1979

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report presented by Thurling and Frazier.

Presbytery: Report presented by Ardizzone and Thurling.

Bruce Tucker: Tucker reported that he is staffing the Stewardship Committee, attending Evangelism Committee and participating in the serving of mid-week communion. Members were encouraged to invite Tucker to accompany them on visitations to peripheral people on Caring Lists.

Deacons: Written report submitted by Pappa.

Mission Interpretation Committee of Presbytery: Is looking for people from congregation with a knowledge of Christian communities in other parts of the world.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Carey and Bender reported.

Outreach: Moved by Bradley and seconded by Carey to approve the Outreach Committee's plans to bring Keith McCafferty to Parkminster to speak on September 23, 1979. Motion carried.

Space: Report presented by Beinetti. Moved by Christopher and seconded by McKibben to approve the revised plan of the Space Committee. Motion carried.

Moved by Thurling and seconded by Frazier to call a congregational meeting for June 10 at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of presenting the revised Space Committee plan with appropriate steps for financing and to initiate a building committee. Motion carried.

Committee 25: G. Frazier reported. Moved by Doughty and seconded by Thurling to authorize printing of 1500 anniversary booklets with a request for access to additional reprints if needed. Motion carried.

Worship and Music: No report.

Christian Education: Ardizzone reported.

Stewardship: Doughty reported.

Evangelism: Report by Christopher.

RISK: Report from D. Mancini. Action deferred for further study.

Nominating: Report by Mancini. Moved by Harp and seconded by Doughty to cast one unanimous ballot for David Jenkins as alternate deacon and Mary Jackson as Nominating Committee member. Motion carried. These will be presented at the congregational meeting on June 10.

Church in Society: No report.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

3D: Ardizzone reported.

Women of Parkminster: No report.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Men of the Church: No report.

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Publicity: No report.

Singles/Young Adults: Report by Thompson.

Fun and Fellowship: Barcus reported.

Food Co-op/Gardens: Bradley reported.

NEW BUSINESS

Caucus Meeting: May 21, 1979 at 6:30 p.m., Downtown United Church. Carey, Frazier, Thurling to attend.

Presbytery Meeting: May 31, 1979, 5:30 p.m., Twelve Corners Church. Thurling, Carey, and an inactive elder to attend.

Boys Sleeping in Church: Moved by Mancini and seconded by Carey to authorize up to 4 sons of elders to occasionally sleep in the Church on Friday or Saturday nights for the purpose of preventing improper entrance or grounds damage by area teenagers. This is to be an experiment on an extended basis. Motion carried.

Senior High Car Wash: Moved by Ardizzone and seconded by Doughty for the Senior Highs to sponsor a car wash on June 2 from 9 - 1:00 p.m. to support the summer ministry of Brian Davidson, and also of John Belt, if he so desires. Motion carried.

New Members Meeting: May 31, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Session Breakfast: June 2, 1979, 7:00 a.m.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Doughty to adjourn at 12:10 a.m. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Barcus.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier
Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, May 31, 1979 at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Brule, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds.

Elders Excused: Bradley, Carey, Levering, Thurling.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator, Barcus.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Barcus.

There was a time of sharing by the Session and the new members class.

The following were examined by the Session and voted into membership in Parkminster:

Hoffman, Dr. J. Lynn Letter of Transfer Maytown Brethren in Christ Church Maytown, Pa.	Moved by McKibben Seconded by Brule
Hoffman, Mrs. Nancy K. Letter of Transfer Grace United Methodist Church Carlisle, Pa.	Moved by McKibben Seconded by Brule
Jones, Mr. A. Scott Letter of Transfer First Presbyterian Church Missoula, Mt.	Moved by Christopher Seconded by McKibben
Mattes, Mrs. Louise A. Letter of Transfer First Congregational Church of Riga Churchville, N. Y.	Moved by Brule Seconded by Reynolds
Mosher, Mr. Randolph S. Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Price Seconded by McKibben
Mosher, Mrs. Barbara D. Letter of Transfer First Presbyterian Church Nichols, N. Y.	Moved by Price Seconded by McKibben
Pollock, Mrs. Margaret B. Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Brule Seconded by Reynolds
Race, Miss Mary J. Profession of Faith	Moved by Doughty Seconded by Frazier
Tucker, Mrs. Marjorie G. Letter of Transfer Westminster Presbyterian Church Rochester, N. Y.	Moved by Mancini Seconded by Price
Wilkinson, Mrs. Amy Z. Reaffirmation of Faith	Moved by Mancini Seconded by Brule

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Moved by Bender and seconded by Ardizzone to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Showalter at 9:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, June 7, 1979, at 7:00 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Bender.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

It was moved by Brule and seconded by Harp to approve the recommendation of the Nominating Committee to nominate George Evans as Alternate Elder. Motion carried.

J. Preston and D. Beinetti presented a report and reviewed the format for the June 10 congregational meeting on behalf of the Finance and Space Committees. The presentation itself and the feelings of members of Session were discussed. Also agreed upon were the actual motions to be made by the Session at the congregational meeting.

The meeting was closed in prayer by all members of Session at 9:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, June 11, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Evans

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus, Tucker

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Harp.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Doughty and seconded by Price to approve the minutes of May 7 and 31, 1979, and to amend the minutes of June 7, 1979, to read "format for the June 10 congregational meeting." Motion carried.

Correspondence: No formal action taken.

Monday Morning: Report presented by Barcus.

Caring Lists: Reports made by Mancini, Harp, Bender, Doughty, Bradley, Carey, Ardizzone.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Reynolds and seconded by Doughty to grant Ronald C., Beverly L., Sandra, Karen Earle a Letter of Transfer to Pearce Memorial Methodist Church. Motion carried.

Moved by Price and seconded by McKibben to grant Lowell C., Jo Lou and Timothy M. Ewart a Letter of Transfer to the United Presbyterian Church of Okemus, Michigan. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Doughty to grant Richard L. and Louise B. Powers a Letter of Transfer to the Free Christian Church Congregational of Andover, Mass. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: May 9, 16, 23, 30, 1979, and June 3, 6, 1979.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Katherine Joan Illi	(child)	June 10, 1979
Rachel Marie Kiser	(child)	June 10, 1979
Nicole Marie Olmstead	(child)	June 10, 1979
Erica Lynn Oette	(child)	June 10, 1979
Mark Christopher Schlenker	(child)	June 10, 1979
Christine Ruth Ostberg	(child)	June 10, 1979
Joshua Jay Race	(child)	June 10, 1979

OLD BUSINESS

Truesdale: No report.

Caucus: Frazier and Thurling reported.

Presbytery: Carey and Thurling reported.

Boys Sleeping in Church: Showalter reported.

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Bruce Tucker: Reported on his attendance at various meetings and functions.

Deacons: Written report submitted by Harmon.

General Assembly Report: Showalter presented report.

Installation of Brighton pastor: Showalter reported on his participation in the installation of Robert Geyer.

Scott Flaherty Service: Christopher reported on his attendance at South Presbyterian Church service at which Scott Flaherty was guest pastor.

David Chase: Showalter reported.

Barry Belknap: Showalter reported.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee 25: Barcus reported. It was moved by Harp and seconded by Brule to make Mrs. Katherine King a lifelong associate church member. Motion carried.

It was also announced that Executive Presbyter, Mrs. Margrethe B.J. Brown, will bring Presbytery greetings at both services on June 24.

Mission Interpretation Committee of Presbytery: Rose Pinneo reported. It was moved by Brule and seconded by Thurling that we accept the recommendation of the Mission Interpretation Committee to participate in an ecumenical pastors program. Motion carried. Action referred to Outreach Committee as required Committee of Seven.

Trustees and Treasurer: Carey Reported. Insurance bids, the financial statement, and personal insurance with the church as beneficiary were discussed, with the latter referred to the Stewardship Committee.

Worship and Music: Reynolds reported. It was moved by Reynolds and seconded by Doughty that we have a "sing" every Wednesday evening during the summer following the regular service. This is to be tried during the last week of June and the first three weeks of July. Motion carried.

Price reported for the organist search committee.

RISK: Thompson reported.

Church in Society: Frazier reported. Clerk of Session is to collect \$6.00 from each elder and minister to pay for a special olympics sponsorship.

Women of Parkminster: Harp reported. Moved by Brule and seconded by Christopher to approve a Top Value Stamp campaign by the women for needed supplies. Motion carried.

Outreach: Report circulated.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Christian Education: Ardizzone reported. Barcus gave a report on presentation Bibles. It was moved by Price and seconded by Harp to accept the recommendation of the Christian Education Committee to present the Revised Standard Version, with Helps to children entering the third grade.

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3D: Report submitted by L. Pappa. Bender to attend next board meeting on June 29.

Stewardship: Doughty reported.

Evangelism: Christopher reported. A sample of a planned calling card was circulated. Plans for visitations in the community using the cards were discussed. It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Bradley to authorize the printing of calling cards for visitations. Motion carried.

Nominating: No report.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Credit Union: Bender reported.

Preschool: Thurling reported. Concern was expressed in lack of locking the play yard.

Men of the Church: No report.

Publicity: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: McKibben reported. Approval was requested for another square dance in the church on November 3. Approval was granted by common consent.

Young Adults: Thompson reported.

Singles: Action tabled for further study.

Food Co-op: No report.

Community Gardens: No report.

Bookstore: Financial report circulated by Mancinii

NEW BUSINESS

Appointment of Building Committee: Moved by Frazier and seconded by Brule to refer appointment of seven to nine persons for the building committee to the nominating committee. Motion carried.

Caucus Meeting: June 18, 1979 at 6:30 p.m., Bethany. Christopher, Frazier and Thurling to attend.

Presbytery Meeting: June 26, 1979 at 5:00 p.m., Albion. Bender, Frazier and Thurling to attend.

Vacation Schedules: Moved by Thurling and seconded by Ardizzone to approve the following requests:

Thompson: June 27 - July 5, 1979; July 28 - August 3, 1979; August 12 - August 18, 1979.

Barcus: July 1 - July 15, 1979; July 29 - August 15, 1979; August 27 - August 30, 1979.

Motion carried.

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Request by Showalter for July 5 - 16, 1979 referred to Ministerial Relations Committee.

Session Breakfast: June 30, 1979, 7:00 a.m.

Next Session Meeting: July 9, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Moved by Reynolds and seconded by Price to adjourn at 11:50 p.m. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Saturday, June 30, 1979, at 7:45 a.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Carey, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds

Elders Excused: Ardizzone, Brule, Christopher, Levering, Thurling.

Alternate Elder Present: Evans.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Barcus.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Harp that Showalter be given permission to take vacation between July 5 and July 15. Motion passed.

Mancini presented a report from the Nominating Committee for membership on the Building Committee. The following slate was presented for nomination: D. Beinetti, J. Brule, R. Cole, G. Jones, P. Irvine, G. Lagana, L. Merrill, J. Preston, B. Reynolds, back-up: J. McClurg and R. Stewart. Moved by Bender and seconded by Reynolds to delete Lagana. Motion carried. Moved by Frazier and seconded by Doughty to add E. Smith. Motion carried. Agreed by common consent to add D. Levering as Session representative. Moved by Bender and seconded by Doughty to offer membership on the committee to all twelve amended nominees, (deleting the two back-up positions) taking as many as accept the position to a minimum of nine. Motion carried.

George Evans reported on behalf of Diet, Discipline and Discipleship, Inc. A line of credit will be obtained from the Westgate Branch of Lincoln First Bank for up to \$25,000.

It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Reynolds to have the Clerk and Assistant Clerk write a letter of congratulations on behalf of Session to the Session of the First United Presbyterian Church of Cambridge on the installation of David Chase as Associate Minister there. Also, a letter is to be sent to Cay Anderson and Judy Sorenson, Directors of the Community of Jesus, expressing Session's appreciation of the involvement of the Community in the final week of Parkminster's 25th Anniversary celebration. Motion carried.

It was moved by Bradley and seconded by Price to grant permission to the Singles group to have a car wash and bake sale on July 14 from 10:00 until 3:00 p.m. The proceeds will go toward a Special Olympics scholarship in conjunction with the Christian Education Committee. Motion carried.

It was agreed to change the next Session meeting from July 9 to July 16, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

A motion to adjourn was made by Carey and seconded by McKibben. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Barcus at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

William P. Showalter *Diane S. Frazier*
William P. Showalter, Diane S. Frazier,
Moderator Clerk of Session

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, July 16, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Price, Reynolds.

Alternate Elder Present: Evans.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus, Tucker.

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Bender.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Christopher and seconded by McKibben to approve the minutes as received. Motion carried.

Correspondence: In response to a letter from Walter Wilson, Treasurer, asking that his monthly salary be terminated until he is able to return to work, it was moved by Brule and seconded by McKibben that Wilson's pay be continued in his position as Treasurer. Motion carried.

In response to a letter from the YWCA, it was moved by Harp and seconded by Levering to approve the request for continuation of the YWCA program at Parkminster and also to approve its submitted program for 1979-80 subject to staff survey. Motion carried.

It was agreed by common consent to assign a congregational information questionnaire submitted by the Congregational Life and Mission Committee to E. Carey, R. Barcus, J. Bradley and M. Christopher for immediate action.

Caring Lists: Reports made by Evans, Carey and Frazier.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: June 20, 27, July 11, 1979.

OLD BUSINESS

D. Chase: Showalter reported on installation of D. Chase as associate minister at Cambridge Church.

Bermuda: Showalter reported on his trip there.

Truesdales: Coming on August 30 for three months as live-ins. Arrangements will follow.

Church Camping: Barcus reported.

Caucus: Christopher and Frazier reported.

Presbytery: Bender, Frazier and Thurling reported.

Tucker: Reported on his recent schedule of meetings and visitations.

Deacons: Written report submitted by Harmon.

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COMMITTEE REPORTSWorship and Music: No report.Outreach: No report.Trustees and Treasurer: Carey reported.RISK: No report.Women of Parkminster: No report.Church in Society: No report.Ministerial Relations: No report.3D: Written report submitted by Pappa. It was moved by Chirstopher and seconded by Ardizzone to approve the submitted Summerfest program. Motion carried. Volunteer to attend August 6 Board meeting: R. McKibben.Christian Education: Ardizzone reported on Wednesday night programs, church camping, and Vacation Bible School.Evangelism: Christopher reported on recent visitations and progress on brochure.Stewardship: No report.Men of Church: No report.Nominating: Mancini reported. Of the slate of 12 nominated to the Building Committee, two did not accept nomination: E. Smith and R. Stewart. The new committee will meet July 17 and elect a chairperson.Credit Union: Bender reported. Money is again available for loans.Radio and Tape: It was agreed to request a typed report from this committee for the August Session meeting.Preschool: Thurling reported on enrollment. He reminded Session of regulations originally set by it governing play yard. They are not being followed or enforced. A reminder of rules needs to be posted near the gate and in Parkminster Life and rules need to be enforced.Bookstore: Mancini reported. Committed sales clerk volunteers are needed at bookstore. Suggestions were given for showing the ministry of the bookstore to the congregation. Session requests for August meeting: (1) J. Leyland and S. Fuhrman to report on Christian Booksellers Convention, (2) List of current bookstore clerks.Publicity: No report.Fun and Fellowship: No report.Singles/Young Adults: Thompson reported.Food Co-op/Gardens: No report.

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NEW BUSINESSPresbytery Meeting: July 24, 1979, at 5 p.m., York. Christopher and Thurling to attend. An inactive elder also will be enlisted.Advisory Council of Discipleship and Worship: Moved by Thurling and seconded by McKibben to invite this General Assembly Committee for 2-1/2 days of meetings. The committee of 21 or 22 people (including Showalter) would come on June 22 - 24, 1980. Motion carried.Alex Pillar: Requests invitation to Session meeting to discuss photographing a church directory. Moved by Bender and seconded by Levering to invite Pillar for no more than 15 minutes to the next Session meeting. Motion carried.Chili Recreation Department: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Carey to decline an offered seminar on self-defense. Motion carried.25th Anniversary Committee: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Bradley to have the Clerk send a letter of gratitude to the 25th Anniversary Committee. Motion carried.New Members Meeting: August 2, 1979, 7:30 p.m.Session Breakfast: August 4, 1979, 7:00 a.m.Next Session Meeting: August 13, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Moved by Doughty and seconded by Frazier to adjourn at 11:00 p.m. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Barcus.

Respectfully submitted,

*Diane S. Frazier*Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session*William F. Showalter*
William F. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, July 22, 1979, at 11:00 a.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Thurling

Elders Excused: Ardizzone, Frazier, Price, Reynolds

Alternate Elder Present: Evans

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

Building Committee Members Present: Beinetti, J. Brule, Cole, Jones, McClurg, Preston (Chairman).

The meeting was opened with prayer by W. Showalter at 11:00 a.m.

The Building Committee met with the Session to report on their progress to date, outline the proposed time schedule for further activity and seek direction and approval from the Session for the next phase of the building project.

Chairman John Preston reported that the building project requires financial commitment from the congregation and Presbytery approval (including approval recommendations from Presbytery Trustees and Life and Mission Committee) before mortgage is obtained and actual construction can begin.

The time schedule established and reported by the Building Committee is:

1. Capital Fund Drive

July 29 - Mail letter and pledge card to all Parkminster members.
Aug. 12 - Dedication of pledges.
Aug. 26 - Follow-up with responsibility lists.

2. Presbytery Approval

Sept. 12 - Building Committee to meet with Presbytery Trustees to present our financial commitment and plan.
Sept. 18 - Regular Presbytery Trustee meeting: approval of Building Project anticipated.
Sept. 25 - Regular Presbytery meeting during which action will be taken on Parkminster's request for Building Project approval.

3. Building Committee/Stewardship Committee Meeting

Week of Sept. 22 - Joint meeting to be scheduled to develop, implement and administer pledging program for Building Project.

By common consent, the Session approved the time schedule established by the Building Committee.

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Preliminary work by architect needs to begin soon. Local architect preferred. Building Committee to meet within next few days to seek a method of architect selection. They will pray for direction.

The meeting was closed with prayer by R. Barcus at 12:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas E. Doughty

Thomas E. Doughty,
Assistant Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Thursday, August 2, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling

Elders Excused: Ardizzone, Bradley, Doughty, Frazier, Harp

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Tucker

The meeting was called to order with prayer by Showalter.

There was a time of sharing by the Session and the new members.

The following were examined by the Session and voted into membership in Parkminster:

Balmer, Mr. Richard, Jr.
Reaffirmation of Faith

Moved by Reynolds
Seconded by Bender

Balmer, Mrs. Bonnie
Reaffirmation of Faith

Brown, Mrs. Ruth
Letter of Transfer
United Methodist Church
Johnson, City, New York

Moved by Christopher
Seconded by Brule

Forte, Mr. Charles, Jr.
Reaffirmation of Faith

Moved by Mancini
Seconded by Bender

Gross, Mr. Keith
Letter of Transfer
Wyckoff Reformed Church
Wyckoff, New Jersey

Moved by Bender
Seconded by Levering

Norr, Mr. Stephen
Reaffirmation of Faith

Moved by Mancini
Seconded by McKibben

Norr, Mrs. Mary Catherine
Reaffirmation of Faith

It was moved by Price and seconded by Carey to adjourn. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Christopher at 9:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Philip B. Price
Philip B. Price,
Clerk Pro-Tem

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Monday, August 13, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds

Elders Excused: Carey, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Evans

Minister Present: Showalter (Moderator)

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Evans.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Mancini and seconded by Harp to approve the minutes of July 16 and August 2, 1979, as received, and to amend the minutes of July 22, 1979, with the proper spelling of Beinetti. Motion carried.

Correspondence: In response to a letter from Barry Belknap it was agreed to meet after the worship service on Sunday, August 19, to talk with Barry and Donna before they leave to intern in Bermuda.

In response to a letter from Larry and Ann Smith it was agreed to have Christopher follow up on behalf of the Session.

Monday Morning: Review presented by Evans.

Caring Lists: Reports given by Evans and Christopher.

Dismissal of Member: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Price to drop Linda Stern from the rolls so that she may join St. Pius X Roman Catholic Church. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: July 18, 25, 1979. August 1, 5, 8, 1979.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Sarah C. Baxter	(child)	August 12, 1979
Jeanette Marie Bradley	(child)	August 12, 1979
Todd Kyle Schmidt	(child)	August 12, 1979
Justin Adam Schmidt	(child)	August 12, 1979

OLD BUSINESS

Presbytery: Christopher reported on meeting of July 24, 1979.

Celebration 25: Financial report given by Showalter.

Bill and Nancy Tribley: Both have been accepted at Fuller Seminary to prepare for mission field. Session heard report on their feelings and preparations to leave on August 27. Agreed to request that they write to Session on the first of each month.

Alex Pillar: Gave presentation on pictorial church directory. Moved by Brule and seconded by Christopher to reconsider the matter at the March 1980 Session meeting. Motion carried.

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Deacons: Report of July 17, 1979 meeting submitted by N. Harmon.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Report submitted by B. Causey. Moved by Brule and seconded by Reynolds to accept car insurance bid of Hauck Agency if it is cheapest bid. Motion carried.

Discussion was held in regard to need of locking the church overnight. It was agreed to strongly urge the Trustees to discuss this possibility along with its implementation.

Outreach: Report given by J. Odmark, K. and J. Quinn on plans for Outreach Weekend. Moved by Price and seconded by Brule to accept plans as outlined.

Building Committee: Levering reported on pledges received so far and on process of interviewing architects. Moved by Bradley and seconded by Christopher to consider addition to the Showalter manse at the October meeting.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by McKibben to have the building committee establish an account for all short term money and have Session appoint a treasurer. Motion carried. It was agreed to appoint Levering through the end of 1979.

Ministerial Relations: No report.

Worship and Music: No report.

RISK: No report.

Women of Parkminster: Report of June 26 meeting submitted by V. Illi.

Church in Society: No report. Bradley discussed need of traffic light at intersection of Pixley and Chili. Referred to Church in Society Committee.

Christian Education: Ardizzone reported.

3D: Report submitted by L. Pappa.

Evangelism: Christopher reported. Committee would like to request church band to play in community shopping centers to provide means to evangelize.

Stewardship: No report.

Nominating: No report.

Radio and Tape: Written report submitted by L. Kiser. Agreed to have this committee meet with some Session representatives.

Credit Union: No report.

Preschool: No report.

Men of Church: Evans reported.

Publicity: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: No report.

Singles/Young Adults: No report.

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Food Co-op: Evans reported. Agreed to have Evans contact leadership for discussion in regard to attitudes.

Gardens: No report.

Bookstore: Agreed by common consent to have J. Fuhrman accompany S. Fuhrman and J. Leyland to September Session meeting. Report rescheduled from August to September.

NEW BUSINESS

The Rev. Eriberto Soto: Showalter to investigate the purpose of Guatemalan pastor's request for church membership for his wife. They are not personally acquainted with Parkminster.

Wheaton Concert: Showalter to notify them that it is not felt appropriate for an orchestra concert on a Sunday morning (November 25) if that is the only time available.

Steve Pearson: Will be ordained in the Sixth Reformed Church, Grand Rapids, Mich., August 19. Moved by Doughty and seconded by Brule to have the Clerk send a letter to Steve congratulating him on his ordination and wishing him well on behalf of Parkminster. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: September 8, 1979, 7:00 a.m.

Next Session Meeting: September 10, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Moved by Christopher and seconded by Reynolds to adjourn at 12:20 a.m. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier
Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Tuesday, August 28, 1979, at 6:15 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzzone, Bradley, Brule, Doughty, Frazier, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling.

Elders Excused: Bender, Carey, Christopher, Harp.

Alternate Elder Present: Evans.

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus.

The meeting was called to order with opening prayer by Showalter.

Wheaton: In response to a letter from the Session, Wheaton College wrote to advise that its full ensemble would be available. It was moved by Brule and seconded by Doughty to invite the Wheaton Ensemble to come and perform at Parkminster on Saturday evening, November 24, 1979. The invitation would include food, housing and a \$300. honorarium. Motion carried.

Organist: Price reported on behalf of the Organist Search Committee for Worship and Music. It was moved by Reynolds and seconded by Price to accept the Worship and Music Committee's recommendation to hire Mark P. Phinney as regular Parkminster organist on a three-month probationary basis, subject to evaluation at the end of that time. Motion carried.

It was moved by Price and seconded by Brule to adjourn at 6:30 p.m. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer by all elders present.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier
Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William F. Showalter
William F. Showalter,
Moderator

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Attached resolution to Session minutes of Monday, January 8, 1979, page 330.

Parkminster Presbyterian Church hereby adopts a medical plan, hereinafter noted as PFMP (Parkminster Presbyterian Medical Plan) for the following named employees. They shall be reimbursed for medical expenses incurred by them on behalf of themselves or their dependents.

For purposes of the above plan, the terms "medical expenses" and "dependents" shall have the same meaning as in Section 213 and 152, respectively, of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.

Reimbursements to any one employee during any one fiscal year of Parkminster Presbyterian Corporation shall not exceed 3% of the individual's gross salary as determined at the Annual Meeting in January of same year. Medical expenses covered shall include: emergency treatment, routine doctor or hospital visits, physical examinations, X-rays, dental care (not to exceed 1% of gross salary), personal counseling from medical personnel or any expense not covered by other medical plans to which individual may belong.

EXAMINED AND APPROVED

date 1/14/79

with 0 Exceptions listed

SESSIONAL RECORDS COMMITTEE

Presbytery Genesee Valley

Diane S. Frazier

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Monday, September 10, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Evans

Ministers Present: Thompson (Moderator), Barcus, Tucker

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Thompson.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Ardizzone to approve the minutes of August 13, 1979, as received, and to amend the minutes of August 28, 1979, with the proper spelling of Phinney under title of Organist. Motion carried.

Correspondence: Five letters read. No action taken.

Caring Lists: Reports given by Price, Bender, Bradley, Ardizzone, Doughty.

Dismissal of Member: Moved by Bradley and seconded by McKibben to grant Ms. Jennifer J. Riddell a Letter of Transfer to the Chapel of the Holy Paraclete at the Community of Jesus in Orleans, Massachusetts.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: August 15, 22, 29, 1979, September 5, 1979.

OLD BUSINESS

Wheaton Concert: It was moved by Mancini and seconded by Bender to reconsider the motion made on August 28, 1979 to invite the Wheaton College orchestra to Parkminster on November 24, 1979. Motion carried.

It was then moved by Mancini and seconded by Brule that we decline the offer to have the Wheaton College orchestra come to Parkminster at this time. Motion carried.

Phil Truesdale: Shared about his first week of living-in with his family at Parkminster.

Deacons: Written reports of meetings of August 5 and 21, 1979 submitted by N. Harmon. Permission was requested by Deacons to have SWEM food cupboard collections quarterly instead of yearly. Moved by Thurling and seconded by Price that permission be granted with the suggestion that more publicity be given. Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustees and Treasurer: Carey reported. Discussion about locking the church was referred back to the Trustees.

3-D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa. D. Mancini and L. Pappa reported on need for more storage space and a place to locate additional filing cabinets being purchased. Moved by Price and seconded by Ardizzone to authorize 3D to bring back proposals for the use of further space at the October meeting. Motion carried.

Bookstore: Report presented by J. and S. Fuhrman and J. Leyland in regard to (1) attendance at a recent CEA convention and (2) attitudes and commitment of bookstore committee and clerks. Moved by Carey and seconded by Reynolds to close the bookstore in the church basement and to consider that space for other use. Motion carried.

The bookstore committee was asked to report back to the Session next month after consulting with their attorney to ascertain if the current discounts being given at the bookstore are legally considered discriminatory.

Christian Education: Ardizzone reported.

Outreach: Bradley reported. Moved by Carey and seconded by Brule to grant permission for a book display in the church from October 14 - 21. Motion carried.

Moved by McKibben and seconded by Price to grant permission for Outreach Committee to sell tickets in the narthex and library both one and two Sundays before the Outreach Conference, Oct. 19, 20 and 21. Motion carried.

Moved by Frazier and seconded by Reynolds to authorize use of the sanctuary for music and missions program October 19. Motion carried.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Ardizzone that permission be granted to place a box in the library for contributions of items for Lily Pinneo's hospital in Africa. Motion carried.

Bradley read a letter from Bruce Wallace whom we support with Campus Crusade for Christ. It was moved by Carey and seconded by Bradley that Parkminster not continue to support Wallace at the end of 1979. Motion carried. J. Odmark is to write to Wallace.

Building Committee: Levering reported with a summary of pledges so far. Building Committee and interested Session members are to meet with Presbytery Trustees on November 14, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

It was moved by Doughty and seconded by Thurling to use two separate envelopes for the building pledges and the regular church pledges. Motion carried.

Worship and Music: Reynolds reported. Moved by Reynolds and seconded by Christopher to increase the salary of the organist from \$2,200 to \$2,400, effective at the end of his current probation. Motion carried.

Reynolds read a letter of resignation from Mrs. Grace Dennison, assistant organist. Worship and Music Committee are to respond to the letter expressing regret. It was moved by Brule and seconded by Reynolds to purchase a gift for Mrs. Dennison, which is to be financed by members of the Session and music staff. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: McKibben reported.

RISK: Thompson reported that RISK has joined with the Evangelism Committee for phase 3 of its program.

Church in Society: Tucker reported.

Women of Parkminster: No report.

Evangelism: No report.

Stewardship: No report.

Radio and Tape: Price reported on meeting with L. Kiser, chairperson, and need for reorganization.

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Co-op/Gardens: Evans reported on Co-op's problems with financial bookkeeping. Evans and Bradley are to return to Co-op to see if their suggestions have been implemented.

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Men of the Church: Evans reported.

Fun and Fellowship: Mancini reported.

Publicity: No report.

Singles/Young Adults: Thompson reported.

NEW BUSINESS

CRDS Student: Barcus reported. It was agreed to accept a CRDS student at Parkminster this fall.

Presbytery Meeting: September 25, 1979, at 5 p.m. at Oakfield. Bender, Frazier and Levering to attend.

Caucus Meeting: September 17, 1979, at 6:30 p.m. at Scottsville. Christopher and Thurling to attend.

Elder Training Session: September 23, 1979 at 2:15 p.m. at Parkminster. Harp and Reynolds to register and attend.

Medicare Instruction: Request by Reynolds Dove to use a room in the church two days a week for about two hours a day during October and November to instruct Medicare recipients on how to complete forms. It was agreed to allow him this use of the church.

New Members Meeting: October 4, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Session Breakfast: October 6, 1979, 7:00 a.m.

Next Session Meeting: October 8, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Moved by Frazier and seconded by Reynolds to adjourn at 12:15 a.m. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Brule.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William G. Thompson,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Thursday, October 4, 1979, at 8:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Christopher, Doughty, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Reynolds, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Evans

Elders Excused: Carey, Frazier, Price

Minister Present: Richard Kellett, First Presbyterian Church, Northumberland, Pa.

Ministers Excused: Showalter, Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Christopher.

The following persons shared their spiritual position and need with the elders and, upon motion by Mancini and second by McKibben, were voted by the Session to membership in Parkminster:

Donald G. Burns
1080 Spencerport Road (14606)
247-2376

Reaffirmation of Faith

Mark E. McGuire
25 Arrowhead Drive (14624)
328-6864

Profession of Faith

Margit A. Mayberry attended the membership classes, but was unable to meet with the Session at this time. A meeting will be scheduled for a later date.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Bender to adjourn at 10:15 p.m.

The meeting was closed with prayer by R. Kellett.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas E. Doughty,
Assistant Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Monday, October 8, 1979, at 7:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Reynolds, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Evans

Elder Excused: Price

Guest Present: Truesdale

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus, Tucker

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Truesdale.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Ardizzone and seconded by Thurling to approve the minutes of September 10, 1979, as corrected: Dismission of member Jennifer Riddel (delete Mrs.), and to approve the minutes of October 4, 1979, as received. Motion carried.

Vanguard: Reports given by Barcus and Showalter.

Correspondence: Eight letters read. Referred boycott issue to Church in Society Committee with recommendation to write a letter to the Nestle Company expressing Session's views. Letter should be brought back to Session for review before mailing.

It was moved by Thurling and seconded by Reynolds to request that 25 copies of "The Presbyterian Layman" be sent to the Parkminster library for 6 months (3 issues) in response to a letter from them. Motion carried.

Monday Morning: Report given by Evans.

Caring Lists: Reports given by Ardizzone, Frazier, Levering, Evans.

Dismission of Members: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Brule to grant Mrs. Nancy Lama a Letter of Transfer to the Central Presbyterian Church in McKeesport, Pennsylvania. Motion carried.

Moved by Frazier and seconded by Reynolds to grant Dr. and Mrs. Donald Posson a Letter of Transfer to Twelve Corners Presbyterian Church. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: September 12, 19, 26, 1979, October 3, 7, 1979.

OLD BUSINESS

Caucus: Report given by Christopher and Thurling.

Presbytery: Report given by Bender, Frazier and Levering.

Elder Training: Report given by Harp and Reynolds.

Ecumenical Pastors Program: Moved by Bender and seconded by Mancini to list our first choice for ecumenical pastor as a 37-year-old man from the Cameroons. Motion carried.

Phil Truesdale: Reported on his first month at Parkminster.

Bruce Tucker: Reported on his involvement and activities.

Deacons: Written report of September 18, 1979 meeting submitted by N. Harmon.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Outreach: Report by J. Odmark. Moved by Christopher and seconded by Brule to grant permission for a Moment for Mission to Outreach on October 14. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations: McKibben reported.

Trustees and Treasurer: Financial statements circulated as submitted by E. Causey and Carey. Report given by Carey.

Building: Levering reported. Moved by Doughty and seconded by Reynolds that Session meet at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday, October 21, 1979, to receive a presentation by the architects and Building Committee and that an informational congregational meeting be held on Tuesday evening, October 23, 1979, at 7:30 p.m. Motion carried.

Worship and Music: Reynolds reported.

Church in Society: Tucker and Frazier reported.

Christian Education: Ardizzone reported.

Stewardship: Doughty reported.

Evangelism: No report.

Women of Parkminster: No report.

RISK: No report.

Men of the Church: Evans reported.

3D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa.

Nominations: Mancini reported.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: No report.

Bookstore: Mancini reported. Financial report circulated.

Publicity: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: No report.

Young Adults: No report.

Singles: Thompson reported.

Food Co-op: Evans reported.

NEW BUSINESS

New Member Examination: The following person shared her spiritual position and need with the elders and upon a motion by McKibben and a second by Bender, was voted by the Session to membership in Parkminster:

Margit Mayberry
38 White Birch Circle (14624)
247-1825

Letter of Transfer
Owego Presbyterian Church
Owego, New York

Presbytery Fellowship Meeting: Tuesday, October 23, 1979, 6 p.m., Bethany. Ardizzone to attend.

Caucus Meeting: Monday, October 15, 1979, 6:30 p.m., Parkminster. Frazier, Reynolds and Thurling to attend.

Chili Planning Board Hearings: To be held on Tuesday, October 9, 1979, at 7:30 p.m. Brule to go with D. Avery.

Session Breakfast: Saturday, October 27, 1979, 7 a.m.

Next Session Meeting: November 12, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Tree Planning: Moved by Evans and seconded by Harp to appoint a committee to investigate planning to plant trees on church property on a scheduled basis. Motion carried.

Moved by Bradley and seconded by Carey to adjourn at 12:15 a.m. Motion carried.

The meeting was closed in prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier

Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter

William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met Sunday, October 21, 1979 at 9:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds

Alternate Elder Present: Evans

Elders Excused: Brule, Thurling

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

It was moved by Christopher and seconded by Price to deny a request to serve wine at the head table for the Reynolds wedding reception in the church building. Motion carried.

It was moved by Mancini and seconded by Frazier to deny a request by Rev. Bob Barr of the Perinton Community Church to administer a psychological instrument on temperament to 100 Parkminster members. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations Committee: McKibben reported on recent meeting of the chairperson of Ministerial Relations Committee and ministerial staff with Presbytery Ministerial Relations Committee and Margrethe B. J. Brown.

It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Christopher to concur with the letter of the Rev. Robert Barcus, requesting the dissolution of his relationship as Associate Pastor effective November 30, 1979, with departure from the manse by that date. Motion carried.

It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Ardizzone to concur with the letter of the Rev. William Thompson requesting the dissolution of his relationship as Associate Pastor effective November 30, 1979, with departure from the manse by that date. Motion carried.

It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Price that the Rev. Robert Barcus be reimbursed at his present rate of salary, housing allowance and utilities for 3 months or until an interim or permanent position is found, whichever comes first. Motion carried.

It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Levering that the Rev. William Thompson be reimbursed at his present rate of salary, housing allowance and utilities for 3 months or until an interim or permanent position is found, whichever comes first. Motion carried.

It was moved by Doughty and seconded by Reynolds to accept the recommendation of the Ministerial Relations Committee to announce a called congregational meeting on November 11 at both services. The meeting would be held on November 18, after the second service. If this is not legal according to Parkminster by-laws, the meeting would be after the second service on November 25. A letter would be sent to the congregation announcing same on November 12. Motion carried.

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It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Doughty that the elders and deacons give a reception for the Thompsons and Barcuses on November 25 from 3:00 until 5:00 p.m. Motion carried.

It was moved by Harp and seconded by Reynolds to have the Ministerial Relations Committee act as (1) interim pastor search committee, and (2) self-study committee for obtaining a new pastor or pastors. Motion carried.

It was moved by Price and seconded by Bender to adjourn at 10:50 p.m. The meeting was closed with prayer by Showalter.

Respectfully submitted,

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Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

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The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Saturday, October 27, 1979, at 7:30 a.m.

Elders Present: Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds

Elders Excused: Ardizzone, Doughty, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Evans

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus

Guests Present: Rose Pinneo, Gerald Frazier

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

The announcement of the resignations of the two associate pastors to the congregation and the ensuing time schedule were discussed. It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Brule that the resignations of Thompson and Barcus be announced from the pulpit on November 11, a letter be mailed announcing same on November 12, a congregational meeting (also announced at the same time) be called for November 20, and a farewell reception be held on November 25, 1979. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

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Clerk of Session

William P. Showalter
William P. Showalter,
Moderator

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Monday, October 29, 1979, at 8:30 p.m.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds

Elders Excused: Doughty, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Evans

Minister Present: Showalter (Moderator)

Guest Present: Rev. David Tende

The meeting was opened with prayer by Showalter.

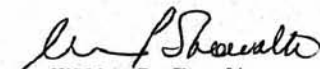
Budget: It was agreed by common consent to approve the budget for 1980 by sections delineated in the proposed budget which was circulated to all present.

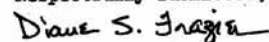
1. Building: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Reynolds to accept as proposed with the addition of \$5,000 for furnishings in the new building. Motion carried.
2. Salaries: It was moved by Mancini and seconded by Price to approve the salaries as shown with the following exceptions: Office staff from \$10,925 to \$13,500; choir directors from \$860 to \$1,460, lumping several together; and Showalter's salary to include assumption of payments for second phone, a fifth week of vacation, and a choice of \$25,000 per year or assumption of the first 2% of medical plan payments to be deducted from that total.
3. Benefits: Moved by Ardizzone and seconded by Bradley to approve as printed. Motion carried.
4. Christian Education: Moved by Frazier and seconded by Brule to approve as printed. Motion carried.
5. Other Expenses: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Christopher to approve as printed. Motion carried.
6. Outreach: Moved by McKibben and seconded by Price to accept the proposed Outreach budget with the following exceptions: Lower the unified budget-Presbytery from the \$15,469 requested to \$8,350; change the Synod allotment from \$3,870 to \$3,200; allot \$600 to Bruce Wallace for Campus Crusade; and increase the amount for Truesdale of TEAM from \$480 to \$960.

The total budget amounted to \$298,852, an increase of 11.9% over last year.

Moved by Brule and seconded by Levering to adjourn.

The meeting was closed in prayer at 11:15 p.m.


William P. Showalter,
Moderator

Respectfully submitted,

Diane S. Frazier,
Clerk of Session

The Session of Parkminster United Presbyterian Church met on Monday, November 12, 1979, at 7:30 p.m. at the church.

Elders Present: Ardizzone, Bender, Bradley, Brule, Carey, Christopher, Doughty, Frazier, Harp, Levering, Mancini, McKibben, Price, Reynolds, Thurling

Alternate Elder Present: Evans

Ministers Present: Showalter (Moderator), Thompson, Barcus, Tucker

Guests Present: Rev. David Tende, Philip Truesdale, and CRDS students Keith Griswald and Dorothy Heath.

The meeting was opened with Scripture and prayer by Thurling.

Approval of Minutes: Moved by Ardizzone and seconded by Brule to approve the minutes of October 8, 21, 29, 1979, as received, and those of October 27, 1979, as corrected: "assistant pastors" should read "associate pastors." Motion carried.

Correspondence: Ten letters reviewed. Letters from Tribleys, Pearsons and Smiths to be answered by session members; mission challenge visitation dates were set for the December and February Session meetings; Presbytery MR Communique referred to MR committee, and Salvation Army request referred to Church in Society Committee.

Monday Morning: Review given by Evans.

Caring Lists: Reports given by Thurling and Brule.

Dismissal of Members: Moved by Brule and seconded by Thurling to grant Mr. and Mrs. John Newhall a Letter of Transfer to the First United Presbyterian Church of Lewisburg, Pennsylvania. Motion carried.

Moved by Doughty and seconded by Bender to grant Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert J. White a Letter of Transfer to the Greece Baptist Church. Motion carried.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered on the following dates at Parkminster: October 10, 17, 24, 31, 1979, November 7, 1979.

The following were Baptized at Parkminster:

Brooke Ann Mattice	(child)	October 14, 1979
Joseph Sandford Norr	(child)	October 14, 1979
Alison Suzanna Roach	(child)	October 14, 1979

OLD BUSINESS

Presbytery Fellowship Meeting: Report given by Ardizzone.

Caucus: Thurling, Frazier and Reynolds reported.

Thompson: Reported that he has received a call as full time interim pastor at Wyoming Presbyterian Church as of December 1, 1979. He also shared his feelings about leaving Parkminster.

Truesdale: Reported that this would be his last meeting before leaving for Costa Rica and expressed his gratitude for "live in" experience here.

Tucker: Reported on recent church involvement.

Tende: Reported on progress, program and feelings about participation in ecumenical pastors program.

Barcus: Expressed feelings about leaving Parkminster and gratitude for congregation's response after resignation announcement in church.

Deacons: Written report of October 16, 1979 meeting submitted by N. Harmon.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Ministerial Relations: McKibben reported on two possible interim pastors: Tom Witter and Daryl Staneck. It was moved by McKibben and seconded by Christopher to investigate Witter and Staneck on an interim basis and to proceed with the list and investigate the availability of one more person. Motion carried.

It was moved by Brule and seconded by Doughty to have Witter and Staneck come and meet with the Session. Motion carried.

Ministerial Relations is to set the pay and length of interimship of those chosen.

A reception will be hosted jointly by the Session and Board of Deacons on November 25, 1979 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. to bid farewell to the Thompson and Barcus families. Doughty, Harp and Brule are to spearhead the Session share of the reception.

Trustees and Treasurer: Carey reported and circulated monthly report and financial statement.

Christian Education: Ardizzone reported.

Outreach: Bradley reported and circulated proposed outreach budget. It was moved by Harp and seconded by Price to have the Christmas offering and loose offering Christmas Eve be divided between the Deacons and the Indo-Chinese "boat people." Motion carried.

Building Committee: Levering gave a report. The committee plus all available elders are to meet on the 14th at 7:30 p.m. with the Presbytery Trustees.

Discussion of an addition to the Shovalter manse was tabled.

A letter from Attorney O'Dwyer to George Lusk offering to purchase the land adjacent to our parking lot was read.

Church in Society: Frazier reported. A letter on energy conservation composed by the committee and sent to an advisory council was read and circulated.

The committee's proposal on methods to make community outreach a major direction of the church was reviewed. It is to be considered again at the December meeting after prayer by all elders.

It was agreed by common consent to grant permission to the committee to collect specified items for the Attica Visitors Center on December 9-16, 1979. Announcements may be made in Parkminster Life and the church bulletin on December 2 and 9.

Worship and Music: No report.

Stewardship: Doughty reported. Stewardship pledge cards will be collected on November 17, 1979.

Evangelism: No report.

Women of Parkminster: Harp reported. Babysitting has been increased to \$1.00 per hour.

December 1, 1979 will be the women's quiet day, to be held at Grace Covenant Church.

It was agreed by common consent to grant permission for the women to have a collection box for yarn and extra craft items in the social hall foyer the first three Sundays in December.

In response to a request to have the cost of dining paper products absorbed by the regular church budget, action was referred to the Trustees.

RISK: No report.

Men of the Church: Evans reported.

3D: Written report submitted by L. Pappa.

Nominating: No report.

Radio and Tape: No report.

Preschool: No report.

Credit Union: Report by Bender.

Bookstore: No report.

Publicity: No report.

Fun and Fellowship: Barcus reported.

Singles/Young Adults: Thompson reported that the Singles had requested inclusion of \$150.00 in the church budget for their group. Action was referred to E. Carey.

Food Co-op: Evans reported on upcoming country store.

NEW BUSINESS

Presbytery Meeting: Tuesday, November 27, 1979, 5:00 p.m., Gates Church. Price, Frazier and Levering to attend.

Caucus Meeting: Monday, November 19, 1979, 6:30 p.m., Ogden Church. Thurling and Frazier to attend.

Wheaton College Men's Glee Club: Moved by Christopher and seconded by Levering to decline their offer to come to Parkminster. Motion carried.

Babysitting Clinic: Moved by Harp and seconded by Reynolds to grant permission for Girl Scout Troop 476 to use the church for a clinic for the people of Chili on December 8, 1979 from 9:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Motion carried.

"The Hiding Place" Movie: Moved by Brule and seconded by Price to authorize the showing of this film on Sunday, January 27, 1980. Offering would be a minimum of 60¢ per adult attending. Motion carried.

Session Breakfast: December 8, 1979, 7:00 a.m.

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New Members Meeting: Thursday, November 29, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

Next Session Meeting: December 10, 1979, 7:30 p.m.

YMCA Church Use Request: Y.M.C.A. Indian Guides were granted permission to use the church for a Christmas party on December 16, 1979, on a motion made by Thurling and seconded by Reynolds. Motion carried.

Tende: Rev. David Tende will share from the pulpit on Sunday morning, November 18, 1979, for five minutes.

It was moved by Frazier and seconded by Price to adjourn at 12:15 a.m.
Motion carried.

The meeting was closed with a circle of prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

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