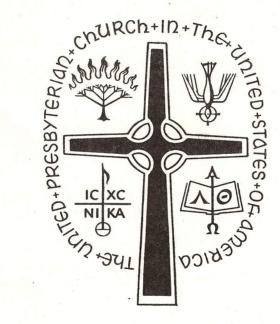
Dedication

of the

Andrew Small Memorial CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BUILDING



of the

Darnes town Presbyterian Church

Darnestown, Maryland

April twenty-seventh nineteen hundred and sixty-nine
4:30 P.M.

DANIEL C MANSON

PASTOR

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 437 "The Church's One Foundation"

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

People: I was glad when they said unto me:

Let us go into the house of the Lord.

Minister: Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands.

People: Enter into his gates with thanksgiving,

And into his courts with praise.

Minister: Serve the Lord with gladness:

Come before his presence with singing.

*INVOCATION

*THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

SCRIPTURE LESSON Mr. John H. Grosvenor, Jr.

PRAYER Dr. John L. Cameron, Clerk

of the Session

SOLO Dr. Omar B. Pancoast, Jr.

GREETINGS Rev. Graydon E. McClellan

Mr. John H. Grosvenor, Jr.

STATEMENT BY BUILDING COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN Mr. Howard Cissel

STATEMENT BY WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

CHAIRMAN Mr. Richard Steele

STATEMENT BY CHURCH SCHOOL SUPERIN-

TENDENT Dr. James DeVoe

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY

ANTHEM

SERMON Dr. Edward L. R. Elson

(* Denotes congregation standing.)

People:

Minister: Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be unto our God

forever and ever.

People: Blessed be the Lord God who doeth wondrous things; and blessed be His glorious name forever and let

the whole earth be filled with His glory.

Minister: Being graciously prospered by the hand of God to finish the work, which in His providence we are called upon to perform

We do now with joy and gratitude solemnly dedicate this Christian Education Building.

Minister: To the glory of God the Father, to the honor of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, to the praise of the Holy Spirit, source of light and life

People: We dedicate this building.

Minister: For the nurture of youth; for the enrichment of the home

People: We dedicate this building

Minister: For the spiritual enrichment of life as it unfolds through childhood

People: We dedicate this building.

Minister: To provide an appointed place where the soul of man may quest for Truth, Beauty, and Goodness

People: We dedicate this building.

Minister: For the fellowship of kindred souls under Christian auspices to share the wholesome contacts made possible through Christ

People: We dedicate this building.

Minister: To the Teacher of Galilee who, when He saw the multitudes, had compassion on them, opened His mouth and taught them

People: We dedicate this building

Minister and People: We now, the members and friends of this congregation, compassed about with a great cloud of witnesses, confessing that apart from us their work cannot be made perfect, dedicate ourselves anew to the teaching of the Word of God in both precept and example.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Rev. Graydon E. McClellan

*HYMN 435 "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"

*BENEDICTION Rev. Daniel C. Manson

We dedicate to the glory of God our new Christian Education Building (The Andrew Small Memorial). The building has been planned with a most versatile arrangement of class rooms designed for multiple use. It is equipped for the most modern types of teaching.

In addition to class rooms and an office, the structure contains a spacious and beautifully furnished church parlor and library. To this peaceful place may come one or two, or a small group, just to relax and chat; or to read, mediate, and pray; or to meet and discuss plans as they relate to His Kingdom; etc.

The Fellowship Hall is furnished with facilities to promote Christian friendship and recreation throughout our church and community.

The modern kitchen, stage, and projection equipment will all contribute to programs and activities which will bring us closer together.

We praise God that we have been privileged to see the achievement of this building project. We rejoice and are grateful for the prayerful and generous financial support of our members and friends. And we look forward to your continued support for the elimination of our indebtedness.

The members and friends of the congregation are very cordially invited to remain for refreshments following the Service of Dedication.

GUESTS PARTICIPATING IN DEDICATION SERVICE

Dr. Edward L. R. Elson

Pastor of the National Presbyterian Church and Chaplain of The United States Senate.

Rev. Graydon E. McClellan

General Presbyter, Presbytery of Washington City

Elder John H. Grosvenor, Jr.

Stated Clerk, Presbytery of Washington City

Architect

Mr. Benjamin P. Elliott

Builders

Blatzheim and Beall, Inc.