

August 29, 1961.

A special Congregational Meeting of United Evangelical Church was held on the above date and was opened with a prayer by Pastor Lehmann.

The minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved.

Our President, Mr. Albert Fader, explained the purpose of this meeting was to elect the new Pastor of United Evangelical Church. Mr. Fader stated there were two ways in which we could elect the new Pastor - one being that we could have a motion from the floor and pass on the motion, or we could go by the By-Laws of the Church which state that a Pastor must be voted on by ballot. After a brief discussion, a motion was made by Mr. Arthur Block and seconded by Mr. Ernest Jones that we accept Pastor Paul A. Rasche as Pastor of United Evangelical Church. On the question, Mr. ~~Max Hoffmann~~ disagreed with this type of voting as it was not in accordance with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Church. Mr. Block withdrew the motion and a ballot vote was entertained. After all the ballots were counted, Pastor Paul A. Rasche was unanimously elected to be the new Pastor of United Evangelical Church.

There was no further business to come before the Congregation at this time; a motion was made by Mr. Ed Kellner and seconded by Mr. Norman Fritze that the meeting be adjourned.

Our meeting was closed with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred Long,  
Recording Secretary.