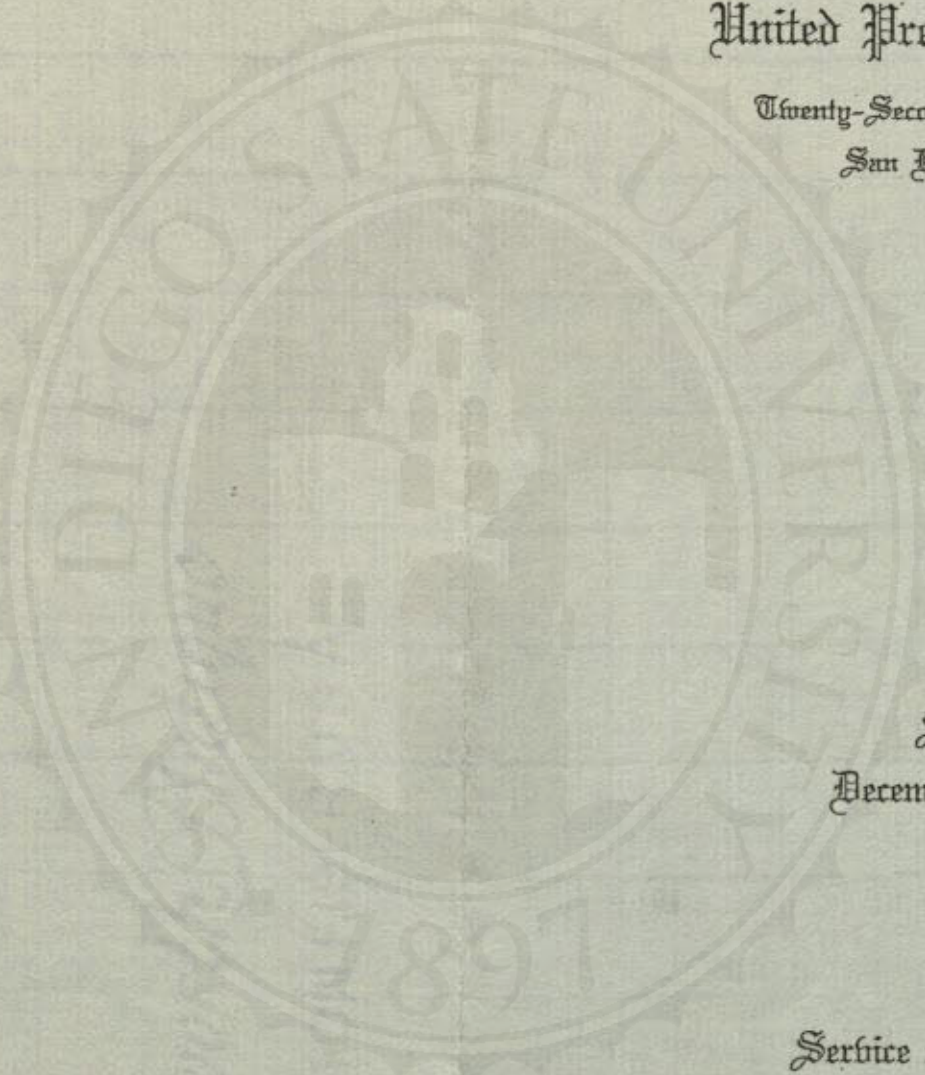


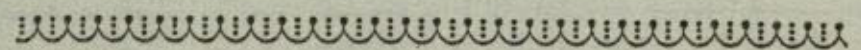
The Golden Hill
United Presbyterian Church

Twenty-Second Street and Market
San Diego, California



Sabbath
December 23, 1956

Service of Organization
3:30 P. M.



Organization Service

DECEMBER TWENTY-THIRD, NINETEEN FIFTY-SIX
3:30 P. M.

THE ORGAN-PRELUDE "A Christmas Wreath" _____ Cronham
Mrs. John E. Barnwell

* PRAISE "We Dedicate This Temple" _____ No. 519

* THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: "My soul, wait thou upon God: for my expectation is from Him."

The People: "He only is my rock and my salvation; He is my defense; I shall not be moved."

Minister: "In God is my salvation and my glory: the rock of my strength, and my refuge, is in God."

The People: "Trust in Him at all times; ye people, pour out your heart before Him: God is a refuge for us."

* INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

RESPONSIVE READING _____ Selection No. 18

*** (Seating of Worshipers)

PRAISE "Christ Is Made The Sure Foundation" _____ No. 433

THE SCRIPTURE _____ John 3:16-21 and Romans 12:1-9

THE PRAYER

SOLO "O Holy Night" _____ Mrs. Pearl Brigham

THE SERMON "A Holy and Acceptable Gift" _____ Rev. Charles E. Link

ORGANIZATION OF CONGREGATION

(The Members of the Congregation will stand and enter into covenant by answering the following question affirmatively with uplifted hand.)

Minister: "Do you solemnly covenant with each other and with God that you will walk together as an organized congregation, on the principles of the faith and order of the United Presbyterian Church of North America, and that you will seek peace, purity, and enlargement of the whole body?"

DECLARATION: "I now pronounce and declare that you are constituted a congregation according to the Word of God and the faith and order of the United Presbyterian Church of North America."

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

* PRAISE "Come, Thou Almighty King" _____ No. 244

* BENEDICTION AND SILENT PRAYER

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE "Carols" _____ Traditional

* Congregation please stand

*** Seating of Worshipers

Those Sharing in the Service of Organization are:

The Commission appointed by the Home Mission Board
of the Los Angeles Presbytery:

Rev. Charles E. Link, Pastor of the St. Andrews United Presbyterian Church, La Puente, California; Sermon and Organization of Congregation.

Dr. James A. Gordon, Retired Minister of the United Presbyterian Church of North America; Prayer of Dedication.

Mr. Glen Miner, Elder from the First United Presbyterian Church, Allied Gardens; Responsive Reading.

Mr. Phil West, Elder from the First United Presbyterian Church, Allied Gardens; Scripture and Prayer.

Rev. George W. Smith, Moderator of the Organizing Commission and Pastor of the Church being organized; Presider and Pronouncement of the Benediction.

Invited participants:

Dr. Harold Wilson, Synodical Secretary for the Synod of California.

Dr. J. Albert Smith, Pastor of the First United Presbyterian Church, Allied Gardens.

Mrs. John E. Barnwell, Minister of Music, Golden Hill United Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Pearl Brigham, Soloist, St. Paul's Methodist Church, San Diego.

Following the Service Rev. and Mrs. George W. Smith invite members of the congregation and friends to a reception in the Social Hall in honor of the members of the Commission.