

State of Idaho



Department of State.

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

I, GEO. H. CURTIS, *Secretary of State of the State of Idaho, and legal custodian of the corporation records of the State of Idaho, do hereby certify that the original of the articles of incorporation of*

FEDERATED CHURCH (Methodist-Presbyterian) OF ST. MARIES, INC.

was filed in the office of the Secretary of State on the **Fourth** *day*

of **November** *A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred* **Forty-three** *and*

is duly recorded **on Film Roll** *in Book* **No. 2** *of Record of Domestic Corporations of the State of Idaho,*

and that the said articles contain the statement of facts required by Sections 29-103, 29-1101 and 29-1102, Idaho Code, Annotated.

AND I FURTHER CERTIFY, That the persons executing the articles and their associates and successors are hereby constituted a corporation, by the name stated in the articles, and for

Fifty (50) years *from the date hereof, with its registered office in this State located*

at **St. Maries** *in the County of* **Bonanza** *,*

and as such are subject to the rights, privileges and limitations granted to Religious, Ex-Service Men, Benevolent, Charitable and Fraternal Corporations, as provided in Chapter 11, Title 29, Idaho Code, Annotated.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed

the Great Seal of the State. Done at Boise City,

the Capital of Idaho, this **Fourth** *day*

of **November** *, in the year of our Lord*

one thousand nine hundred **Forty-three** *,*

and of the Independence of the United States of

America the One Hundred **Sixty-eighth** *.*

Secretary of State.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Of THE FEDERATED CHURCH (Methodist-Presbyterian) of St. Maries, Benewah County, State of Idaho.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, the subscribers of these articles, have this day voluntarily affixed our hands and seals to this instrument for the purpose of forming a corporation under and in conformity with the laws of the State of Idaho, pertaining to religious, social and benevolent corporations.

Article 1.

That the name assumed by the corporation and by which it shall be known is the FEDERATED CHURCH (Methodist-Presbyterian) of St. Maries. The principal place of business of said corporation shall be located at St. Maries, Benewah County, Idaho.

Article II.

That the purposes for which said corporation is formed are to promote religious, social and spiritual welfare of all those people directly or indirectly connected with said corporation; to buy, sell, acquire, lease, maintain, operate, own and hold real and personal property; to buy, sell, acquire, own, hold lease, conduct, operate and maintain churches, Sunday Schools, and other places of religious worship or religious teaching or instruction, to own and hold real and personal property for use for social or benevolent purposes or for any lawful purpose for which said corporation desires to use such property under the laws of the State of Idaho.

Article III.

That the estimated value of the property which will become the property of the said corporation upon the filing of these articles is ~~\$7552.00.~~

\$12,000.00

Article IV.

That we have been duly chosen, appointed or elected in conformity with the rules, regulations, can ons, rights and ceremonies of the Methodist ^{and the} CHURCH/Presbyterian ^{of America} Church in the United States/and that we have made and subscribed these articles by virtue of said title.

Article V.

That the term for which this corporation is to exist is FIFTY YEARS from and after the date of its incorporation. That the annual meeting shall be held ~~May 1944~~ at 7:30 P. M. on the Wednesday after the last Sunday in May.

Article VI.

That at St. Maries at 12:30 P. M. on the 11th day of July, 1943, an election, at which a ^{resident} quorum of the/members of the association were present, was held and they voted for five ~~trustees~~ which were elected, to wit:--- Sam McLaughlin, George Radford, Fred Elwell, Mrs. H. B. Caines, and Mrs. H. B. Davis; that all of the above named directors are actual bona fide residents of the State of Idaho.

STATE OF IDAHO,)
County of Benewah) ss

Rev. Paul Perkins, being first duly sworn, ^edisposes and says, that he was the election officer in charge of conducting the said election set forth in Article six, and that Ray Boughton was the secretary, and that the same is true and correct.

Paul Perkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of September, 1943.

Ray Queen

NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO
RESIDING AT ST. MARIES, IDAHO
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 16, 1945.

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF IDAHO, }
County of Benewah, } ss.

J. Lewis Papes, being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and says that he is publisher and business manager of The St. Maries Gazette-Record, a weekly newspaper printed and published at St. Maries, Benewah County, State of Idaho; The St. Maries Gazette-Record is a newspaper having general circulation in Benewah County, State of Idaho, and has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in Benewah County, State of Idaho, during a period of more than seventy-eight consecutive weeks prior to the first publication of the notice of advertisement hereon.

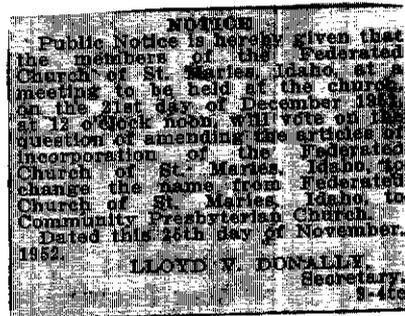
That the notice, of which the one hereto attached is a true copy, was published in said paper for a period of four issues, the first publication being on the 27th day of November, 1952 and the last on the 18th day of December, 1952

That said newspaper was regularly distributed to its subscribers during the time of said period; that said notice was published in the regular and entire issue of said paper.

J Lewis Papes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of Dec., 1952

Edith M. Fitting
Notary Public and for Benewah County Idaho



~~DIRECTORS~~ Trustees:

E. J. McLaughlin

Geo. H. Radford

Fred E. Luce

Mrs. H. B. Davis

Mrs. H. B. Coates

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of September, 1943, a Notary Public in and for the above the County of Benewah, State of Idaho, personally appeared and known to me to be the persons who subscribed the within instrument and acknowledged the same.

Carroll D. Quinn

NOTARY PUBLIC FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO
RESIDING AT ST. MARIES, IDAHO
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