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CHAPEL BUILDING
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NORTHWEST COLLEGE OF THE

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD
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DESCRIPTION OF THE NEW CHAPEL

The beautiful chapel structure in which you are now seated is regarded as one of our finest buildings on the campus. Marked by its graceful architectural lines, this edifice is situated on the highest elevation of the campus and is observable from the west side of Lake Washington. The imposing facade with its three crosses stands as a glorious symbol of God's grace toward mankind and the message He has commanded His Church to proclaim.

Looking toward the chancel with its suspended cross and beautifully appointed platform, one feels a quiet invitation to worship, which is the high purpose to which this building is to be dedicated this day.

The elegant arches are not only beautiful, but are functional, giving strength and support to the building. The cone-shaped lanterns, amber cathedral-glass window panels, and the orangetoned carpet make for a harmonious blending of color and material together with the walnut paneling and pews.

Within the area of the narthex are restrooms and access ways to the basement, balcony and overflow-room areas.

One of the most significant areas of this building is the full basement, which presently houses the college library. This spacious area with its practical seating arrangement for study and its stack-space to accommodate up towards 40,000 volumes, is a credit to the institution and provides much-needed space utilization in fulfillment of an important academic function on the campus.

The general dimensions of the building are as follows: Length, 115 feet; width, 54 feet; total height, 50 feet; height from sanctuary floor, 40 feet; total square feet on sanctuary-level, including balcony, 7,200; total square feet on basement level including restrooms and furnace rooms, 6,210; total square feet in the building, 13,420.

The total seating capacity of the nave, balcony and overflow room is 650.

The total cost of the finished structure, approximately \$135,000.

Acknowledgements

To Mr. Gordon Nickell, Architect

To. Mr. H. J. Secrist, Builder

To the Willis Smith family for pulpit furnishings in memory of the Reverend Willis Smith.

To the Class of 1958 for the foyer fountain.

To the Associated Student Body of 1964-65 for the walk-way bridge leading to the Chapel.

To the Planning Commission for its valuable and devoted hours of work.

To all the friends of the College who have invested of their means and prayers in behalf of the construction of this building.

PLEDGE - CONTRIBUTION FOR CHAPEL SEATING

I would like to invest in the seating of the new College Chapel as
follows:
seats at \$20.00 per seat.
pews at \$250.00 per pew.
☐ Cash enclosed. ☐ This is a pledge which I expect to donate to the College by
(date).
Signed
Address

We thank you for your gift in the Name of the Lord.