INTERFAITH, INC. Atlanta, Georgia

To: All Interested Persons

From: Trustees

Interfaith, Inc. is now a fact. Incorporation has been completed. The initial meeting of the Board of Trustees was held on December 5th. Routine but necessary organizational actions were taken at that meeting. There will be more meetings of the Trustees soon. Attached is a fact sheet explaining the status of the corporation.

According to the by-laws the annual meeting of the Members of Interfaith, Inc. will be held on the last Tuesday in January (the 30th). Between now and then frequent meetings of the Trustees will be necessary, so we will not be able to mail notices for each meeting to everyone on our mailing list. Listed below is the name, address, telephone number, and member organization of each of the Trustees. Please contact one of the Trustees for meeting dates or other information. Meetings are open to any interested person or organization.

We hope that many more churches and religious organizations will join Interfaith, Inc. The requirements for membership are contained in the by-laws and are summarized in the attached fact sheet.

Catholic Archdiocese of Atlanta: Noel Burtenshaw 136 W. Wesley Rd., NW Atlanta, Ga. 30305 261-1000

St. Bede's Episcopal Church: Claude E. Hancock 3591 Summitridge Drive Doraville, Ga. 30040 938-0492

Christ Church, United Presbyterian: Richard Long 1437 Holly Lane, NE Atlanta, Ga. 30329 636-4734

Church of the Atonement, United Presbyterian:
Chester Marty
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Church of the Master, United Presbyterian:
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St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church Ronald H. Pearce 1861 Crestline Drive, Atlanta, Ga. 30329 636-6797

Trinity Presbyterian Church:
Horace Sibley
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John Steinichen III
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Interfaith, Inc.

Six metropolitan Atlanta area churches plus the Catholic Archdiocese have recently formed a non-profit housing corporation known as Interfaith, Inc. The objective of the corporation is to help improve housing conditions throughout the metropolitan area, with emphasis on sponsorship of new or rehabilitated housing for low and moderate income families.

The six churches that are the founding members, in addition to the Archdiocese, are: St. Bartholomew's Episcopal; St. Bede's Episcopal; Church of the Atonement, United Presbyterian; Church of the Master, United Presbyterian; Trinity Presbyterian Church; and the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Atlanta. In addition, Christ Church, United Presbyterian, joined at the initial meeting.

Additional members are welcome. Members can be churches, religious organizations, and similar institutions. Each member organization designates the individual who will represent it on the Board of Trustees of the corporation.

At the organizational meeting of the corporation held by the Trustees in December, by-laws were adopted, and the following officers were elected to serve until the annual meeting on January 30th: John Steinichen III, Chairman and President; Noel Burtenshaw, Secretary; and Chester Marty, Treasurer.

The by-laws specify the following requirements for membership in Interfaith, Inc. The organization desiring membership must officially endorse participation in the corporation and designate its representative on the Board of Trustees. A majority vote of the existing members is required to add new members. Annual membership dues are \$100 per member.

The by-laws also provide for Associate Members. These are organizations that cannot pay the annual membership dues of \$100. Associate Members will not have representation on the Board of Trustees or a vote on policies, although they can otherwise participate in corporate meetings and activities.

Individual Member organizations have no financial obligations other than the membership dues. Legal liabilities are limited to the corporation and do not extend to the Members. The Trustees have neither financial nor legal liabilities as individuals.

Attached is a list of the Trustees, their addresses and their telephone numbers. For additional information, contact one of them.