

Chapter 199.

AN ACT to repeal the act of incorporation of the trustees of the property of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in the town of Cumberland, Allegany county, passed and recorded among the Land Records of Allegany county, Maryland, January twenty-second, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, in Liber H. B., number six, folio five hundred and fifty-one, and re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the article of incorporation of the trustees of the property of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in the town of Cumberland, Allegany county, in this State of Maryland, adopted and recorded by said trustees on the twenty-second day of January, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and recorded in Land Records H. B., number six, folio five hundred and fifty-one, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows :

Repealed and re-enacted.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That Jesse Korn, Levi R. Fechtig, Charles W. Brengle, William Weber, Valentine A. Buckey, John H. Young, William M. Rice, William Wickard and Jacob Shuck, and their successors in office, are hereby created a body corporate and politic by the name and style of Centre Street Methodist Episcopal Church, of Cumberland, Allegany county, Maryland, and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and shall be able and capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered in every court of law or equity, or before any judge or officer of this state or elsewhere; and to make and have a common seal, and the same to alter and renew at pleasure; and also to do all such other acts and things as may be necessary to carry into effect this corporation not inconsistent with the laws of this state or of the United States.

Created a body corporate.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the corporation hereby created shall be able and capable in law to have, hold and purchase, receive, possess, enjoy and retain to them and their successors in office any estate or interest whatever, and not to exceed the sum of one hundred thousand dollars in property, real, personal and mixed, by deed, assignment, devises, bequests or other mode

Purchase estate or interest.