

and title to hold said Parsonage House and lot of ground, and to have all such other powers as are or may be necessary to carry into effect this act.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said Trustees by and under their corporate name, shall hold the said Parsonage House and lot for the use of the several congregations now composing the Emmittsburg charge of the German Reformed Church, the Emmittsburg German Reformed Congregation, and Millerstown German Reformed Congregation, and with full powers to sell and convey the same when authorised so to do by a majority of the members composing the said several congregations, voting at any election held for that purpose, and to distribute the proceeds, arising from such sale either to the Consistories of the congregations interested, in proportion to their original investments in said house and lot, or in such other manner as the said Consistories may direct.

SEC. 3 *And be it enacted,* That when any vacancy shall occur among the members of the trustees, by death, resignation or otherwise, his or their place shall be filled by an election held in said several congregations in which the vacancy or vacancies may occur, and the person or persons receiving a majority of the qualified votes of such congregation or congregations cast at such election shall be elected trustee or trustees to fill such vacancy or vacancies, and shall hold the property subject to the same trusts as the original trustees incorporated by this act.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

GERMAN REFORMED TRINITY CHURCH.

AN ACT to incorporate the German Reformed Church of Manchester, Carroll county.

WHEREAS, Application has been made to this General Assembly for an act of incorporation in behalf of the German Reformed Church of Manchester, Carroll county, which may enable them to manage with more convenience their temporal concerns :

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Jacob Ditzler, David Burns, Michael Gettier and George Everhart, the present Trustees, and their successors in office, elected agreeably to the rules, by-laws and regulations of said church or congregation, shall be and they are hereby created and declared to be a body politic and corporate, by the name, style and title of the German Reformed Trinity Church of Manchester, Carroll county, and by the said name shall be able to sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, in any court of law or equity in this State or elsewhere, and to make and have a common seal, and the same to break, alter, or renew at pleasure, and also to make and establish such by-laws and ordinances as may be necessary, for regulating the temporal concerns of said church.