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DIRECTOR OF SUMMER SESSION

January 15, 1963

Mr. John Allen Chalk Ghurch of <sup>C</sup>hrist P. O. Box 474 Cookeville, Tennessee

Dear Brother Chalk:

Thank you very much for your letter of a recent date inquiring about the McGarvey Fellowship Program which is scheduled for our 1963 summer session. Those who are chosen will be granted an award which will pay tuition, room, and board.

A committee of six has been selected to process all applications, and its objective is to select recipients who will profit most from this program. The term "profit most" means to us that the Cause of Christ will be very much enhanced through the preachers who attend these classes.

For those who are interested, the six hours of work required, graduate or undergraduate, will count towards a degree; however, it is not our intention to obligate anyone to continue here or elsewhere towards a degree.

Whatever data you submitted in your letter to us recently should be repeated on your application form which is enclosed. We anticipate the committee's action on the application very soon after all information has been received. This will include the data on a questionnaire sent to references that you submit.

As soon as recipients have been chosen, they will be notified immediately. We shall do this in order to give them time and opportunity to make satisfactory arrangements with the congregations where they are now serving.

Again, "thank you", and we hope you will be among those who are chosen.

Yours truly,

Orval Filbeck Director of Summer Session

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