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Resolution on Conference Committee on Homosexuality

1. We the delegates (clergy and lay) here today take on the responsibility to initiate discussion in our local churches and associations on the issue of homosexuality (especially in relationship to scripture) through study groups and other kinds of programming,
2. that the study document from the Committee on Homosexuality and Dr. Guptill's State of the Conference Address be widely disseminated in all churches and Associations in the Conference,
3. that the Departments of the Connecticut Conference undertake seriously the tasks related to the homosexuality study which were delegated to them by this at the 110th Annual Meeting of the Connecticut Conference in New Britain,
4. that those who were members of the Committee on Homosexuality will meet in May, 1978, as part of the Committee on Sexuality of the Department of Lay, Life and Work to review the work of the departments on this issue and to assess to what extent local churches and Associations need further assistance in examining the issues involved in homosexuality,
5. and to report its findings to the 1978 Annual Meeting of the Connecticut Conference.