

Sec. 2.—Any member may withdraw from the congregation, and cease to be a member thereof, by giving a written notice of such intention to the Council, or to the Trustees for the time being. Such notice to take effect and the party cease to be a member at the expiration of three months from the delivery thereof.

Sec. 3.—The member so leaving the Congregation, remains nevertheless liable to the payment of his or her rateable proportion of an assessment for any debt contracted by the Congregation previous to the reception of the resignation.

ARTICLE VII.

OF CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS.

Sec. 1.—Every meeting of the members of the congregation shall be called by a written notice of the time and place of meeting affixed to the door of the Church on the Sundays preceding the time of holding the meeting, and by a like notice read to the congregation at some suitable time on the same days.

Sec. 2.—The meeting shall be held not sooner than the twenty-eighth day after its notification, and if not attended by nine members must be adjourned, to be convened by a new notice.

Sec. 3.—At every meeting the Pastor, if present, shall be, *ex officio*, chairman, in his absence some competent person must be elected to preside over its deliberations. A clerk must be also elected to take down and enter a minute of the proceedings. After these latter are entered in the book of the Society the same shall be signed by the Chairman and Clerk of the meeting, and shall not be thereafter questioned.

ARTICLE VIII.

OF VACANCIES IN THE TRUSTEESHIP.

Sec. 1.—Any Trustee vacates his trust upon ceasing to be a member of the congregation, by his resignation of office communicated in writing to the Council, and entered on the books, by his death, or by his removal from the country.