

being (if any there be), shall always be president ; it shall have power to frame such rules and ordinances for the orderly conduct of divine worship and the advancement of the interests of the congregation, as a majority of the corporation may from time to time deem necessary ; provided, that the same shall not conflict with the constitution or laws of the United States or of this State, or with the discipline and practice of the denomination aforesaid.

Vacancies SEC. 217 C. If at any time one of the corporators so as aforesaid to be annually elected, shall die, resign or become disqualified by ceasing to be a pew-holder of the said church, it shall be competent for the remaining members of the said corporation to appoint a successor to the one so dying, resigning, or becoming disqualified, which successor shall hold office until some one to fill his place shall be chosen at the next annual meeting of the said congregation ; and if at any time, the member so as aforesaid to be annually appointed by the ordinary of the diocese shall die or resign, it shall be competent for the said ordinary to fill the said vacancy in the corporation aforesaid, by appointing another person to serve for the remainder of the term of the one so dying or resigning, and until a successor thereto shall be duly chosen according to the terms of this article ; and if at any time the corporators for the time being shall think it wise to change the name of the said corporation, they may do the same by a certificate under their hands and seals, to be acknowledged and recorded as provided for in the case of the original certificate mentioned in section 217 A, of this article.

Trusts, gifts, &c. SEC. 217 D. Any person or persons, individual or corporation, holding lands or goods and chattels, or any interest therein, in trust for any particular church or congregation, church society congregation, of the said denomination, wherein a corporation shall be formed in accordance with the terms of this section, shall convey the same to the said corporation as soon as possible after its formation under the terms of this act ; and any gift, devise or bequest heretofore or hereafter made to any such congregation, or to any person or persons, individual or corporation in trust therefor, shall inure to the benefit of the corporation to be formed in such congregation (if any such corporation shall be so formed according to the terms of this act) whether the said corporation be or be not accurately described in such gift, devise or bequest ; provided that the intention of the donor or testator be clear that the same should inure to the benefit of the said congregation.

Effective. SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 7th, 1892.