

CHAPTER 119.

AN ACT to amend the Charter and enlarge the powers and privileges of the Centre Street Methodist Episcopal Church of Cumberland, Allegany County, Maryland, incorporated by Chapter 199 of the Acts of Assembly of 1884, entitled "An Act to repeal the Act of incorporation of the trustees of the property of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in the town of Cumberland, Allegany County, passed and recorded among the Land Records of Allegany County, Maryland, January twenty-second, eighteen hundred and fifty-one in Liber H. B. Number six, folio five hundred and fifty-one, and re-enact the same with amendments."

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 3 of the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, of 1884, Chapter 199, incorporating Jesse Kornis, Levi R. Fechtig, Charles W. Brengle, William Weber, Valentine A. Buckley, John H. Young, William M. Rice, William Wickard and Jacob Shuck, and their successors in office, by the name and style of Centre Street Methodist Episcopal Church, of Cumberland, Allegany County, Maryland, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the provision contained in Section 3 of said Act of 1884, Chapter 199, limiting the amount of property to be held by said corporation to one hundred thousand dollars in value, and in lieu thereof extending the powers and privileges of said corporation to holding property not exceeding three hundred thousand dollars in value, said section when amended to read as follows:*

3. The corporation hereby created shall be able and capable in law to have, hold and purchase, receive, possess, enjoy and retain to them and their successors in office any estate or interest whatever, and not to exceed the sum of three hundred thousand dollars in property, real, personal and mixed, by deed, assignment, devises, bequests or other mode of conveyance, or transfer of or from legal capability to make such transfer or conveyance, and the same to improve with such churches, parsonages and buildings for the use of the congregations for public or other worship, and for residences for the pastors of said congregations not inconsistent with the discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States; and to sell, rent, mortgage and convey all or any part of any property belonging to or that