

Zion Council Minutes

September 16, 2025

Present: Tracy Bockbrader, Karla Southworth, Paul Holm, Naomi Palmquist, Pastor Christina Johnson, Kathy Blascyk, Jan Gellerstedt and Cari Terrio-Johnson

President Naomi called meeting to order at 6:05 pm

Dwellings: Luke 15:8-10 led by Jan

Motion made to approve the agenda with the addition of the Meatball Supper in New Business made by Tracy, seconded by Cari. Motion was approved.

Motion was made to approve the August 19th minutes by Jan, seconded by Pastor Christina. Motion was approved.

Reports :

Pastor Christina

Office Manager

Financial report. On roof repair. Organ pipes will need to be covered. Money in the organ fund will cover this cost. Will be done before roof project begins. Also, we have received \$11,200.00 for roof repair from members of the congregation as of 9/16/2025. Stewardship Drive will be starting Sunday the 21st Paul Holm will give a temple talk.

Mailing will go the September 17th -20th.

Music and Worship

Hunger and Justice. They are looking for new members and people to help stock the food pantry. This will be a volunteer opportunity on the time and talent sheets, which are part of the stewardship mailing. Karla will put on social media for anyone interested to donate to our food pantry. Cari may be able to help on Fridays with restocking the food pantry.

Special report from Vicki Anderson

God's Work, Our Hands Report

Motion was made to accept all reports by Pastor Christina, seconded by Paul. Motion was approved.

Old Business

Roof repairs. Roof will be starting as soon as supplies come in. Once this happens the roof repair will not be a long process. The organ pipes will be covered.

Building Use Policy. Pastor Christina made the motion to suggest a fee of \$50.00 per event for the use of our building and seconded by Cari. Motion was approved. This will go on the Building Use Policy document.

Counter. We have one pair and a single person interested in joining the counting teams. They will be trained in how counting the offering works.

Funeral Committee. Naomi helped organize the help for the last funeral here at Zion. This will also be an opportunity to volunteer on the stewardship time and talent sheet.

Community Meals. Our first Sunday night will be Sunday November 2nd. Pastor Christina will email the people on the list that have shown interest in this mission and see who would like to be on this committee.

Administrative Assistant job description Council requires more time to study the report submitted. Motion was made by Pastor Christina to table the office job description till the next meeting, seconded by Cari. Motion was approved. The first step will be to create a draft job description for review. We will also look at other church job descriptions as we work on the job description here at Zion.

A draft of a Financial Secretary job description was requested.

New Business

Building Use Request. Due to not fully understanding the request by Northern Schools Strategy Session. Naomi will email the contact person, and Tracy will check with a person involved in this project. Motion to table this request was made by Pastor Christina and seconded by Tracy. Motion was approved.

Meatball Supper. The date is October 29th. Plans for meatball dinner discussed

Next meeting date is October 21st at 6:00 pm
Dwellings will be led by Tracy.

Cari made the motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Jan. Motion was approved.