ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH



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Heirlooms and Relics

As we continue to downsize at the Huston house entering 2024, our focus turns to family heirlooms in our care and how to protect their legacy. We have a few family heirlooms, just as I am sure you all do as well. Some, like family jewelry, are small and easy to store and protect. Others not so much.

In 1963, while remodeling their downstairs rooms, my mother and father decided on a "colonial theme". The red, white and blue colors used sound horrible, but it worked with white walls, federal blue chair rail and red window valances with white half window curtains. In keeping with the colonial theme my father built a faux fireplace with flanking book cases. All the woodwork there was white and he used faux brick made of cork (you had to see it to believe it) for the hearth. Braided oval rugs, in various shades of blue, covered the floor. My father had a family friend whose father was a local artist. Dad visited his studio looking for something to hang over the fireplace and found a large painting depicting George and Martha Washington visiting the Continental army at Valley Forge. Since we were ten miles from the then "state park" he decided that this was a perfect fit to complete the room's theme. When my dad passed away and we were selling the house, and since I did not want anything from the house for myself, my brother and sister built a shipping crate, packed up the painting and shipped it to me. The fireplace and painting have been a backdrop for family photos through the years and a pictorial history of sorts as our family grew in size. How could I do anything but keep it.

When Kathy's father immigrated to the United States in 1929, he began a career working for US Steel in the foundry at the bottom of Ohio Street in Moxham. The back breaking work was in an environment of extreme heat and constant danger. He somehow acquired a barber chair with a hydraulic seat and began his true passion on weekends and evenings, providing haircuts for family and friends. Since he did not have a barber's license, he could not charge for the haircuts but people soon began to "tip" him. He kept a cigar box near by and folks started dropping silver dollars in the box. When he passed away in 1976 the family "gifted" the small Moxham house to Kathy and I (we were living in a rental at the time). Since the barber chair was in the basement and weighed several hundred pounds, no one wanted to attempt to remove it so it came "free of charge" with the house. Oh, and we also got all the barber tools too which consisted of razors and scissors. The chair has since been refurbished and moved to Indiana where it resides to this day in our bottom level family room.

Finding a home for these items will be a daunting task for sure. But how can we not. Every time someone looks upon that painting or takes a spin on that barber chair it gives us an opportunity to offer a tale of family history to those present. It is as if my

parents and Kathy's dad are standing right there as we bring to life memories of them.

I suppose that is why the church retains its own heirlooms. Every church has them. You know the things I mean. Items donated or purchased in memory of a loved one. Some pre-date the known history of the church, while others are a more recent remembrance of someone we all knew and now remember whenever we see or use those heirlooms. These are connections to our past church family and provide depth to our church history. When we memorialize someone we are preserving their memory.

And then there are "relics". These are not past possessions of people but "pieces" of canonized men and women who made contributions to the church's growth and history. All cathedrals have relics stored within their walls. For example, the cathedral in Cologne Germany has the bones of the three wisemen. But the most revered "relics" trace back to Jesus himself. The Notre Dame cathedral in Paris is in possession of the "Crown of Thorns" while Turin Italy possesses the burial cloth of Jesus. These relics take on mystical proportions with many of our faithful brothers and sisters. While in the modern era, these relics have come under suspicion as to their authenticity, it does not dissuade true believers from claiming that they provided healing or good luck whenever they viewed or touched them. The bottom line is that Faith plays a major role in the continued veneration of these links to Christ.

I completely understand how people feel about relics. But Jesus gave us the one true way to be in the presence of God, the Eucharist. As Lutherans, we believe that receiving the host and wine puts us in the presence of Jesus as he, through the Holy Spirit is "present" with the elements. I doubt that we think about this enough while receiving communion each week. Like baptism, the Eucharist brings together the material (bread and wine) and the spiritual (the Holy Spirit). Today we provide the Eucharist as the centerpiece of our worship. The words "do this in remembrance of me" tells us that Christ is not only to be remembered but that he is actually present with us in this meal. Perhaps the frequency of the Eucharist in our modern church life has diluted how important this act of faith and remembrance is for us.

Kathy and I have, as Eucharistic Ministers, been taking the Eucharist to the homes of Zion members every month for several years. As Kathy reads the service script saying "we were given assurance of our Lord's PRESENCE by the gift of the Holy Spirit. Now we have brought you this SAME bread from heaven and this cup of blessing, that you may be strengthened and made whole by YOUR participation in the Body of Christ" I see on the faces of those we commune, how special this simple act is for them. Christ's presence is surely there at those moments. It is a moving experience for us and the most important contribution we make to Zion and its membership.

For me heirlooms and relics have their place, but they cannot surpass the Eucharist as the most important gift of remembrance ever given to us. Think about this the next time you approach the altar rail to receive the gifts of bread and wine and remember that Christ is truly with us.

Hope to see you soon at worship.

Zion's 2024 Pledge Campaign Underway

At the beginning of December 2023 and at the direction of Zion's Church Council, our new Current and Benevolence campaign got underway.

As of this writing We have received a total of \$82,110 from 27 member families.

It is not too late to join in pledging to support our 2024 budget. Pledging provides positive assurance that what Zion's council has proposed and what you by your membership vote at our annual meeting have approved, is the direction Zion should take in 2024.

Our participation in the Seminary's internship program though our adding Vicar Jane Miller to our staff as intern and our more robust support for both our Evangelism committee and our Recreation and Fellowship committee required a more robust budget commitment for 2024. It is now time to reinforce your support for these programs through a budget pledge.

To those who have already sent in your pledge": THANK YOU!

To those who have yet to make their 2024 commitment to Zion's budget please consider joining us as we strive to continue to build on the positive agenda Zion has planned for you.

Zion Council Reorganizes

At its December meeting, Zion's council meet for the first time with its new members and elected officers for the 2024 year.

Kim Balcerak was elected as Financial Secretary.

Gale Sechrist was elected as Treasurer

Sue Dickson was elected as Council Secretary

Rik Wissinger was elected as Vice President

Council failed to agree on who will serve as Council President for 2024. With several members absent due to illness, it was decided to table that vote until the January meeting when a full total of the membership will be present.

Council also began to reorganize its committees for 2024. A full list of Zion's committee membership is published in this month's newsletter. Due to the fluid nature of committee membership, some committee names may be missing and some may be listed in error. If you are currently on a committee and do not see your name listed in membership or are listed on a committee which you do not currently serve, please contact the committee's council chair to correct our error.

Council asks that the congregation offer prayer and support for our new officers as they lead us in 2024.

In-Person Worship Attendance and On-line Viewing Last Month

<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
24	43
18	45
19	38
105 (Eve)	34 (Day)
	24 18 19

Zion Committees Reorganize

Zion's committees are the life blood our congregation. Committees plan and initiate the congregation's programming, using the funds we have approved at our annual meeting through passage of our annual budget.

This year we added significate funding for both our evangelism committee and our recreation and fellow-ship committee. This continues our membership- based agenda. We started this agenda by making Zi-on more accessible (ZARP), and adding better site security (fob program). This continued through 2023 as upgrades to our kitchen were completed and landscaping of our "Rossman Shaffer Memorial Garden" was completed. Our new marque sign upgrades our presence at the corner of Church and Sixth Streets.

With the facilities in place, we are now ready to ramp up our congregational programming. This will provide additional opportunity for you to join your fellow members in fellowship. In addition, we will more directly reach out beyond our walls to encourage those not in our current membership to join us by better telling our history and commitment to sharing the life of Christ in Indiana.

For this agenda to be successful, we need not only your financial support, but also your participation in the planning and implementation of the programs each of our committees undertakes to benefit both you and our community.

Time is our most precious resource. We never seem to have enough time to accomplish all we wish to. You can help by joining our current committee members in serving the congregation. Some of our committees require members to help with specific programs like Advent night events, funeral dinners, congregational picnics, and church decorating. Other, more regular commitments like altar guild, teaching Sunday School, scripture reading, or ushering require a slightly greater, once a month, commitment.

The choice is yours. We urge you to find the best fit for you. But we urge you to take that first step and join us in service to Zion. Your participation will help lighten the load for those already serving and help us to be the best that Zion can be.

Think about it!

Zion Luther 2024 Committee Membership

Administration and Finance

Pastor Tedd Cogar Rik Wissinger (Vice Pres) Sue Dickson (SEC) Gail Sechrist (Treas) Beverly Swatsworth Pernell Bowersox Dave Keith Ernie Fisher Kevin Huston (Past Pres) Kim Balzerak (Fin Sec)

Zion Council

Pastor Tedd Cogar Rik Wissinger (Vice Pres) (24) Sue Dickson (SEC) (24) Shirley Horner (24) Dory Campbell (25) Sheri Bowersox (25) Pernell Bowersox (25) Becky Slade (26) Barry Widdowson (26) Jerry Ruffner (26) Kim Balcerak (Fin Sec) Gail Sechrist (Treas)

Staff Support

Rik Wissinger Barry Widdowson

Audit

Becky Slade - Council Sheri Bowersox Gary Ellenberger Ruth Houser

Trinity 321

Rik Wissinger Barry Widdowson

2024 Synod Assembly

Beth Grafton Dirk Grafton Dory Campbell

Nominating Committee

Stewardship Committee Kevin Huston-Council

Endowment/Memorial Committee

Gail Sechrist-(Tres)
Dawn Seagren
Don Seagren
Pernell Bowersox
Sheri Bowersox

Evangelism Committee

Dory Campbell - Council Shirley Horner Ruth Hauser Jenn Rising Kathy Gaylor

Worship and Music

Pastor Tedd Cogar Dr. Christine Clewell Beth Grafton Rick Wissinger Kathy Huston Jan Cikowski Kevin Huston Sue Dickson

Social Ministry

Sue Dickson - Council Kathy Gaylor

Education Committee

Gail Sechrist – Council Jessicia Mehus

Youth Ministry

Sheri Bowersox - Council Sherene Hess

Rec and Fellowship

Shirley Horner-Council
Kathy Gaylor
Barb Lockard
Claudia Ditch
Bev Wissinger
Ernie Fisher
Donna Fisher
Beverly Swatsworth
Sue Dickson
Mary Nycum
Becky Slade

Property Committee

Becky Slade (Council)
Jerry Ruffner
Don Seagren
Jim Laughlin
Kevin Huston

Rossman Shaffer Garden

Becky Slade - Council Kathy Gaylor Sue Dickson Dawn Seagren Kimberly McCullough

CHRISTMAS—2023

Our thanks for special gifts that bring joy to our Christmas celebration. Special thanks to the members and friends who "oversubscribe" the candles for Christmas. The Altar Guild uses the money throughout the year to provide for chancel needs.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSICIANS GIVEN BY:

In honor of: Chris, Laura & Jane Dickson Sue Dickson

And Megan Dickson

In memory of: Hattie, Ruth & Wilmer Johnson Debra Heggenstaller

In memory of: Marion & Ruby Keith Dave Keith

KELLY JONES LUTHERLYN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In memory of: Suzanne Clark Karen Gresh & Katy Gresh

Murphy

In memory of: Hattie, Ruth & Wilmer Johnson Debra Heggenstaller

In memory of: Kelly Christen Jones Gene & Karen Jones

In memory of: Loved Ones Liz Rohacheck

HELEN MYERS MEMORIAL MUSICIANS

In honor of: Chris, Laura & Jane Dickson Sue Dickson

And Megan Dickson

In memory of: Ruth, Hattie & Wilmer Johnson Debra Heggenstaller

In memory of: Larry D Jackson Jean & Christopher Jackson

In memory of: Helen Myers Gene & Karen Jones

In memory of: Marion & Ruby Keith Dave Keith

In memory of: Lloyd & Jeanne Miller Vicar Jane Miller

In memory of: Helen Myers Paul Myers

In memory of: Loved Ones Don & Dawn Seagren

In memory of: Parents-Morris & Winifred Widdowson Barry & Peg Widdowson

Parents-Enos & Mary Elizabeth King

EMERGENCY FUND FOR MEMBERS

In memory of: Loved Ones Liz Rohacheck

<u>CANDLES</u> GIVEN BY:

CANDELABRA CANDLES

In memory of: Carolyn Carino James Carino

In memory of: Parents - Harry & Irene Hawk Ruth Houser

In honor of: My Family & Friends Richard Lamberski

In memory of: Thom & Mary Malin Dave & Linda Malin

In honor of: Robert & Harriet Shoop Dave & Linda Malin

In memory of: Cody Scott Keith Scott & Family

PROCESSIONAL TORCHES

In memory of: Thom & Mary Malin Dave & Linda Malin

In honor of: Robert & Harriet Shoop Dave & Linda Malin

In memory of: Jackie Scott Keith Scott & Family

VOTIVE LIGHTS

In memory of: Hattie, Ruth & Wilmer Johnson Debra Heggenstaller

SANCTUARY LAMP

In memory of: Kelly Christen Jones Gene & Karen Jones

PRAY for those who suffer oppression, death, and tragedy. Please pray for those who travel. Please pray for those who serve in the armed forces and for their families. Pray for peace for all peoples.

Remember all those requesting prayer: Caroline Anderson, Ron Anderson, Tina Anderson, Mike Bash, Susan & Bob Butchkoski, Jim Carloni, Adam Chilenski, Ann Cogar, Deb Cosgrove, Jeff Davis, Paul Davis, Kalise Dugan, Ernie Fisher, Beth Ford, Carol Forster, Jen Frick, the Guella family, Bonnie Hilty, Chris Howard, Dan Howard, Diane Howard, Family of Warren & Vicki Isakow, Neil Isenberg, Family of Sue Johns (sons-Avery & Holden), Bishop Michael Lozano, Prisca Maier, Richard Malacarne, Paula Miller, Dave Nycum, Otto Family (Jill Shively-Mason-Cole), Fred Park, Loretta Piper, the Prinkey Family, Bob Reifsteck, Family of Larry Rice, Jenn Rising, Georgie Sandrowicz, Coleen Seagren, Shelby Sisco, Gladys Smith, Todd Walters, Jane Williams, Dominic Yensi, Holly.

We pray for all those currently serving in the military especially, Zachery Horner, Mark Collins, Chad Beighley and Nicole Beighley, Matthew McEldowney, Corey Feretti and Franklin Feretti, and Stephen Davis.

We also pray for comfort and peace for our homebound including Geraldine Shatzer, Marietta (Mo) Foltz and Bea Ruth.

Prayers for our family and friends is a cooperative effort

We at Zion, are privileged to pray for you and your loved ones and friends. Please be sure to let us know of your prayer requests. And it would help us so much if you could update us on the status of those on our prayer list.

We want to continue praying for those who are in need, to give thanks to God for those who have been healed and to pray for any family if they lost a loved one. That can only happen if YOU keep in touch with Zion's office and update us regularly.

You can speak to Beverly Monday through Thursday from 8 AM until 2 PM or email her at

zion.lutheran@comcast.net.

Thank you in advance for your partnership in this prayer venture.

NOTE: Zion council discussed our prayer list management at their recent monthly meeting. Council has suggested that a quarterly review be conducted on the prayer list. With that in mind we need your help in verifying that ALL who continue to need our prayer support remain on the list.

GIVING REPORT: MONTH OF DECEMBER

Needed for December operating budget: \$ 12,899.40

Received in December: \$11,810.80

Amount Still Due for December: \$ 2,259.40

Does not include end of the month giving

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Chris Dickson

Debra Heggenstaller

Jakeb Rising

Jan Cikowski

Jeanne Creps

Ken Campbell

Kevin Huston

Kevin Widdowson

Lauren Keith

Nancy Kensinger

Nathan Metzger

Olga Platt

Paula Miller

Richard Anderson

Richard Malacarne

Robert Butchkoski

Susan Butchkoski

Taylor Hochard

Thom Shively

William Frain

MINUTES OF THE CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL November 13, 2023

Call to order: 6:31

Present: Kevin Huston, Dory Campbell, Rik Wissinger, Gail Sechrist, Vicar Jane Miller, Pastor Tedd Cogar, Shirley Horner, Pernell Bowersox, Sheri Bowersox, Becky Slade, Sue Dickson, Kimberly McCullough, Kim Balcerak.

Devotions: Dory Campbell, Genesis 18: 2-5 – God in our midst, being loving and kind to others.

October minutes: Correction missed devotions Oct -Kimberly McCullough. Motion to approve (Rik/Kim)

Pastors Report:

Vicar Jane is here. Has been introduced at both services. Lay internship Committee. We need one more Zion member for this committee. Still working on that. Jane will be here until the summer when she will be doing her Clinical Pastoral time which will last 10 weeks. She will continue here in the fall.

Facebook/Web site - Sheri Bowersox

Financial Report October 2023-

YTD income is \$18,225 above budget and at 111% (goal 88.33%). Expenses are running high at 98% of budgeted expenses (goal 88.33%).

O2 accounts ZARP – propose that since ZARP projects are done move the remaining approx. \$600 to Capital Improvement. Also the Back to School Bash account is now zero so can remove that.

As noted on the paper there was a \$480 payment out of Steinway Piano Restoration 02 account. This was in error and should have come from Capital Improvement. Kevin will check with Bev.

Motion to send to audit: (Rik/Kim)

Standing Committees-

Administration and Finance- Kevin Huston

2024 Budget- Reviewed the 2024 proposed budget. A few adjustments were made on Ministry Support.

Worship & Music-The IUP Music Scholars amount was added. Also the online service expense.

The Organ repair and maintenance was reduced since it will be newly refurbished. The annual elevator maintenance expense has been greatly reduced since we have contracted with the other company.

Some discussion on Evangelism funds and Building Maintenance Fund (emergency fund).

Seeing that we have a \$21,000 surplus in in 2023 budget, council revised the proposed 2024 budget by adding \$20,000 to **budget income** from that surplus. \$10,000 will be directed to line item **Building**Maintenance fund and \$5,000 each to **Evangelism** new programing, and **Recreation & Fellowship**new programing in the 2024 budget.

Motion made to approve these changes and send to congregational meeting. (Shirley/Rik)- passed.

MINUTES OF THE CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL—cont

Staff Support - Rik Wissinger

Rik has done a 1yr evaluation and meeting with Jim. Staff contracts are prepared.

Nominating Committee – Don Seagren

There are 4 people named running for 3 positions on Council. Synod assembly has positions, Trinity 3-2-1 will stay the same, Don and Dawn Seagren have offered to be on the Endowment committee. Need positions for Admin and Finance.

Evangelism/Stewardship - Dory Campbell

This Friday is the Holiday Parade starting at 7 pm. Dory has a banner, candy canes, cards with Holiday service times to hand out. Calvary, Trinity UMC, Zion, and Christ Episcopal Church are participating.

Zion Advent event – Dec 2nd at 3pm. At Zion, this is a family event

Dory spoke of an idea to hold a monthly community meal in collaboration with Calvary at Zion. This would be 1 Friday a month 11:30- 1pm using Zion's kitchen. Staffing by Calvary. Some discussion and questions about, our liability, interference with preschool at those times, clean up. No decision.

Building use request for Calvary Staff meeting – Second Friday in Jan 12, 6-8pm building use. \$25.

Parish Education - Gail Sechrist

Bible Study continues. No report on Sunday School

Property - Becky Slade

Environmental Pest Control did our annual inspection. Fire extinguishers have also been inspected.

Furnace room support beams have been repaired, and the Borough has sealed the crack along the curb and Church Street that had allowed water to leak into the furnace room.

New Sign – waiting for delivery, possibly before the end of the month.

Terminex - The bat removal has been completed and bell tower has been sealed to prevent re- entry.

Elevator repair is done, with the elevator inspected and licensed. Operational.

Mold in kitchen storage room – Temporary treatment has been done to remove the mold, (smells better in there) and looking into a company to do sealing on the walls.

Stairway ceiling and walls - Will contact a mason for repair

Hobart contacted to check the dishwasher power booster.

Rec and Fellowship - Shirley Horner

Convocation was held in mid-October. We fed participants 2 lunches, 2 dinners and 2 breakfasts. We received many positive comments on the food and Zion's hospitality.

Funeral dinner – This last weekend for former member Larry Rice, serving approximately 20.

Congregational dinner – We have food left over from the Convocation (Lasagna, Chicken and Pretzels) that have been frozen and will be able to be served for the dinner. Asking for sides and desserts.

MINUTES OF THE CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL—cont

Social Ministry – Sue Dickson

No report

Trinity 3-2-1 Rik Wissinger

Next meeting is Nov 14th. They will be working on a Lay internship committee, we need one person from each congregation. Also discussing pay structure for Vicar Jane.

Worship & Music - Pastor Tedd Cogar

Online worship – in progress. Rik is running the lines. Waiting for work with Dobil Co. Delayed.

Organ Refurbishment – Hope to have the organ back by end of January.

Old Business – Jerry's film festival was very nice.

New Business -

Meeting adjourn -8:30 pm.

Submitted: Sue Dickson 11/15/23

ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES December 6, 2023

Call to order: 6:01 pm.

Present: Kevin Huston, Sue Dickson, Kim Balcerak, Gail Sechrist, Pernell Bowersox, Ernie Fisher, Dave

Keith, Pastor Tedd Cogar, Vicar Jane Miller

November Minutes: November minutes reviewed with one correction. Motion to approve. (Rik/Kim)

November Financial Report –

November statements were reviewed. A review was helpful to familiarize the two new members with the statements. Income is at 20% above budget. Expenses are up at about 11% more than they are budgeted for at this time, with one month left in the year. There is still a budget surplus of \$19,858.06.

Motion to approve and file for audit. (Rik/Kim)

Ongoing Facilities Projects-

Window Project – still in process for the spring

Kney Organ Refurbishment – Early spring

On line project – In Process.

Old Business-

Review of the Congregational meeting and the money items passed.

Budget:

□A General Maintenance fund will be funded by \$10,000 taken from the 2023 budget surplus of
\$20,000.
□Rec & Fellowship, and Evangelism - \$5,000 was added to each for new programing. To pay for
this \$10,000 is going to be taken from our 2023 budget surplus of \$20,000.
□Approved a donation of \$5,000 to Lutherlyn's Capital Campaign. From our Memorial fund.
□Transfer of Thrivent Investments (\$22,570.67), and the Steinway Repair Fund (\$19,002) to the
Endowment fund. They will have the same use, but will get a better return. To access this
money the church would have to have a congregational meeting and have a 2/3 vote in fa
vor from the congregation. Will move this in January 2024.

New Business - none

Discussion on next meeting date. Jan 3, 2024

Adjourned at 6:55 pm

January 2024

Date	Lay Reader	Altar Guild	Ushers	Assist. Min.	Tellers
Jan 6/7	5:30-Claudia Ditch 9:30—Gail Sechrist	Sat-AM & PM-Sharon O'Keiff Sun-Sue Dickson	5:30-Shirley Horner, Chuck Rodnicki 9:30-Tyson Ellenberger	5:30-Kim Balcerak 9:30-Rik Wissinger	Kim Balcerak
Jan 13/14	5:30-Karen Gresh 9:30-Tyson Ellenberger	Sat AM-Kathy Huston, PM-Ruth Houser Sun-Sheri Bowersox	5:30-Dave & Linda Malin 9:30-Pernell Bowersox	5:30-Rob Wilt 9:30-Stephanie Brady	Kim Balcerak
Jan 20/21	5:30-Sue Dickson 9:30-Beth Grafton	Sat-AM & PM-Maggie Dugan Sun-Becky Slade	5:30-Dave & Linda Malin 9:30-Jim Slade	5:30-Sue Dickson 9:30-Beth Grafton	Kim Balcerak
Jan 27/28	5:30-Josh Widdowson 9:30-Jenn Rising	Sat-AM-Jan Cikowski, PM -Bev Wissinger Sun-Sue Dickson	5:30-Rik & Bev Wissinger 9:30-Don & Dawn Seagren	5:30-Jenn Rising 9:30-Kevin Huston	Kim Balcerak
	Jenn Rising	Kathy Huston	5:30 Dave Malin 9:30 Dave Keith Pernell Boxwersox	Kim Balcerak	

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Office Closed/Jim Off	2	3	4 7 Adm/Fin Mtg (Special Day)	5 Zion office closed	6 5:30 Liturgy
7 9:30 Liturgy 8:30 Choir Rehearsal 10:45 Choir Rehears- al Sunday School	8 6:30 Council Mtg	9	10	11	Zion office closed 5:30-8:30 PM— Calvary Pres Mtg	13 5:30 Liturgy
14 9:30 Liturgy 8:30 Choir Rehearsal 10:45 Choir Rehears- al	15	16 7 Property Mtg	17	18	ig Zion office closed	20 5:30 Liturgy
9:30 Liturgy 8:30 Choir Rehearsal 10:45 Choir Rehears- al Sunday School	22	23 7 Worship & Music Mtg	24	25	26 Zion office closed	27 5:30 Liturgy
28 9:30 Liturgy 8:30 Choir Rehearsal 10:45 Choir Rehears- al	29	30	31 Newsletter Mailed 7 Parish Ed Mtg		Alcoholics Anony- mous meetings Wednesday eve- nings	Narcotics Anonymous meetings Sun- day evenings



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TRINITY 3-2-1 MINISTRY REPRESENTATIVES

Rik Wissinger

Barry Widdowson

ZION COUNCIL MEMBERS

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Sue Dickson (Sec)

Gail Sechrist (Treas)

Kim Balcerak (Fin Sec)

Becky Slade

Dory Campbell

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NEXT NEWSLETTER MAILED — January 31, 2024; Deadline: January 12, 2024

THERE IS NOW A LINK ON THE ZION WEBSITE TO ACCESS THE TRUMPET