

**MT Zion Baptist Church  
2019 Fisher Street Madison, WI  
Rev Dr. Marcus D. Allen, Pastor  
Trustee Board**

**Date: 14 July 2025**

**Chair: Birl Lowery**

**Vice-Chair: Vincent Rice**

**Secretary: Erika bullock**

**Meeting Day/Date/Time: Third Thursday of each month**

**MINISTRY'S FOCAL SCRIPTURE:** Genesis 43:19. So they went up to Joseph's steward and spoke to him at the entrance to the house. Matthew 25:19-20. "After a long time the master of those servants returned and settled accounts with them. The man who had received five bags of gold brought the other five. 'Master,' he said, 'you entrusted me with five bags of gold. See, I have gained five more.'

**MINISTRY'S MISSION:** To be good stewards over the blessings granted to Mt. Zion Baptist Church for the prosperity of God's kingdom.

**MINISTRY'S VISION:** Manage the finances and infrastructure of Mt. Zion Baptist Church and strengthen the financial position of the church to ensure our future and growth.

**Reflection/Summary of the Year:**

1. We continue with limited people counting the funds on Saturday mornings.
2. (A) Trustee Angie Kier arranged for installation of new flooring in the basement of the new building and cleaning of bathroom floors. (B) She also arranged for the outside of the church to be pressure washed. (C) She arranged for the carpet in the sanctuary to be shampooed. (D) She and Lowery got new landscaping (rocks to replace mulch) on the south and east side of the church. The contractor sprayed the weeds in the parking lot beds as well (no charge).
3. The person to help Brother Andy clean the church decided to not continue, but we were able to replace him with another person from our congregation. The contract is for several days to clean the church.
4. At the request of Mother Hodge, Trustees Wiggins, Deacon Richard Brown and Lowery painted the kitchen and remainder of overflow room and janitor storage room, including tile and painting floor. We anticipate further upgrades and cleaning of unnecessary items.
5. The Trustee Board has completed the Trustee Manual. Trustee Rice led the effort.
6. Lowery painted the handrails and base plates in the staircases. He also touched-up the walls in the foyer and sanctuary using existing paint.
7. Lowery installed new signs for the Academic Learning Center and the Food Pantry.
8. We are managing the church funds to get maximum interest on our savings and the building funds. We continue to oversee various grants.
9. Trustee Wiggins arranged for new gutters to be installed on the old building and this seems to have stopped water leaking into the basement.
10. Trustee Bullock installed new software on the Church Clerk computer.