



Ministry Descriptions

Zion Hope Church participates in God's plan for meeting needs through the development of various ministries that help both our congregation and others in the community. There are many opportunities for you to share your gifts, talent and time. Please review the list of ministries and be prayerful about where God may want you to serve.

1. **Agape Singles Ministry**

Encourages singles to grow strong in their faith as they live fulfilled single lives, through providing an atmosphere of fellowship, support and mutual concern.

2. **Bread of Life Ministry**

Provides and prepares food for the church and community.

3. **CANA Married Couples Activity**

Provides an opportunity for married couples to grow closer to Christ and each other through fellowship, retreats, and other social events.

4. **Christian Education**

This is the educational arm of the church, which includes Sunday School, Nursery, Bible Study, New Members Class, Before I Say 'I Do', and other classes.

5. **Women of Virtue (Formerly Christian Women's Covenant Group, aka CWCG)**

Provides women with opportunities for spiritual growth through various events and activities, while also focusing on building a strong Christian sisterhood.

6. **College Ministry**

Offers support and encouragement to college students, while also assisting them in the pursuit of education & encouraging them to fully develop their potential.

7. **Congregational Care**

Members of this ministry will be vessels of comfort (2 Corinthians 1:3-11) and encourage people to hold onto God, despite what could have a hold on them (Romans 8:28).

8. **Deacons**

Meets the needs of the congregation and provides support for the pastor.

9. **Generations of Grace Dance Ministry**

Uses the gift of dance to minister during worship services and special events (ages 9 & up).

10. **Connection Point Ministry**

Contacts new members and welcomes them to the church.

- 11. Finance Ministry**
Manages the finances of the church and exercises good stewardship.
- 12. Fine Arts Ministry**
Provides Zion Hope and the community with spiritual and entertaining events through utilizing various artistic forms.
- 13. Greeters**
Provides a warm and friendly atmosphere for all who enter the doors of Zion Hope.
- 14. Health & Wellness Ministry**
Creates various outlets to encourage and support health and wellness of the spirit, mind, and body.
- 15. Men of Valor**
Provides men with opportunities for spiritual growth through various events and activities, while also focusing on building a strong Christian brotherhood.
- 16. Missionary Ministry**
Serves Zion Hope and the community through various outreach efforts and initiatives, including the food pantry.
- 17. Music Department**
Ministry of instruments comprised of songs during worship services and special events (includes: Unrestricted Praise Team, Voices of Zion, Lambs of Zion and Male Chorus).
- 18. Nursery**
Offered during worship services and evening bible study, the nursery provides a safe and secure environment for children to learn and grow through playing (ages infant-4).
- 19. Power in Prayer (PIP)**
Provides intercessory prayer for the pastor, Zion Hope, and the community (James 5:16).
- 20. Prison Ministry**
Ministers to those who are incarcerated.
- 21. Shepherd's Care**
Provides support and encouragement to the pastor and his family.
- 22. Stitches of Praise**
Supports Zion Hope's outreach initiatives through various sewing projects.
- 23. Usher Ministries (Adult and Junior)**
Greets, welcomes, and ushers guests at Zion Hope with a friendly and warm disposition.
- 24. Security**
Provides safety and security for church activities.
- 25. Youth Ministry**
 - **CHILDREN & YOUTH (AGES 5-12)**
Partners with parents and guardians in the spiritual, social, and academic well-being of children (ages 5-12) to

help them understand and recognize the importance of knowing Christ, while equipping them to be tomorrow's leaders.

○ **TEENS (13-18)**

Partners with parents and guardians in the spiritual, social and academic well-being of teens (ages 13-18) to help them understand and recognize the importance of knowing Christ, while equipping them to be tomorrow's leaders.

26. Heal/Grief Loss

Provides support and encouragement to individuals during grief and loss. This ministry is a component of the Congregational Care Ministry.

27. Audio Ministry

Enhances worship services and special events by providing audio & technical support.

28. Facility/Maintenance Ministry

Maintains care of the church building and grounds.

29. Social Media Ministry

Uses social media platforms to share the good news and share Zion Hope's efforts to minister to the community.

30. Video Ministry

Enhances worship services and special events by providing video and video technical support.

31. Young Adult Ministry (YAM)

Provides young adults (ages 18-40) with opportunities for spiritual growth through various events and activities while, while also focusing on building a strong Christian bond.