

Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church- Waconia, Minnesota
Special Congregational Meeting Minutes- Sunday September 23, 2018

Mission: To Learn, Serve and Share the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Vision: To be a dynamic, energized worshiping community where all are growing in our relationship with Jesus Christ, one another and those beyond our walls.

Inclusive Grace. Contagious Love.

Call to Order: The congregational meeting was called to order by Lisa Moe, Council President, at 9:23 a.m. on Sunday, September 23, 2018. The meeting was briefly adjourned for all the members to move to Steiner Hall. The meeting was reconvened at 9:34 am.

Pastor Dale opened the meeting with prayer.

Purpose of Special Congregational Meeting: To receive congregational approval to extend a call for Associate pastor candidate Katie Escalante.

Lisa thanked the call committee member and the congregation gave a round of applause. Call Committee members are:

John Bruellman, Chair

Richard Scott, Council Liaison

Debbie Bussler

Charley Streiff

Teresa Shields

Matt Woelfel

Jamie Berstrom

Quinn Wambeke (Youth Rep)

Madison Sweeney (Youth Rep)

Lisa invited Richard Scott, Teresa Shields & Matt Woelfel to present the information about the candidate, Katie Escalate to the congregation.

Pastor Dale closed the presentation with his recommendations to extend the call.

Motion was made by Bruce Tollefson to extend a call for Associate Pastor candidate Katie Escalate. 2nd made by Ray Haugen.

The congregation voted by ballot.

120 yes

0 no

The motion was passed.

Katie will be ordained later in October at St. Andrews church in EP. We anticipate Katie starting as Pastoral Assistant until her official ordination.

Motion to close the meeting was made by Tom Pierson. Second by Jess Bergstrom.
Meeting concluded at 9:50 am.