



EVANGELICAL FELLOWSHIP CHURCH

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- Church renovations are underway.
- The church’s original construction blue prints have been located.
- Minutes will continue to be posted on the EFC website after they are reviewed and approved. However, new initiative was approved to create a brief, point-form summary of the minutes which will be emailed to congregants on the EFC email list.
- A stove from EFC’s church kitchen in Edmonton was transported to Camp Evansburg to replace a defective stove. A new stove for the Edmonton church kitchen will be purchased.
- The parsonage sewer line was relined and a backwater valve will also be installed. These measures should resolve the problem of sewage backing up into the parsonage basement.
- Council reviewed EFC’s COVID-19 protocols.
- There was a discussion about communion formats. Some congregants prefer the communion kits. Others can’t wait to have communion in the traditional way again.
- The EFC Pastoral Search Committee met with Glenn Peterson from ECCC on August 9.
- Ladies’ birthday lunches are suspended due to COVID-19.
- Next Council meetings - September 21 and October 4

Summary of Church Council Meeting Minutes - September 21, 2021

- This was a short auxiliary council meeting to complete the business outlined on the September 13 agenda that could not be attended to on September 13.
- Two individuals have expressed interest in EFC membership and another has requested a church mailbox. The revised membership form is being finalized and will be ready by October 4.
- Pastor Jesse’s fixed-term contract will be amended to full-time until his contract ends in the fall of 2022. The congregation will be informed through a letter/email. The matter will also be a topic on the AGM agenda.
- Council discussed plans for the AGM, which is scheduled for October 17. The AGM date will be announced at church on Sunday, October 3, and a letter/email will also be drafted to inform the congregation.
- Next Council meeting - October 4

The complete approved minutes can be accessed on the EFC website at this location: <https://www.efcedmonton.org/>. Go to the “Congregation” link at the top of the screen and select “Minutes” from the drop-down menu. Then enter the password: EFC1953