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United States Bankruptcy Court District of Maryland					Voluntary Petition				
Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle): Sacred Zion Church, Inc.			Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle):						
All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):			All Other Names used by the Joint Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):						
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.I. EIN (if more than one, state all): <b>52-1962072</b>	D. (ITIN) No./C	Complete		Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN) No./Complete EIN (if more than one, state all):					
Street Address of Debtor (No. & Street, City, State & 2 346 N. Denison Street	Zip Code):		Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. & Street, City, State & Zip Code):						
Baltimore, MD	ZIPCODE <b>21229</b>		ZIPCODE					IPCODE	
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Busin <b>Baltimore City</b>	less:		County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business:						
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street add	lress)		Mailing Address of Joint Debtor (if different from street address):						
	ZIPCODE						ZIPCODE		
Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if dif	ferent from str	eet address at	pove):				I		
							Z	IPCODE	
<b>Type of Debtor</b> (Form of Organization) (Check <b>one</b> box.)		Nature of B (Check on			Chapter of Bankruptcy Code Under Which the Petition is Filed (Check one box.)			Check one box.)	
<ul> <li>☐ Individual (includes Joint Debtors) See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form.</li> <li>☑ Corporation (includes LLC and LLP)</li> <li>☐ Partnership</li> <li>☐ Other (If debtor is not one of the above entities,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Health Care Business</li> <li>Single Asset Real Estate as defined in 1 U.S.C. § 101(51B)</li> <li>Railroad</li> <li>Stockbroker</li> <li>Commodity Broker</li> </ul>			n 11	□ Chapter 7       □ Chapter 15 Petition for         □ Chapter 9       Recognition of a Foreign         ☑ Chapter 11       Main Proceeding         □ Chapter 12       □ Chapter 15 Petition for         □ Chapter 13       Recognition of a Foreign         Nonmain Proceeding       Nonmain Proceeding				
check this box and state type of entity below.)	ck this box and state type of entity below.) ☐ Clearing Bank ✓ Other Tax-Exemp (Check box, if ✓ Debtor is a tax-exemp Title 26 of the United Internal Revenue Code			Entitydebts, defined in 11 U.S.C.business debts.pplicable.)§ 101(8) as "incurred by anorganization underindividual primarily for atates Code (thepersonal, family, or house-				oox.) ✓ Debts are primarily	
Filing Fee (Check one box)		Chapter 11 Debtors							
Full Filing Fee attached			box: s a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D).						
Filing Fee to be paid in installments (Applicable to i only). Must attach signed application for the court's consideration certifying that the debtor is unable to except in installments. Rule 1006(b). See Official F	Check if: Debtor's than \$2,3	<ul> <li>Debtor is not a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D).</li> <li>Check if:</li> <li>Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts owed to non-insiders or affiliates are less than \$2,343,300 (amount subject to adjustment on 4/01/13 and every three years thereafter).</li> </ul>							
<ul> <li>Filing Fee waiver requested (Applicable to chapter 7 individuals only). Must attach signed application for the court's consideration. See Official Form 3B.</li> <li>Check all applicable boxes:         <ul> <li>A plan is being filed with this petition</li> <li>A cceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b).</li> </ul> </li> </ul>									
Statistical/Administrative Information       THIS SPACE IS FOR         ✓ Debtor estimates that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors.       COURT USE ONLY         ☐ Debtor estimates that, after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses paid, there will be no funds available for distribution to unsecured creditors.       COURT USE ONLY									
Estimated Number of Creditors           Image: Strength of Creditors			] 0,001- 5,000	25,001- 50,000		□ 50,001- 100,000	Over 100,000		
Estimated Assets \$0 to \$50,001 to \$100,001 to \$500,001 to \$1,00 \$50,000 \$100,000 \$500,000 \$1 million \$10 m		000,001 \$5 0 million \$1	50,000,001 to	100,00 to \$500		500,000,001 to \$1 billion	More than \$1 billion		
Estimated Liabilities		000,001 \$5 0 million \$1	] 50,000,001 to .00 million	□ \$100,00 to \$500		500,000,001 to \$1 billion	More than \$1 billion		

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Iuntary PetitionName of Debtor(s):is page must be completed and filed in every case)Sacred Zion Church, Inc.				
Prior Bankruptcy Case Filed Within Last 8	Years (If more than two, attach a	additional sheet)		
Location Where Filed: <b>None</b>	Case Number:	Date Filed:		
Location Where Filed:	Case Number:	Date Filed:		
Pending Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner or	Affiliate of this Debtor (If mor	re than one, attach additional sheet)		
Name of Debtor: None	Case Number:	Date Filed:		
District:	Relationship:	Judge:		
Exhibit A (To be completed if debtor is required to file periodic reports (e.g., forms 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is requesting relief under chapter 11.)	(To be completed i whose debts are pr I, the attorney for the petitioner n that I have informed the petition chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of titl explained the relief available und	<b>chibit B</b> if debtor is an individual imarily consumer debts.) named in the foregoing petition, declare er that [he or she] may proceed under le 11, United States Code, and have der each such chapter. I further certify ne notice required by § 342(b) of the		
	x			
	Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)	Date		
or safety? ☐ Yes, and Exhibit C is attached and made a part of this petition. ✓ No Exhi (To be completed by every individual debtor. If a joint petition is filed, ea ☐ Exhibit D completed and signed by the debtor is attached and ma If this is a joint petition: ☐ Exhibit D also completed and signed by the joint debtor is attached	ach spouse must complete and attac de a part of this petition.	ch a separate Exhibit D.)		
<ul> <li>Information Regardin (Check any ap Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal place of preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180</li> <li>□ There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general p</li> <li>□ Debtor is a debtor in a foreign proceeding and has its principal place or has no principal place of business or assets in the United States bin this District, or the interests of the parties will be served in reg.</li> </ul>	pplicable box.) of business, or principal assets in thi days than in any other District. partner, or partnership pending in t ace of business or principal assets i but is a defendant in an action or pro-	his District. in the United States in this District, preceding [in a federal or state court]		
Certification by a Debtor Who Reside		Property		
(Check all app) Landlord has a judgment against the debtor for possession of deb		omplete the following.)		
(Name of landlord or less	or that obtained judgment)			
(Address of lan ☐ Debtor claims that under applicable nonbankruptcy law, there are the entire monetary default that gave rise to the judgment for poss	e circumstances under which the de			
Debtor has included in this petition the deposit with the court of a filing of the petition.	any rent that would become due du	ring the 30-day period after the		
Debtor certifies that he/she has served the Landlord with this cert	ification. (11 U.S.C. § 362(1)).			

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<b>Voluntary Petition</b> ( <i>This page must be completed and filed in every case</i> )	Name of Debtor(s): Sacred Zion Church, Inc.				
Signa	itures				
Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint)	Signature of a Foreign Representative				
B1 (Official Form 1) (4/10) Voluntary Petition (This page must be completed and filed in every case) Signat Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint) I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct. [If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts and has chosen to file under Chapter 7] I am aware that I may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12 or 13 of file 11, United State Code, understand the relief available under each such chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12 or 13 of file 11, United State Code, understand the relief available under each such chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7. If no attorney represents me and no bankruptcy petition preparer signs the petition] I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b). I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition. X Signature of Debtor X Signature of Debtor X Signature of Joint Debtor Telephone Number (If not represented by attorney) Date Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) Robert W. Thompson 01754 Law Office of Robert W. Thompson 134 Holiday Ct., Ste. 301 Annapolis, MD 21401-7008 (410) 841-5060 Fax: (410) 224-4020 S0bob@msn.com <sup>4</sup> na case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, this signature also constitutes a certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules is incorrect. Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership) I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, and that 1 have been authorized to file this petition is true and correct, and that 1 have been authorized to file this petition is true and correct, and that 1 have been authorized to file this petition is true and correct, and that 1 have been authorized to file this petition is true and correct, and that 1 have been authorized to file this petition is true and correct, an	I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, that I am the foreign representative of a debtor in a foreign proceeding, and that I am authorized to file this petition. (Check only <b>one</b> box.) □ I request relief in accordance with chapter 15 of title 11, United States Code. Certified copies of the documents required by 11 U.S.C. § 1515 are attached. □ Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1511, I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11 specified in this petition. A certified copy of the order granting recognition of the foreign main proceeding is attached. X				
	Printed Name of Foreign Representative				
	Date				
Date					
Signature of Attorney*	Signature of Non-Attorney Petition Preparer				
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) Robert W. Thompson 01754 Law Office of Robert W. Thompson 134 Holiday Ct., Ste. 301 Annapolis, MD 21401-7008 (410) 841-5060 Fax: (410) 224-4020 50bob@msn.com	I declare under penalty of perjury that: 1) I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110; 2) I prepared this document for compensation and have provided the debtor with a copy of this document and the notices and information required under 11 U.S.C. §§ 110(b), 110(h) and 342(b); 3) if rules or guidelines have been promulgated pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 110(h) setting a maximum fee for services chargeable by bankruptcy petition preparers, I have given the debtor notice of the maximum amount before preparing any document for filing for a debtor or accepting any fee from the debtor, as required in that section. Official Form 19 is attached. Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer Social Security Number (If the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual, state the Social Security number of the officer, principal, responsible person or partner of the bankruptcy petition preparer.) (Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.)				
*In a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, this signature also constitutes a certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry that the	Address				
Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership)	X				
petition is true and correct, and that I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor. The debtor requests relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11,	Signature of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose social security number is provided above.           Date           Names and Social Security numbers of all other individuals who				
	prepared or assisted in preparing this document unless the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual:				
	If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets conforming to the appropriate official form for each person. A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment or both 11 U.S.C. § 110; 18 U.S.C. § 156.				

Debtor(s)

#### United States Bankruptcy Court District of Maryland

IN RE:

Sacred Zion Church, Inc.

Case No.

Chapter 11

### LIST OF CREDITORS HOLDING 20 LARGEST UNSECURED CLAIMS

Following is the list of the debtor's creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims. The list is prepared in accordance with Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(d) for filing in this chapter 11 [or chapter 9] case. The list does not include (1) persons who come within the definition of "insider" set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 101, or (2) secured creditors unless the value of the collateral is such that the unsecured deficiency places the creditor among the holders of the 20 largest unsecured claims. If a minor child is one of the creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims, state the child's initials and the name and address of the child's parent or guardian, such as "A.B., a minor child, by John Doe, guardian." Do not disclose the child's name. See, 11 U.S.C. §112 and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(m).

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Name of creditor and complete mailing address including zip code	Name, telephone number and complete mailing address, including zip code, of employee, agent or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted	Nature of claim (trade debt, bank loan, government contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed or subject to setoff	Amount of claim (if secured also state value of security)
New Fellowship Bible Church & Ministries C/O Stephen J. Kleeman 401 Washington Avenue, Suite 800 Towson, MD 21204		contract		990,000.00
SMS FINANCIAL 6829 N. 12TH STREET PHOENIX, AZ 85014		MORTGAGE		521,000.00 Collateral: 407,000.00 Unsecured: 114,000.00
DRYADE BANK 3875 GENERAL DEGRULLE DR NEW ORLEANS, LA 70114		credit cards		8,000.00
HOME DEPOT 9051 Snowden River Parkway Columbia, MD 21046				3,500.00
AZ HEATING 4419 41ST STREET BRENTWOOD, MD 20772		repairs		2,680.00
DELL FINANCIAL P.O. BOX 81577 AUSTIN, TX 78708				2,125.00
ADVANCE BUSINESS SYSTEMS 10755 YORK ROAD COCKEYSVILLE, MD 21030				639.00
PITNEY BOWES 901 E STREET NW WASHINGTON, DC 20004				512.44
BGE HOME 1409 A TANGIER DRIVE BALTIMORE, MD 21220				277.70
DIVINE COVENANT SERVICE 9 MIDDLEVIEW COURT WINDSOR MILLS, MD 21244		repairs organ		250.00
CRIMETIME 12582 INDIAN HILL SYKESVILLE, MD 21784		alarm system		200.00

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#### DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF A CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP

I, [the president *or* other officer *or* an authorized agent of the corporation][*or* a member *or* an authorized agent of the partnership] named as the debtor in this case, declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing list and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Date: March 26, 2014

Signature: /s/ Bertha Greene

Bertha Greene, President

(Print Name and Title)

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