

# BIBLE CLASSES & EVENTS

**Sunday Morning Worship**  
In - Person & Online Worship 9:00 A.M. CST  
Sunday Bible Class 10:45 AM CST

**Sunday Morning Adult Classes**  
Parables of Jesus—Sanctuary  
Sisters Class—Rm 214, Meeting ID: 834 0473 5829  
Mother's Support—Every 3rd Sunday Room 214  
Men's Class—Rm 215  
Colossians and Beyond—RC Gym Floor  
Zoom ID: 832 9230 3675  
New Converts' Class—Resource Center—Room 1  
827 6650 6811  
Questions and Answers Bible Class—Library  
Young Adults / College - Resource Center—Rm 217  
869 7803 4404  
Singles Bible Class —Resource Center Gym Area  
(Last Classroom)

**Sunday Morning Youth Bible Classes**  
Nursey (Infants to one year) RC 1st Floor  
Beginners 1 (2 & 3 yr. old) RC 1st Floor  
Beginners 2 (4 & 5 yr. old) RC 1st Floor  
1st Grade—Room 202 2nd Grade—Room 204  
3rd Grade—Room 206 4th Grade—Room 207  
5th Grade—Room 201 5th-8th Grade—Room 213  
9th–12th Grade—Girls Class Only Room 218  
9th–12th Grade—Boys Class Only Room 206

**Sister's Monday Conference Call Devotion**  
10:00 AM, Conference Call  
Phone: 978-990-5276 / PIN: 644431#

**Wednesday Night Adult Classes 7:00 PM**  
The Christian and His Influence - RC Gym Floor  
Zoom Meeting ID: 848 8155 3999  
Directions for the Road Ahead—Sanctuary Livestream  
New Converts' Class Resource Center Conference Rm.  
Young Adults / College Class—RC Room 217  
Questions and Answers Bible Class (Visitors)—Library  
Reaching the Lost—Room 207

**Wednesday Night ZOOM Youth Bible Classes**  
Grade 3th—8th —Zoom ID 847 3269 1803  
Grade 9th—12th—Zoom ID 837 7193 8817

**Wednesday In Person Bible Classes**  
Beginners 2 (4 & 5 yr. old) - 1st Floor  
1st Grade & 2nd Grade—Room 204  
3rd – 5th Grade—Room 208  
6th Grade—Room 203

Christian Counseling ALL NEEDS

FWCOC has partnered with Transformed Therapy for all Christian counseling needs of any nature.

FOR APPOINTMENTS Please Call the elder on call at 281-788-5507

GET HELP NOW



Counseling Corner



You're Invited

FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

SUNDAY - SEPT 28th @ 9AM

'IF YOU LOVE ME'

RAJAMAIL DAVIS

ASSISTANT MINISTER

FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP

SEPT 28 @6PM

You're Invited

'TRUST THE PROCESS'


BRO. REGGIE DORROUGH

SPEAKER



CHRISTIAN WOMEN

AREA-WIDE FELLOWSHIP



SATURDAY  
OCTOBER 11, 2025  
2-3:30 p.m.

All ladies of the Church of Christ congregations in Houston & Surrounding areas are invited

Join us for a pep rally fellowship designed to encourage, unite and celebrate our theme!

Each congregation is invited to "Cheer Up Our Faith " 3 minutes please.


Please have your cheer team to RSVP to Florence Wiggins fawiggins@att.net | 832-229-2115

Hosted by: Garden Oaks Church of Christ, South Union Church of Christ, Area-wide Churches of Christ in Houston TX



## SUNDAY BULLETIN

[www.FWCOC.org](http://www.FWCOC.org)  
**IN HIS SERVICE**  
FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST

Welcome  
  
2025

### SUNDAY SERVICES

Morning Worship Service / In Person and Livestream: 9:00 a.m.  
In Person & Zoom Sunday Bible Classes: 10:45 a.m.  
In Person & Livestream Evening Service: 6:00 p.m.

**Sunday "Spiritual Food" Television Program:** 10:30 a.m.

Comcast: channel 17 AT& T U-Verse: channel 99  
TV Max: channel 95 Sudden Link: channel 99

### WEEKLY

Sister's Monday Conference Call: 10:00 a.m. 978-990-5276 / 644431#  
In Person & Zoom Wednesday Adult Bible Class: 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Youth, College & Young Professionals: 7:00 p.m.

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[www.youtube.com/c/FifthWardChurchofChrist](http://www.youtube.com/c/FifthWardChurchofChrist)

Welcome to the Fifth Ward Church of Christ. We have been waiting for you. God always has room for one more. If you have any questions, or need assistance of any kind, please see one of the ushers or greeters. Let us offer up a worship service that will bring glory and honor to our great God. Thank you for coming and come back real soon.

**Elders:**  
Curtis Doyle  
Barry Gibson  
Leroy Mobley  
Leonard Patterson  
Otis Phillips  
**Minister:**  
Gary Smith  
**Assistant Minister:**  
Rajamail Davis  
**Ministers:**  
Dennis Murphy  
**Youth Ministers:**  
Darrell Criss  
Patrick Thompkins

**Deacons:**  
Chacun Anderson  
Brandon Banks  
Dondi Bernard  
Robert Birdow  
Terry Bradley  
Darrell Criss  
Craig Curtis  
Arzell Draine  
William Fortson  
Victor Frazier  
Michael Glover  
Joseph Goudeau

**Deacons:**  
Larry Hamilton  
William Hamilton  
Raymond Hooks Jr.  
Marcus Jackson  
Douglas Jefferson  
Timothy Jones  
Mark Martin  
Lamar McWaine  
Michael Milton  
Samuel Obiomon  
Sean Perrodin  
Christopher Phillips

**Deacons:**  
Evan Powers  
Edward Redeaux  
Demeco Ryans  
Patrick Thompkins  
Roy Thompson  
Desmond Trotter  
Anthony White  
Harvey White  
A.W. Willis  
David Willis  
Wayne Wilson  
Norval Young

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ORDER OF SERVICE

Sunday, September 28, 2025		
	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Opening Prayer.....	Khari Long	
Song Leader.....	Lamar Davis	Lamar Davis
Scripture.....	Carl Dewalt	David Hill
Prayer.....	Carl Dewalt	David Hill
Speaker.....	Rajamail Davis	Reggie Dorrough
Confession/Prayer...	William Hamilton	William Hamilton
Communion.....	Aaron Ward	Norval Young
Offering .....	Aaron Ward	Norval Young
Announcements.....	Desmond Trotter	Desmond Trotter
Elder Remarks.....	Leonard Patterson	Leonard Patterson
Closing Prayer.....	Johnny Burrell	Christopher Carr
Week Ending	09/21/2025	
Wed. Night Bible Class / LS / In-Person	588	
Sun. Bible Class In-Person	620	
9:00 AM Livestream	1150	
In -Person Worship	786	
Children’s Worship	114	
Total Sunday Attendance	2050	
6:00 PM / LS / In-Person	559 / 172	

REQUEST FOR BAPTISM

Wherever you are in your walk with God, we have a place for you and your family. God’s mission is our mission; making and maturing disciples. If you are interested in getting baptized or leaning more, please do not hesitate to email us at [bulletin@fwcoc.org](mailto:bulletin@fwcoc.org) or [prayer@fwcoc.org](mailto:prayer@fwcoc.org)

**Baptism Schedule**  
**September 28**  
Brandon Banks

**October 5**  
Lamar McWaine

**October 12**  
Chacun Anderson

**October 19**  
Desmond Trotter

You can also connect via Facebook Messenger, All Calls are Welcomed. Leave a voicemail at **713-672-2654** if you or a friend would like to be baptized.

ONLINE GIVING / COUNSELING CORNER

**ONLINE GIVING**

[www.fwcoc.org/online-giving](http://www.fwcoc.org/online-giving)



Online Giving

**SEPTEMBER IS SUICIDE & CRISIS MONTH** (Scan the QR Code)

**COUNSELING CORNER**

Check it out [www.fwcoc.org/resource-center/twcoc-counseling-corner/](http://www.fwcoc.org/resource-center/twcoc-counseling-corner/)

**STRESSED?**

THE COUNSELING MINISTRY



HOME / HOSPITAL PRAYER REQUEST

**HEMECARE & ILL**

Allen, Robert and Lettie  
Ashley, Joan  
Brown, Herman  
Conner, Rosie  
Foy, Margaret  
Gilliam, Maddie  
Godfrey, Dorothy  
Hall, Reginald  
Hamilton, Barbara  
Irving, Frankie  
Jackson, Ira Faye  
Johnson, Pearl  
Laws, Herbert “Buck”  
Lamb, Tracie  
Larkin, Huretta  
Milton, Herbert  
Muckelroy, Jasper, Dianne  
Powers, Robert & Gwen  
Sims, Doris  
Tarver, Jewel  
Twitty, Colodis  
Thomas, Jimmy & Jackie  
Thomas, Rodney  
Thompson, Cora  
Warren, Evelyn  
Washington, Leatha  
Washington, Lurlene  
Washington, Rodessa  
Webster, Linda  
Whitfield, Judy  
Young, Vivian

**HOSPITAL SICK**

Liberty Adams  
Doris Hill -Brookdale Senior Liv.  
Viola Fisher -Woodland Park Manor Hospital  
Ira Turner Jr.  
Dale Dockery  
Doug Hamilton  
Joyce Johnson- HCA West  
James Cook III  
Mary Ann Williams  
Ruhama Williams  
Mandel Johnson Jr.  
Christopher Alexander  
George Washington  
Legend Oaks Healthcare N.W.  
8902 W. West Rd. 77064

**PRAYER REQUEST**

Gerri Ford  
Wiley Henry  
Jessica Lee  
Phoenix Gentry  
Brenda Banks  
Carol White  
Paul Joseph  
Myrtle Haskett  
Patrick Guillory  
Stephen Van  
Robert Green  
Cornelius Evans  
Tina Williams  
Christine Robinson  
Flora Foster-12306 San Lucia River Dr. 77050  
Kirven McKissic Family

**Sick & Shut-In Privacy Act**

Sick and Shut-In Members addresses will no longer be listed in the bulletin. Please call the church office for information and your encouragement needs.

Curlia Bryant  
Olujabar Lane  
Stephanie Cain  
Willie & Gloria Majors  
Eleanor Mapps  
Larnell Johnson  
Vernon Fletcher  
Spencer McGinnis  
Gladys McGinnis  
Roderick Nelms  
Mary Edwards  
Marian Henderson  
Curlie Bryant  
Taifa Perry  
Vernon Fletcher  
Flossie Pannell  
Cotina Broussard  
Lawanda Williams  
Anthony L. Smith  
Calvin Alexander  
Joseph Alexander  
Kennedy Coleman

**TUESDAY MORNING CONFERENCE CALL**

Call: 609-663-1424

Join Us 5 minutes of Great Inspiration Every Tuesday Morning at 5:30 a.m.

This week’s speaker  
**Bro. Patrick Thompkins**

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP SERVICE

**CHILDREN’S WORSHIP SERVICE**  
**Sunday, September 28, 2025 9:00 AM**  
PARENTS: (Please check in your child or children in Children’s Worship before leaving).

**YOUTH DEVOTION & FELLOWSHIP**




**IN HIS SERVICE Youth DEVOTIONAL & FELLOWSHIP AGES 12-18**


You're Invited **SUN. SEPT 28th**  
12:30pm to 5:00pm

**FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST RESOURCE CENTER - GYM**  
REGISTRATION IN REALM will be available

WE EXTEND OUR LOVE AND SYMPATHY TO




**Herbert Milton Sr. and Family** 9930 Camay Dr., Houston, TX 77016 (4) on the passing of his wife, **Sis. Gwendolyn Milton**. Her viewing is 9:00am, followed by funeral service 11:00am, Monday, September 29, 2025 at Fifth Ward Church of Christ. Livestream available on church website [www.fwcoc.org/livestream](http://www.fwcoc.org/livestream) Internment @ Brookside Cemetery Funeral Home. Services entrusted to Gabriel Funeral Home.




**Eulalia, (Eula) Lisa Christopher, Jason and Janis Roberson and Family** 8742 Sorrel Meadows Dr. Tomball, TX 77375 (4) on the passing of her husband and their father, **Bro. James Roberson**. Viewing is 8:30am—9:00am, Funeral service is 9:30am, Wednesday, October 1, 2025 at Fifth Ward Church of Christ. Livestream will be available on the church website. Services entrusted to Boyd Funeral Directors. Internment: Earthman Cemetery.

**Deborah Breaux Mathis and Family** 8615 Haynes St. Houston, TX 77088 on the passing of her husband to **Bennie Phlegm and Family**, 2441 W. Little York Rd, 77091 (6) her brother-in-law, **Leo Mathis**. Viewing is 10:00am, Funeral is 11:00am, Friday, October 3, 2025 at Highland Heights Church of Christ, 1005 W. Little York Rd, 77091. Services entrusted to Boyd Funeral Directors. Internment service at Veterans Memorial Cemetery.

**Mary Milton** on the passing of her husband, **Royal Milton**. Also to **Ola Davis**, 6422 Health St. 77016 (4). **Herbert, Michael, Shirlette, Jean and Craig Milton** their brother. Viewing is 9am, Memorial service is 11am, Saturday, October 4, 2025 at St. Peter Claver Church, 6005 N. Wayside Dr. Houston, TX 77028. Services entrusted to Gabriel Funeral Home, 3800 Memorial Blvd. Port Arthur, TX 409-983-6661



**Vincent, (Tonya), Patricia and Christopher McKinney and Family** 15207 Benson Landing Dr. Cypress, TX 77429 on the passing of their mother, **Sis. Karen McKinney**. Viewing:11:00am. Funeral services: 12:00pm, Saturday, October 4, 2025 at Fifth Ward Church of Christ. Livestream available on church website. Services entrusted to Boyd Funeral Directors.



The family of **Bro. Micheal Price Sr.** Arrangements are pending. Services entrusted to Allen Dave Funeral Home. 713-480-2966.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**STRATEGY MEETING FOR EMERGENCY**

There will be a strategy meeting for the church’s Emergency Planning System on Saturday, **October 4<sup>th</sup> from 8 am -11 am.** A light breakfast will be served. We are calling for attendance of all volunteers from the Health/Wellness & Security Ministries along with our Deacons, Ushers, active and retired Firefighters and Police Officers. For questions, please see Bro. Leroy Mobley, Bro. Leonard Patterson, or Bro. Barry Gibson.

**SEVEN HOMES BIBLE STUDY**

We are calling for members from all Zones to volunteer to host an In-Home Bible Study on **Friday, October 10, 2025.** Dinner will be potluck, and sign-up sheets will be made available soon.

**THANK YOU FIFTH WARD**

We are so grateful for our Church family. Fifth Ward we thank you for your love and kindness during the loss of my nephew. All the cards, texts, calls and prayers are greatly appreciated. As we continue to mourn recent deaths and love ones, please continue to keep the Phlegm and Breaux Families in your prayers.

**Sis. Bennie Phlegms & Family**

I am appreciative for everyone who came to visit with her on last Sunday. I pray that God will continue to bless those who are not able to come and worship at the building.

**Sis. Vivian Young**

**LADIES MONDAY BIBLE CLASS NO Class!** Ladies are encouraged to attend the scheduled funeral in support of the Milton Family on **Monday, September 29th.**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

**Nehemiah Blackburn**—September 28  
**Nathaniel Blackburn**—September 28  
Erin Lee – September 29  
Ivy Simon – September 29  
Doris Simms – September 29  
Kyndal Gardner—September 29  
Maisha Stroud – September 29  
Justin Lee – September 30  
Lisa Decuir – September 30  
Judy Whitfield—September 30  
Preston Milton—September 30  
Ce'Mon Johnson—September 30  
Tim Jones – October 1  
Arlon Clark—October 1  
David E. Hill—October 1  
Shirley Austin – October 1  
Patricia Adams – October 1  
Helen Benjamin – October 1  
Alfonso Lesesne—October 2  
Chester Bolden—October 2  
Rachel Thompson—October 2  
Willie Spriggs—October 3  
Verma Draine – October 3  
Trinity Randall—October 3  
Yolanda King—October 3  
Madison Frazier—October 3  
Jada Higgins – October 4  
Bailey Bernard—October 4  
  
Vernon & Patricia Lewis  
24 years on September 28  
  
Jeremiah and Shauntae Hall  
21 years on October 2

**ELDER'S CORNER**

**Elder Member Assignment According to your Last Name**

Curtis Doyle A,B,C,D,E  
Barry Gibson F,G,H,I,J  
Leroy Mobley K,L,M,N,O  
Leonard Patterson P,Q,R,S,T  
Otis Phillips U,V,W,X,Y,Z

**Friday – Sunday,**  
September 26-28, 2025  
**Leonard Patterson**  
[lpatterson21947@gmail.com](mailto:lpatterson21947@gmail.com)  
832-298-7320

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

Members may request prayer anytime (24/7) by e-mailing your request to [pray-er@fwcoc.org](mailto:pray-er@fwcoc.org)

**MINISTRY EXPANSION**

If giving by check, please write 'Ministry Expansion' in memo section, and envelope, with name & amount.

**ATTENTION ALL**  
Fifth Ward Church Of Christ Members

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**SATURDAY**  
**OCTOBER 25, 2025**  
**9:00 AM – 12:00 PM**

4308 STONEWALL ST  
HOUSTON, TX 77020

Sponsored by:  
The Seasoned Saints Ministry

**“PLANNING TODAY FOR A SAFE AND SECURE TOMORROW”**

**REGISTER IN REALM**  
SEPT. 28<sup>th</sup> - OCT 24<sup>th</sup>

**GUEST SPEAKERS**  
Harris County Sheriff's Department  
Crime Prevention  
Crime Prevention For Seniors and All Ages  
Attorney Heidi Weelborg  
Planning and Protecting Your Estate:  
Things You Need to Know

**Marriage Pearls**

**WEDNESDAYS @7PM**

TEACHERS:  
GARY SMITH, DAVID BOURGEOIS,  
SEAN PERRODIN, AND DERRICK HARRIS

**IN-PERSON (GYM) Resource Center**

**ZOOM MEETING ID**  
**826 4169 0307**

- Oct 1 A SOLID ROCK FOUNDATION - D. Harris
- Oct 8 Our Best Days - D. Harris
- Oct 15 What's Really Going On - G. Smith
- Oct 22 Wanna Get Away - G. Smith
- Oct 29 Tell Me What You Want - G. Smith
- Nov 5 It Takes Two to Tangle - D. Bourgeois
- Nov 12 Scheduled Tune Ups - D. Bourgeois
- Nov 19 Painful Days - D. Bourgeois
- Nov 26 COMBINED CLASSES
- Dec 3 Realistic Money Goals - S. Perrodin
- Dec 10 Cures For Boredom - S. Perrodin
- Dec 17 Our Spiritual Journey - G. Smith
- Dec 23 COUPLES FELLOWSHIP

**LEARN MORE**

**OUR NEW BUILDING PROJECT**  
WE BELIEVE

