

BIBLE CLASSES & EVENTS

SUNDAY BULLETIN

You're Invited
APRIL 19th @ 9am

SPEAKER
BRO. GARY SMITH

Join Us Online or In-person
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FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

TOPIC:
GROWING PT3
 'LEARNING FROM THE CORINTHIANS'

Congratulations
DEDRIC AND AMANDA BULLOCK
 on the birth of their baby girl

LENNOX SIMONE BULLOCK

Born Thursday, APRIL 7th, 2026
 She weighed 5 lbs 6oz; Length: 14 inches

Mom and Baby are doing well.

You're Invited
APRIL 19th @ 6pm

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SPEAKER
BRO. RAYMOND HOOKS III

FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST
SUNDAY NIGHT WORSHIP

TITLE:
SHE CONSIDERS A FIELD AND BUYS IT: GODLY INVESTING IN ACTION

FINANCIAL LITERACY Expo

Empowering You with Knowledge. Equipping You for Generational Wealth.

APRIL 25TH | 10AM - 2PM

REGISTRATION STARTS AT 9AM

2 SESSIONS, 6 TOTAL TOPICS TO CHOOSE FROM:

- Basic Money Management
- Estate Planning
- VA Benefits to Claim
- Business 101
- Life Insurance to Legacy
- Diversify Your Financial Portfolio
- Retirement Planning

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT SESSIONS:

- Budgeting 101
- Entrepreneurial / Startup Business

NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

LUNCH PROVIDED

★ RSVP IN REALM ★

PRESENTED BY F.E.E.D Ministry
 4308 Stonewall Houston, TX 77020

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

Sunday Morning Adult Classes
 The Flesh and the Spirit—Sanctuary

Mother's Support Class—Every 3rd Sunday
 Class is on ZOOM Meeting ID: 834 0473 5829 Room 213

Biblical Principles of Personal Finance Class—Room 214
 Zoom Meeting ID: 814 9233 0913

Timothy and Beyond—Resource Center Gym Floor
 Zoom ID: 832 9230 3675

New Converts' Class—Resource Center—Room 1
 Zoom: 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

Sunday Morning Youth Bible Classes

Nursery (Infants to one year) RC—1st Floor

Beginners I (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#

Spanish FREE Online Class 7:00 PM

Meeting ID: 860 5733 0049

Wednesday Night Adult Classes 7:00 PM

The Forgotten Side of the Gospel—Sanctuary

New Converts Class—RC Room 2

Young Adults / College Class—RC Room 217

Zoom ID: 869 7803 4404

Questions and Answers Bible Class (Visitors)—Library
 Things That Accompany Salvation—RC Room 1

Zoom ID: 813 1111 0550

Marriage Do's and Don'ts—RC—Gym Floor

Meeting Zoom ID:813 4744 2510

Wednesday Night ZOOM Youth Bible Classes 7:00

Grade 3th—8th —Zoom ID 847 3269 1803

Grade 9th—12th—Zoom ID 837 7193 8817

Wednesday In Person Bible Classes 7:00PM

Beginners 2 (4 & 5 yr. old) - 1st Floor

1st Grade & 2nd Grade—Room 204

3rd - 5th Grade—Room 208

6th Grade—Room 203

7th—8th Grade—Room 216

9th -10th Grade—Room 218

11th -12th Grade—Room 206

DON'T FORGET REMINDER FROM Youth Ministers - Youth Ministry Deacons & M&M Deacons

WED NIGHTS 7PM

YOUTH VIRTUAL BIBLE CLASSES

Grades 3rd - 8th
 Wednesday Night Bible Class
 Meeting ID: 847 3269 1803

Grades 9th - 12th
 Wednesday Night Bible Class
 Meeting ID: 837 7193 8817



FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST

Faithful

2026

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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YouTube [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.

Elders: Curtis Doyle Barry Gibson Leroy Mobley Leonard Patterson Otis Phillips	Deacons: Chacun Anderson Brandon Banks Dondi Bernard Robert Birdow 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, April 19, 2026

9:00 AM

6:00PM

Opening Prayer.....	Robert Birdow	
Song Leader.....	Barry Reed	Lamar Davis
Scripture.....	Joseph Goudeau	Joseph Goudeau
Prayer.....	Joseph Goudeau	Joseph Goudeau
Speaker.....	Gary Smith	Raymond Hooks III
Confession/Prayer...	Craig Curtis	Craig Curtis
Communion.....	Lamar McWaine	Lamar McWaine
Offering	Lamar McWaine	Lamar McWaine
Announcements.....	Dondi Bernard	Dondi Bernard
Elder Remarks.....	Leroy Mobley	Leroy Mobley
Closing Prayer.....	Mark Martin	Raymond Hooks Jr.

Week Ending	04/12/2026
Wed. Night Bible Class / LS / In-Person	877 / 285
Sun. Bible Class In-Person	604
9:00 AM Livestream	1456
In -Person Worship	744
Children's Worship	111
Total Sunday Attendance	2311
6:00 PM / LS / In-Person	840/ 178

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 or prayer@fwcoc.org

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.

Baptism Schedule

April 19	Desmond Trotter
April 26	Chris Phillips
May 3	Lamar McWaine

HOMECARE

HOMECARE & ILL

Akpaffiong, Rochelle
Allen, Robert and Lettie
Ashley, Joan
Conner, Rosie
Evans, Cornelius
Foy, Margaret
Gilliam, Maddie
Godfrey, Dorothy
Gray, Comeal
Hall, Reginald
Irving, Frankie
Johnson, Pearl
Joseph, Paul and Pat
Laws, Herbert "Buck"
Lamb, Tracie
Larkin, Huretta
Lyons, Telitha
Mapps, Eleanor
Muckelroy, Dianne
Murray, Pearl
Pryor Sr., Ray V.
Randle, Charles & Barbara
Simms, Doris
Smith, Anthony L
Stephens, Derwin
Tarver, Jimmy & Jewel
Twitty, Colodis & Beatrice
Thomas, Jimmy & Jackie
Thomas, Rodney
Thompson, Cora
Warren, Evelyn
Washington, Etonia
Washington, Leatha
Washington, Lurlene
Washington, Rodessa
Webster, Linda
Whitfield, Judy
Young, Vivian

PRAYER REQUEST

HOSPITAL SICK

Velma Buckner
Doris Hill
Gerri Ford
Dale Dockery
Willie Williams
Christopher Alexander
Dianne Muckelroy

PRAYER REQUEST

Jackson Muckelroy
Willard Hart
Tommy Duncan
Tayton Robinson
Erica Jennings
Apollos Maxwell
Linda Jackson
Don Williams
Carla Shinn
Jessica Lee
Phoenix Gentry
Brenda Banks
Carol White
Stephen Van
Robert Green
Tracy Thompson
Cassandra Carmouche

Claire Cade
Delance Holland
Billy Johnson
Frankie Taylor
Otis English Sr.
Larnell Johnson
Vernon Fletcher
Roderick Nelms
Mary Edwards
Myrtle Haskett
Joseph Alexander
Marian Henderson
Willie & Gloria Majors
Ron & Sherry Green

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.

The Leadership

WE EXTEND OUR LOVE AND SYMPATHY TO

Reshawn Dennis 3215 Crestbrdge Ln, Spring, TX 77388 (6) on the passing of her brother **Calvin Perkins** of Columbia, Tennessee. Arrangements are pending. Services entrusted to Roundtree, Napier, and Ogilvie, 126 East 8th Street, Columbia, TN.

A'Ina Henry 4602 Hickorygate Drive, Spring, TX 77373 (4) on the passing of her mother, **Sis. Ina Henry**. Viewing is 9:00am, Funeral is 11am, Friday, April 24, 2026 at Fifth Ward Church of Christ. Livestream will be available. Burial is 10:00am, Monday, April 27, 2026 at Kibbiefield Field Cemetery, Livingston, TX. Services entrusted to Boyd Funeral Home.

Billy and Brenda Johnson 1603 Rustic Hollow Lane Katy, TX 77450 (11) on the passing of her Sister, and to **Ladreda, Cynthia, Curtis Jr. and Cameron Black**, their mother, **Patricia Coleman**. Her visitation is 9am—11am. Funeral Service is 11am, Friday, April 24, 2026. Forest Park Funeral Home, 4217 Shipman's Cove Blvd, Frenso, TX 77545. Internet: Paradise South Cemetery

The Burrell Family, The Draine Family, Vera & Lynn Fletcher 5706 Gorman Drive, Houston, TX 77049 (5) on the passing of their cousin, **Bro. Stevie L. Roberts, Jr.** Funeral services is 11:00am, Saturday, April 25, 2026 at Garden Oaks Church of Christ, 4926 N. Shephard, Houston, 77018. Services entrusted to McDuffie 's Mortuary.

Gary G. and Valor Hamilton and Powers Family 2600 Kennedy Blvd. Unit 8C, Jersey City, NJ 07306 on the passing of his wife and Valor's mother, to **Corliss Hamilton** her daughter-in-law, **Sis. Jennifer Hamilton**. Visitation is 11:00am, Funeral is 12pm, Saturday, April 25, 2026 at Kings Church of Christ, 1371 Rogers Ave, Brooklyn, NY 11210

Don Williams 219 E. 37th Houston, TX 77018 (6) on the passing of his cousin, **Ernestine Jackson**. Services were held Saturday, April, 18, 2026

The Alexander Family 8543 Cowart St. Houston, TX 77029 and the **Milton Family** 6422 Heath, 77016 on the loss of their aunt, **Doretha B. Gabriel-Wilson**. Funeral service was 2:00pm, Saturday, April 18, 2026.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SEASONED SAINTS Community Outreach
We are preparing **Final Exam Care Bags** for TSU and UH students to offer hope and encouragement during exam week. Your support will help make this outreach a success. **Two Ways to Serve (Sign up in the REALM App): Sunday, April 26** — Help pack Care Bags after Bible Class in the Resource Center.

Wednesday, May 6 — Travel to TSU or UH to greet students and distribute Care Bags. *Church vans depart at 9:40 AM. Distribution from 10:00 AM–12:00 PM.* Let's uplift our college students as they finish strong.

WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS IN CHRIST

Baptized – 04/12
Brielle Martin
P.M. - 04/05
Bryon Brown

ZONE 7, 8, 9 & 10 POTLUCK FELLOWSHIP
The Zone 7, 8, 9, and 10 Potluck Fellowship will take place on **May 2nd from 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.** in the FWCOC Resource Center. Signup sheets will be available in both the church foyer and the Resource Center. All zone members are asked to bring dishes that will serve **10 people**. For more information contact Bro. Ronnie Davis 281-513-5032.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

SaVeya Banks—April 19
Marjory Medlow – April 20
Tamela Davies— April 21
Koltyn Tyler—April 21
Connie Goudeau—April 21
Zuri Page—April 22
Charles King III—April 22
Paige Thompkins—April 22
Australia Alexander—April 22
La'Ta'jah Robertson—April 22
Andrew Washington—April 23
Cambreal Watts—April 23
Desmond Trotter—April 23
Caleb Cannon—April 24
Laila Johnson—April 25

George and Tina Mason
29 years on April 19
Herbert and Nettye Laws
58 years on April 20
Walter and Angela Byrd
33 years on April 24
Ernest and Freddie Felder
44 years on April 24

ELDER'S CORNER


Elder Member Assignments by 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
April 24—26, 2026
Leroy Mobley
leroymobley@comcast.net
281-788-5507

PRAYER REQUESTS
Members may request prayer anytime (24/7) by e-mailing your request to www.prayer@fwcoc.org
MINISTRY EXPANSION
If giving by check, please write 'Ministry Expansion' in memo section, and envelope, with name & amount.

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STRESSED?

THE COUNSELING MINISTRY



CHILDREN'S WORSHIP SERVICE

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP SERVICE TODAY @ 9:00 AM PARENTS:
(Please check in your child or children in Children's Worship before leaving).



WELCOME TO THE CHILDREN'S WORSHIP SERVICES

We are so excited to have you join us as we grow together in faith, love, and joy. Here is where your child will build a strong foundation of God's Word while experiencing uplifting worship, interactive Bible lessons, and meaningful activities.



FIFTH WARD IS PROUD OF THEIR YOUTH
Congratulations to **Sis. Aubrey Diggs** on receiving a Superior Rating with her choir for UIL on Friday, April 17, 2026. Aubrey is blessed with a beautiful voice. Her proud parents are Bro. and Sis. Austin and Alethia Diggs

THANK YOU FIFTH WARD FAMILY
Your kindness shown through your calls, cards, hugs and prayers during our son Marcus' Homegoing Service meant more than words can express. Thank you for standing with us, supporting us and offering comfort when we needed it most. Your presence was truly a blessing. Sincerely, **Barbara & Frank Mayo Jr.**



MOTHERS SUPPORT GROUP Meets Every 3rd Sunday

WHAT DOES SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD REALLY LOOK LIKE? PART 2

WE UNDERSTAND YOUR NEEDS

JOIN US **APRIL 19th @ 10:45am**
Presenter: **SIS JACKIE CURTIS**

Attending In-person Resource Center upstairs Room 213

ZOOM ID: 834 0473 5829



FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST

COUPLES VIRTUAL POWER HOUR

LAST FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH

APRIL 24th, 2026 @ 7:30pm

Zoom ID: 834 5671 5514



LEARN MORE

OUR NEW BUILDING PROJECT

WE BELIEVE

[See Building](#)

MARRIAGE DO'S & DON'TS

WEDNESDAYS @ 7PM
MEETING ID: 813 4744 2510

- CLASS BEGINS APRIL 1ST - IN -PERSON & ZOOM
- CLASS TOPICS:**
- 1 Do Connect Daily
 - 2 Don't Be Selfish
 - 3 Do Value Each Others Health
 - 4 Don't Use Contempt
 - 5 Do Be Honest About Money
 - 6 Don't Take Each Other For Granted
 - 7 Do Prioritize Conflict Resolution
 - 8 Don't Publicize Your Personal Business
 - 9 Do Be Honest About Your Sexual Preferences
 - 10 Don't Lie to Each Other
 - 11 Do Forgive Quickly
 - 12 Do Help Each Other Make Heaven Your Eternal Home