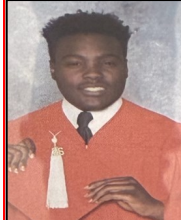


BIBLE CLASSES & EVENTS



AARIYAH MONYE' OLONADE
Paetow High School
May 16th, 2026 8pm @
Legacy Stadium Louisiana
State University, Nursing
(Daughter of Jonathan &
Janese Olonade)

ROBBIN BARNES
May 15, 2026 9am
Lamar University
Beaumont TX
Bachelor of Science in
University Studies
(Wife of
Rodney Barnes)



TERRELL GRAVES
Friday May 22, 2026 @
8:00pm from Caldwell
High School in
Caldwell TX.
(Son of Amanda
Nickerson)

TREVEON SIMON
Friday, May 8th,
Texas Southern
University
(Son of Edwin and
Cassie Mitchell)



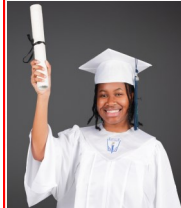
DARRIAN SENNETT
Atascocita High
Saturday, May 23,
2026 9:00am
Daikin Park
(Son of Terrance &
Jessica Sennett)

HANNAH SPINKS
Oklahoma State
University
May 9, 2026 3:30pm
(Daughter of
Spencer Spinks)



RAYLON BARNES
May 23, 2026, 9:00am
@ Daikin Park
Atascocita High School
(Son of Rodney
and Robbin Barnes)

ANAIYAH GENTRY
Cy Ridge High School
May 27th, 12pm
@ Berry Center
(Granddaughter of
Sis. Brenda Gentry)



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: 814 8089 4032

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

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

SUNDAY BULLETIN



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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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

Minister:

Gary Smith

Ministers:

Dennis Murphy

Youth Ministers:

Darrell Criss
Patrick Thompkins

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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M&M MINISTRY EVENT

'FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT'

YOUNG MEN JOIN US YOU'RE INVITED

M&M Ministry will be taking the young men to a boxing gym for training, food, spiritual edification and fellowship. LIMITED SPACE AVAILABLE — REGISTER BY MAY 15TH

Saturday, MAY 16th
8:30am to 1:30pm

Every 3rd Sunday Morning

MOTHERS SUPPORT CLASS

WHAT'S IN YOUR TOOL BOX

SUNDAY - MAY 17th - 10:45am

Presenter: Sis DeRonda McWaine

Attending in-person Resource Center upstairs Room 213

ZOOM: MEETING ID 834 0473 5829

BRAIN CAFÉ

Stroke Awareness Month

UTHealth Houston Neurosciences

Featured Health Topics

- Stroke prevention
- How stroke prevention lowers dementia risk
- Nutrition and lifestyle choices
- Risk factors for heart and brain health

Event Schedule

- Brief presentation
- Panel discussion with experts
- Q/A session and resources

Guest Speakers

- Neurologists
- Cardiologist
- Neuropsychologist
- Stroke and dementia caregiver

ALL ARE WELCOME

- First 50 attendees receive a free Brain Health Kit
- Snacks and refreshments
- Free parking

4308 Stonewall Street Houston, TX 77020

Saturday May 16, 2026 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Register today! Scan the QR code to sign up

Real conversations for better brain health

ORDER OF SERVICE

Sunday, May 10, 2026

9:00 AM

6:00PM

Opening Prayer.....	Darion Michael	
Song Leader.....	Arzell Draine	David Hill
Scripture.....	Jeremiah Williams	A.W. Willis
Prayer.....	Jeremiah Williams	A.W. Willis
Speaker.....	Gary Smith	Mark Martin
Confession/Prayer...	Ed Redeaux	Ed Redeaux
Communion.....	David Bourgeois	Barry Reed
Offering	David Bourgeois	Barry Reed
Announcements.....	Lamar McWaine	Lamar McWaine
Elder Remarks.....	Curtis Doyle	Curtis Doyle
Closing Prayer.....	Leslie Harvey	Jyle Hamilton

Week Ending	05/03/2026
Wed. Night Bible Class / LS / In-Person	1046 / 289
Sun. Bible Class In-Person	648
9:00 AM Livestream	1449
In -Person Worship	805
Children's Worship	91
Total Sunday Attendance	2345
6:00 PM / LS / In-Person	743 / 154

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
May 10 Chacun Anderson
May 17 Desmond Trotter
May 24 Chris Phillips

COUNSELING CORNER / GIVING

ONLINE GIVING

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Online Giving

COUNSELING CORNER

Check it out
www.fwcoc.org/resource-center/fwcoc-counseling-corner/

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THE COUNSELING MINISTRY



FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST

COUPLES VIRTUAL POWER HOUR

LAST FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH

MAY 29th, 2026 @ 7:30pm

Zoom ID: 834 5671 5514



COUPLES MINISTRY
Faithful

HOMECARE

HOMECARE & ILL

Akpaffiong, Rochelle
Allen, Robert and Lettie
Ashley, Joan
Conner, Rosie
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

Tanja Evans
Erica White
Bobby Clay
Claire Cade
Delance Holland
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

PRAYER REQUEST

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

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The Leadership



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. Dennis Murphy

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP SERVICE

NO CHILDREN'S WORSHIP SERVICE TODAY

The Pancakes & Praise Worship Breakfast has been rescheduled to Sunday, May 31, 2026.

FIFTH WARD IS PROUD OF OUR YOUTH

Congratulations to **Kaiden Battle** on being awarded the "Most Improved Player" award for his 8th Grade Track Season this year. Kaiden is the son of Sis. La'Aundra Daniels.

THANK YOU FIFTH WARD

My name is Chloe Williams, and I am a cousin of Timothy and Michelle Jones. I wanted to personally express my heartfelt thanks to **Bro Criss, Bro Thompkins, Sianne, and David Clark**. I recently received your care package, and I am truly grateful for your kindness, thoughtful words, and generous gesture. It meant so much to me that you took the time to send something so meaningful. Thank you again for your compassion and support, it is deeply appreciated. In Christian Love,
Chloe Williams, Teaneck, NJ



WE EXTEND OUR LOVE AND SYMPATHY TO



Debra Thomas 5623 Seclusion Dr., Houston, TX 77049 (5) on the passing of her husband, **Bro. Charles Ray Thomas**. Arrangements are pending.

Clarence and Elizabeth Santee 21211 Fox Orchard Ct., Humble, TX 77338 (4) on the passing of her brother, his brother-in-law, **Donald Jones**. Arrangements are pending.

Michael Springs and Mama Goose PO Box 991, Hempstead, TX 77445 (6) on the passing of his father, **Sgt. Leonard Springs**, of San Antonio, TX. Arrangements are pending.

Ollie Williams 6315 Edenport Court, Houston, TX 77049 (5) on the death of her nephew, **Dexter Utley**. Funeral arrangements are pending.



Tanja Evans 1818 Thistlebrook Ct. Fresno, TX 77545 (10) on the passing of her husband, to **Jeremy and Tiana** their father, **Bro. Cornelius Evans**. Viewing is 9am, followed by funeral 11am, Friday, May 15, 2026 at Fifth Ward Church of Christ. Livestream will be available. Repast: FWCOG Resource Center. Services entrusted to Boyd Funeral Home. Interment: Houston Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Antonio and Tra'Shonda Smith 7111 Fox Scene Dr., Humble, TX 77338 (4) on the passing of his father, and to **Iris** her grandfather, **Bro. Felix Smith**. The funeral will be held 11am, Friday, May 15, 2026 at Williams Drive Church of Christ, 402 Williams Dr, Bastrop, LA 71220. Services entrusted to Tennant Funeral Home, 1423 E. Madison Ave., Bastrop, LA 71220, 318-281-5330.

Johnella Milton 12606 Laurel Meadow Way, Houston, 77014 on the passing of her son **Willie Charles Williams, Jr.** Visitation is 10am, followed by the funeral 11am, Saturday, May 16, 2026 at Bammel Church of Christ, 2700 Cypress Creek Pkwy, Services entrusted to Carl Barnes Funeral Home. Committal service at 1:30pm, May 16th, at Brookside Funeral Home, 13747 Eastex Fwy.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

F.E.E.D. MINISTRY CLASS
Today, after worship in Room 214
Topic: Your Legacy built beyond
Employer Benefits. Presenter: Bro. Sean Perrodin

M&M Ministry "Fight the Good Fight" Event
Young men are invited to join the M&M Ministry on Saturday, May 16, 2026 8:30am -1:30pm for "Fight the Good Fight"—a day of boxing training, food, spiritual edification and fellowship. A light breakfast and lunch will be provided. **Limited space available — register today. Registration will end Friday, May 15th.**

MOTHERS SUPPORT BIBLE CLASS
Sunday, May 17, 2026 @ 10:45 AM, Room 213.
Topic: "What's in your Toolbox".
Presenter: Sis. DeRhonda McWaine

WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS IN CHRIST

Baptized -05/06
Emma Smith
Placed membership -05/03
Joel & Charlotte Bailey

NEW BABY ARRIVAL



THANK YOU FIFTH WARD
I offer my heartfelt thanks to you all for your support during my mother's passing. After 19 years as a caregiver for my parents. I am transitioning into a season of living on my own. I request your continued prayers for courage and peace as I navigate this new chapter trusting that God will lead the way. Sincerely, **Sis. A'Ina Henry**
To the Seasoned Saints, thank you so much for the delicious donuts, thoughtful goodie bags, and the boost of energy & spirit. We are so blessed. **TSU 2029 Class!**

HAPPY BIRTHDAY HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Georgetta Barnett - May 10
Chadd Kimble - May 10
Katrina Borders - May 10
Deirdre Phlegm - May 10
Arthur Williams - May 11
Joseph Gilreath - May 12
Brittany Smith - May 13
Alfonzo Fisher - May 13
Meijoly J. Brown - May 13
Joseph Jefferson - May 13
Barbara Hamilton - May 13
Meagan Hayes - May 14
Lawrence Jackson - May 14
Devlin Tan - May 15
Desiree Dovai - May 16

THE HEALTH & WELLNESS MINISTRY
Will be hosting a "Brain Cafe - stroke and dementia prevention program sponsored by UTHealth Houston on Saturday, May 16th from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm (Resource Center). . This event is open to members and non-members but requires a registration (QR code on flyer).

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
May 14-17, 2026
Curtis Doyle
cdoyle@fwcoc.org
832-257-3139

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

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