

BIBLE CLASSES & EVENTS

You're Invited
OCTOBER 4th @ 9am
SPEAKER
BRO. DENNIS MURPHY
FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP
TOPIC:
**PRECIOUS SOULS
"THE PRICE THAT WAS PAID"**

You're Invited
OCTOBER 4th @ 6pm
FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST
SUNDAY NIGHT WORSHIP
TITLE:
"SHOW ME THE WAY"

SEASONED SAINTS MINISTRY PRESENTS
MEDICARE WORKSHOP
Make Confident Choices About Your Medicare Coverage
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2026
10:00 A.M.-12:30 P.M.
FWCOC AUDITORIUM | RSVP IN REALM • GUESTS ARE WELCOME!
4308 Stonewall St - Houston, TX 77020

LIVE STREAM Fifth Ward Church of Christ
PSALM
Join Us In the Sanctuary For Bible Study
SUNDAYS 10:45 AM
TEACHERS:
Otis Phillips, Leroy Mobley and Leonard Patterson

SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE CLASS
GYM FLOOR- FWCOC RESOURCE CENTER - 10:45AM
Hebrews & Beyond
TEAMS ID: 223 578 685 623 206
PASSCODE: h28s5sU9
TEACHERS:
Bros. Derriek Harris Ben Wilson and Barry Gibson

Finance and Employment Ministry
F.E.E.D. BIBLE CLASS
SUNDAYS 10:45AM
Teachers: David Willis and Raymond Hooks III
FINANCIAL EMPLOYMENT ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT
Room 215 - Resource Center
Meeting ID: 233 092 663 814 813
Passcode: px7XL3dk

MOTHERS SUPPORT CLASS
'GOD...REMEMBER'
RESUMES OCT 18th
TEAMS MEETING ID: 293 393 723 211 431
PASSWORD: b9yW6i3j
OCT 18th @ 10:45am
Presenter: Mia Romar-Price
Attending In-person Resource Center upstairs Room 213
Meets Every 3rd Sunday

SUNDAY 10:45 AM - ROOM 1 Resource Center
NEW CONVERTS BIBLE CLASS
Meeting ID: 275 686 152 538 679
Passcode: nV3La6RJ
TEACHERS:
Bros. Craig Curtis Edwin Morrow Rick Flanagan Dwayne Baisey, and Victor Fraizer

FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST
BIBLE questions
VISITORS
Get Bible answers to your Bible questions.
FOR VISITORS | IN-PERSON
SUNDAYS 10:45am & WEDNESDAYS 7pm
Conference Room - Resource Center

Sunday Morning Worship In - Person & Online Worship 9:00 A.M. CST
Sunday Bible Class 10:45 AM CST
Sunday Morning Adult Classes Online & In-Person
Psalm—Sanctuary, Livestream

Hebrews & Beyond—Gym Floor
Meeting ID: 223 578 685 623 206 Passcode: h28s5sU9

New Converts' Class—Resource Center—Room 1
Meeting ID: 275 686 152 538 679
Passcode: nV3La6RJ

Mothers Support Class— Every 3rd Sunday— Rm 213/214
Meeting ID: 293 393 723 211 431
Passcode: b9yW6i3j

Young Adults / College - Resource Center—Rm 217
Meeting ID: 251 150 201 593 801
Passcode: zJ3eN7ZA

F.E.E.D. Finance & Employment - Room 215
Meeting ID: 233 092 663 814 813 Password: px7XL3dk

Singles' In Person Bible Class—Room 214

Questions and Answers Bible Class—Conference Room

Sunday Morning In-Person Youth Bible Classes

Nursery (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#

Monday FREE Spanish Classes

7:00PM, Teams Meeting ID:254 202 597 381 128
Passcode: C2se223D

Wednesday Night Adult Classes 7:00 PM

The Great Transformation—Sanctuary, Livestream

Toward Spiritual Maturity—RC Room 1
Meeting ID: 260 292 808 277 326 Passcode: Zd3ii9rb

Young Adults / College Class—RC Room 217
Meeting ID: 251 150 201 593 801
Passcode: zJ3eN7ZA

Before I Say I Do & After I Said I Do—Gym Floor
Meeting ID: 254 474 373 946 885
Passcode: pc3RC3eA

Questions and Answers Bible Class (Visitors)—Conf. Rm

New Converts Class In person only—RC Room 2

Wednesday Online Youth Bible Classes 7:00

Grade 3th—8th —Meeting ID: 258 151 119 544 902
Passcode: 8pK2zP6Q
Grade 9th—12th—Meeting ID: 272 854 705 231 032
Passcode: R9bJ63Tt

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

SUNDAY BULLETIN



FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST Faithful 2026

SUNDAY SERVICES

Morning Worship Service / In Person and Livestream: 9:00 a.m.

In Person & Microsoft Teams 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 & Microsoft Teams 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

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:	Deacons:	Zone	Deacons:	Zone	Deacons:	Zone
Curtis Doyle	Chacun Anderson	6	Larry Hamilton	4	Evan Powers	4
Barry Gibson	Brandon Banks	9	William Hamilton	6	Edward Redeaux	6
Leroy Mobley	Dondi Bernard	4	Raymond Hooks Jr.	4	Demeco Ryans	10
Leonard Patterson	Robert Birdow	4	Marcus Jackson	10	Patrick Thompkins	10
Otis Phillips	Darrell Criss	11	Douglas Jefferson	6	Roy Thompson	11
Minister:	Craig Curtis	4	Timothy Jones	10	Desmond Trotter	4
Gary Smith	Arzell Draine	4	Mark Martin	9	Anthony White	4
Ministers:	William Fortson	4	Lamar McWaine	4	Harvey White 1,2,3&5	
Dennis Murphy	Victor Frazier	11	Michael Milton	4	A.W. Willis 1,2,3&5	
Youth Ministers:	Michael Glover	4	Samuel Obiomon	6	David Willis	4
Darrell Criss	Joseph Goudeau	4	Sean Perrodin	6	Wayne Wilson	10
Patrick Thompkins			Christopher Phillips	4	Norval Young	4

Fifth Ward Church of Christ

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ORDER OF SERVICE

Sunday, October 4, 2026		
9:00 AM		6:00PM
Opening Prayer.....	Michael Springs	
Song Leader.....	Barry Reed	David Hill
Scripture.....	Phillip Alexander	Charles Shelvin
Prayer.....	Phillip Alexander	Charles Shelvin
Speaker.....	Dennis Murphy	Kelvin Weathers
Confession/Prayer....	Victor Frazier	Victor Frazier
Communion.....	William Hamilton	Barry Reed
Offering.....	William Hamilton	Barry Reed
Announcements.....	Chacun Anderson	Chacun Anderson
Elder Remarks.....	Leroy Mobley	Leroy Mobley
Closing Prayer.....	Desmond Trotter	Lee Powers

Week Ending	09/27/2026
Wed. Night Bible Class/LS/In-Person	1043 / ?
Sun. Bible Class In-Person	632
9:00 AM Livestream	2080
In -Person Worship	772
Children’s Worship	80
Total Sunday Attendance	2952
6:00 PM / LS / In-Person	885 / ?

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. Walk Ins, 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

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COUNSELING CORNER

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

STRESSED?

THE COUNSELING MINISTRY

VOTE!

VOTERS’ REGISTRATION OPPORTUNITY

Voter’s registration will take place SUNDAY’s thru OCTOBER 4th in the Resource Center immediately after Bible Class.

REGISTER

Bro & Sis Evan & Antonia Rodgers and Bro & Sis Allan & Linda Jamail will be available to assist anyone who wishes to register.

HEMOCARE PRAYER REQUEST

SICK & SHUT – IN
Ashley, Joan
Bowie, Barbara
Buckner, Velma
Conner, Rosie
Dardar, Terry
Foy, Margaret
Gilliam, Maddie
Godfrey, Dorothy
Hall, Reginald
Hill, Doris
Irving, Frankie
Joseph, Paul and Pat
Laws, Herbert “Buck”
Lamb, Tracie
Larkin, Huretta
Lyons, Telitha
Mapps, Eleanor
Muckelroy, Dianne
Pryor Sr., Ray V.
Randle, Charles &Barbara
Simms, Doris
Smith, Gary
Tarver, Jimmy & Jewel
Taylor, Tracy & Sheila
Twitty, Colodis & Beatrice
Thomas, Jimmy & Jackie
Thomas, Rodney
Thompson, Cora
Warren, Evelyn
Washington, Leatha
Washington, Lurlene
Washington, Marilyn
Washington, Rodessa
Webster, Linda
Whitfield, Judy
Williams, Virginia
Young, Vivian

HOSPITAL SICK
Roosevelt Hill
Telitha Lyons
Christopher Alexander
Renae Willis Tyler
Wendy Claire Cade

PRAYER REQUEST
Stanley Banks Sr.
Georgia Morris
Ray Adams
Gilda White
Carol White
Stephen Van
Milton Martin
Barbara Bowie
Lailoni Watkins
Maddie Morrow
Chris Wilson
Larry Williams
Timothy Jackson
Blanche Brown
Alonzo Milton Jr.
Leonard Johnson
Linda Jackson
Don Williams
Carla Shinn
Jessica Lee
Phoenix Gentry

Maxine Seals
Cathy Williams
Robert Green
Ronald Green
Arlene Hardy
Kenneth McCoy
Delance Holland
Frankie Taylor
Otis English Sr.
Larnell Johnson
Brenda Banks
Derwin Stephens
Emelder McCullough
Myrtle Haskett
Joseph Alexander
Smith, Anthony L
Emily Thompson
Marian Henderson
Robert & Valerie Porter
Willie & Gloria Majors

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. Thank You.
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. Dwayne Willis

CHILDREN’S WORSHIP

CHILDREN’S WORSHIP SERVICE
Sunday, October 4, 2026
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.

HARDING UNIVERSITY VISIT & DEVOTIONAL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS GRADES 9-12 & PARENTS
Parents Join Us Register by OCT 5th

FWCOC YOUTH MINISTRY
OCT 11th

10:45-11:45 AM | HS BIBLE CLASS
A special time of worship, will visit with our high school (HS) students, teach Bible class, and share information about Harding

12:45-1:30 PM | HS DEVOTIONAL
A special time of worship, encouragement, and spiritual fellowship with our HS students.

1:30 PM | DEPART FIFTH WARD
Students depart for Dave & Buster’s.

2:00 – 5:00 PM | DAVE & BUSTER’S
An afternoon of fun and fellowship featuring bowling, pool, arcade games, and more!

5:00 PM | DEPART DAVE & BUSTER’S

5:30 PM | RETURN TO FWCOC

12:00 PM | FELLOWSHIP LUNCH
Lunch provided for students, parents, Harding representatives, and participating adults. Learn about Harding University, scholarships, and financial opportunities.

LEARN. WORSHIP. CONNECT. HAVE FUN!

WE EXTEND OUR LOVE AND SYMPATHY TO

John and Lisa Daniels 114 Annes Way, Stafford, TX (10) on the passing of his mother and her mother-in-law, **Mrs. Alveta Clemons**. Her arrangements are pending. Services entrusted to Boyd Funeral Home.

Pat Adams 14411 Lorne Drive, 77049 (5) on the passing of her sister, **Barbara Brown**. Also to **Junior (Montra’) Adams, Rochelle (Stan) Conely, Michael (Dana) Adams** on the passing of their aunt. The funeral is 11:00am, Saturday, October 10, 2026 at Boulder Crest Church of Christ in Atlanta, GA.

Branda Lumpkins 8810 Misty Meadow Creek Ln, Humble, 77338 (4) on the passing of her sister, and to **Brincy Atchison** her aunt, **Clara Mae Lumpkin**. Viewing is 9am, Funeral is 10am, Saturday, October 10, 2026 at Fifth Ward Missionary Baptist Church, 4300 Noble, Houston, TX 77020. Services entrusted to Ross Funeral Home.

THANK YOU FIFTH WARD
Dear Brothers and Sisters, Thank you, Fifth Ward Church family, for your loving support during our time of bereavement. Your prayers, flowers, cards, and presence brought comfort to our hearts, especially as we saw so many of you at my father’s services. Your kindness did not go unnoticed. A special thank you to Brother Ronald Stokes and Brother Norval Young for supporting our family. We appreciate each of you. With love, **Brother and Sister Tracy and Sheila Taylor and Family**

Dear Fifth Ward Ladies Bible Class,
Thank you so much for your prayers, love, support and heartfelt card. With love, **Bro. Kelvin & Sis. Anita Ashley & Hudson Family**

ANNOUNCEMENTS
VOTERS’ REGISTRATION
The last Voter’s Registration is taking place **TODAY** in the Resource Center after Bible Class. We will assist teenagers (18 years and above) or anyone who wishes to register or change your address in order to vote.

IN-HOME BIBLE STUDY
The In-Bible Study & Fellowship will be held Friday, October 9, 2026 at 7:00 PM. Theme: Faith in Action, Members please sign up today for our zone and meal choice in the foyer after worship.

ZONES 1,2,3 & 5 POTLUCK FELLOWSHIP
Zones 1,2,3 & 5 Potluck Fellowship is scheduled for Saturday, October 10, 2026 from 11:00am—1:00pm in the Resource Center.

MOTHERS SUPPORT
Sunday, October 18, 2026 @ 10:45
Topic: “God...Remember”
Presenter: Sis. Mia Romar—Price

KITCHEN STAFF HATS
Regular Kitchen Volunteers should see Sisters Vivian Rawls or Debra Thomas for the purchase of their kitchen hats, which are \$15, during Bro. Frank Barnett’s absence.

WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS IN CHRIST
Joseph Comeaux—PM-09/27
Casey Cato—PM—09/20

HARDING UNIVERSITY VISIT & DEVOTIONAL
High School students and parents, we’d love for you to join us for our Harding University Visit & Devotional on **Sunday, October 11, 2026**. Come hear about scholarships and financial opportunities, share lunch and worship together, and enjoy a fun afternoon at Dave & Buster’s. Parents, your presence is especially encouraged during lunch and the Harding presentation as important financial aid information will be shared. Please sign up today.

S.S. MINISTRY MEDICARE WORKSHOP
Join us for an informative workshop designed to help you understand your Medicare options and make the choices that are right for you. **Topics are:**

- Medicare basics for new enrollees.
- Recent upcoming changes to Medicare.
- How to choose the best Medicare Advantage plan for you.

Saturday, October 17, 2026
from 10:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. in the church auditorium. RSVP in Realm. Guests are welcome.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
Jada Higgins – October 4
Bailey Bernard—October 4
Vivian Rawls – October 5
Paxton Thompkins—October 5
Evan Walker – October 6
Curlie Harris – October 6
Rylee Barnes—October 6
Edwin Mitchell Jr. – October 6
Julie Madray – October 7
Edin Mitchell – October 7
James Washington –October 7
Nichelle Finley - October 8
Niara Martindale - October 8
Anthony Q. Smith - October 8
Sebastian Conner – October 8
Alexander Curtis—October 9
Armor Dean Draine—October 10

Rodney and Robbin Barnes
8 years on October 5

Aaron and Jada Ward
3 years on October 6
James & Rodessa Washington
10 years on October 7

Matthew & Aleatha Johnson
15 years on October 8

Austin and Alethia Diggs
17 years on October 9

SINGLES’ FELLOWSHIP AND POETRY NIGHT
Saturday, October 10, 2026
7:00pm, at the Rockefellers, 3620 Washington Ave, Houston, TX 77007. Tickets are **\$35**. You may purchase your ticket by Cash App with Scott Parker (\$Theprofessor1906) /or in person after Singles’ Bible Class.

ELDER’S CORNER
ATTENDANCE CHECK IN
This is a kind reminder to **check -in** your attendance to Worship Service, either in-person or virtual, and also your attendance during Bible Class. **The Elders**

ELDER’S MEMBER ASSIGNMENTS
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– SATURDAY
October 2—4 , 2026
Leroy Mobley
281-788-5507
leroymobley@comcast.net

PRAYER REQUESTS
Members may request prayer anytime (24/7) by e-mailing your request to **www.prayer@fwcoc.org**
In addition, please include a subject line in order not to appear in junk mail.

CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES
For those writing checks on a business account, and to ensure your contribution is recorded, please write the owner’s name in the memo field. Also, when giving by check or cash, please write your name clearly on the envelope.