

Remember . . .

The Federated Board meets every 1st Saturday after the 1st Sunday at 10 AM.



The Women's Board requests \$5.00 each 2nd Sunday from all women to cover expenses for guest speakers and meal preparation during Women's Board events. You may use your credit or debit card listed Holy Communion below in Payment Methods.

Pastor's Appreciation Offering Day is every 4th Sunday.

The School Supplies for Students collection is ongoing.
Contact Rev. LaDonna Cartwright, Rev. Sharon Fisher, or
Rev. Tammy Chestnut at 816-231-2829x702.

Tithes and Offering Payment Methods

There are many ways to bless God with your tithes and offerings when you cannot get to church. At any time, day or night, you can:

- Text to give – text to 888-364-4483, and enter MSCC
- Use the MSCC App (download it at the Apple Store or Google Apps)
- Call the church, dial 816-231-2829, then 701, to contact a Trustee who can receive your offerings
- Use USPS to mail in your tithes and offerings
- Drop off your tithes and offerings by appointment

Weekly Church Activities

Sunday Mornings

Sunday Instruction 9:00 am – 10:30 am

Sunday Morning Worship Broadcast 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Tuesday Evenings

Bible Study, Rev. Ralph Taylor – 7:00 pm on Zoom

Meeting ID 917-2731-2074; Passcode 632023.

Wednesday Evenings

Bible Study, Rev. Dr. Virgil Brown -- 6:00-7:00 PM on Zoom:

<https://us05web.zoom.us/j/87208511221?pwd=dWVZaXB2VTNxVE9ISE0yTVFHdUVrdz09>,

Meeting ID: 872 0851 1221, Passcode: xn013h

Learn about all MSCC activities! Scan ...



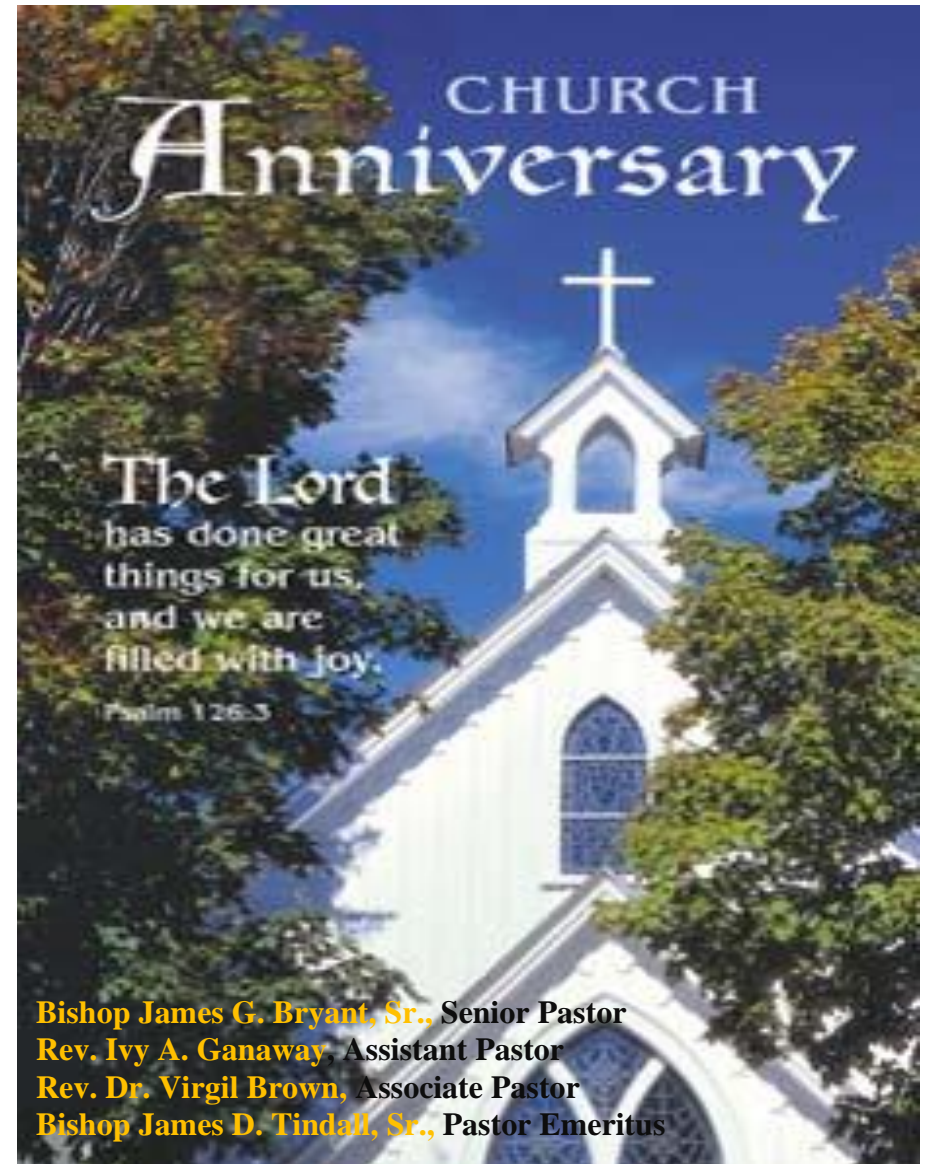
March 17, 2024

Metropolitan Spiritual Church of Christ

1231 Garfield Ave.

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Bishop James G. Bryant, Sr., Senior Pastor
Rev. Ivy A. Ganaway Assistant Pastor
Rev. Dr. Virgil Brown, Associate Pastor
Bishop James D. Tindall, Sr., Pastor Emeritus

PRAYER

THE BELIEVER'S SECRET WEAPON

Please Pray for Our Bereaved

The Family of Shawntee Abernathy, sister of Rev. Darnell Cooper

Pray for Our Sick and Shut-Ins

Bishop James Tindall

Sis. Shirley Jones is at Research Hospital

Sis. Jaunsetta McGee

Sis. Joyce Frazier

Connie Lynn, daughter of Bro. Curtis and Sis. Jerri Lynn Harvey

Tameca Long-Collins, daughter of Sis. Jerri Lynn Harvey

Alta Fritz

Cheryl Weatherspoon

Rev. Marion Carr

Zelda Charles, mother of Sis. Sharon Owens

Rev. Ivy Ganaway is at home

Andrea Carter and her mother, Recia Carter (niece and sister of Sis. Rochelle Biggins)

Johnnie Brown, son of Sis. Phyllis Hopkins

Please Stay in Prayer for Those on Our Prayer List:

Dementris Cartwright, son of Rev. LaDonna Cartwright

Sis. Velma Parker

Sis. Laurdes Young

Patricia Sawyer

Sis. Sherry Paige

Michelle Brown and her son Troy (T.J.) Hunter (the daughter and grandson of Rev. Dr. Virgil Brown)

Ms. Audrey Banks (cousin of Rev. Tammy Chestnut)

Bro. Gary Tindall

Sis. Mary Williams

Sis. Sharon Owens

Venus Moor (sister of Rev. Flawn Barber)

Bro. Mitchel Strong

David Sword, coworker of Rev. Lori Smith-Carroll

Join The Prayer Line 5:30 AM every morning. Add to your contacts



list the Dial-in Number and Participant Access Code:

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If you have items for the bulletin, text Shirley Gregory at 571-389-0128. Or email her at sjg316@reagan.com.

Special Events and Reminders

TODAY IS FOUNDERS' DAY

Theme: *When All God's Children Get Together*

03/15 Today

Founders' Day Celebration ... As we walk towards 100 years our souls look back and wonder how we made it over. There will be special guests, services, and special music by our 2024 Founders Day Choir at 3:00 PM.

03/24 Sunday

Palm Sunday Service, 11 AM

03/24 Sunday

The Sankofa Sunday event for this month will be at 6:30 PM at the Gem Theatre for Alvin Ailey's *Journey through African American Dance Experience*.

03/29 Friday

Good Friday Service, 7 PM

3/31 Sunday

Resurrection Service

7/15-19 Monday-Friday

Metropolitan Spiritual Churches of Christ, Inc., 99th Annual Congress. Register now. Pre-Registration ends June 30.

Happy Birthday

March

16

Gregory Smith

20

Inez Woodard

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Rev. Tamara Chestnut



In Memorial

Mother Betty Harris

Madam Helen Reed –

First Lady of the Organ



Anyone interested in serving on the Shepherds Fold Committee, please see Rev. LaDonna.

How it all started...

Our History of the Metropolitan Spiritual Churches of Christ Inc. 1925-1942

Metropolitan Spiritual Church of Christ was conceived in the minds of Rev. William Frank Taylor and Rev. Leviticus Lee Boswell. There were no members to begin with, only curious seekers looking for miracles to be performed. They had heard that there were two men who could – talk to the dead- and heal the sick. They came-they saw- they heard and they left believing.

Rev. Taylor had been ordained previously by a white minister, Mrs. Glen Cora Stevens. Her father Rev. Stevens who assisted her also had charge of a church, which housed the congregation of Bishop James, another spiritual minister in town. Through the spirit Rev. Taylor visualized a great awakening and with the help of Rev. Boswell they set about organizing the Metropolitan Spiritual Church of Christ.

Metropolitan Spiritual Church of Christ was born into existence in the home of Mother Cora M. Murray on September 22, 1925 in Kansas City, Missouri, which was located at 1903 East 9th Street. With nine (9) members the church had to crawl and in doing so, they came in contact with many hardships to keep it nourished. With the increase in membership of twenty-four, Rev. Taylor, held a baptism in the big Eleven Lake in Kansas City, Kansas in the presence of a large Crowd of witnesses. The first spiritual way of life had to be established so that future offspring's could have the right to bring forth true spiritual teachings.

It wasn't long before little Metropolitan began to grow, walk, and expand, until it had outgrown it's birthplace and larger quarters had to be secured. Rev. Taylor and Rev. Boswell had meetings in their apartment while looking for a larger place. They inquired about the Florence Mills Apartments, which were also too small. Finally the Knights and Daughters of Tabor Hall located at 1834 East 9th Street was rented and the church by then was strong enough to be assembled.

[Read more on our web page: [Metropolitan Spiritual Church of Christ - Our Story \(metrospiritualchurch.com\)](http://metrospiritualchurch.com)]

Health Tip from Sis. Samantha Johnson

PAINT YOUR PLATE WITH COLORS OF THE RAINBOW

When we eat a variety of fruits and vegetables, the nutrients help protect us against some cancers and chronic diseases.

