

# BIBLE CLASSES & EVENTS

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

## Sunday Morning Adult Class

**The Significance of Being a Christian** — Sanctuary  
 Philippians, Colossians & Beyond—RC Gym  
 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 Upstairs  
 Room 213-214

**Mothers Support Class** —Zoom ID: 834 0473 5829  
 Every 3rd Sunday of the month. Room 212

**The Biblical Principles of Personal Finance**  
 Resource Center—Room 213

## 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**—Rm 213  
**9th -12th Grade**—Room 218

## Sister's Monday Conference Call Devotion

**10:00 AM**, Conference Call  
 Phone: 978-990-5276 / PIN: 644431#

## Monday Spanish Conversational Class

**7:00 PM**— ZOOM Only Meeting ID: 860 5733 0049

## Wednesday Night Adult Classes 7:00PM

**Revelation**—Resource Center—Room 1  
**New Converts' Class** Resource Center Conference Room  
**Young Adults / College Class**—RC Room 217  
**Questions and Answers Bible Class**—Library  
**The Agony and Glory of the Cross:**  
 Auditorium—Livestream

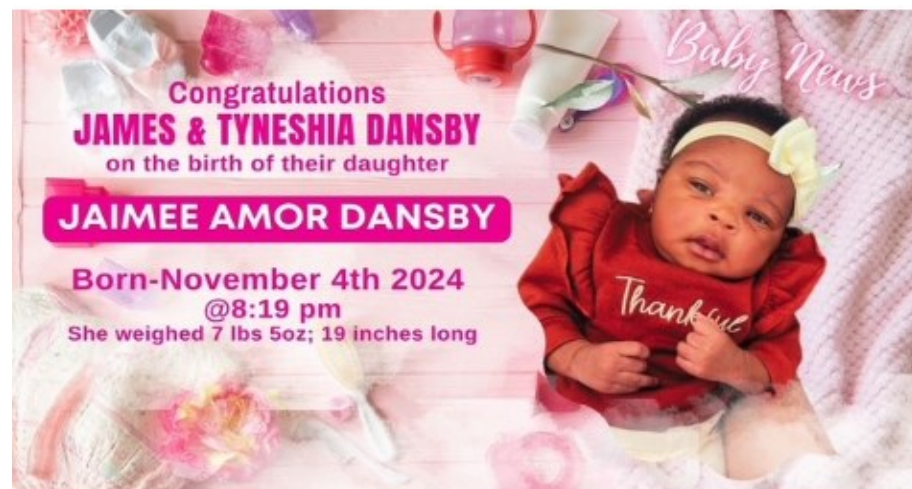
## Wednesday Night Youth Bible Class

**Beginners 2** (4 & 5 yr. old) - 1st Floor  
**1st Grade & 2nd Grade**—Room 204  
**3rd -5th Grade**—Room 206 Zoom ID 874 3715 3416  
**6th- 12th Grade**—Room 218

\*\*\*Please note\*\*\* Class changes in **RED**

## Fifth Ward Church of Christ Prospective Deacon Candidates

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|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Chacun Anderson | 8. Michael Frazier | 15. Christopher Phillips |
| 2. Brandon Banks   | 9. Joseph Goudeau  | 16. Edward Redeaux       |
| 3. Dondi Bernard   | 10. Marcus Jackson | 17. Demeco Ryans         |
| 4. Robert Birdow   | 11. Mark Martin    | 18. Patrick Thompkins    |
| 5. Darrell Criss   | 12. Lamar McWaine  | 19. Desmond Trotter      |
| 6. Arzell Draine   | 13. Samuel Obiomon | 20. Anthony White        |
| 7. William Fortson | 14. Sean Perrodin  | 21. David Willis         |
|                    |                    | 22. Wayne Wilson         |



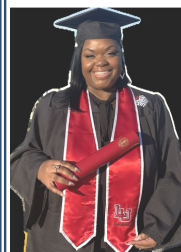
## CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES



**Jaylon Burrell**  
 Bachelor of Business Administration on December 12, 2024 from Alcorn State University



**Sierra Nicole Scott**  
 Esthetician Graduate December 13, 2024 from San Jacinto College North.



**Sheri' White**  
 Bachelor of Arts in Communications on Thursday, December 12, 2024 from Lamar University.



**Alisha Lawson**  
 Master of Education Degree in Curriculum and Instruction. from the University of Texas, at Rio Grande Valley.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE CLASSES FOR ALL AGES

**JOIN US WEDNESDAYS @7PM**

**IN-PERSON ZOOM\* LIVE STREAM**

[www.FWCOC.org/bible-study](http://www.FWCOC.org/bible-study)

- ADULT CLASSES:**
- **The Agony and Glory of the Cross** Auditorium - Livestream
  - **Revelation** RM 1 Resource Center \*Zoom: 843 6115 9602
  - **Strong Foundations** RM3-4 RC \*Zoom: 827 6650 6811
  - **Bible Study Q&A for Visitors** RM 101 Library RC
  - **Young Adults** RM 217 - RC Zoom: 869 7803 4404

## SUNDAY BULLETIN

**2024**  
 A YEAR OF  
*Sacrifice*  
 FIFTH WARD  
 CHURCH OF CHRIST  
[www.FWCOC.org](http://www.FWCOC.org)



**WELCOME**

## 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](https://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

### Ministers:

Gary Smith  
 Dennis Murphy  
  
**Youth Minister:**  
 Rajamail Davis

### Deacons:

Terry Bradley  
 Craig Curtis  
 Victor Frazier  
 Michael Glover  
 William Hamilton  
 Larry Hamilton  
 Raymond Hooks Jr.  
 Douglas Jefferson

### Deacons:

Timothy Jones  
 Michael Milton  
 E'Van Powers  
 Roy Thompson  
 Harvey White  
 A.W. Willis  
 Arthur Williams  
 Norval Young

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**ORDER OF SERVICE**

Sunday, December 22, 2024

9:00 AM 6:00 PM

Opening Prayer.....	Terry Beaty	
Song Leader.....	Vernon Lewis III	Arzell Draine
Scripture.....	Alfonso Lesesne	Scott Parker
Prayer.....	Alfonso Lesesne	Scott Parker
Speaker.....	<b>Gary Smith</b>	<b>James Roberson</b>
Communion.....	Aaron Ward	Arthur Williams
Offering.....	Aaron Ward	Arthur Williams
Announcements...	Michael Milton	Michael Milton
Elder Remarks.....	Leonard Patterson	Leonard Patterson
Closing Prayer.....	Rhenton Cauley	Edric Brown

<b>Week Ending</b>	<b>12/15/2024</b>
Wed. Night Bible Class / LS / In-Person	616/194
Sun. Bible Class In-Person	544
9:00 AM Livestream	<b>1216</b>
In—Person Worship	752
Children’s Worship	83
Total Sunday Attendance	<b>2051</b>
6:00 PM / LS / In-Person	745/175

**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**  
December 22  
William Hamilton

December 29  
Patrick Thompkins

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 / ATTENDANCE & VISITOR CHECK IN**

**ONLINE GIVING**



www.fwcoc.org/online-giving

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**Fifth Ward Church of Christ Welcomes our Honored Guests!**

**TEXT THE WORD VISITOR**

to **201-692-5596**

[www.fwcoc.org/honored-guests](http://www.fwcoc.org/honored-guests)



**VISITORS BIBLE CLASS**

SUNDAYS 10:45AM & WEDNESDAYS 7PM  
Library Room 101 (Resource Center)  
Zoom Meeting ID: 876 8991 0849  
Get your Bible Questions answered.

**HOME / HOSPITAL PRAYER REQUEST**

**HEMOCARE & ILL**  
Bell, Calvin  
Brown, Herman  
Conner, Rosie  
Foy, Margaret  
Gilliam, Maddie  
Godfrey, Dorothy  
Gray, Denise  
Irving, Frankie  
Jackson, Ira Faye  
Johnson, Pearl  
Laws, Herbert “Buck” & Laws, Netteye  
Lamb, Tracie  
Larkin, Huretta  
Mapps, Eleanor  
Milton, Gwen & Herbert  
Muckelroy, Jocelyn  
Robinson, Christine  
Samuels, Tina  
Seals, Maxine  
Sims, Doris  
Tarver, Jewel  
Twitty, Colodis  
Thomas, Rodney  
Thompson, Cora  
Warren, Evelyn  
Washington, Lurlene  
Washington, Rodessa  
Webster, Linda  
Whitfield, Judy

**HOSPITAL SICK**  
Iddie Bartley  
Dale Dockery  
Thelma Barnes  
James Cook III  
Christopher Alexander

**PRAYER REQUEST**  
Reginald Hall  
Avis Doyle  
Charles Green  
Roderick Nelms  
Mary Edwards  
Reginald Hall  
Larnell Johnson  
Vernon Fletcher  
Gerolyn Cole  
Robert Green  
Jessica Lee  
Barbara Ryan  
Robin Ross  
Kenneth Hooper  
James Childress  
Joseph Alexander  
Shannon Murdoch

Regina Johnson  
Lila Washington  
Debora Lindsey  
Sherri Dotson  
Robert Gobert  
Lisa Gregg  
Taifa Perry  
Don Williams  
Flossie Pannell  
Cotina Broussard  
Marion Henderson  
Lawanda Williams  
George & Tina Mason  
Anthony Lavell Smith  
Troy & Calvin Alexander  
Robert & Valerie Porter

**Sick & Shut-In Privacy**  
Sick and Shut-In Members addresses will no longer be listed in the bulletin. Please call the church office for your encouragement needs.  
**Thank you, Leadership**

**TUESDAY MORNING CONFERENCE CALL**



GET INSPIRED  
5 minutes of great Inspiration  
Every Tuesday  
Morning at 5:30 a.m.  
Call: 609-663-1424  
NO PIN REQUIRED

This week’s speaker is  
**Bro. Darrell Criss**

**CHILDREN’S WORSHIP SERVICE**

Sunday, December 22, 2024 9:00 AM  
(PARENTS: PLEASE CHECK IN YOUR CHILD OR CHILDREN IN CHILDREN’S WORSHIP BEFORE LEAVING).



**FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP**

DECEMBER 22 @6PM

You’re Invited

**“JESUS CHRIST: THE PREEMINENT ONE”**

**BRO. JAMES ROBerson**  
SPEAKER

**WE EXTEND OUR LOVE AND SYMPATHY TO**

**Stephanie Jones and family** 584 Monteagle Dr, Memphis, Tennessee 38109 her mother and to **Whitney Moore** her grandmother, **Harrison Moore** his great grandmother, **Vivian Carey Bond**, Visitation 11:30am –12:25pm, service is 12:30pm, Monday, December 23, 2024 at East End Church of Christ, 6590 Stateline Rd, Olive Branch, Mississippi. Services entrusted to Harrison Memorial Chapel, 3320 Millbranch Rd., Memphis, TN. 38116 901-452-7331.



**Titiana Drake and family** 6049 Charles Avenue, Port Arthur, TX 77640 on the passing of her aunt, **Sis. Regina Drake**. Viewing is from 9am—11am, Funeral is 11:00am, at Thomas Blvd Church of Christ, 2948 Thomas Blvd, Port Arthur, TX 77642. Services entrusted to Gabriel Funeral Home, 3800 Memorial Dr., Port Arthur, TX 409 983-6661.

**Arlon and Sharita Clark** 9035 Sweet Blue Jasmine Ln., Humble TX 77338 (4) on the passing of his sister and **David, McKenzie and McKinley’s** their aunt, **Jimmitra Clark**. Her arrangements are pending.

**THANK YOU FIFTH WARD**

We would like to thank our Church Family for the comforting calls, letters, and messages during our time of mourning my brother and Linda’s dear mother. We ask for your continued prayers as we move forward and your love. God Bless You All. With our sincere love,  
**Bro. & Sis. Allan & Linda Jamail**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS IN CHRIST HAPPY BIRTHDAY HAPPY ANNIVERSARY ELDER’S CORNER**

**OFFICE CLOSED**  
Wednesday—Friday, December 25-27, 2024. Any and all church announcements should be submitted to [bulletin@fwcoc.org](mailto:bulletin@fwcoc.org) no later than 12 PM, Monday, December 23, 2024 to be entered into the December 29th, Sunday’s bulletin.

**MONDAYS LADIES BIBLE CLASS**  
The Monday Ladies Bible Class will resume’ next year on Monday, January 6, 2025.

Baptized –12/15/24  
**Carter Turner**  
**Aubrey Diggs**  
**Savannah Banks**  
Placed Membership –12/15/24  
**Pedro Guzman**  
**Matthew Bryce—11/23/24**

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
All praises to God! I will be retiring after 41 years of working (17 1/2 years) at Harris County Sheriff Office and (24 years) with AIG American General. Looking forward to the next chapter in my life. Thanking God for his grace and mercy.  
**Sis. Brenda Gentry**



**Natura Brown** – December 23  
**Carla Hooker** – December 23  
**Ola Davis** – December 24  
**Kelvin Ashley Sr.** – December 24  
**Tina Samuels**—December 25  
**Gabrielle Stelly** – December 25  
**Karen Blake** —December 27  
**Sedell Moore**—December 27  
**Briana Johnson**—December 27  
**Michael Bourn**—December 27  
**Charles Brown**—December 27  
**Kim DeVaughn**—December 27  
**Debra Thomas**—December 27  
**Ryann Jackson** – December 27  
**Sherrie Glover**—December 28  
**Yolanda Baisey**—December 28  
**Shadejah Young** – December 28

**Alex and Judith Johnson**  
32 years on December 23  
**Artie and Katrina Borders**  
24 years on December 23  
**Arthur and Tiffany Jenkins**  
18 years on December 23  
**Raymond and LeTanya Patche**  
14 years on December 23  
**Dean and Cynthia Colbert**  
27 years on December 27

**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

**Counsel Schedule**  
Friday – Sunday, December 27—29, 2024  
**Leroy Mobley**  
281-788-5507  
[leroymobley@comcast.net](mailto:leroymobley@comcast.net)

**Prayer Requests**  
Members may request prayer anytime by e-mailing your request to [prayer@fwcoc.org](mailto:prayer@fwcoc.org) In addition, please include a subject line in order not to appear in junk mail.

**Ministry Expansion**  
If giving by check, please write ‘Ministry Expansion’ in memo section of your check, and envelope, with name & amount.

FIFTH WARD CHURCH OF CHRIST

**COMBINED WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE CLASS**

[www.fwcoc.org/watch-live-church-services-online/](http://www.fwcoc.org/watch-live-church-services-online/)

**WED. DEC 25th**  
Auditorium (All Ages)

**ROOM CHANGE - SEE BELOW**

**SINGLES BIBLE CLASS**

OCTOBER  
BRO. MARK MARTIN

SUNDAYS 10:45AM

RESOURCE CENTER  
10:15AM - 11:45AM  
THRU END OF YEAR

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