

# 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

**Moral Issues Confronting Christians**

Church Auditorium

**New Beginnings—FRC** In Person and Zoom  
Meeting ID: 827 6650 6811

**Visitors / Non Members—FRC**

**Book of Esther - FRC** In-Person and Zoom  
Meeting ID: 899 1454 2260

**Telling the Gospel Story—Conference Room**

**Biblical Principals of Personal Finance**

Meeting ID: 850 2640 3675

**College Age and Young Professionals—FRC**

In Person and Zoom 869 7803 4404

**Singles Bible Class—FRC—In Person Only**

**Mothers Support Class—Every 3rd Sunday**

## Sunday Morning Youth Bible Classes

**Pre-K— 2nd Grade—FRC** In Person ONLY  
NO ZOOM

**3rd—5th Grade—FRC—In Person & Zoom**  
Meeting ID: 827 8842 6694

**6th - 8th Grade—FRC—In Person ONLY**  
NO ZOOM

**9th - 12th Grade—FRC—In Person & Zoom**  
Meeting ID: 898 5241 6206

## Monday Morning Ladies Bible Class

**10:00 AM**, In-Person and 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

**God's Plan and ME—Main Auditorium**

Livestream & In Person

**Telling the Gospel Story—Singles' Room**

**Visitors / Non Members—Room 207**

**Book of Revelation—FRC** In Person and Zoom  
Meeting ID 843 6115 9602

**New Beginnings—FRC—In Person Only**

**College Age and Young Professionals**

In Person and Zoom 869 7803 4404

## Wednesday Night

**Youth Zoom Bible Classes 7:00 PM**

**Grades 3rd - 5th—FRC—In Person & Zoom**

Meeting ID: 874 3715 3416

**Grade 6th - 12th Grade - In Person ONLY**



# VISION Luncheon

**DEC 16th - 2024 @ 12PM - 2PM**  
FWCOC Resource Center

**ATTENDEES**  
MINISTERS - ELDERS - DEACONS  
MINISTRY LEADERS - TEACHERS , and Their Spouses  
RSVP in REALM





## Attention ALL Brothers


**SUNDAY- DEC. 17th**

# MEN'S TRAINING CLASS

**4:00PM**



**Topic: PRAYER**  
Psalm 145:18-19; I John 5:14-15



Health & Wellness Ministry  
**EVERY SATURDAY**  
9am to 10am

# FWCOC EXERCISE CLASS

Fifth Ward Church of Christ  
Resource Center  
4308 Stonewall St  
Houston, TX 77020

## DECEMBER



SAD

### THE COUNSELING MINISTRY

[WWW.FWCOC.ORG/FWCOCNEWS](http://WWW.FWCOC.ORG/FWCOCNEWS)

And remember Psalm 42:11 (NIV)  
you are affected by Seasonal Affective Disorder:  
"Why, my soul, are you downcast? Why so  
disturbed within me? Put your hope in God, for  
I will yet praise him, my Savior and my God."

### Seasonal Affective Disorder (SAD): More Than the Winter Blues

As the days get shorter and there is less daylight, you may start to feel sad. While many people experience the "winter blues," some people may have a type of depression called seasonal affective disorder (SAD).  
The first step is to determine how much your symptoms interfere with your daily life.

**Do you have mild symptoms that have lasted less than 2 weeks?**

- Feeling down but still able to take care of yourself and others
- Having some trouble sleeping
- Having less energy than usual but still able to do your job, schoolwork, or housework

If these activities do not help or your symptoms are getting worse, talk to a health care provider.

**Do you have more severe symptoms that have lasted more than 2 weeks?**

- Social withdrawal
- Over-sleeping
- Gaining weight
- Craving foods with lots of sugar like cakes, candies, and cookies

Seek professional help:

- Light therapy
- Psychotherapy (talk therapy)
- Medications
- Vitamin D supplements

For help finding treatment, visit [nimh.nih.gov/findhelp](http://nimh.nih.gov/findhelp).  
If you or someone you know is in immediate distress or is thinking about hurting themselves, call or text the 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline at 988 or chat at [988lifeline.org](https://988lifeline.org).

NIH National Institute of Mental Health

## SUNDAY BULLETIN



# MINISTRY EXPANSION PROJECT

**1CHRONICLES 29:1-8**  
**WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT**



EXPANSION

**THY WILL**

**WE BELIEVE**



## 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

Monday Ladies Bible Class: 10:00 a.m. (Will resume in the Fall)

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

Ray Wilkerson

### 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 10, 2023		
	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Opening Prayer.....	Cecil Cooper	
Song Leader.....	Darrell Criss	Darrell Criss
Scripture.....	Lamar Adams	Dwayne Baisey
Prayer.....	Lamar Adams	Dwayne Baisey
Speaker.....	Rajamail Davis	Rajamail Davis
Communion.....	DeRoy Johnson	Edric Brown
Offering.....	DeRoy Johnson	Edric Brown
Announcements.....	Michael Milton	Michael Milton
Elder Remarks.....	Otis Phillips	Otis Phillips
Closing Prayer.....	Wayne Wilson	James Reed
Week Ending	12/03/2023	
Wed. Night Bible Class / LS / In-Person	809/156	
Sun. Bible Class In-Person	560	
9:00 AM Livestream	1393	
In—Person Worship	698	
Children’s Worship	97	
Total Sunday Attendance	2188	
6:00 PM / LS / In-Person	636 /109	

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)

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

We are grateful for your support of the Fifth Ward Church of Christ.

**ONLINE GIVING**



Aim Your Camera at the QR Code

[www.fwcoc.org/online-giving](http://www.fwcoc.org/online-giving)

**NEED PRAYER OR CONFESSION**



Aim Your Camera at the QR Code

*Response Card*

[www.fwcoc.org/confession-and-prayer-card](http://www.fwcoc.org/confession-and-prayer-card)



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

**TEXT THE WORD VISITOR**

**to 201-692-5596**



Receive updates, topics and encouraging words. Reply STOP to unsubscribe or HELP for help. 4 msgs per month. Msg&Data rates may apply.

**fwcoc.org/honored-guests**

HOME / HOSPITAL PRAYER REQUEST

**HOME**

Barnett, Clyde  
Brown, Herman  
Buckner, Angela  
Buckner, Russell  
Conner, Rosie  
Dow, Shirley  
Frazier, Herbert  
Foy, Margaret  
Gilliam, Maddie  
Godfrey, Dorothy  
Gray, Denise  
Hill, Rebecca  
Irving, Frankie  
Jackson, Ira Faye  
Johnson, Pearl  
King, Maggie  
Laws, Herbert “Buck”  
Laws, Nettye  
Lamb, Tracie  
Larkin, Huretta  
Lindsay, Terry  
Luna, Ted  
Powers Sr., Leo  
Mapps, Eleanor  
Milton, Gwen & Herbert  
Nimely, Joseph A  
Nimely, Sandra  
Ruth, Diane Williams  
Samuels, Tina  
Seals, Maxine  
Tarver, Jewel  
Twitty, Colodis  
Thomas, Rodney  
Thompson, Cora  
Washington, Rodessa  
Whitfield, Judy  
Young, Ciere Lynn

**HOSPITAL SICK**

Angel Harper  
Harry Toliver  
Michael Glover  
Rosa Campbell  
Thaddeus Seals  
Loyce Washington  
Leatha Washington

**PRAYER REQUEST**


Linda Brown  
Tracy Taylor  
Jason Deloatch  
Robert Porter  
Milton Martin  
Kasen Smith  
Penny Combs  
Troy Alexander  
Calvin Alexander  
Joseph Alexander  
Marie Sanford  
Anaiyah Gentry  
Helen Rhodes  
Nicole Davis  
Paul Joseph  
Stephanie Jones  
Cordelia McMillan  
Gernell Galantine  
Marian Henderson

Gerri Ford  
Will Smith  
Dylan Harris  
Alynn Harris  
Angela Harris  
Flossie Pannell  
Nalve Citizen  
Brenda Eason  
Michael Frazier  
Francis Gary  
Breanna Byrd  
Reatha Lee Terrell  
Anthony L. Smith  
Eddie Hannon  
Dorothy Jean Patton  
Carl & Michelle Sherman

**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, The Leadership**

**TUESDAY MORNING CONFERENCE CALL**



**GET INSPIRED**

5 minutes of great Inspiration  
**Every Tuesday Morning at 5:30 a.m.**


Call: (605) 475-6333  
**PIN: 751958#**

This week’s speaker is **Bro. Aubrey Mair**


CHILDREN’S WORSHIP SERVICE

**Sunday, December 10, 2023 9:00 AM**

Speaker: David Willis  
Communion: DeRoy Johnson  
Check in: Chelsea Willis, CeMon Johnson



**(PARENTS: PLEASE CHECK IN YOUR CHILD OR CHILDREN INTO BIBLE HOUR BEFORE LEAVING).**



Congratulations to **Sis. Jasmine Dillard**, who is now a Board Certified Pediatrician at Texas Children’s Hospital. Well done, Dr. Jasmine Dillard

WE EXTEND OUR LOVE AND SYMPATHY TO

**Cassie Lamb** 4611 Forthbridge Dr., Houston, TX 77084 (11) on the passing of her son, and to **Rosalyn Webb** her nephew, **Kevin Lamb**. Arrangements are pending.

**Roy and Charlotte Thompson** 10247 Sulphur Stream Drive (Zone 11) on the passing of her aunt and to **Ryan, Blake, Trent, Rachel and Luke Thompson** their great-aunt, **Mary Mae Sinegal Wingate**. Funeral Services will be at Douglas Memorial CME Church, 1370 Ewing St., Beaumont, TX 77701 on Saturday, December 16, 2023 at 10 A. M. Services entrusted to Mercy Funeral Home, 1395 Gladys Street, Beaumont, TX 77701 409-833-8656.

**Ollie Williams** 6315 Edenport Ct. 77049 (5) on the passing of her brother, **Bennie Miller**. A private family service is 11am, Wednesday, December 13, 2023, at Jehovah’s Kingdom Hall.

**CHURCH EVENTS**

**GREETERS MEETING**

Attention all Greeters; we will have a short meeting **today**, immediately after bible class in the conference room of Resource Center

**VISION LUNCHEON**

Saturday, December 16, 2023 @ 12pm – 2PM in the FWOC Resource Center.

Attendees include: Ministers, Elders, Deacons, Ministry Leaders and Teachers, and spouses. Please RSVP in Realm APP

**MEN’S TRAINING CLASS**

Attention ALL Brothers

Sunday, December 17th at 4:00 pm. Topic: Prayer—Psalm 145:18-19; I John 5:14-15

**THANK YOU FIFTH WARD**

My family and I are deeply grateful for the kindness and compassion you extended to our family during the difficult time. We also appreciate the cards, flowers and outpouring of love. We will always remember your kindness. Thank you, **Sis. Mildred Ellison**

**WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS IN CHRIST**

Baptized 12/03/2023  
**Orna McDaniel**  
**Arrington Diggs**

**THANK YOU FIFTH WARD**

I want to say ‘thank you’ to my F.W. Church Family for all the love and kindness shown to me and my family on the loss of my mother, **Norma Jean Walton**. Your cards, gifts of love, calls, texts and prayers are appreciated. A special thank you to (Zone 4) for your love and kindness. God bless you all, **Sis. Cassandra Powers and Walton Family**

We would like to acknowledge your love and support during the loss of our brother, **Paul Downs** of Moreno Valley, California. Your love was felt in your calls, text, cards and. monetary gifts. Your prayers uplifted us during this difficult time. We are so happy to be members of the Fifth Ward CoC family. We also want to thank the Bibles classes, Ladies Bible Class, and Zone Group 4 and all the members for your love and support during my husband illness. Please continue to pray for us.

**Sis. Clara Hart and family**

We are truly grateful for your kind expressions of sympathy and thoughtfulness in our time of grief. It is deeply appreciated and will always be remembered. With gratitude, **The Bailey Family**  
**Arlene Good**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

**Zen Wilson** – December 10  
**Wanda Fredrick**—December 10  
**Indya Cooper**—December 11  
**Isaac Goins**—December 11  
**Jackie Prince**—December 11  
**Khadijah Washington**—December 11  
**Linda Jamail**—December 12  
**Kairo Mobley**—December 13  
**Jarrell Goudeau**—December 13  
**Jarred Goudeau**—December 13  
**Leslie Adams**—December 13  
**Steven Wilson** – December 13  
**Arthur Jenkins** – December 13  
**Henry Johnson** – December 13  
**Gary Smith** –December 14  
**Janice Galloway**—December 14  
**Janice Whiting**– December 14  
**Addison Draine** – December 14  
**Samantha Scott** – December 14  
**Sonia Dorrough** – December 14  
**Leslee Smith** – December 15  
**Troy Howard**– December 15  
**Ashley Moore** – December 15  
**Kathryn Aghebo**– December 15  
**Debora Lindsey** – December 15  
**Jocelyn Muckelroy** –December 15  
**Pamela Stephens**—December 16  
**Reginald Dorrough**– December 16

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

**Monty and Shelly English**  
**17 years** on December 10

**Kenneth & LaToya Herndon Jr.**  
**11 years** on December 12

**Clarence and Angeli Williams**  
**26 years** on **December 14**

**Reginald and Sonia Dorrough**  
**23 years** on December 15

**ELDER’S CORNER**

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 15 - 17, 2023  
**Barry Gibson**  
713-303-4398  
[barry.gibson@yahoo.com](mailto:barry.gibson@yahoo.com)

**Prayer Requests**

Members may request prayer anytime by e-mailing your request to **prayer@fwcoc.org** In addition, please include a subject line in order not to appear in junk mail.

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If giving by check or cash, please write 'Expansion Project' in memo section of your check and envelope, with your name and amount.



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