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Secretary of State
Division of Corporations
Post Office Box 6327
Tallahassee, Florida 32314

Attn: Corporate Filing Department

Re: Articles of Incorporation of: New Hope Baptist Church of Holiday, Inc.

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the above referenced not for profit corporation, together with our check in the amount $\frac{78.75}{}$, which represents the filing fees and the cost for a certified copy of the same.

I would appreciate your filing the Articles of Incorporation and thereafter providing a certified copy of same to this office. Thank you for your courtesies and attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

J. Ron Pleigo

Signed in his absence to avoid delay.

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a Florida Not For Profit Corporation

The undersigned persons, acting as incorporators of a corporation not for profit under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, as set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes, adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation:

ARTICLE I: NAME

The name of the corporation is NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH OF HOLIDAY, INC.

ARTICLE II: DURATION

The corporation shall have perpetual duration.

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are as follows:

- 1. The general purpose of the corporation shall be religious, benevolent and educational, and as such it shall have the powers incident to non-profit corporations as such character. The specific religious purpose of the church is preaching the word of God, Bible administration and mission outreach.
- 2. The general purposes for which this corporation is formed are to operate exclusively for such religious purposes as will qualify it as an exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations which qualify as tax-exempt organizations under that Code.
- 3. This corporation shall not, as a substantial part of its activities, carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation; nor shall it participate or intervene (by publication or distribution of any statements or otherwise) in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

ARTICLE IV: MEMBERS

- (a) The corporation will have members. The bylaws of the corporation contain provisions relating to qualifications for membership, the rights of members, termination of membership, classifications and other such matters.
- (b) The quorum and voting requirements for meetings and activities of the members, and notice requirements sufficient to provide notice of meetings and activities are as set forth in the bylaws.
- (c) The members of this corporation shall have no right, title or interest whatsoever in its income, property, or assets, nor shall any portion of such income, property or assets be distributed to any member on the dissolution or winding up of this corporation. Members of this corporation shall not be personally liable for the debts, liabilities, or obligations of the corporation, and shall not be subject to any assessments.

ARTICLE V: DIRECTORS

The corporation shall be governed by a Board of Directors. The method of election and removal of the Directors of the corporation is set forth in the bylaws.

ARTICLE VI: INITIAL PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The address of the principal office of the corporation is 1121 U.S. Hwy. 19, Holiday, Florida. 34691

The mailing address of the corporation is P.O. Box 3967, Holiday, Florida 34690

ARTICLE VII: CONDUCT OF BUSINESS AFFAIRS

The powers of this Corporation shall be exercised, its property controlled, and its affairs conducted by a board of directors. The number of directors of the corporation shall be a minimum of three; provided, however, that such number may be increased as is set forth in the bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE VIII: BYLAWS

Subject to the limitations contained in the bylaws and any limitations set forth in the Not For Profit Corporation Act of Florida, the bylaws of this corporation may be made, altered, rescinded, added to, or new bylaws may be adopted, either by a resolution of the

board of directors or by following the procedure set forth therefor in the bylaws.

ARTICLE IX: LIMITATIONS

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to Bible Administration, preaching the word of God and mission outreach and no part of the net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private individual.

ARTICLE X: DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution or winding up of this corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the corporation, shall be distributed to a not for profit fund, foundation, or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively by The Baptist Church, or some other equivalent foundation with similar goals and purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws.

ARTICLE XI: TAX EXEMPT

Anything in these articles of incorporation to the contrary notwithstanding, the purpose or purposes for which this corporation is organized are limited to those that will qualify it as an exempt organization under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3), including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as tax-exempt organizations under such code.

This corporation shall not, as a substantial part of its activities, carry on propaganda or otherwise attempt to influence legislation. This corporation shall not participate in or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.

No part of the net earnings, properties or assets of this corporation, on dissolution or otherwise, shall inure to the benefit of a private person or individual or any member or director of this corporation. On liquidation or dissolution all properties and assets of this corporation remaining after paying or providing for all debts and obligations shall be

distributed and paid over to such found, foundation or corporation organized and operated for charitable or religious purposes as the board of directors shall determine, and as shall at the time qualify as a tax-exempt organization under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3), or as the same may be amended.

ARTICLE XII: AMENDMENTS

Amendments to these articles of incorporation may be proposed by a resolution adopted by the board of directors and presented to a quorum of the Board of Directors for their vote. Amendments may be adopted by a vote of two-thirds of a quorum of the Board of Directors of the corporation. The manner, method and notice shall be as specified in the corporation bylaws.

ARTICLE XIII: OFFICERS

The Board of Directors shall elect the following officers:

President and Vice President and such other officers as the bylaws of this corporation may authorize the directors to elect from time to time.

ARTICLE XIV: INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator is as follows:

Terry W. McKenzie

1531 Davenport Dr., New Port Richey, FL 34655

Jerry Picard

1434 Whitehall Lane, Holiday, FL 34691

Walter Youra

5117 Billings Dr., Holiday, FL 34691

The undersigned, being the incorporator of this corporation, for the purpose of forming this not for profit corporation under the Laws of Florida, has executed these articles of incorporation this 33 day of March, 2001.

Terry W. M. Kenzie TERRY W. MCKENZIE

WALTER YOURA

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF PASCO

BEFORE ME, this day personally appeared TERRY W. McKENZIE, JERRY PICARD and WALTER YOURA, known to be the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation, and they have acknowledged before me that they have executed the same for the purpose therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 22 day of Much

2001

Mary An Frampton

Notary Public State of Florida

My Commission Expires:



Mary Ann Frampton MY COMMISSION # CC662486 EXPIRES August 20, 2001 BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

CERTIFICATE DESIGNATING PLACE OF BUSINESS OR DOMICILE FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA, NAMING AGENT UPON WHOM PROCESS MAY BE SERVED

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 617.0501, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED:

FIRST - NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH, INC., a Florida Not for Profit Corporation DESIRING TO ORGANIZE OR QUALIFY UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, WITH ITS PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS AT 1121 U.S. Hwy. 19, HOLIDAY, STATE OF FLORIDA, HAS NAMED JERRY PICARD, LOCATED AT 1434 WHITE HALL LANE, HOLIDAY, STATE OF FLORIDA, AS ITS AGENT TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS WITHIN FLORIDA.

SIGNATURE Wally Yours

DATE March 22, 2001

HAVING BEEN NAMED TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF PROCESS FOR THE ABOVE STATED CORPORATION, AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, I HEREBY AGREE TO ACT IN THIS CAPACITY, AND I FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ALL STATUTES RELATIVE TO THE PROPER AND COMPLETE PERFORMANCE OF MY DUTIES AND I AMFAMILIAR WITH AND ACCEPT THE OBLIGATION OF MY POSITION AS REGISTERED AGENT.

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