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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH OF KISSIMMEE, INC.**

**ARTICLE ONE**

The name of the corporation shall be:

Bethel A.M.E. Church of Kissimmee, Inc.

**ARTICLE TWO**

The principal place of business for this corporation shall be:

105 East Walnut Street  
Kissimmee, FL 34744

**ARTICLE THREE**

The specific purpose for which the corporation is organized is:

The general purpose of this corporation is to foster and encourage religious worship in accordance with the principles of the African Methodist Episcopal Church; that it shall purchase, take, receive, lease take by gift, devise or bequest, or otherwise acquire, own, hold, improve, use, or otherwise deal in and with real or personal property, or any interest therein wherever situated, in trust, for the use and benefit of the African Methodist Episcopal Church. It shall have the right to make conveyance of its property in accordance with the rules of the general body of the African Methodist Episcopal Church and the current edition of "The Doctrine and Discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal Church"; it being understood that said corporation shall not be required to accept any such donations or gifts not in harmony with the purpose and object of said corporation.

**ARTICLE FOUR**

The term of existence of the corporation is as follows:

The corporation shall have perpetual existence, unless it becomes in conflict with the laws of the African Methodist Episcopal Church as found in the current edition of "The Doctrine and Discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal Church" and is dissolved in the manner provided by law. In the event of dissolution of the corporation and after the payment of all debts, and monies or assets remaining shall not inure to benefit of any individual, but shall be held in trust by the Central Florida Annual Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Inc.

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## ARTICLE FIVE

The manner in which the Board of Trustees and the Directors shall be appointed is as follows:

The Board of Trustees and Directors shall be appointed in accordance with the current edition of "The Doctrine and Discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal Church".

## ARTICLE SIX

The bylaws that will govern the corporation are as follows:

The Bylaws that will govern this corporation are the laws as are encouched in, "The Doctrine and Discipline of the American Methodist Episcopal Church" and such amendments to said book as is revised and compiled by the General Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Inc. periodically and thereafter.

## ARTICLE SEVEN

The corporate powers of this corporation are as provided in Section 617.0302, Florida Statutes, unless limited as follows:

The powers and responsibilities of the corporation are limited by the rules and regulations of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, Inc. and the current edition of "The Doctrine and Discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal Church".

## ARTICLE EIGHT

The name and the street address of the initial registered agent is:

Bishop John Hurst Adams  
101 East Union Street, Suite 300  
Jacksonville, FL 32202

## ARTICLE NINE

The name and address of the initial member of the Board of Directors is as follows:

Rev. Jimmy D. Howard, President  
1013 S. Central Avenue  
Apopka, FL 32703

Reginald Hardee, Vice President  
2504 Maui circle  
Kissimmee, FL 34741

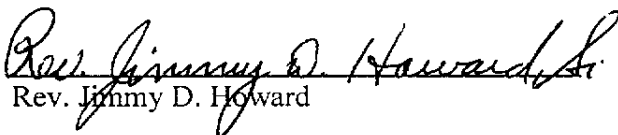
Rhonda Hardee, Secretary  
2504 Maui Circle  
Kissimmee, FL 34741


Katrina Robinson, Steward  
7507 Duo Lakes Drive  
Orlando, FL 32810

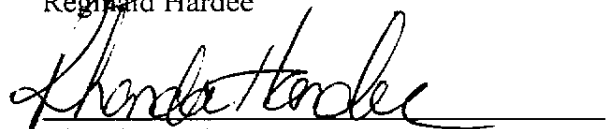
Janice Knox, Trustee  
309 Benita Street  
Kissimmee, FL 34744

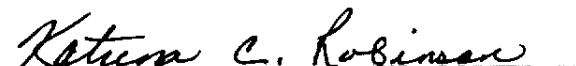
Albert Smith, Treasurer  
2406 Myrtle Street  
Haines City, FL 33844

The undersigned incorporators have executed these Articles of Incorporation this \_\_\_\_ day  
of May, 2004.


  
Rev. Jimmy D. Howard

  
Reginald Hardee

  
Rhonda Hardee

  
Katrina Robinson

  
Janice Knox

  
Albert Smith

**CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT**

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 607.0501 or 617.0501, Florida Statutes, the undersigned corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Florida, submits the following statement in designating the registered agent, in the State of Florida.

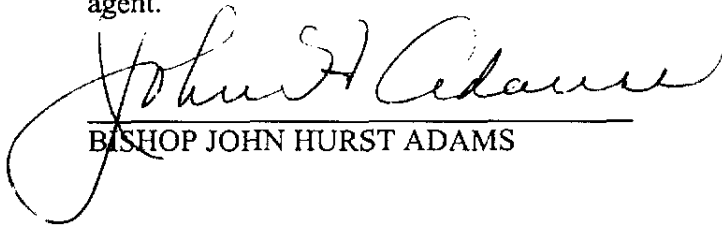
1. The name of the corporation is:

Bethel A.M.E. Church of Kissimmee, Inc.

2. The name and address of the registered agent and office is

Bishop John Hurst Adams  
101 East Union Street  
Suite 300  
Jacksonville, Florida 32202

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated corporation at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provision of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties and I am familiar with and accept the obligation of my position as registered agent.

  
BISHOP JOHN HURST ADAMS

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