


2008 NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATION ANNUAL REPORT

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1. Entity Name LIFE ENRICHMENT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY, INC.					
Principal Place of Business 625 CASSAT AVENUE SUITE 2 JACKSONVILLE, FL 32205			Mailing Address 3762 MADDIE LN JACKSONVILLE, FL 32210		
2. Principal Place of Business - No P.O. Box #		3. Mailing Address			
Suite, Apt. #, etc.		Suite, Apt. #, etc.			
City & State		City & State		4. FEI Number 20-1234498	
Zip		Country		5. Certificate of Status Desired <input type="checkbox"/> \$8.75 Additional Fee Required	
6. Name and Address of Current Registered Agent			7. Name and Address of New Registered Agent		
ADAMS, SAMUEL D 3762 MADDIE LN JACKSONVILLE, FL 32210			Name Street Address (P.O. Box Number is Not Acceptable) City FL Zip Code		
8. The above named entity submits this statement for the purpose of changing its registered office or registered agent, or both, in the State of Florida. I am familiar with, and accept the obligations of registered agent.					
SIGNATURE <u>Samuel D. Adams</u> 3-5-08 <small>Signature, typed or printed name of registered agent and title if applicable. (NOTE: Registered Agent signature required when reinstating) DATE</small>					
Filing Fee is \$61.25 Due by May 1, 2008		9. Election Campaign Financing Trust Fund Contribution. <input type="checkbox"/>		\$5.00 May Be Added to Fees	
Make check payable to Florida Department of State					
10. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS			11. ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS IN 10		
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NAME	ADAMS, SAMUEL D		NAME		
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12. I hereby certify that the information supplied with this filing does not qualify for the exemptions contained in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. I further certify that the information indicated on this report or supplemental report is true and accurate and that my signature shall have the same legal effect as if made under oath; that I am an officer or director of the corporation or the receiver or trustee empowered to execute this report as required by Chapter 617, Florida Statutes; and that my name appears in Block 10 or Block 11 if changed, or on an attachment with an address, with all other like empowered.					
SIGNATURE: <u>Samuel D. Adams</u> <small>SIGNATURE AND TYPED OR PRINTED NAME OF SIGNING OFFICER OR DIRECTOR</small>			Date <u>3/5/08</u> Daytime Phone # <u>904-502-9356</u>		

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
LIFE ENRICHMENT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY, INC.

ARTICLE ONE

The name of the corporation shall be **LIFE ENRICHMENT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY, INC.**

ARTICLE TWO

The purposes for which this corporation if formed is as follows:

- (a) To disseminate the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the Word of God, to the end that people may be evangelized and believers may be conformed to the image of Jesus Christ (Mark 16:15-16, Isaiah 6:8, Acts 13:47, II Corinthians 5:20); to regularly assemble for fellowship to worship God in Spirit and in truth (Hebrews 10:25) and to cooperate in the building up of the whole body of Christ (Ephesians 2:19-22).
- (b) To provide basic New Testament discipleship to all who are approved for this purpose by the Elders. (Acts 6:7, 11:26, 14:20-23).
- (c) To establish and maintain a church and to provide a place of public worship and prayer in accordance with the directions of the Holy Spirit (I Kings 8:28-29; Psalm 96:9; 122:1, I Corinthians 5:40); to spread the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ through the preaching and teaching of the Bible to bring the unsaved to Christ (Mark 6:15; Romans 1:15-16; I Thessalonians 5:9; II Thessalonians 2:13; II Timothy 3:15), and to build up the saved in Christian grace and living. (Ephesians 4:11-16; Hebrews 3:1-4; I Corinthians 3:9-15) Pursuant thereto, the following activities and guidelines shall be established:
 - 1. A recognized Statement of Faith, Code of Doctrine, discipline and form of Worship shall be established. (Acts 8:37; 15:11, 16:31; Romans 4:20-25, 10:9-11; I Thessalonians 4:14-17; I Peter 1:21).
 - 2. A biblical form of government shall be established. (Exodus 18; Ephesians 4:8-11; I Corinthians 12:27-31).
 - 3. Ordination of ministers upon completion of the prescribed course of Study, designated by this church. (I Chronicles 9:22-23; Titus 1:5; I Corinthians 7:17; Acts 14:23).
 - 4. An organization of ministers shall be established to minister to the congregation of LIFE ENRICHMENT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY, INC. (Colossians 4:17; II Timothy 1:16-18; I Corinthians 16:15; Romans 16:1).
 - 5. Establishment of a covenant fellowship based upon acceptance of and conformity to the belief of the church. (Acts 15:41, 16:5).

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6. Propagate the Word of the Gospel through seminars, the establishment of Church literature and other forms of mass media for the purpose of educating individuals in the Word of God. (Psalm 96:10; Proverbs 13:17; Mark 13:10; Acts 13:47).
 7. Establishment of various religious services pursuant to the recognized Statement of Faith, form of worship, discipline of the church and the establishment of Sunday school and religious classes; for Christian and educational instruction of children and adults to exalt the standard of Christian living and the divine leadership of our divine Lord and Master. (Proverbs 8:10; 13:1; Zephaniah 3:7; II Timothy 3:16).
 8. Establishment of a Bible Training School or School of Theology for the preparation of ministers who minister to LIFE ENRICHMENT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY, INC. and to ordain ministers and Christian workers for the edification and the unity of the body of Christ. (Psalm 40:9-10; John 14:26; I Peter 4:6).
- (d) To send forth home and foreign missionaries for the spreading of the Gospel and in extending the Gospel of God throughout the world (Mark 16:15-16; Acts 13:47, 14:29-30).
- (e) To print, publish, distribute, and sell books, magazines and other literature in connection with the purposes of this corporation; to sell, record and reproduce tapes, radio, and television programs in connection with the purpose of this corporation and to produce and distribute radio and television programs (Deuteronomy 31:19; I Chronicles 16:23-24; Psalm 68:4; Revelation 14:2).
- (f) To establish and maintain a counseling service for the use of the Church and public. And to provide access to such counseling service by virtue of telephonic communication. (Proverbs 12:15, 25, 15:22; Jeremiah 49:20; I Thessalonians 5:14); To assist the body of Christ with employment and financial counseling including off-site Institute of Vocation (Job Training) (I Corinthians 3:8; Colossians 4:1; Ecclesiastes 9:10; I Timothy 6:9-10; John 6:27); A Christians Human Service Group (I Corinthians 10:24, 12:5; Job 29:16; Luke 6:34; Galatians 5:13, 6:10) and to provide for ministry through Family Services (Deuteronomy 15:7; Nehemiah 8:10; Matthew 5:42; Galatians 6:2; Hebrews 13:16).
- (g) To further all religious and charitable work and for such purposes as to adopt and establish ByLaws, rules, and regulations in accordance with the law and not inconsistent with this Articles of Incorporation. (Joshua 1:7-8, Habakkuk 2:2-3, Romans 7:12, 10:4).
- (h) To ordain ministers and Christian workers for the edification and the unity of the Body of Christ. (I Chronicles 9:22-23; Titus 1:5; I Corinthians 7:17; Acts 14:23).

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- (i) To carry on charitable work for:
The poor and lost (Leviticus 25:35; Matthew 25:34-40; Galatians 6:10; Mark 14:7) such as:
Feed the Hungry Soup Kitchen, Food Pantry, Clothes Closet (Matthew 25:35; Psalm 146:7; Luke 3:11, 4:18).
Prison Ministry (Psalm 142:7; I Peter 3:19).
After-care programs, Center for Released Prisoners (Job 3:18; Psalm 69:33; Isaiah 49:9-10).
Sick, and Shut-in-Ministry (James 5:14-15; Mark 16:18).
Unwed Mother's Home (Luke 1:39-40, 56).
Abused Wives and Children's Home (Exodus 22:22-24; Deuteronomy 10:18; Acts 6:1; I Timothy 5:3-12, 16).
Housing for the Homeless and Runaways (Leviticus 25:35; Proverbs 19:17; Luke 3:11; II Corinthians 8:14-15).
Care for and assist handicapped individuals (Leviticus 19:32; Isaiah 35:5; Mark 7:37; Luke 7:32, 14:13-14).
To provide ministry to homosexuals and prostitutes, so they may be taught the Gospel of Jesus Christ (I Corinthians 1:27-31, 6:9-11; Hebrews 10:22; Luke 14:12-24; Matthew 22:2-10, John 8:1-11).
Provide homes for the senior citizens (Leviticus 19:32; Psalm 71:9; Isaiah 45:20-22).
Provide child placement services and adoptive services (Psalm 127:3; Isaiah 54:1; Mark 10:14; Numbers 3:13).
Establish a credit union for members of the church (Psalm 72:4, 112:5; Malachi 3:10; Deuteronomy 15:7-11, 28:12, 44; Matthew 5:42; Proverbs 3:9; Nehemiah 11:38).
Housing for those with addictive behavior (Luke 4:18).
Drug and Alcohol Program (Isaiah 5:11, 19:14, 20; Habakkuk 2:15; Joel 2:32; Matthew 9:12; Psalm 121:2).
Provide services for the mentally disturbed (Matthew 4:24, 17:15).
- (j) To provide food and clothing for those in need through direct grants and through discount stores whereby the needy may purchase food at reduced rates. (Acts 11:29; Psalms 72:12-13, 146:7; Isaiah 41:17; Matthew 25:35-40; Ezekiel 18:7, 45:10-12; Deuteronomy 15:7-8, 25:13-16; James 2:15-65; Luke 3:11; Proverbs 11:1, 26, 16:11).
- (k) To provide retirement homes for the faithful ministers and saints (Numbers 8:24-26; Zechariah 8:4); to care for the aged (Leviticus 19:32; Psalms 92:14; I Timothy 5:1, 17), and to provide housing for the working staff of the church (Joshua 21:1-8, Acts 4:34-35).
- (l) To establish and maintain a lending of books and tapes for members of the church who cannot afford to purchase the same (Library) (Psalm 68:11; Mark 14:7; Galatians 6:10; Mark 13:10; I Timothy 6:18; Romans 12:13).

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- (m) To establish and maintain an educational institution and not for pecuniary gain; for the establishment, maintenance and support of a private Christian elementary and secondary schools (Christian Academy), at which both charity and pay students shall be received; for the establishment, maintenance, and support of a private Christian day care center and nursery school (Mark 10:14; Luke 18:16-17) at which both charity and pay students shall be received.
- (n) To establish and maintain a Christian bookstore for the benefit of the students and members of the Church and their guests (Psalm 68:11; Acts 13:39).
- (o) To establish and raise up a ministry of arts including banners (Psalm 20:5, 60:4; Isaiah 13:2; Song of Solomon 2:4, 6:10), the dance (Psalm 149:3, 150:4; Jeremiah 31:4), drama (Deuteronomy 11:7; Psalm 103:7, 106:2, 145:4, 11-12) and mime (Proverbs 10:19, 17:28; Ecclesiastes 9:17; Isaiah 30:15; Zephaniah 1:17).
- (p) To establish and raise up satellite churches and pastors to lead them. Establish auxiliaries, clubs, and societies of a religious nature and to promote and encourage Christian fellowship between its members (Acts 15:41, 16:5).
- (q) To receive tithes, offerings, and property by gift devise or bequest subject to the laws relating to the transfer of property by gift or will. (Acts 4:34-37; II Chronicles 31:3-7; Leviticus 27:30; I Corinthians 16:1-2; Luke 6:38).
- (r) To operate under the name as set forth in Article I above; to adopt and assume names in the furtherance of its nonprofit, tax-exempt purposes (Genesis 17:5, 32:28; Acts 13:9; Matthew 1:23; Revelation 2:17); to exercise such other and incidental powers shall be exercised in a manner consistent with its tax exempt status as a religious organization as set forth in Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended, of the United States of America.

The several clauses contained in the Article shall be constructed both as purposes and powers and the statements contained in each clause, shall except where otherwise expressed, be in no wise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clauses, but shall be regarded as independent purposes and powers.
- (s) To do all those things allowed and permitted to do under law, and specifically those set forth in the **FLORIDA** Not-For-Profit Corporation Code.

ARTICLE THREE

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by officers elected by the Board of Directors at its annual meeting. The officers shall serve until the next annual meeting of the Board of Directors, unless removed earlier in accordance with the ByLaws.

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The general officers of the corporation shall be the President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer.

The principal duties of the President shall be to preside at all the meetings of the members of the Board of Directors and to the general supervision of the church. He shall be the Chairman of the Board of Directors.

The principal duties of the Vice-President shall be to discharge the duties of the President in the event of the absence or disability, for any cause whatsoever, of the President.

The principal duties of the Secretary shall be to countersign all deeds, leases, and conveyances executed by the church, affix the seal thereto and to such other papers as shall be required to direct to be sealed, and to keep a record of the proceedings of the Board of Directors. And to safely and systematically keep all books, papers, records, and documents belonging to the corporation and the church, or in any way pertaining to the business thereof, except the books and records incidental to the duties of the Treasurer.

The principal duties of the Treasurer shall be to keep an account of all monies, credits and property of any and every nature of the church which shall come into his hands. And to keep an accurate account of all monies received and disbursed and of proper vouchers for monies disbursed and to render such accounts, statements, and inventories and monies received and disbursed and of money and property on hand, and generally of all matters pertaining to his office, as shall be required by the Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors may provide for the appointment of such additional officers as they may deem for the best interest of the church.

Whenever the Board of Directors may so order, any two officers, the duties of which do not conflict, may be held by one person.

The officers shall perform such additional or different duties as shall from time to time be imposed or required by the Board of Directors, or as may be prescribed from time to time by the ByLaws.

SAMUEL D. ADAMS, founder of this corporation, shall remain Pastor and President indefinitely, or until such time as he would desire to resign as President or Pastor, at which time he shall have the privilege of appointing the next Pastor and/or President of the corporation.

ARTICLE FOUR

This corporation is organized exclusively for religious purposes, including, for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

No part of the net earning of the corporation shall insure to the benefit, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of its purposes. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of

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Propaganda or otherwise, attempting to influence legislation. And the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or any other corresponding provision of any future Federal Tax Code.

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the Board of Directors shall after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purpose of the corporation, or for one or more other exempt purposes, in such manner, or to one or more organization described in Sections 501 (c) (3) and 170 (c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious or scientific purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding provision of any future Federal Tax Code), as the Board of Directors shall determine. Any of such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of appropriate jurisdiction exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE FIVE

The registered office shall be located at 3762 MADDIE LANE. The registered agent shall be SAMUEL D. ADAMS.

ARTICLE SIX

The mailing address of the corporation's principal office shall be 625 CASSAT AVENUE SUITE 2, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32205.

ARTICLE SEVEN

The church shall have a Board of Directors of no less than three (3) and no more than seven (7). The names and addresses of the Directors who shall serve until the first election are:

SAMUEL D ADAMS
3762 MADDIE LANE
FLORIDA, 32210

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CHIQUITA ADAMS
3762 MADDIE LANE
FLORIDA, 32210

LAVORAH HUDSON
9859 STAPLE INN CT
FLORIDA 32221

ARTICLE EIGHT

The incorporator of **LIFE ENRICHMENT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY, INC.** is **SAMUEL D. ADAMS/PRESIDENT** and his/her address is **625 CASSAT AVENUE, SUITE 2, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32205.**

ARTICLE NINE

No member of **LIFE ENRICHMENT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY, INC.** shall be liable for its debts nor shall any members property be so liable.

ARTICLE TEN

The conditions and regulations of membership/ fellowship and the rights and other privileges of membership/ fellowship shall be determined by the ByLaws, with membership being eligible to all those who give evidence of their faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and who voluntarily subscribe to its tenants of faith and agree to be governed by its Constitution and ByLaws.

This Corporation shall issue no stock, No part of the net earnings of this corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, directors, officers or other private persons except that this corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distribution in furtherance of the purposes set forth in theses Articles. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting, to influence legislation. This corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office, including the publishing or distribution of statements.

ARTICLE ELEVEN

The ByLaws of LIFE ENRICHMENT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY, INC. shall be adopted and amended by the Board of Directors.

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ARTICLE TWEELEVE

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious and charitable purposes, 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 THIRTEEN

Amendments to this Articles of Incorporation may be proposed by a resolution adopted by the Board of Directors. After notification to the members of the proposed amendment, such amendment shall be adopted by the Board of Directors by an affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the Directors present and voting at a meeting at which a quorum is present.

I, the undersigned, being the incorporator of this corporation, for the purpose of forming this not-for-profit corporation under the laws of **FLORIDA**, have executed these Articles of Incorporation, this MARCH 2, 2008.

Samuel Adams
PASTOR/PRSIDENT NAME, Incorporator

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Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared **SAMUEL D. ADAMS**, to me know to be one of the individuals described in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation as the subscribers, and he/she duly acknowledged to and before me that he/she executed the same for the reasons and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 2nd day of **MARCH, 2008**

Sharon W. Bowens
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

SEAL

