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NEW FREEWILL PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

201 WEST LEONARD STREET, SUITE 208
PENSACOLA, FLORIDA 32501

June 9, 2010

Department of State Division of Corporations Corporate Filings P.O. Box 6327 Tallahassee, FL 32314

To Whom It May Concern:

Please find enclosed the articles of incorporation for New Freewill Primitive Baptist Church, as well as the appropriate filing fee.

Please remit all correspondence and filings to:

Attn: Brian Thompson New Freewill Primitive Baptist Church 201 West Leonard Street Pensacola, Florida 32501

Respectfully,

Buan Thompson Brian Thompson

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

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New Freewill Primitive Baptist Church Incorpolated HASSEE FLORIDA

Article 1. Name. The name of the corporation is the New Freewill Primitive Baptist Church Inc.

Article 2. Duration. The duration of the Corporation is perpetual.

<u>Article 3. Purposes</u>. The Corporation is organized exclusively for religious, charitable, and educational purposes. In its operations, the Corporation shall pursue the purposes, mission and values contained in the Constitution of the Corporation.

- A. This corporation is a not-for-profit corporation organized under Chapter 617, Florida Statutes. It is not organized for the private gain of any person. The specific purposes of this corporation are: to exist as a community development corporation that operates programs that serve the community
- B. To exercise all rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon nonprofit corporations.
- C. Provided, however, that the corporation shall not engage in any action which is not permitted to be carried on by nonprofit corporation under the Internal Revenue Code and no part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of or be distributed to its members, directors, or officers; but the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation to these people for services rendered, and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of its stated purposes.
- D. Upon dissolution of this not-for-profit organization, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment of all debts and liabilities of this ministry shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Such distribution shall be made in accordance with the applicable provisions of the laws of this state.

Article 4. Indemnification. The Corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless the officers, members of the board of directors, and members of the organization whether volunteer or temporary, it's agents or assignees against any all actions resulting from the sponsored activities of the corporation.

Article 5. Members. The Corporation shall have one class of membership Voting Members, who shall be elected (and may be removed) by Voting Members, and who shall have all the rights and privileges of members of the Corporation. The Bylaws may provide for Nonvoting Members or one or more classes, who shall be admitted in such manner and who shall have such rights and privileges as are set forth in the Bylaws, but who shall not have the right to vote. The name and address of each initial Voting Member is as follows:

Name_	<u>Address</u>		
Brian Thompson	5815 St. Benedict Avenue P	ensacola, Florida	32503
Anita Dillard	1878 East Nine Mile Road Apt. 407 P	ensacola, Florida	32514
Annette Smith	1940 Gary Circle P	ensacola, Florida	32505

Gwen Thompson Sarah Nixon 5815 St. Benedict Avenue 4518 St. Navaire Road Pensacola, Florida 3 Pensacola, Florida 3

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Article 6. Initial Registered Agent and Office. The initial registered agent is Brian Thompson and the initial registered office is located at 5815 St. Benedict Avenue, Pensacola, Florida 32503.

Article 7. Initial Board of Directors. The initial Board of Directors shall have 5 members whose name and addresses are:

Name	<u>Address</u>		
Brian Thompson	5815 St. Benedict Avenue	Pensacola, Florida	32503
Anita Dillard	1878 East Nine Mile Road Apt. 407	Pensacola, Florida	32514
Annette Smith	1940 Gary Circle	Pensacola, Florida	32505
Gwen Thompson	5815 St. Benedict Avenue	Pensacola, Florida	32503
Sarah Nixon	4518 St. Navaire Road	Pensacola, Florida	32505

The Bylaws shall provide the method of election of all Directors, and the number of Directors may be raised or lowered by amendment of the bylaws but shall in not case be less than three.

Article g. Officers. The officers of the Corporation shall consist of a President, Treasurer, and Secretary. Other officers may be provided for in the Bylaws. Each Officer shall be elected by the Board of Directors (and may be removed by the Board of Directors) at such time and in such manner as may be prescribed by the Bylaws. The name and address of each initial Officer of the Corporation is as follows:

<u>Title</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>		
President	Brian Thompson	5815 St. Benedict Avenue	Pensacola, Florida	32503
Treasurer	Sarah Nixon	4518 St. Navaire Road	Pensacola, Florida	32505
Secretary	Annette Smith	1940 Gary Circle	Pensacola, Florida	32505

Article q. Incorporator(s). The names and addresses of the incorporators of this corporation are:

Brian Thompson

5815 St. Benedict Avenue

Pensacola, Florida 32503

Article 10. Nonstock Basis. The Corporation is organized (and shall be operated) on a non-stock basis within the meaning of the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act, and shall not have the power to issue shares of any type or class of stock, but may issue membership certificates if so provided in the bylaws.

Article //. Corporation Address. The street address of the Corporation's initial principal office is and, the Corporation's mailing address is: 201 West Leonard Street, Suite 208 Pensacola, Florida 32501.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have signed these Articles of Incorporation on this 1st day of November, 2005.

Brian Thompson

(Signature of Incorporator)

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ACCEPTANCE OF REGISTERED AGENT

SECRETARY OF STATE TALLAHASSEE FLORIDA

The undersigned hereby accepts the appointment as Registered Agent of New Freewill Primitive Baptist Church Incorporated, which is contained in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation. Pursuant to section 607.0501(3), Florida Statutes (1991), I hereby state that I am familiar with and accept the duties, obligation and responsibilities as Registered Agent for said corporation.

DATED this 10th day of June, 2010.

I accept designation as registered agent:

Brian Thompson