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ARTICLES OF INCORORATION

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ARTICLE I NAME

The name of this corporation shall be: Christ Favour Ministry Church of God in Christ, Inc.

ARTICLE II PRINCIPLE OFFICE

The principle place of business and mailing address of the corporation shall be: 12811 N. Nebraska Ave., Tampa, Fl. 33612.

ARTICULE III PURPOSE

The purpose of this corporation shall be to establish and maintain a place for the worship of Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, to provide Christian fellowship for those of like precious faith, where the Holy Spirit may be honored according to our distinctive testimony, and to assume our share of responsibility and the privilege of propagating the gospel of Jesus Christ by all available means, both at home and in foreign lands.

ARTICULE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

The manner in which the Directors are elected or appointed are as follows:

a. Pastor

- (1) The Pastor shall be nominated by the church board. Recommendations may be made to church body by any member of the assembly.
- (2) The Pastor shall be elected to serve for 1 or more years for an indefinite period of time as may be determined at the election.
- (3) Election shall be by secret ballot at the annual business meeting of the assembly or at a special business meeting called for that purpose. Only one candidate shall be considered at a time.

- (4) A two-thirds majority vote of all cast shall be required to constitute an election, or to constitute a vote of confidence to perpetuate his ministry the church.
- (5) In the event the Pastor or any other member or members of the assembly shall challenge the validity of the election, the validity of the election shall be arbitrated by the District Executive Presbytery, or any three persons of its choice, and its decision shall be final.

b. Secretary

The secretary shall be elected by the church board from among its members. The terms of office will be one year, and the secretary may serve consecutive terms without limitations.

c. Treasurer

The treasurer shall be elected by the church from the active voting members of the assembly. The terms of office shall be 1 year, and the treasurer may serve consecutive terms without limitations.

d. Deacons

Deacons shall be nominated by a nominating committee appointed by the church board, and shall be elected by a majority vote of those active voting members present at an annual business meeting of the assembly at which an election is to be conducted. Active voting members may recommend nominees to the nominating committee; however, nominations for deacon shall not be accepted from the floor during any and shall hold office until annual business meeting at which their successor is elected. Deacons may not serve more than two consecutive 3-year terms. The terms of deacons shall be Staggered appropriately.

e. Trustees

Trustees shall be nominated by a nominating committee appointed by the church board and they shall be elected by a majority vote of those active voting members present at an annual business meeting of the assembly at which an election is to be conducted. Trustees shall be elected for a 3-year term, and shall hold office until the annual business meeting at which their successor is elected. Trustees may serve consecutive terms without limitation.

ARTICULE V DIRECTORS/OFFICERS

The name and addresses of the Directors/Officers of this corporation who shall hold office until their successors are elected at the regular, annual business meeting shall be:

NAME	ADDRESS
Rev. (Elder) Stephenson Austin	2913 E. Sleigh Ave. Tampa, Florida, 33610
Karen Fletcher	946 Sandywood Dr. Brandon, Florida, 33510
Carletta Floyd	611 11 th St. Dr. West Palmetto, Florida, 34221

ARTICULE VI REGISTERED AGENT AND STREET ADDRESS

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is: Rev. (Elder) Stephenson Austin, 2913 E. Sleigh Ave. Tampa, Florida, 33610

ARTICULE VII INCORPORATOR

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The name and addresses of the Incorporator is:

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I hereby accept the appointments a act in this capacity.	as registered agent(s) and agree to

Signature/Registered Agent

Date

Signature/Incorporator

Date