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FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Division of Corporations

November 29, 2011

H. DANIEL SHERMAN
3934 EDAM ST.
SARASOTA, FL 34234

SUBJECT: NEW BEGINNINGS BAPTIST CHURCH OF SARASOTA, FLORIDA, INC.
Ref. Number: W11000059984

We have received your document for NEW BEGINNINGS BAPTIST CHURCH OF SARASOTA, FLORIDA, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$87.50. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

An incomplete set of Articles was received by this office. Please send us the Articles (nos. I thru XII) to complete the set.

If your business entity does not intend to transact business until January 1st of the upcoming calendar year, you may wish to revise your document to include an effective date of January 1st. If you do not list an effective date of January 1st, your business entity will become effective this calendar year and it will be required to file an annual report and pay the required annual report fee for the upcoming calendar year this coming January, which is merely weeks away. By listing an effective date of January 1st, the entity's existence will not begin until January 1st of the upcoming year and will, therefore, postpone the entity's requirement to file an annual report and pay the required annual report filing fee until the following calendar year.

If you have any further questions concerning your document, please call (850) 245-6949.

Thomas Chang
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COVER LETTER

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

SUBJECT: New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc.
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME - MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

☐ \$70.00
Filing Fee

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee &
Certificate of
Status

☐ \$78.75
Filing Fee
& Certified Copy

☒ \$87.50
Filing Fee,
Certified Copy
& Certificate

ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED

FROM: H. Daniel Sherman

Name (Printed or typed)

3934 Edam St

Address

Sarasota FL 34234

City, State & Zip

941-268-5805

Daytime Telephone number

dshermancubs58@verizon.net

E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF
NEW BEGINNINGS BAPTIST CHURCH OF SARASOTA, FLORIDA, INC.
A FLORIDA NON-PROFIT CORPORATION**

**ARTICLE ONE
NAME**

The name of this corporation shall be New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc.

**ARTICLE TWO
NON PROFIT STATUS**

This is a non-profit Corporation organized solely for the general purposes pursuant to the Florida Corporations Not for Profit law set forth in Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes.

**ARTICLE THREE
PURPOSE**

- (a) The specific and primary purpose of which this corporation is formed is to operate for the advancement of Christianity as interpreted by the Southern Baptist denomination, charity and education and for other charitable purposes, by the distribution of its funds for such purposes and particularly for the Evangelistic Outreach Ministry.
- (b) The general purposes for which this Corporation is formed are to operate exclusively such religious, charitable and educational purposes as will qualify it as an exempt organization under 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws, including, for such purpose, the making of distributions to organizations which qualify as tax-exempt organizations under that Code.
- (c) This corporation is organized, in part, for the purpose of holding the title to such property or properties as the said New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc., Sarasota, Florida shall, from time to time, purchase or acquire. The corporation shall have power, to make such contracts and to do such things as shall be authorized and directed by the members of said New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc., Sarasota, Florida. This corporation shall have no power to mortgage, sell, encumber, deed or otherwise dispose of any property without the written consent and direction of the said New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc., Sarasota, Florida, evidenced by resolution of said New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc., Sarasota, Florida duly passed.

**ARTICLE FOUR
DURATION**

This Corporation shall have a perpetual existence.

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ARTICLE FIVE DIRECTORS

There shall be three (3) members of the initial Board of Directors of the corporation. This corporation, however, reserves the right and power to increase and decrease the number of Directors as provided in the By-laws of New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc., Sarasota, Florida and/or by appropriate action of its members, but the number of Directors shall never be less than three (3). The names and residence addresses of the persons who are to serve as Directors of this corporation until the first election thereof are as follows:

	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
1.	Ruth McAmis	1626 Fox Creek Dr Sarasota FL 34240
2.	Muriel Conley	116 Greenview Dr Sarasota FL 34231
3.	Sheila Sherman	3934 Edam St Sarasota FL 34234

ARTICLE SIX ADDRESS

The street address, town, city, county in the State of Florida where the principal office for the transaction of business of this Corporation is to be located is at 3934 Edam Street, Sarasota, Florida 34234 and its mailing address is 3934 Edam Street, Sarasota, Florida 34234.

ARTICLE SEVEN REGISTERED AGENT

The name and address of this Corporation's initial Registered Agent is:

H. Daniel Sherman
3934 Edam St
Sarasota FL 34234

ARTICLE EIGHT MEMBERS

The membership of this corporation shall consist of such members of the New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc., Sarasota, Florida, that are in good and regular standing in said Church, as such status is defined in the By-laws of the New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc. If any member ceases to be a member of said New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc., Sarasota, Florida, in good and regular standing, he/she shall cease to be a member of this corporation in accordance with its By-laws.

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**ARTICLE NINE
INCORPORATORS**

The names and residence addresses of the incorporators and subscribers of these Articles of Incorporation are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Muriel Conley	116 Greenview Dr Sarasota FL 34231
Ruth McAmis	1626 Fox Creek Dr Sarasota FL 34240
Sheila Sherman	3934 Edam St Sarasota FL 34234

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**ARTICLE TEN
OFFICERS**

- (a) The officers of this corporation shall be President, Vice President (s), and Secretary.
- (b) The officers of this corporation shall be elected by the said New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc, Sarasota, Florida at any regular business meeting of said church, in accordance with its By-laws, or at any special meeting called for that purpose in accordance with its By-laws.

The initial officers shall be:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Address</u>
Muriel Conley	President	116 Greenview Dr Sarasota FL 34231
Ruth McAmis	Vice-President	1626 Fox Creek Dr Sarasota FL 34240
Sheila Sherman	Secretary	3934 Edam St Sarasota FL 34234

**ARTICLE ELEVEN
BY-LAWS**

Subject to the limitations contained in the By-laws, and any limitations set forth in the Corporation Not For Profit law of Florida, concerning corporate action that must be authorized or approved by the members of the Corporation, the By-laws of this Corporation may be made, altered, rescinded, added to, or new By-laws may be adopted by following the procedure set forth in the then-existing By-laws.

**ARTICLE TWELVE
LIMITATIONS**

- (a) The powers of this corporation shall be limited to specific consent and direction of the said New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc, Sarasota, Florida, evidenced by resolution of said New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc, Sarasota, Florida duly passed.
- (b) The property of this Corporation is irrevocably dedicated to religious, charitable and educational 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
DISSOLUTION**

Upon dissolution or winding up of the Corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of the Corporation, shall be distributed to the Florida Baptist Convention to be placed in the Cooperative Program Endowment Fund.

**ARTICLE FOURTEEN
AMENDMENTS**

Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation may be adopted by the same process spelled out in the then-existing By-laws of the said New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc, Sarasota, Florida, whereby the By-laws of the said New Beginnings Baptist Church of Sarasota, Florida, Inc, Sarasota, Florida may be amended.

**ARTICLE FIFTEEN
EFFECTIVE DATE**

These Articles of Incorporation shall take effect January 2, 2012.

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We, the undersigned, being the Incorporators of this Corporation and including all the persons herein named as the subscribers of this Corporation, for the purpose of forming this Non-Profit Corporation under the laws of Florida have executed these Articles of Incorporation on the 21 day of December, 2011.

Muriel Conley
Muriel Conley

Ruth L. McAmis
Ruth McAmis

Sheila Sherman
Sheila Sherman



Leah D'Pierce

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COUNTY OF SARASOTA

On this 21 th day of December, 20 11, before me personally came

Muriel Conley, Ruth McAmis and

Heidi Sherman known to me to be the individuals described in
and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged before me that they executed the
same.



Name:
Notary Public

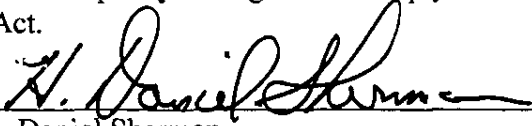
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ACCEPTANCE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT BY RESIDENT AGENT

H. Daniel Sherman having been named Resident Agent in the Articles of Incorporation, hereby accepts said appointment and consents to act in this capacity and agrees to comply with the provisions of the Florida general Corporation Act.


H. Daniel Sherman





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