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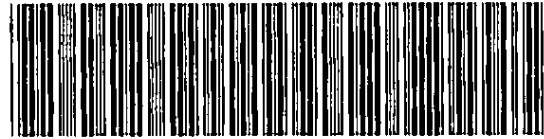
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## COVER LETTER

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

**SUBJECT:** Grace Church Miami, 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  
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Filing Fee &  
Certificate of  
Status

\$78.75  
Filing Fee  
& Certified Copy

\$87.50  
Filing Fee,  
Certified Copy  
& Certificate

**ADDITIONAL COPY REQUIRED**

**FROM:** Eric Baneroft, President of Grace Church Miami, Inc.  
Name (Printed or typed)

2732 SW 32nd Avenue  
Address

Miami, FL 33133  
City, State & Zip

(260)615-2105  
Daytime Telephone number

andrea@luke923ministries.org  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

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

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS  
NOT FOR PROFIT ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 617, FLORIDA STATUTES (F.S.)

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ARTICLE I - NAME

- A. Name. The name of the corporation is Grace Church Miami, Inc.

ARTICLE II - PRINCIPAL ADDRESS

- A. The principal place of business and mailing address of the corporation is as follows:

2732 SW 32<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Miami, FL 33133

ARTICLE III - PURPOSES

- A. The corporation is a Religious Corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes (F.S.) exclusively for religious purposes, with no stock issued or to be issued, in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.
- B. The specific purposes for which the Church is organized are: (1) to make, mature, and multiply disciples of Jesus Christ; (2) to engage in such religious activities as are permitted to be carried on by a Church exempt from federal income tax under §501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law); (3) to accept donations and contributions for all the foregoing purposes; and (4) to do any and all other things necessary or incident to the above and foregoing purposes and powers and including all of the rights, powers and authority incident to general nonprofit corporations organized under the laws of the State of Florida pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes (F.S.).
- C. No part of the net earnings of the Church shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, directors, officers, or other private persons, except that the Church shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in these Articles of Incorporation. No substantial part of the activities of the Church shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Church 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 provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, the Church shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a Church exempt from Federal Income Tax under §501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or the corresponding provision of any

#### ARTICLE IV – DISSOLUTION

- A. Upon the dissolution of the organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of §501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the organization is located, 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 V – MANNER OF ELECTION

- A. The manner of which the Directors are elected or appointed:  
As provided for in the Bylaws.

#### ARTICLE VI - DIRECTORS

- A. The Initial Directors for the corporation are as follows:

Eric Bancroft, President  
2732 SW 32<sup>nd</sup> Avenue  
Miami, FL 33133

Kurt Gebhards, Vice President  
692 N Victoria Drive, Palatine, IL 60074

Griffin Rager, Treasurer  
6262 Harbridge Road  
Indianapolis, IN 46220

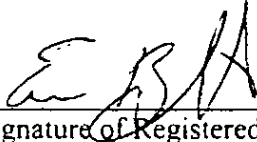
Jose Abella, Secretary  
8901 SW 21 Terrace  
Miami, FL 33165

ARTICLE VII – REGISTERED AGENT

A. Acceptance of Appointment and Consent to Serve as Registered Agent:

I acknowledge, accept and consent to my designation or appointment as registered agent in Florida for Grace Church Miami, 2732 SW 32 Ave, Miami, FL 33133.

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for Redemption Church Miami at the place designated in this certificate, I am familiar with and accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity.

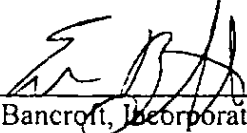
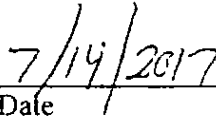
  
\_\_\_\_\_, Eric Bancroft, July 14, 2017  
Signature of Registered Agent, Printed Name, Date

ARTICLE VIII – INCORPORATOR

A. The Incorporator for the corporation is as follows:

Eric Bancroft, 2732 SW 32<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Miami, FL 33133

I submit this document and affirm that the facts stated herein are true. I am aware that any false information submitted in a document to the Department of State constitutes a third degree felony as provided for in s.817.155, F.S.

  
\_\_\_\_\_, Eric Bancroft, Incorporator, President  
  
Date

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