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February 12, 2020

Department of State
Division of Corporations
The Centre of Tallahassee
2415 N. Monroe Street, Suite 810
Tallahassee, Florida 32303

Re: NEW HOPE F. W. B. CHURCH, INC.

#### Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find the original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation for NEW HOPE F. W. B. CHURCH, INC., which includes Designation of Resident Agent, to be filed as soon as possible. You will also find enclosed a check from the church made payable to the Department of State in the amount of \$87.50 to cover the filing fee, certified copy and certificate.

Please return the filed stamped copy of the Articles of Incorporation and Certificate of Status to our firm via Federal Express Mail in the enclosed self-addressed Federal Express envelope.

The e-mail address to be used for future annual report notification is: mfuqua@fmc.legal

Thank you for your assistance in this regard.

Sincerely,

H. MATTHEW FUQUA, For the Firm

HMF/sjc.

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#### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION Of

#### NEW HOPE F.W.B. CHURCH, INC.

In compliance with Chapter 617, F.S., (Not for Profit)

#### ARTICLE I NAME

The name of the corporation shall be NEW HOPE F.W.B. CHURCH, INC. (hereinafter "the Corporation").

### ARTICLE II PRINCIPAL OFFICE

Principal Street Address

Mailing Address

3943 Sweet Pond Road Greenwood, Florida 32443 3200 Highway 69 Grand Ridge, Florida

ARTICLE III PURPOSE

The purpose for which the Corporation is organized is a church ministry to worship Jesus Christ as His local body of believers and to make loving disciples of Jesus Christ both in our community and around the world through the redeeming message of His gospel.

### ARTICLE IV MANNER OF ELECTION

In lieu of directors, the Corporation will have trustees. The method in which the trustees are elected and appointed is stated in the Corporation's Bylaws.

# ARTICLE V INITIAL OFFICERS AND/OR TRUSTEES

Name and Title: Carr, Susan J. - President, Secretary, and Trustee

3028 Paront Road

Grand Ridge, Florida 32442

Name and Title: Jackson, Donna Sue - Treasurer and Trustee

3200 Highway 69

Grand Ridge, Florida 32442

Name and Title: Braxton, Donna M. - Trustee

Post Office Box 86

Grand Ridge, Florida 32442

#### ARTICLE VI REGISTERED AGENT

The name and Florida street address of the registered agent is:

Name: H. Matthew Fuqua

Address: 4450 Lafayette Street

Marianna, Florida 32446

## ARTICLE VII INCORPORATOR

The name and address of the incorporator is:

NAME: Susan J. Carr

Address: 3028 Paront Road

Grand Ridge, Florida 32442

### ARTICLE VIII EFFECTIVE DATE

The effective date shall be the date of filing with the Florida Department of State.

### ARTICLE IX AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

The Corporation's Articles of Incorporation may be amended by a majority vote of the members of the Corporation's Board of Trustees at any regular annual meeting or at any special meeting of said Board of Trustees called for that purpose. Any such amendment shall be effective upon the filing thereof with the Florida Department of State.

Having been named as registered agent to accept service of process for the above stated corporation 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.

H. MATTHEW FUQUA

02/12/2020

Date

Registered Agent

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.

SUSAN J. CARR Incorporator 02/12/2020

Date

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