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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE WORD MADE FRESH.ORG, INC.

The undersigned, natural person(s) of the age of eighteen (18) years of more acting as incorporator(s) of a Corporation under the Florida Not For Profit Corporation Act (Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes), adopt(s) the following Articles of Incorporation for such accorporation.

ARTICLE I Name

The name of the Corporation is The Word Made Fresh.Org, Inc.

ARTICLE II Purposes

The Corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) (hereinafter the "Internal Revenue Code"); including, but not limited to, the free distribution of religious and spiritual materials in the form of approximately 1,200 sermons and adult Bible study classes, the development and publication of related religious and spiritual materials, and related programming and activities to engage in activities relating to the aforementioned purposes; and to invest in, receive, hold, use and dispose of all property, real or personal, as may be necessary or desirable to carry into effect the aforementioned purposes.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles of Incorporation, the Corporation shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

ARTICLE III Powers

The Corporation shall have all powers conferred upon not for profit corporations organized under Chapter 617 of the Florida Statutes and any successor provisions thereto now enacted or hereafter amended but shall exercise such powers only in fulfillment of its above-stated purposes.

The Corporation shall not engage in any of the following activities:

(1) The Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements), any political campaign on behalf of (or in opposition to) any candidate for public office.

- (2) No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting, to influence legislation; provided, however, that this provision shall not apply to activities consisting of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting, to influence legislation, to the extent the Corporation has made an election pursuant to and remains in compliance with the restrictions of Section 501(h) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- (3) No dividends shall be paid and no part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any private individual within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

At any time when the Corporation is or becomes a "private foundation" within the meaning of Section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code and Section 617.0835 of the Florida Statutes, the following additional limitations on the Corporation's activities shall apply:

- (1) The Corporation shall distribute its income for each taxable year at such time and in such manner as not to become subject to the tax on undistributed income imposed by Section 4942 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- (2) The Corporation shall not engage in any act of self-dealing as defined by Section 4941(d) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- (3) The Corporation shall not retain any excess business holdings as defined in Section 4943(c) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- (4) The Corporation shall not make any investments in such manner as to subject it to the tax under Section 4944 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- (5) The Corporation shall not make any taxable expenditures as defined in Section 4945(d) of the Internal Revenue Code.

ARTICLE IV Members

The Corporation shall not have members.

ARTICLE V Board of Directors

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors. The number of Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors shall be six (6); thereafter, the number and manner of election or appointment of Directors and their terms of office shall be as provided in the By-laws, but the number of Directors shall not be less than three (3).

ARTICLE VI Dissolution and Liquidation

The Corporation may be dissolved upon the adoption of a plan to dissolve in the manner now or hereafter provided in the Florida Statutes. In the event of dissolution of the Corporation, no liquidating or other dividends and no distribution of property owned by the Corporation shall be declared or paid to any private individual, but the net assets of the Corporation shall be distributed as follows:

- (1) All liabilities and obligations of the Corporation shall be paid, satisfied and discharged, or adequate provision shall be made therefor;
- (2) Remaining assets shall be distributed to one or more organizations described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as determined in the plan to dissolve adopted in the manner set forth above in this Article VI.

ARTICLE VII Amendment

There Articles may be amended in the manner now or hereafter provided in the Florida Statutes.

ARTICLE VIII Miscellaneous

- Section 1. The name and address of the initial registered agent of the Corporation is Christopher Kay, 5524 Isleworth Country Club Drive, Windermere, Florida 34786.
- Section 2. The mailing address in Florida of the principal office of the Corporation is 5524 Isleworth Country Club Drive, Windermere FL 34786.
- Section 3. The names and addresses of the persons constituting the initial Board of Directors are:
 - J. Howard Eddington; 531 Greybeard Trail, P.O.Box 549, Montreat, NC 28757

 Donald E. Brown; 121 Edgewater Drive, Orlando, Florida, 32804

 Christopher K. Kay; 5524 Isleworth Country Club Drive, Windermere FL 34786

 Ben L. McKenney; 106 Pheasant Run, Hendersonville, NC 28739

 Susan E. Brown; 121 Edgewater Drive, Orlando, Florida, 32804

Patricia W. Eddington; 531 Greybeard Trail, P.O.Box 549, Montreat, NC 28757

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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.

Required Signature of Registered Agent

Printed Name: Christopher Kay
CHRISTOPHER KAY

Dated: December 4, 2020

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 in Section 817.155 of the Florida Statutes.

Required Signature of Incorporator

Printed Name: Christopher Kay
CHEISTOPHER KAY

Dated: December #, 2020