





FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Division of Corporations

July 27, 2017

WILLIE J. JONES  
2261 NW 58TH ST  
MIAMI, FL 33142

SUBJECT: SAINT PAUL AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF  
MARATHON, INC.  
Ref. Number: N99000000453

We have received your document for SAINT PAUL AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF MARATHON, INC. and your check(s) totaling \$43.75. However, the enclosed document has not been filed and is being returned for the following correction(s):

The document cannot be entitled "Articles of Incorporation," because the above referenced entity already has articles of incorporation on file with this office. You may entitle the document either "Articles of Amendment to Articles of Incorporation" or "Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation."

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Rebekah White  
Regulatory Specialist II

Letter Number: 417A00015205

SAINT PAUL AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF  
MARATHON, INC.

Willie J. Jones  
2261 NW 58th Street  
Miami, Florida 33142  
Thursday, June 28,  
2017  
Division of State  
Division of Corporations  
Clifton Building  
2661 Executive Center Circle  
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

Dear Ladies or Gentlemen

Please find the amended Articles of Incorporation for. SAINT  
PAUL AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF  
MARATHON, INC. Please forward all documents to 2261 NW  
58 Street Miami, Florida 33142 to the attention of Willie Jones.  
Please note that this amended is related of SAINT PAUL  
AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF  
MARATHON, INC.

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Thank you for your corporation and understanding.



Willie J. Jones

ARTICLES OF Amendment

17 JUN 21 2017  
Articles of Amendment  
TO  
Articles of Incorporation

Of

*pursuant to the provisions of section 617:*

*1006, Florida Statutes. The undersigned Florida nonprofit corporation  
adopts the following articles of amendment to its articles of incorporation.*

FIRST: Amendment(s) adopted: (INDICATE ARTICLE NUMBER(S)  
BEING AMENDED, ADDED OR DELETED.)

SEE ATTACHED

SECOND: The date of adoption of the amendment(s)  
was: June 28, 2017

4 THIRD: Adoption of Amendment (CHECK ONE)

☒ [x] The amendment(s) was (were) adopted by the members  
and the number of votes cast for the amendment was  
sufficient for approval.

☐ [ ] There are no members or members entitled to vote on the  
amendment the amendment(s) was (were) adopted by  
the board of directors.

SAINT PAUL AFRICAN METHODIST  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF MARATHON, INC  
Corporation Name

Signature of Chairman Vice Chairman. President or other officer

Larry White  
Typed Printed Name

Larry White

President  
Title

June 28, 2017

Date

June 28, 2017

Date

## AMENDMENT OF ARTICLE II

### Purpose

The objectives and purposes for which this church is constituted and this corporation are:

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are exclusively religious, charitable and educational within the meaning of the section 501c3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United State Internal Revenue Law

1. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the purposes for which the corporation is organized are exclusively religious, charitable, scientific, literary, and educational within the meaning of 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

2. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

1. To sing, teach, preach, proclaim, publish, make known distribute and disseminate by oral, written or other means the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ and His kingdom and all truths Upon and contained within the Word of God, the Holy Bible, as interpreted by those holding membership in this church Corporation not for profit;

2. To provide scriptural fellowship and encouragement to its members

3. To preserve a clear and separated testimony against idolatry, apostasy and corruption in the world

4. To establish, ordain, commission and administrate domestic and foreign missionaries, ministers, chaplains and Christian workers who are in harmony with

the purposes, doctrines and policies of this church corporation

5. To support and encourage communication and extension of the Christian life and witness by sound and comprehensive preaching and teaching of the Holy Bible and of the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ to all men, both within the fellowship and elsewhere, not only by conventional modes, but also by all means which will accomplish such communication extension, teaching and preaching, including but not limited to media of communication developed by modern technology; and in aid of such communication, extension, preaching and teaching, but not for private profit, to sponsor, participate, in, conduct or engage in radio broadcasting, television broadcasting, the printing or reproducing and publication of recording, books and other materials; the establishment and operation of a school or schools and the holding and conducting of and seminars, study groups, workshops and meetings, by either resident or traveling evangelists, teachers, and other elders; to receive offerings for services actually rendered to persons, firms and corporations for such purposes;

6. To educate, teach, counsel and instruct all people by any and all means about the doctrines, teachings and information contained in the Holy Bible and derived from the historic Christian faith

7. To establish churches, schools and other institutions connected with a Christian, religious, educational, charitable and benevolent character to the end that all people may be instructed, counseled, guided and challenged, concerning the doctrines of Conduct and life taught in, the Holy Bible;

8. To bring both families of believers and individual believers in the Lord Jesus Christ together in personal fellowship, both in the home and to congregational meetings;

9. To regularly assemble together the members of this church corporation for fellowship one with another and to worship God in spirit and truth: and to cooperate in the assembling of the whole body of Christ.

10. To act with charitable concern for and help not only all members of this church can give regardless of race

social positions or religious affiliation; to develop and carry out program of ministry and help to the poor, widowed, orphaned, afflicted, imprisoned underprivileged or aged

11. person, both within and without this church

12. To pray for the needy all men and for local and national leaders and governments

13. To recognize, support and cooperate with various ministries established by God equip believers to fulfill their respective functions as members of the body of Christ and to bring the whole body of Christ to maturity and completion

14. To engage in such other business whether related thereto or not, as may be approved by the Board of Directors and which businesses are permitted by law

To cultivate, promote, promulgate and extend, educational and charitable works, This Corporation is a nonprofit religious benefit corporation and is organized to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ the Corporation is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for Religious purposes. To establish structured support services for Evangelistic, Economic Development and Other Ministries to support the outreach ministries for the body of Jesus Christ the Church). In accordance with the Doctrine of the Corporation creed / by-laws as a pastor to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ The religious program will consist of but not limited to such as drug rehabilitation counseling and facilities, feeding program for the elderly; and women in distress counseling; to teach and help people of all race, creed and color by ways of media; to adopt, and establish By-laws, and management of its affairs, in accordance with the law and not inconsistent with these Articles of incorporation; take, manage and dispose of property, real and personal, and purchase property of the Corporation. To borrow money contract debts, and lease bonds, notes and debentures, and secure payments or performance of its obligations. To do all acts necessary or expedient for the administration of the affairs an Attainment of the purpose of

the corporation, including e.g., the establishment of schools, seminars, youth center, etc. oriented to organizational

Principles. Being able to service, setup, operates in foreign and domestic, national and international, {global boundaries

We would go into an area as the Lord leads us and start a Ministry there. We would not use any funds from the present Ministry to aid. The members for that area as they come in would have to support the ministry in that particular area or city.

We would place Ministers from our Ministry that would have completed the training required by the Ministry or would also have college seminary training and instruction. DVD's and video Ministry Prison, Ministry, Street Ministry.

The purpose of this Ministry is to further the gospel in areas where people would like to hear our messages but cannot come to our locations or may be in jail or ill and cannot come out. We would also be able to send our services to other cities, radio stations and televisions. We would not sell the tapes, but would ask for donations for the production of the tapes and excess would go into the Ministry to help further the gospel. However, we would also send the tapes free to those who would ask us to.

This corporation is a nonprofit public benefit corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. The corporation is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law, for charitable and educational purposes to aid the poor and disadvantaged individuals and families towards a life of self-sufficiency, the programs will consist of but shall not be limited to: Seminars, Outreach Advocacy Programs for the Homeless and Disadvantaged, Health Care, Housing, Employment, Warfare Reform, Literacy. Counseling, Temporary Shelter, Teenage Pregnancy, Job Training, Job Placement, and Acquisition. Substance Abuse Awareness and Prevention, Tutoring, AIDS Awareness, Elderly Care and other programs to aid those in need.

The Corporation shall have the power either directly or in directly, either alone or in conjunction or cooperation with others, to do any and all lawful acts and things and engage in any and all lawful activities which may be necessary, useful,



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suitable, desirable or proper for the furtherance, accomplishment fostering, or attainment of any or all of the purposes for which the corporation is organized, and to aid or assist other entities to accomplish organization whose

activities are such as to further, accomplish, foster, or attain any of such purpose Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the corporation exempt purposes of organization set forth in section 501(c)(3) of the internal Revenue Code.

No part of the net earnings of the organization shall inure to the benefits of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the organization 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 the clause hereto. No substantial part of the activities of the organization shall be carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the organization 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 provision of these Articles,

This Corporation. Shall not engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this Corporation. The Corporation will exercise only those rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon nonprofit corporation.

Notwithstanding any other provision of these article, this organization shall not carry on any activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501c3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision of any future United State Internal Revenue Law. The Corporation will exercise only those rights and powers conferred by the laws of the State of Florida upon nonprofit corporation.

## ARTICLE VII OFFICERS

Officer/Director Detail Name & Address

SAINT PAUL AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF  
MARATHON, INC

Title CD

WHITE, LARRY  
6531 SW 58 PLACE  
MIAMI, FL 33143

Title VD

Angela White Royal  
6531 SW 58 PLACE  
MIAMI, FL 33143

Title D

Willie Jones  
6531 SW 58 PLACE  
MIAMI, FL 33143

Title SD

ROBBINS, CHARLOTTE  
P O BOX 522434  
MARATHON, FL 33050

**DELETE**

ARTICL PICTONS, CORA  
P O BOX 500272  
MARATHON, FL 33050

**E IX DISSOLUTION**

Upon dissolution of the corporation, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or the corresponding provision 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 so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such

Upon dissolution of the Corporation, the Board of Directors shall, after paying or making provisions for the payment of all the liabilities of the Corporation, dispose of all of the asset of the corporation in such manner, to such organization exclusively for the purpose of the corporation or corporations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific or No person, firm. Or corporation shall ever receive any dividends or profit from the undertakings of this corporation; and upon dissolution of this corporation.

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Assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purpose within the meaning of section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. Or corresponding section off any future federal tax code. or shall be distributed to the Federal, State or Local Government for public purpose, any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Court of Common Pleas, of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located exclusively for such purposes.

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the organization will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Sections 501(c) (3) and 170(c) (2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 or corresponding Sections of any prior or future Internal Revenue Code, or to the federal, state or local government for exclusive public purpose. Establishment of Other Churches This ministry has a vision to see the gospel

Preached all over the world. Our goal is establishing other churches in other cities, states and international as the Lord lead and directs us. Upon the dissolution of this corporation, assets will be distributed for one or more exempt purposes " within the meaning of section 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 so disposed of shall be disposed by the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then 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.

#### CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Section 10.1 Conflict of Interest Any director, officer, or key employee who has an interest in a contract, salary negotiation, or other transaction presented to the Board or a committee thereof for authorization, approval, or ratification shall make a prompt and full disclosure of his interest to the Board or committee prior to its acting on such contract or transaction. Such disclosure shall include any relevant and material facts known to such person about the contract or

transaction that might reasonably be construed to be averse to the corporation's interest.

The body to which such disclosure is made shall thereupon determine, by a vote of seventy-five (75%) of the votes entitled to vote, whether the disclosure shows that a conflict of interest exists or can reasonably be construed to exist. If a conflict is deemed to exist, such person shall not vote on, nor use his personal influence on, nor participate (other than to present factual information or to respond to questions) in, the discussions or deliberations with respect to such contract or transaction. Such person may be counted in determining whether a quorum is present but may not be counted when the Board of Directors or a committee of the Board takes action on the transaction. The minutes of the meeting shall reflect the disclosure made the vote thereon and, where applicable, the abstention from voting and participation, and whether a quorum was present.

The foregoing Amendments adopted by the organizers of this corporation on June 28, 2017 and unanimously

Approved by its Board of Directors, The Organization's by-laws do require vote of members for adoption of amendments.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned officers of this corporation have executed These Article of Amend" on Thursday, June 28, 2017

Larry White President/Director

State of Florida  
County of Dade

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Larry White whom presented a Florida Drivers' License and who subscribed the above Articles of Amendment, and he did freely. And voluntarily acknowledge before me according to law that he made and subscribed the same.

For the use and purpose there in mentioned and set forth.  
Date this 28 days of June 2017

NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF FLORIDA

*Willie J. Jones*

