

CHURCHES SUPPORTING CHURCHES ADOPT-A-CHURCH PROFILE

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THE HISTORY

Faith Temple Church of God The Holy Ghost Center was founded as Faith Temple Baptist Church in July 1971 by the late great Archbishop Henry Dabon, Jr. There was a denominational change from Baptist to Church of God and in a vision God gave the pastor an addition to that name: The Holy Ghost Center. Then Rev. Henry Dabon, Jr., was asked to be the pastor. So he pastored until February 6, 2006, when he passed. On October 28, 2006, Bishop Jerone J. Dabon became pastor by special election.

THE VISION

Faith Temple Church of God The Holy Ghost Center vision is to locate and provide training for those persons who are called by God but are unable to obtain training to proclaim that call due to physical, educational, and financial impairments.

CURRENT NEEDS

FTCOGTHGC is a five-fold ministry with a history of providing community services, such as an after-school tutoring program, a feeding program with hot meals and food pantry, and financial assistance for individuals in need of rental assistance, utility assistance, and help with medication costs. Out of FTCOGTHGC was birthed The New Gift of Light Covenant Association Inc., the pioneer that started ordaining women as preachers, and the Morning Star Bishop Council that consecrates ministers as bishops. Miracles, signs, and wonders were witnessed and experienced throughout the years of FTCOGTHGC. People came for healing and deliverance, and they left service healed and delivered. FTCOGTHGC fed the lost, the spiritually deprived and destitute, by mental and emotional preaching and teaching of the Word of God and salvation through our Lord Savior Jesus Christ.

Our church was badly damaged by hurricane Katrina, but we hold service in the building as it is because one day Bishop Dabon was reading the Bible and a voice said "start holding service." He has been holding service in the building every Sunday since then. He is yet to miss a service, praise God. We have a new roof, but during service we can stand inside the church and see the outside. We have a temporary floor and a partition to keep people from the major part of the church, which is ruined. What we need is building materials for a new church building.