

Rev. Gaines is married to the former Adrienne Marie Cosby. She is a native of Houston, TX and holds degrees from Fisk University and the Syracuse University Newhouse School of Public Communications.

## A Day in History....

The Antioch Mission began with the late Rev. Sidney Woodward in 1922.

The mission effort started in the home of Bro. and Sis. Will Yates where services were held for approximately nine months. On special occasions, services were held in a tent on the corner of Jane and Speigle Streets until a lot was purchased in 1924. Tent services were held for the next two years on Ferguson Street.



When Rev. Woodward moved from Lexington, the mission decided to become a church. On May 26, 1926, the church was established by a council called by Rev. Alfred Harris who pastored the Mr. Gilead Baptist Church. Rev. Moreland served as Moderator.

From those humble beginnings, the Antioch Baptist Church was born. Our current pastor, Rev. Dr. Keith G. Tyler, Sr., is its 10th pastor and recently celebrated his 23<sup>rd</sup> Pastoral Anniversary with us.

In its 96-year history, the AMBC has seen the history of a nation — numerous wars, good and bad leaders, power struggles, political and social changes, famine, feast, good, evil, hopelessness and hope. Church membership has ebbed and flowed but the church's mission has always held strong...to serve as a beacon to those seeking the Lord and His Kingdom.

*The lost, the least and the left outs* — we've all been through those phases in our Christian walk (some of us may be going through them now). Isn't it good to know that we have a place that welcomes us with open arms and hearts just as He did?

# WELCOME BACK!!

ANTIOCH MBC, INC. 96<sup>TH</sup>  
CHURCH ANNIVERSARY  
MAY 22, 2022



# Welcome Back!

# WELCOME



Rev. Dr. Keith G. Tyler, Sr.  
Pastor

## *"Welcome Back!"*

*We honor our founding members and their faith in God's vision. From inception to the placement of its first brick to its 'rebirth' in 1975 to today, the Antioch Missionary Baptist Church, Inc. - formerly Antioch Baptist Church - has been known as 'the Church on the Hill.'*

*We reach out to and are a home for those who are the lost, the least and the left-outs. Come worship with us - stay for a while...the welcome mat is out for you!*

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## Order of Worship

The Call to Worship ————— Rev. Dr. Keith G. Tyler, Sr., Pastor  
Antioch Missionary Baptist Church, Inc.

Prayer ————— Azavet Andrew

Welcome ————— Sis. Cynthia Bryant

Worship in Music ————— Antioch Choir

Love Offering for Guest Pastor

History of Antioch ————— Sis. Diane Brown

Introduction of Guest Pastor ————— Sis. Marian Frye

Worship in Music ————— Antioch Choir

Worship in Preaching ————— Rev. Micah R. Gaines  
Consolidated Baptist Church, Lexington, KY

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Special Presentation to Guest Pastor ————— Sis. Tina Goggins

Remarks from the Anniversary Committee

Benediction and Blessing of Food

Communion

## REVEREND MICAH R. GAINES

Rev. Micah R. Gaines was born on November 9 in Louisville, KY and he is the only child born to Sarah and Rev. Richard Gaines. A proponent of education, he holds a Bachelor of Science in Community and Leadership Development from the University of Kentucky and a Master of Divinity from The Samuel DeWitt Proctor School of Theology at Virginia Union University. He is currently pursuing a Doctor of Ministry from United Theological Seminary with a focus on Engaging & Growing Congregations Through Creative Pastoral Preaching and Leadership Models.



In 2013, Rev. Gaines acknowledged his call into the gospel ministry and was subsequently licensed and later ordained at Consolidated Baptist Church in Lexington, KY, where he served for six years as the Pastoral Assistant to his father, Rev. Richard Gaines. In addition, he also served at Wheeler Avenue Baptist Church in Houston, TX under the pastoral leadership of Dr. Marcus D. Cosby, New Rising Star Missionary Baptist Church in Birmingham, AL under the pastoral leadership of Dr. F. Thomas Beavers and Union Branch Baptist Church in Chesterfield, VA under the pastoral leadership of Rev. Kenneth E. Rioland Jr. In May 2019, he returned to Consolidated where he presently serves as the Pastor of Worship, overseeing their weekly worship experiences, aiding with congregational care and sharing in the preaching and teaching responsibilities.

In recent years, Rev. Gaines has been appointed to serve in many different leadership capacities both in the local church and in the community, including the Lexington Leadership Foundation and the NAACP. He presently serves on the faculty for Lifeway's Black Church Leadership & Family Conference where he is an annual course lecturer and young adult facilitator. Over the years, Rev. Gaines has preached, lectured and taught in various settings across the country including conferences, conventions, seminars, revivals and other worship experiences. He is also a legacy member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. and an avid fan of the Los Angeles Lakers.

In his spare time, Rev. Gaines enjoys reading, traveling and spending time with family. Additionally, he is also a gifted musician who has shared in ministry with several notable artists such as Jonathan Nelson, Joe Pace, Malcolm Williams, LaShun Pace and others. Above all else, he is humbled to be called by God to preach His Word and he consistently strives to share that good news with passion and precision in expectation of lives being transformed by the Word of God.