

GREETERS

Deaconess Von Crosby (Lead), The Royal Children's Court

GROUNDS & PARKING

Brother Nathan Burgess (Lead), Brother Darian Burgess, Brother Zacheus Nelson

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

Brother TJ Swindler
Sister Latasha Jackson

MUSICIANS

Minister Ray Sherman, Blessed Hope Temple – COOLJC, Anderson, SC
Pastor Marvin E. Swindler, City of Angels, Spartanburg, SC
Deacon Willie S. Burgess, Universal Body of Christ, Boiling Springs, SC

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

WASC RADIO – 1530, 9:30 A.M.

BLENDED SERVICE MORNING WORSHIP, 11:30 A.M.
(Facebook, Teleconference)

1ST SUNDAY, PRINCIPLES OF PROSPERITY (P-12)

3RD SUNDAY, YOUTH EMPOWERMENT SERVICE START UP

4TH SUNDAY, HOLY COMMUNION

MONDAY

CORPORATE PRAYER (WHERE YOU ARE) 12 NOON

TELECONFERENCE PRAYER CALL, 6:00 P.M.

DIAL IN: 1.267.807.9601 | MEETING ID: 880-654-196

WEDNESDAY

NOON DAY PRAYER & BIBLE STUDY

YEA YOUTH EMPOWERMENT ACTIVITIES 5PM

OTHER WEEK DAYS

MEETINGS AND PRACTICES FOR VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS

Please join us for services!



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THE UNIVERSAL BODY OF CHRIST CHURCH OF THE REDEEMED

8800 ASHEVILLE HIGHWAY, BOILING SPRINGS, SC 29316
P.O. BOX 905, INMAN, SC 29349

40th Pastor's Appreciation / Anniversary

WORSHIP SERVICES

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2022

"To God be the glory; Worthy of double honor."

1 TIMOTHY 5:17



*The Honorable Dr. Gary L. & Elder Quintella M. Burgess – GQ
Lee, Alexandra, Nathan & Darian – LAND*

MISSION STATEMENT:

*The Universal Body of Christ
Church of the Redeemed,
as a call-out group of believers
in Jesus Christ will lift Him up through
worship so that people might be saved.*

VISION STATEMENT:

*The Universal Body of Christ Church of
the Redeemed is to be a house of prayer,
evangelizing the local community for
Jesus Christ, in meeting the spiritual
needs of the church members.*

HEAD & FOUNDER, OUR LORD AND SAVIOUR JESUS CHRIST

~ Souvenir Copy ~

MORNING WORSHIP

ELEVEN-THIRTY

Brother Darian Burgess, Master of Ceremony

DIVINE ORDER OF SERVICE

CALL TO WORSHIP

SCRIPTURE AND PURPOSE OF SERVICE ~ *Sister Kimberly Hardy*

PRAYER ~ *Brother Darian Burgess*

ANNOUNCEMENTS ~ *Brother TJ Swindler*

TITHES, OFFERING, MONETARY GIFTS

Elder Dr. Arthur L. Brewton

Brother Odell "OJ" Jackson

Brother Darian Burgess

WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT ~ *Deaconess Von Crosby*

INTRODUCTION OF DIVINE MESSENGER ~ *Pastor Burgess*

THE SPOKEN DIVINE WORD ~ *Elder Dr. Arthur L. Brewton*

ALTAR CALL & PRAYER ~ *Elder Brewton*

INFORMATION REGARDING AFTERNOON SERVICE ~ *Elder Brewton*

BENEDICTION

EXECUTIVE CHURCH OFFICERS

BISHOP DR. GARY L. BURGESS, SR., *Pastor*

ELDER QUINTELLA M BURGESS, *First Lady & Co-Pastor*

ELDER DR. ARTHUR L. BREWTON, *Executive Pastor*

SISTER APRIL MILLER, *Secretary*

A very special thank you to Elder Brewton for his work regarding our 40th Appreciation/Anniversary, to Secretary April Miller and to the entire congregation. You are a blessed people, the Church-kingdom citizens.



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*Original Logo, 1982
Currently In Use*



*Modified Logo, 2017
In use in conjunction with original logo*

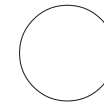


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*Anniversary Logo, 2022
In use in conjunction with original logo*



SYMBOLS OF THIS CHURCH



A SYMBOL OF
God's Eternal Love for man.



A SYMBOL OF
God's Sacrifice and our own personal
sacrifice on the cross.



A SYMBOL OF
The empty Pastoral Chair –
a symbol of Christ's headship of the church.

Church Colors:
Beige and Brown
Purple and Gold

Church Song:
"The Body of Christ
Will Never Go Down"

Church Motto:
"Jesus ~~Will~~ Has
Worked It Out"

40th Anniversary Colors:
Ruby Red



Bishop Dr. Kirkland Smith
Senior Pastor, New Hope Christian Church

Kirkland Smith, a native of Gaffney, SC is the son of the late Minister Ann Smith and the late James Coapland Smith. He is a 1986 Graduate of Gaffney High School and has degrees from Winthrop University, the University of South Carolina, Liberty University, and Regent University. He recently received his Doctor of Ministry and completed his dissertation at Regent University School of Divinity.

Bishop Smith is employed by the South Carolina Department of Corrections as a mental health counselor. He is also the senior pastor of New Hope Christian Church in Spartanburg, SC, where he has been privileged to serve for the past 26 years.

Foremost, he is married to Mrs. Gloria R. Smith and with this union there are three adult daughters: Kristin, Brandi, and Leann. They are also helping raise their godson, Messiah Rodgers.

Bishop Smith strongly believes that excellence in ministry is the only standard. He strives to live by the Biblical formula for success found in the first Psalm.

AFTERNOON WORSHIP

Four O'Clock

Brother Darian Burgess, Master of Ceremony

DIVINE ORDER OF SERVICE

THE CALL TO PRAISE AND WORSHIP

Psalms 150; Revelation 1:10

AFTERNOON PRAISE – *Bishop Marilyn Poston, Kingdom Outlook, Shelby, NC*

PRAYER & SCRIPTURE – *Bishop Larry Oglesby*

The WORD Church, Spartanburg, SC

ESCORTED ENTRANCE OF HONOREES

Psalms 100:4

Brother Tommy Swindler – *Boiling Springs High School NJROTC*

Alexandra Marie Burgess – *Escort* – Zacheus Nelson

Darian Akia Burgess – *Escort* – Amari Morris

Nathan Earvine Edward Burgess – *Escort* – Damiya Todd

Elder Quintella M. Burgess – *Escort* – Elder Dr. Arthur L. Brewton

Bishop Dr. Gary L. Burgess, Sr. – *Escort* – Sister Lennetta Gray-Brewton

PINNING OF CORSAGES – *Sister Candie Burgess*

POEM – *Dr. Sadie Jackson*

THE CALL TO SERVICE

Hebrews 10:25; John 4:24; Revelations 1:1-10

WELCOME – *Sister Samantha Williams*

RESPONSE – *The New Hope Christian Church*

PURPOSE OF SERVICE – *Sister April Miller, Secretary*

WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT

1 Thessalonians 5:11

Sister April Miller, Secretary

THE OFFERING

1 Timothy 5:17; Hebrews 7:12

SCRIPTURAL CHARGE – *Apostle Bertha McDowell, ASK Ministries Global Network, Inc.*

PRAYER – *Elder Dr. Arthur L. Brewton, Executive Pastor*

SONG – *UBC Singers*

RECEIVING OF OFFERING

UBC LITURGICAL DANCERS – *The Royal Children's Court*

THE GOSPEL

Matthews 4:23, 28:17–20; Acts 2; Romans 16:24–27; Ephesians 2:8–9

INTRODUCTION OF DIVINE MESSENGER – *First Lady & Minister Gloria R. Smith*

SONG(S) – *The New Hope Christian Church*

THE SPOKEN DIVINE WORD – *Bishop Kirkland Smith*

Pastor, New Hope Christian Church, Spartanburg, South Carolina

ALTAR CALL & PRAYER – *Bishop Kirkland Smith*

SPECIAL REMARKS – *Pastor & Elder Burgess*

BENEDICTION – *Bishop Smith*



Dr. Gary L. Burgess, Sr., Bishop
To God be the Glory: A Biographical Snap Shot

Honoring Family and Church

Gary L. Burgess, Sr., is a native of Inman, South Carolina. He gives God the praise and honor for allowing him to serve HIS CHURCH, his family, his community, his state and his nation in various capacities. He understands clearly that if it had not been for God's providence he would be lost. Pastor Burgess' boast is only in Jesus Christ because he is a redeemed man, a Christian, having no merit of himself or within himself, who has been put in right position with God through the shed blood and resurrection power of Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Pastor Burgess is a recipient of the Spartanburg County Jaycee's Young Religious Leader Award. He addressed an interdenominational faith youth group on the Lewis Islands in Stornoway, Scotland. Pastor Burgess understands that God has a "future and a hope" for his people, and him, as Jeremiah proclaimed (Jeremiah 29:11). Currently, Dr. Burgess serves as a Bishop in ASK Network Global Ministries, Inc. Bishop Burgess gives God thanks for his family and the honor of serving his church family. He has served as the pastor of the Universal Body of Christ Church of the Redeemed for the past 40 years. The church completed an expansion program in 2018.

Pastor Burgess is the second child of the late Edward D. and Willean H. Burgess. He is married to the former Quintella M. Howard of Chicago, IL. They have three children Lee, Alexandra and Nathan. One of their great-nephews, Darian, lived in the home. Dr. Burgess is a graduate of Wofford College, Converse College, and the University of South Carolina at Columbia where he earned his doctorate degree. His wife Elder Burgess serves in the offices of Elder, Prophet and Missionary President in the church. She is employed by the Greenville County Department of Mental Health. She is a graduate of Southern New Hampshire University. His elder son, Lee, attended the prestigious South Carolina Governors School for the Arts and Humanities, a residential high school in Greenville, South Carolina. He studied saxophone under Dr. Steven Stusek at the University of North Carolina, Greensboro. Lee received his Masters Degree from the University of Cincinnati in Ohio. Currently, he is the Music Department Head at Explore STEM Middle Academy in Springfield, Massachusetts. Dr. Burgess' daughter, Alexandra, is a graduate of Wofford College. She was the second woman in the 165 year history of the college to win a Southern Conference Championship. She currently resides in Charlotte, North Carolina and is involved in the financial sector. Nathan, his youngest child, is a graduate of Limestone University where he works as a Graduate Assistant. Nathan is a member of Limestone's Christian Education and Leadership Program, CLEP. He has traveled with CLEP, as a missionary, to the nation of Belize in Central America. Darian, a great-nephew who lived in the home, is currently employed with UPS. Dr. Burgess' god-daughter, a gifted academician, Joycelyn Hardy, MD, is a Summa Cum Lauda graduate (the highest academic honor a University awards) of Clemson University, and a graduate of MUSC, the Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston. Dr. Hardy is currently a Resident Doctor in the UNC Family Medicine Center in Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

What God has allowed Dr. Burgess to accomplish in service to others:

- Spokesperson, Florence County School District Four Board of Trustees
- Presentation: Racial Healing Post Mortem, The Execution of George Floyd
- Consultant, American Education Consultants, Cleveland, OH
- Advisor/Invited Lecturer, The South Carolina Governor's School for the Arts & Humanities
- Invited Guest Lecturer at the University of Cincinnati
- Tapped by the black alumni of Wofford College, his Alma Mater, to assist with the 2015 celebration commemorating & honoring the history Wofford has shared with the African-American community since the school's founding – The 1854 Campaign
- Co-authored an article published by the National Association of Secondary School Principals, titled: "College Start: A Smooth Transition for Minority Students"
- Authored, Navigating the Mainstream: The Perceptions of Working Class African-American Males of Barriers to Academic Success in Their Local School Cultures'
- Authored, Distorted: Restoring the Intellectual Image of Students of American Slave Descent
- Recognized by Visions magazine as one of the Top 25 African-American Influencers in South Carolina
- A contributor in the book Curriculum, Religion and Public Education: Conversations for an Enlarging Public Square
- A frequent columnist in newspapers across SC
- Highlighted in the HOPE (Harnessing Optimism & Potential through Education) Foundation's video series entitled "Failure is Not an Option"
- The only principal in the nation, along with former First Lady Laura Bush, to address the 2001 National Blue Ribbon Schools Conference held in the nation's capital.
- Principal organizer of the National Moving Forward Together Summit 2016 & 2017
- Former Assistant Superintendent & Superintendent of Schools in Anderson County School District Four
- Worked as an adjunct professor with Converse College in Spartanburg, SC & the Citadel in Charleston, SC
- Honored as the Secondary Principal of the Year for the State of South Carolina
- Named a Milken National Educator
- Appointed by former Governor Jim Hodges to South Carolina's Juvenile Parole Board & to the John De La Howe Board of Trustees
- Recognized by Wofford as the Outstanding Young Alumnus of the Year in 1997, the first African-American to receive this distinction in the college's history
- Recognized as a "Hometown Hero" in February 2013, in the Anderson School District Four area
- Elected to the Wofford College Black Alumni Association Board of Directors
- Ran as a statewide Republican primary candidate in June 2010 & June 2014, & as a Democratic primary candidate in 2022 for South Carolina's Superintendent of Education
- Elected November of 2010 & November 2014 with over 70% of the vote in both elections to the Anderson County Board of Education, re-elected November 6, 2018 & November 8, 2022 without political opposition