



# TRUE HOLINESS DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE

*"The Center of Hope"*

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## Thanks for a Successful First Year!

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### Mission Statement

*THDT promotes the saving of souls, development of the community spiritually; aiding the poor and needy, widows and orphans; for the deliverance of spirit, soul, and body.*

**We are a Christian non-denominational church and membership is open to all nationalities and races.**

May grace and peace be yours. I always thank God for all of you in my prayers. It has been my pleasure to serve as Pastor of this great work founded by our Overseer, Dr. Carrie Buie Bryant. I do not take my appointment lightly and I thank the Lord for giving me His Holy Spirit to teach and guide me through this first year.

I am happy to report that I do not know of any members that we lost. We did have several new members to join our church. Many of which were saved for the first time. Visitors continue to come as we follow-up with letters and calls inviting them back to our services. We report victory in the

financial stability of the church. As a result of your giving on Super-Seed Sunday, our technology department has been enhanced and our bathrooms are being renovated. Thank you to each of you for giving.

I thank the Lord also that Bishop James Avery Buie has continued to come and support our Bible Study services providing the glue between Sanford, Jacksonville, and North Carolina. Our watch-care Teams are in operation as well as the committee to support our sick and shut-in members.

We are currently fulfilling the vision of providing lead-

ers and co-leaders in all of our departments. We have worked in large groups and small groups. I have seen God working in our midst. Many of us have lost loved ones this year and I thank God that He kept us through every situation. I thank First Lady Nathan for her total support in the ministry. She has been the help that God gave me. And to every member and friend of our ministry, thank you for trusting me with your life. I ask that you pray for me as I continue being your pastor. May the grace of our Lord Jesus be with you all.

## OUR CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR

**"No man is an island"** and that is especially so in the work of the Lord. I thank God that Laterika Hillery volunteered to work in the ministry in the capacity of Church Administrator. She has worked very close with me from the first organizing of the Administrative Team. She is my right hand and has helped our ministry in countless ways. If you need

any kind of support, she can help you or point you in the right direction. She is in constant communication with me and can address most concerns you may have. You can check with Laterika concerning any church matters and schedule issues. If she is unavailable, please see her assistant, Sis. Shanny Loving. We truly appreciate the work she does for this ministry.



## Culture of a Kingdom!

What did Jesus say to preach and to teach? The Bible is the Word of God. In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us. Everything that God wants to communicate to man comes from the Word. Holiness is right; this is what we have learned as the way you live in the Kingdom of God. It is God's standard for living. If you stop asking for things and begin to seek ye first the Kingdom of God and his righteousness, our needs will be met. God has established his kingdom on earth as it is in heaven. Look in St. Luke 16:16 then Matthew 11:12-13. They are

saying that up until John the Baptist came on the scene, the people operated according to the laws that Moses got from God and the prophecies that came from the prophets. Read Matthew 3:1-2; then Matthew 4:7. Both Jesus and John preached the call to repentance for the Kingdom of Heaven is here. Every Kingdom has a King. If you are not the King, then you are a child of the King. In the Kingdom of Heaven, God is the King. The Kingdom of God is spiritual. God is a Spirit and they that worship Him must worship Him in Spirit and truth. The King's children are the Royal Family. Once

you accept Jesus Christ as your savior you become part of the Royal Family of God—a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a peculiar people. Having His Holy Spirit puts us in the Kingdom of God. So, all we need is His Spirit. With His Spirit, we are back in good standing in the Kingdom. The Bible says, "Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of his." A characteristic of a Kingdom is the way one conducts himself. The way you are supposed to act in God's Kingdom and the culture of his Kingdom is righteousness. God's standard for the Kingdom is Holiness.

Amen!

### CHURCH DEPARTMENTS AND LEADERS

**FACILITIES** - Min. Smith/Dea. Wells

**MINISTERS** - Pastor Wells/ Pastor Nathan

**PRAISE/WORSHIP** - Min. T. Dixon/ Min. Nelson

**BUSINESS** - Sis. Crane/Elder Alexander

**CHRISTIAN TRAINING** - Min. Crane/Min. Guiseppi

**MEDIA/TECH** - Min. Nelson/Sis. A. Nathan

**ADMINISTRATION** - Sis. Hillery/Sis. S. Loving

**OUTREACH** - Min. Godfrey/Min. Gibson

**WATCH CARE** - Min. Sandra Humphrey/Min. Gibson

**HOSPITALITY** - Lady Ingrid Nathan/Elder Everett

### SHUT-IN SCHEDULE

Sun. 6:00pm Begins

Sun. 9:00-10:30 pm Bible Study

Sun. 12:00-6:00 am Prayer

Mon. 12:00 noon Prayer

Mon. 7:00-8:30 am Bible Study

Mon. 12:00-6:00am Prayer

Tues. 12:00 noon Prayer

Tues. 3:00-4:30 pm Bible Study

Tues. 6:00pm Shut-in ends

## **HISTORY OF THE CHURCH**

THDT was originally named Sanford Tabernacle of Prayer for all People, Inc. The church was founded in November 1978 by Overseer Carrie Buie Bryant and sixteen young people who took a stand to declare Holiness as God's standard of living for His people. The Jacksonville branch was established in 1980

after so many members were traveling back and forth. In March 1981, Pastor Bryant and forty-two members marched into our current facility debt free. This church was built with tithes, offerings and pledges. In addition to the ministries, the church had a daycare center, a business complex with a laundry mat, a Bible Book Store, a Designer's

Creation Boutique, and a Beauty and Barber Salon. It was a goal of the Pastor to see that the members were educated in the Word of God; therefore, a Tabernacle Bible Institute was established with certified personnel. In 2000, the name of the church was changed to True Holiness Deliverance Tabernacle by the Board of Trustees.

