



MISSIONARY UNION MINISTRY

# Community Giveaway

*Bring something, leave it for others...*

## October 8<sup>th</sup> | SMBC Parking Lot

Drop-Off Begins at 8:00 AM • Giveaway 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM  
2305 EAST THIRD STREET, CHATTANOOGA, TN 37404

*Giveaway is open to the community!*  
DONATIONS WILL ALSO BE MADE TO THE COMMUNITY KITCHEN - ITEMS NEEDED INCLUDE:  
Personal Hygiene Items | Gloves | Hats | Socks | Canned Goods | Furniture | Clothing | Household Items

Missionary Union: Sis. Marva Naylor, President | Sis. Betty Schreane, Vice President | Dr. Ernest L. Reid Jr., Pastor

**Second Missionary Baptist Church**  
2305 East Third Street  
Chattanooga, TN 37404

Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 am - 4:30 pm, Friday 9:00 am - 3:30 pm



# THE SECOND CHRONICLE

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*Called to Serve This Present Age*  
Just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.  
MATTHEW 20:28



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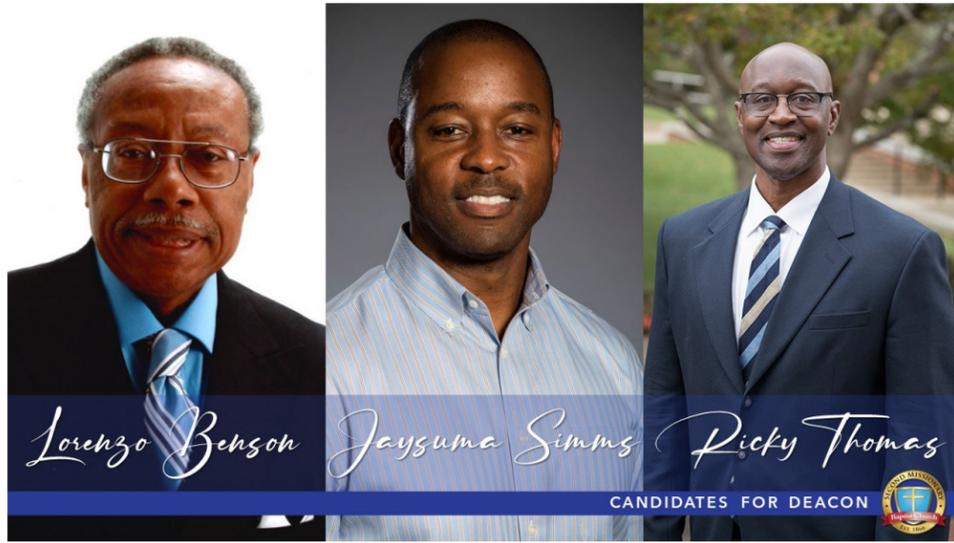
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# Church Officers in Training

As we continue to grow and develop at SMBC, we would like to introduce some new faces as candidates to join our church leadership! These nine individuals were approved at our member's meeting on September 9th and consists of candidates for deacon and trustee.

Candidates for deacon are: Trustee Lorenzo Benson, Bro. Jay Simms, and Bro. Ricky Thomas. Candidates for trustee are: Bro. Mario Haynie, Bro. Jeffrey Holloway, Bro. James Nunally, Sis. Angela Sims, Bro. Aaron Webb, and Sis. Lillie Wills. They will undergo a 6-month onboarding process during which they will have several trainings. Training will begin in October and last until it is complete. Upon completion, we will conclude with a Service of Ordination and Consecration at Sunday morning service. Please continue to keep them in your prayers as they go through this process.



# Celebrating 100 Years

Submitted by Sis. Sandra Clark

Ms. Camille Doris Robinson, affectionately called "Bim" by family and friends celebrated her Centennial Birthday on August 2, 2022. She is very grateful to Pastor Reid, Family Ministry Number One, and her entire church family for sharing in this joyous celebration with her. Ms. Robinson was blessed to have received over 400 birthday cards from her family, church family, DST sorority, TSU Alumni Association, neighbors, former students, and many friends. Not only did she receive cards, but she also received many gifts. On August 6, 2022, Ms. Robinson was honored with a special birthday celebration at Life Care Center of Collegedale. Truly, her 100th birthday was a most happy occasion for her!



CEO of The Top Picture (L to R - Standing: Leon Grimes and Pam Thompson (cousins), Honorable Representative Yusuf Hakeem, and Sandra Clark. Sitting: Sis. Camille Robinson

# Community Involvement



Pictured L to R: Marcus Johnson, Dorothy Grisham, Mignon Francois (founder and CEO of The Cupcake Collection), Candy Johnson, Pastor Reid.

Urban League Entrepreneur Luncheon. This luncheon is held to help support minority businesses. SMBC was a table sponsor of the event. Our members: Min. Ronald Harris, Sis. Marie Webb, Judge Curtis Collier, and Pastor Reid are Urban League Board Members.



Pictured L to R: Deacon Robert Maddox, Min. Eric Kennedy, Bro. Charles Spruce (Men's Ministry Chair), Bro. Harold Kennedy, Deacon Paul Payne

Men of Second volunteered at a back to school event at Erlanger Community Health Center on Dodson Ave.

# Early Childhood Education Update

From Pastor Reid

With the rollout of SMBC Vision 2025 we announced the plan to establish an Early Childhood Education Center at SMBC. Going along with the goals for 2022, we have established an exploratory committee for the development of the center. The Early Childhood Education Committee consists of: Pastor Reid, Bro. Frank Alford, Sis. Sylvia Davis, Sis. Jackie Heathington, Sis. Stephanie Hinton, Bro. Jeffery Holloway, Sis. Angela Sims, Bro. Rayburn Traughber, Sis. Bernadine Turner, Bro. Robert Watson, Bro. Aaron Webb, Ms. Charlotte Hubert (DHS - CCR&R), and Ms. Heather Hicks (DHS - CCR&R).

As a matter of consultation, we have been working with the CEO and Administrative Team of the Signal Centers on the development of our early childhood education plan. At this point, we are working on the following:

- Fine tuning our Mission Statement
- Development of our legal structure
- Undergoing training from the Signal Centers for the various areas of finance, compliance, and overall management
- Researching curriculum for K3 and K4 for kindergarten readiness
- Connecting with the State on the enhancement of our location which presently is the Wellness Center

It is our hope that this can be accomplished within the next 18-24 months. We solicit your prayers and support in this process.

# Security Ministry Team

Submitted by Sis. Theresa Turner, Security Ministry Secretary on behalf of the Security Ministry Team

The SMBC Security Ministry Team began in 2021 and celebrated the first-year anniversary on July 10, 2022. The Security Ministry Team includes a diverse group of individuals, who were recruited and professionally trained to serve efficiently and effectively in specific assigned posts. Each Security Ministry Team member strives to be the eyes and ears for the church officers, while keeping close watch over the building and grounds, and closely monitoring various assigned areas of the church. SMBC members who have a sincere interest in joining the Security Ministry Team are encouraged to pray and seek God's guidance and follow up by contacting the church office.

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to be a part of the Security Ministry

- WHAT WE DO**
- Eyes and ears for our on-duty officer
  - Support medical staff
  - Encourage members and guests to maintain compliance



# Women of Faith

WOF hosted a Community Baby Shower on August 20, 2022. Donations were made to Chattanooga Room in the Inn, Maclellan Family Shelter, and New Hope Pregnancy Center.



## Save the Date

Mark your calendars and plan to come to these events! More info to come.

- **Saturday, October 15th:** Pastor Reid's 7th Anniversary Celebration will be held at SMBC. Come fellowship with the entire SMBC Family as we celebrate our Pastor!
- **Saturday, November 12th:** WOF Wreath Decorating Workshop at SMBC. We had a great time last year fellowshiping together and personalizing our wreaths. We'd love to see you this year!

# A Historical Perspective on Women’s Day

The inaugural social celebration of Women’s Day in the United States was observed in 1909. This celebration was held in honor of the 1908 garment workers strike in New York, where women protested working conditions. On March 8, 1908, 15,000 female garment workers, including many who were immigrants, marched through New York City’s Lower East Side to rally at Union Square to demand economic and political rights. This included shorter work hours, better pay, voting rights, and an end to child labor.

This march spawned an international recognition of women who were fighting for justice all over the world and in time led to an international adoption of Women’s Day. In 1910, German Socialist Clara Zetkin proposed designating International Women’s Day at an International Socialist Congress in Copenhagen, and women delegates from 17 countries unanimously concurred. Since that time, women all over the world have celebrated a day in the year to stand in solidarity on a range of social issues including war, poverty, exploitation, racism, and all forms of oppression and inequality.

Around the same time as the inception of the social celebration of Women’s Day, Ms. Nannie Burroughs submitted a proposal to the Women’s Auxiliary of the National Baptist Convention to designate the fourth Sunday in July as National Women’s Day. Ms. Burroughs stated that, “The purpose of that day was to interest women of the local churches in raising money for Foreign Missions.” The proposal was accepted, and the first observation was held in 1907. The purpose of Women’s Day has evolved since its inception, and many local churches across denominations have celebrated Women’s Day in many creative ways and on different Sundays throughout the year.

Women’s Day—socially and spiritually—is a remarkable opportunity to celebrate the contributions of women past and present, as well as inspire women to continue to make a difference in the church and in the local, national, and international community.



As we consider the historical evolution of Women’s Day, we are thankful for the women of Second Missionary Baptist Church. This year will be our 77<sup>th</sup> Annual Women’s Day, however, across the 156-year history of Second, women have aided in the church’s development and advancement. Therefore, to the women of this faith community, we salute you, celebrate you and look forward to what God will continue to do in our community through you. May God Bless you and may heaven smile upon you.

*Pastor Reid*





### 77th Annual Women's Day

Our 77th Annual Women's Day will be held on Sunday, September 25th where we will welcome Rev. Cindy Rudolph as our guest speaker. Rev. Rudolph has been serving the people of God since 2000. She is committed to offering life-transforming ministry for people from all walks of life. She currently serves as the Senior Pastor of Oak Grove AME Church in Detroit, MI. As the first female pastor in the one-hundred-year history of Oak Grove, Rev. Rudolph has hit the ground running by increasing the church's impact in the areas of outreach, youth and young adult programming and technology. A native of Guyana, South America, Rev. Rudolph spent most of her life in Newark, NJ. She is a graduate of Rutgers University in New Brunswick, NJ, where she received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Communications. After working in mass media and corporate venues, Rev. Rudolph answered God's calling on her life by enrolling in seminary at Drew University in Madison, NJ. After studying at both Drew and The Interdenominational Theological Center in Atlanta, GA, Rev. Rudolph received a Master of Divinity degree from Drew, graduating with Magna Cum Laude honors. She was ordained by the AME Church in April 2002, and has earned many accolades and distinctions and numerous civic commendations. Rev. Rudolph is married to Dr. Lawrence Rudolph, and they are the proud parents of a seven-year-old daughter, McKenna.

Women's Day this year is lead by Sis. Marie Peter-Bowman as Chair, Sis. Angela Sims as Vice Chair, and Sis. Chrystal Partridge as Finance Chair. **The financial goal for Women's Day is \$20,000, which will go towards the next church renovation phase.**

SECOND MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

# WOMEN'S DAY

*77th Annual*

"Called to Serve This Present Age" MATTHEW 20:28

**September 25<sup>th</sup> | 10:45 AM**

Join us  
**IN PERSON**  
 2305 East Third Street  
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**ONLINE**  
 @2ndMBCChurch  
 www.mysmbchurch.org

**DR. ERNEST L. REID JR., PASTOR**

**GUEST SPEAKER**

*Rev. Cindy Rudolph*  
 Pastor | Oak Grove AME Church, Detroit, Michigan

# 156th Church Anniversary

We recently celebrated a huge milestone with our 156th Church Anniversary! On August 13th, we had a great time fellowshiping together at Camp Jordan with games, food, and fun. The next day, we concluded our celebration with Sunday morning service where we welcomed Rev. Kenny Craig as our guest speaker. He is the pastor of Fairview Missionary Baptist Church in Dyer, TN. Our church anniversary celebrations would not have been possible without the hard work and dedication of this year's committee: Trustee Lorenzo Benson, Sis. Sylvia Davis, Sis. Takisha Haynie, Deaconess Mara-Lynne Payne, Sis. Ann Pullen, Bro. Roland Pullen, Sis. Mary Quarles, Sis. Emma Watson, and Pastor Johnnie Williams, lead by Trustee Francine Brown as Chairperson. God has blessed us tremendously throughout the years and we continue to see the works of His hand at SMBC!



# Camp Jordan | August 13, 2022

