REVEREND SHERWAYNE PHILLIP, PASTOR

June 28, 2015
11:00am & 4:00pm

Theme: “A Church Built on a Strong Foundation”
Scripture: Luke 6:48
UNION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

New Season New Day

"I chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit - fruit that will last".
John 15:16

Pastor Sherwayne & Judith Phillip
My Brothers and Sisters:

As we assemble today for worship and praise on the 100th Anniversary of our beloved Union Missionary Baptist Church Port Richey, Florida. I am honored and count it a privilege to be a part of this historic celebration! Our theme for this celebration is “A Church Built on a Strong Foundation” Luke 6:48.

This is what we believe God’s been doing in the lives of His saints through the years. The rich history of Union is a true testimony to the faith that our founding fathers and mothers had in God when they embarked on this faith journey in 1915.

As I reviewed the history of Union she has had many pastors preaching, teaching, sharing and spreading the good news in this community. With each new generation, Union has been actively engaged in very passionate ways in teaching the supremacy of God in all things for the joy of all people through Jesus Christ. We can celebrate the fact that Union has maintained an unbroken tradition of instilling within every generation since our founding; the Biblical duty to make certain that the next generation hears about the mighty acts of God by demonstrating our love of God through community outreach and support that fosters kingdom building.

As God’s servant, and as a servant who watches for your soul and truly wants you to receive all God has for you, I am in constant prayer for us to be all God wants us to be. I pray that we will embrace the vision with great fervor and commitment. It’s also my prayer that every leader and saint of God joins me in working towards the realization of the vision: “Growing from Enlightenment to Transformation to Application.” Being always mindful of my calling and purpose, it’s my desire to equip God’s people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up, until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ. Ephesians 4:12-13.

Union it has been such an honor to serve you as pastor for the past 6 months. I’m truly blessed to be standing on the shoulders of men of God who served as pastor of this church through the years. I pray that Union will continue to be a beacon of light in our community as we seek to reach the world for Christ, working with other churches and community leaders.

I thank God for my wife Judith who continues to stand by my side as I have accepted this call to serve in shepherding God’s people into His kingdom. Happy 100th Anniversary Union, we Love You!

In His Name,

[Signature]

Sherwayne Phillip
Pastor

“So built we the wall; and all the wall was joined together unto the half thereof: for the people had a mind to work.” Nehemiah 4:6

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Original Church on Pine Hill Road

The history of Union Missionary Baptist Church is unique because it is entwined in the historic development of the Booker T. Washington, Port Richey African American Community. Before the community became known as Booker T. Washington, it was referred to by locals as the “negro colony north of New Port Richey”. Like most African American Communities, the Port Richey African American Community had churches, a cemetery, and a school.

A news article in the “New Port Richey Press” in 1924 states that the small Port Richey African American Community not only had its own church, known as the Little Home Baptist Church, but it also had its first school. This is the first mention of the Port Richey African American School, which later became known as the Booker T. Washington African American School. During this time the Colored School didn’t have its own building, however, the children were taught in the community church.

The community churches had several names during the early 1900’s.

- 1923 Port Richey African American Baptist Church
- 1924 Little Home Baptist Church of Booker T. Washington
- 1924 Booker T. Washington Baptist Church
- 1928 Pleasant Hill Baptist Church
- 1928 Little Home Baptist Church
- 1929 Pine Hill Cemetery Church

By 1928 “The Little Home Baptist Church” of Booker T. Washington changed names and became known as the Paradise Baptist Church. It was in January of 1928 that the Paradise Baptist Church and Pleasant Hill Baptist Church merged and established Union Missionary Baptist Church and moved to the current Pine Hill location.
As the Booker T. Washington Community grew, so did the school. By 1929 the Booker T. Washington colored school had become “public” school, being supported by the School Board. Columbus Fulwood, former pastor of the church and current deacon, became the supervisor of the Booker T. Washington School.

On August 25, 1944, the New Port Richey Press reported that the Pasco County board of instruction had purchased land on U.S. 19 North of Port Richey to build a new school “for the colored children of Booker T. Washington section.” Therefore, the second Booker T. Washington School was dedicated on April 21, 1945.

The third site of the Booker T. Washington School was a new building which opened in 1962 on Pine Hill Road. Dedication of the new school took place on Oct. 24, 1962. The New Port Richey Press article on November 1, 1962 reported that the school was staffed by two instructors teaching 50 students.

By 1965 desegregation plans had been approved for Pasco County Schools. Pasco County’s plan for desegregation of its schools was adopted by the school board on February 23, 1965. By the 1966 school year, African American children were given the choice to attend previously all white schools or remain at the schools they had been previously attending. By 1967 the Booker T. Washington School was formally closed and African American children were made to attend previously all white schools.

Today a small portion of the Booker T. Washington community remains located near the Pine Hill Cemetery. The former Booker T. Washington School is still owned by the Pasco County School Board. The African American Club of Pasco County uses the school for meetings and a variety of community projects.

The current church was built in 1923 by members of the church. The name was officially changed from “United” to “Union” in 1955.

Union Missionary Baptist Church is located a few blocks from the former school and is a historic monument to the Booker T. Washington community. By the grace of God, Union has sustained its presence in an era of limited public access for African Americans and continues to be a spiritual edifice for the entire Port Richey/New Port Richey Community.
Union Missionary Baptist Church is blessed with pastors that have guided the church faithfully.

- 1915-1936—Pleasant Hill Baptist and Paradise Missionary Baptist Church operated as two separate churches.
- January 13th, 1928—The members of Paradise MBC were received as members of Pleasant Hill MBC, changing their names to United Missionary Baptist Church.
- July 2, 1955 to 1972—Rev. C. H. Harris, United MBC became Union Missionary Baptist Church.
- March 1987 to 1988—Rev. Carlton Bennett
- March 1988 to 1989—Rev. Dennis Gilbert
- 1989—Rev. Bobby Smith
- April 15, 1990 to 1991—Rev. Clem Bell
- November 1998 to December 2014—Rev. Ronald Smart
- January 2015 to Present—Rev. Sherwayne Phillip

In January 2015, Union welcomed a new pastor, Sherwayne Phillip. Reverend Phillip, came from New Hope Missionary Baptist in Hudson, where he served as an associate minister for 14 years.


Rev. Phillip's goals for the church include equipping the saints for ministry, revitalizing youth programs and expanding outreach efforts.

The church mission statement reflects its original purpose: to provide a place of worship for the community to seek God. It also speaks of moving forward. At services, old hymns are mixed into high-praise contemporary music, Phillip says.
LITANY OF THANKS

LEADER: O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is our God and there is none beside Him. He is our Creator and Redeemer, our strength and our guide.

PEOPLE: We give thanks to Thee, O Lord our God. We praise Thee with our whole heart.

LEADER: Give thanks unto the Lord our God, for He was in Christ reconciling the world unto Himself, and He has entrusted to us the ministry of reconciliation.

PEOPLE: We thank Thee, O Lord, our God. We praise thee with a whole heart.

LEADER: Give thanks unto the Lord, our God for He has endowed us with many and various gifts. He has called us to many and various forms of work: but all them in all men are the works of the same God.

PEOPLE: We thank Thee, O Lord, our God. We praise thee with a whole heart. Lord, we have heard Thy call. We dedicate ourselves anew to follow Thy leading.
UNION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
CELEBRATING 100 YEARS  
ORDER OF WORSHIP  
JUNE 28, 2015  
11:00 AM  

“A CHURCH BUILT ON A STRONG FOUNDATION”  
LUKE 6:48

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BENEDICTION

“CAKE, PUNCH, AND COFFEE WILL BE SERVED IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL”
O come, let us sing unto the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.
Psalm 95:1

Distributing to the necessity of saints; given to hospitality.
Romans 12:13
WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Give her of the fruit of her hands; and let her own works praise her in the gates.
Proverbs 31:31
YOUTH MINISTRY

These are the children of promise.
Galatians 4:28

ADMINISTRATION STAFF

For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry,
for the edifying of the body of Christ:
Ephesians 4:12
SING UNTO HIM, SING PSALMS UNTO HIM, TALK YE OF ALL HIS WONDROUS WORKS.
1 CHRONICLES 16:9
O clap your hands, all ye people; shout unto God with the voice of triumph.
Psalm 47:1

For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God, than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.
Psalm 84:10
May 8, 2015

Union Missionary Baptist Church
6235 Pine Hill Road
Port Richey, FL 34668

Dear Union Missionary Baptist Church,

Congratulations on celebrating your 100th Anniversary! You should be very proud of this tremendous achievement.

As a community, we are incredibly proud of all you have accomplished. I wish you only the best in all your future endeavors.

Please let me know if I can ever be of service to you.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

Mike Fasano
Tax Collector

“Thank you for allowing us to serve you.”

MF:ztc
In Memory of Alvin Elkanah Dennis

We cherish the memory of our beloved Husband, Father and Grandfather Alvin E. Dennis

Alvin went home to be with the Lord on January 14, 2015. He was a faithful and dedicated member of the Union Missionary Baptist Church.

Joan Dennis

God give us a church, up on a hill,
Where Thy Word is heard and hearts are made still,
Where the sound of praise fills the countryside,
Where the gospel of Christ is proclaimed far and wide,
Where souls hungering for Jesus find rest in Him,
Where the grace of God is transforming men.
May it be a sanctuary, a house of prayer,
May mercy and favor be freely found there.
May it be Thy house, Thy dwelling, O Lord,
Where Thy Name is worshipped, honored, and adored.

HAPPY 100TH YEAR CHURCH ANNIVERSARY
The Philippe Family
June 28, 2015

Reverend Sherwayne Phillip  
Union Missionary Baptist Church  
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Port Richey, Florida 34668

Dear Friends:

Welcome to the 100th Anniversary Celebration for the Union Missionary Baptist Church! Although I am unable to be with you today, I would like to thank you all for your dedicated service to the Port Richey community.

For the past 100 years, your church has worked hard to improve the lives of Port Richey's citizens. The positive difference you have made within the community will have a lasting impact for years to come.

Congratulations on this milestone and all the best for much future success!

Sincerely,

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We join in the celebration of the Union Missionary Baptist Church as they commemorate their 100th year of spiritual service to the community.

“And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.”

Matthew 16: 18

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HAPPY 100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

UNION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

His Praise shall continue to be in my mouth, for He has done great things for me.

May the Lord continue to bless and keep our church.

Ester Janette Smith Cobb

CONGRATULATIONS

REV. SHERWAYNE AND LADY JUDITH PHILLIP AND THE UNION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH FAMILY AS YOU CELEBRATE 100 YEARS OF SERVING IN GODS VINEYARD!

WE PRAY GODS RICHEST BLESSINGS UPON YOU AS YOU GO FORTH IN HIS NAME.

REV. FREDDIE AND LADY LESLEE HINSON AND THE NEW HOPE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH FAMILY

14236 County Line Road, Hudson, FL 34667
8:45 AM Life Groups
10:00 AM Sunday Worship Service
6:30 PM Wednesday Intercessory Prayer
7:00 PM Wednesday Bible Study
The little church by the road is small in stature, but its testimony is huge. It’s appointed walls can tell stories of healing, peace and Christian fellowship while remaining unmoved. Its history is rich, and its foundations is solid for God has firmly held this church in His hands for 100 years.

This little church by the road is our church home, and we are thankful for being a part of its history and testimony.

Congratulations UMBC for standing strong for 100 years, and may God continue to bless our little church by the road for centuries to come!

The Davis Family
Jeff, Pamela and Victoria
May the Lord Bless
The Joyous Celebration
of Union Missionary Baptist Church
100th Church anniversary
“A Church Built on a Strong Foundation”

Mt. Carmel Baptist Church

Finishing the unfinished tasks!

8:30am — 9:20am Sunday Breakfast Ministry
9:30am Sunday Bible School
10:45am Sunday Morning Worship
10:00am — 2:00pm Tuesday Clothes Closet
Noon — 1:00pm Tuesday Prayer Ministry
7:00pm Tuesday Evening Bible Study

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Congratulations

The African American Club of Pasco would like to congratulate the recipients of our 2015 Scholarships:

The Maxine Walker Giddings Scholarship:

Ligia Castaneda – Zephyrhills High School
Alexander King – Fivay High School

The African American Club Performing Arts Scholarship:

Samuele Adamita – J.W. Mitchell High School

The African American Club of Pasco would also like to congratulate Union Missionary Baptist Church on their 100th Anniversary

Connect with us on: Facebook—African American Club Of Pasco County
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on your 100th Church
Anniversary

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