

# CBC Mission Statement

*Go ye therefore and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you, and lo, I will be with you always even until the end of the world.*

*(Matthew 28:19-20)*

## CBC Vision

*To lead a spirit filled and diverse congregation worshipping Jesus Christ while equipping disciples for ministry and building stronger families to do the following:*

- *Exalt the Savior*
  - *Worshipping our Lord and Savior in spirit and in truth.*
- *Educate the Saint*
  - *Providing instructional teaching for all ages in the Word of God via Sunday School class, Bible Study Sessions, Children's Band and many other Bible based ministries. Assisting students focused on enhancing their educational skills and abilities with financial assistance.*
- *Evangelize the Sinner*
  - *Develop and coordinate outreach teams to work with and alongside the Bond Hill Neighborhood Council in reaching community residents. Establish a CBC e-mail bank of community members for notification of classes, special services and various ministry activities to spread the Word of God to all.*
- *Elevate Society*
  - *Utilizing services provided by a Family Empowerment Center, Family Life Center and all other ministries that would provide services to uplift the spirit of the local community at large. Utilizing the ministry of missions to carry physical and medical relief along with encouragement and hope for a better tomorrow to a global community.*

### Vision Statement for Bond Hill Property.....

*"We are a sustainable community (of believers) that serves as the spiritual and economic gateway to Bond Hill"*



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# CBC On the move

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## Meet the E.P.C.!

### CBC Executive Planning Committee

*The Corinthian Executive Planning Committee set forth to develop a vision and strategic plan to successfully transition the church from its current location in Avondale to the new location in Bond Hill.*



### Meet Your Executive Planning Committee:

*Greg Baker, Trustee Harold Bennie, Trustee Gwen Robinson-Benning, Assistant Pastor Earl Bray, Deacon Charles Brundage, Trustee Frank Byndon, Lawrence Cain, Charlene Calhoun, Delores Cummings, Trustee Keith Gillis, Trustee Fred Gunnels, Carla Howard, Ed Lewis, Deaconess Sophie Plear, Danny Oliver, Greg Rowe, Deacon Robert Starghill, Minister Bomani Tyehimba, Sharon Sams and Trustee Sharon Watkins*

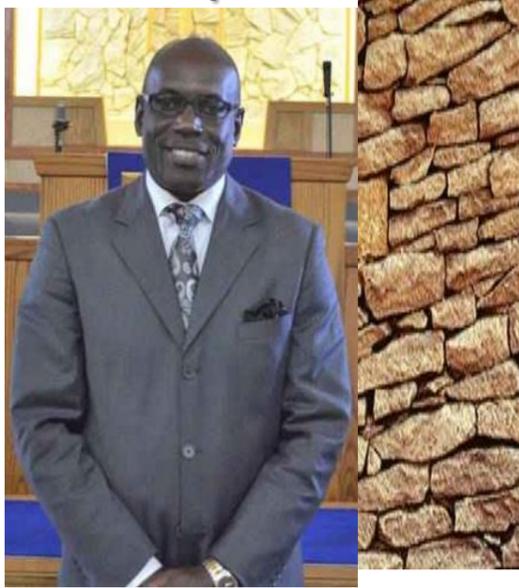
*As a congregation, let us continue to pray for these individuals that they may be directed and guided by the Holy Spirit as they strive to navigate the road that lay ahead!*

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**Dr. KZ Smith, Pastor**

## Pastor Speaks.....



*Pastor KZ Smith states "Corinthian has been one of the greatest blessings manifesting itself from the vision given him by the Lord."*

The church is growing in three specific areas:

1. We are a spirit filled congregation allowing the Holy Spirit to lead our worship services, thereby freeing us from the bonds of tradition.
2. We continue to strive to make disciples by being a working congregation with people who possess expertise in diverse areas and who are willing to share their knowledge with others. As a result, the Lord continues to add members to our congregation to expand the growth of discipleship.
3. We are striving to build stronger families through the proclamation of God's Word, utilizing the resources of our future Family Empowerment Center. This will focus on a holistic approach through counseling services and assistance with financial needs. The Corinthian family will be the focal point followed by the surrounding community.

We continue to strengthen our youth ministry (ages 18 and under) under the leadership of our Christian Education Director, Delores Cummings, realizing the important role our youth play in the growth of our church. We understand that our youth are not just the church of tomorrow; they are the church of today!

*"Remember this is the Lord's project. Since it belongs to Him, He'll see us through no matter who the giants may be. We must remain faithful." – KZ Smith*

## Gwen Robinson-Benning



As chair of the Executive Planning Committee (EPC), I've accepted the role of leading a committed group of individuals who are focused on moving Corinthian Baptist Church forward. I will be responsible for reporting actions taken by the full EPC, the sub-committees to the Joint Board, the Corinthian membership along with facilitating all committee meetings.

I began this journey by watching the growth of Corinthian and realized that with growth comes "needs". Focusing on the vision of Pastor Smith, which was given to him by God, I became convicted to participate and see this project through. I've continued to recognize how limited our current building space has become for usage with the numerous activities and ministries seeking space. This congregation is blessed to have active participation by a robust membership.

It is important to realize that a project of this magnitude takes time to do it right. If we're not focused we'll be like the children of Israel—lost in the wilderness.

The Lord has given us 30 acres to develop, We must work together not against each other to fulfill this vision. We must be forthright with questions, asking

for clarification when we're unclear of what's being presented. As our congregation continues to grow, new members will bring with them many talents and fresh ideas which will expand our resources as we move forward.

A different approach has been developed through the use of sub-committees. They are as follows: Fund Development, Economic Development, Communications, Finance and Design & Review. The sub-committees are smaller groups that have specific tasks to complete. The members represent the face of Corinthian.

We are a progressive church; we can't stop praying, giving financially and sharing ideas. Our focus is forward—encouraging each other. Be in prayer for the EPC and sub-committees as we continue to learn as we go.



## CBC Fall Festival And Cincinnati's Best Gospel Singing Contest

The EPC Fund Development Committee will host our first annual Fall Festival and Cincinnati's Best contest. The objective of this fund raising event is to engage not only the Corinthian family but the surrounding community working together in unity.

The festivities will take place on Saturday, October 20, 2012 starting at 10:00 AM and ending at 6:00 PM on the Bond Hill property. A day full of food, fun, games, prizes and some great gospel singing awaits you!

Cincinnati's best gospel soloist contest will begin at 12 Noon and continue until 4:00 PM. Entry fee is \$25.00 per person and all participants must pre-register with a limit of 50 contestants. The top 10 contestants will compete in a final on Saturday, November 3, 2012 at Corinthian Baptist Church at 5:00 PM with all vying for the top prize of \$1000.00. Special guest judges include: P. Anne Everson Price, Kathy Wade, Mother Wisdom and our own James McCray Jr. to name a few.

For additional information and questions, please contact Fund Development committee members Camecia Davis @ (513) 607-0176, Janice Wilkins @ (513) 907-0113 or Pat Williams @ (513) 313-7926.

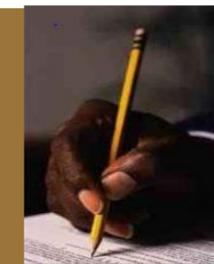
Encourage your family and friends to join in the fun and fellowship supporting our church and community in this fantastic fundraising event.

**See you at the Festival!!!**

### Get the facts!

**Q:** *Will the fund raising events hosted by CBC Ministries be the MAIN source of income used to finance our new church and family life center?*

**A:** *No. Fund raising events will not be the main source of income for our building fund. Various financial resources will be accessed for project development. Each ministry has been asked to sponsor a fund raising event to become actively engaged in our building process. It takes each member of our congregation working together to be successful!*



### Communications Team Mission Statement

*The mission of the Executive Planning Committee (EPC) Communications team is to maintain a positive and transparent flow of communication between the EPC and CBC congregation ensuring that all updates are provided in a clear, concise and factual manner. Stir-up excitement among the congregation while engaging them to become actively involved in the building effort.*

### The Communications Team...

*The EPC Communications Team Members are:*  
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### FYI...

*Need more information?*

*Check out the following:*

*CBC Sunday Church Bulletin*

*Kiosk Screen in the Church Vestibule*

*Or*

*www.cbc-c.com*