

# NEW PARTNER



## **OACC PARTNERSHIP MEMBER** **ORIENTATION PACKET**



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*Bishop Robert Bolton, Jr.*

## **BISHOP ROBERT BOLTON'S STORY**

### *Our Pastor*

*Bishop Robert J. Bolton, Jr. is the Founder and Senior Servant of One Accord Christian Church, Newburgh, NY. This is a ministry that is passionate about the ministry of Jesus Christ and reaching outside the walls of the church to win the lost for Christ. Bishop Bolton has been called by God to do the extraordinary through the Gospel on a Global level all for the Glory of Jesus Christ.*

*Bishop Bolton is the Vice Prelate of R. King Ministries, a Ministry of restoration and building for Leaders and Laity founded and led by his Spiritual Father Archbishop Dr. Ray A. King. Bishop Bolton is also the Presiding Prelate of Gifted Ministries—ministering to churches in need of structure, training, and covering as well as and BMB Ministries- Bringing Men Back into the church, community, and homes respectively. Bishop Robert Bolton is also the 2nd Chaplain of the Christian Ministerial Fellowship of Newburgh, NY and the Hudson Valley.*

*Bishop Robert Bolton currently has a BS of Business Administration and Religion; he is currently working on his MA of Christian Ministry. An Air Force Veteran during Desert Storm, Bishop Bolton has worked in high levels of leadership throughout his secular career. He has a heart for God and His people and credits his reverence for God to the countless prayers of his late mother Elizabeth Knight.*

*Bishop Bolton is grateful to God for gifting him with his wife - the beautiful, gifted, and anointed Elder Lady Lashelle Bolton who works side by side with him to help mentor and minister to all that will receive the love of Jesus. Bishop and Lady Bolton share a blended family of 5 children and they are passionate about ministering to married couples that the marriage union can be an example of love, trust, and ministry through God's Grace.*

### **A WORD FROM OUR PASTOR**

I am excited and honored for the opportunity to serve side by side with you that have decided to make a commitment to God in the spirit of service to Him first and to your fellow man! Ministry is a very serious but rewarding calling on your life and I am so glad that you answered the call. We aim to build a culture of giving at One Accord Christian Church; Giving of your time, spiritual gifts, talents, love, and resources to further the Kingdom of God and to minister to your brother and sister as well as the lost.

OACC is dedicated to building and developing Leaders and Disciples of Jesus Christ through the practical teaching and preaching of the unadulterated Word of God. We are excited to Minister in Love, Unity, and a Servant Spirit.

Thank you for your commitment and dedication to the work of Jesus Christ (Yeshua Messiah).

### **“ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN CHURCH”**

The name “ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN CHURCH” comes from 2 Corinthians 3: 1-3, So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, 2 complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in one accord and of one mind. 3 Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. (NIV) When we all push the VISION together, we can accomplish much through the provisions of Jesus Christ!

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

OACC



Our mission is to be effective in ministering to all that will hear the universal language of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We strive to be consistent in our promise to “Be There When You Need Us”; consistent in teaching the life-changing word of God through Sunday school, Bible Rap Sessions and Sunday Morning Worship.

Consistent in having an “Open Door Policy” where the doors of the church will be open when we say they will so that people will have a place to pray, praise, worship and learn of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Our mission is to reach the masses and minister the unadulterated truth about the saving power of our Messiah, Jesus Christ.

That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. (Romans 10: 9 - 10).

## **VISION STATEMENT**

Luke 14: 28-30

For which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it? Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him, Saying, this man began to build, and was not able to finish.

One Accord Christian Church vision is rooted and grounded in building and growing. We will have perpetual spiritual growth both individually and corporately by working in unity through the teaching and learning of the inerrant Holy Scriptures. We will grow in spirit and in number that we may continue to make disciples that will labor in the vineyard for the glory of our savior Jesus Christ. Our growth will allow us to serve God and the community in relevant issues of today such as the saving of souls, and adult and youth programs that minister to the Total Man.

## CORE VALUES (Our Commitment to YOU)!

### 1. Love people

- God has given a vision for OACC that everything done in ministry should start with and be motivated by love.
- God is love. **1 John 4:1-8** teaches us that everything must begin with Him.
- **1 Corinthians 13: 1-8**

### 2. Serve people

- In **Matthew 25:35-40**, Jesus teaches us that we have to meet people at their point of need; where they are **physically, mentally, relationally and emotionally**.
- **Colossians 3:23-24**

### 3. Empower people

- **James 1:27** teaches us that the church is responsible for caring for those who are weak, helpless, those without a voice and those who are deemed powerless. If the church does not look out for the marginalized, the desolate, the hurting, the oppressed, the powerless and voiceless, who will? This is our responsibility.

### 4. Disciple people

- **Matthew 28:18-20** tells us how we should take an interest and get invested into each other's lives practicing and teaching everything Jesus taught his disciples.

## **WHAT WE BELIEVE**

### **We believe in God the Father (YHWH)**

We believe there is only one true and living God. He in essence is immutable and infinite. He is not only a reality; He is the Ultimate Reality, an intelligent Spirit, and the Creator of all. He is God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit

### **We Believe in Jesus (Yeshua)**

We believe Jesus is the Savior, Lord Christ, and the incarnate reality of God. He is the walking revelation of God's love to humanity; He embodies grace; Jesus is one-hundred percent God and one-hundred percent man. He died on the cross for the redemption of God's creation; He got up on the third day with all power in heaven and earth in His hands

### **We Believe in the Holy Spirit (Ruach Ha-Kodesh)**

We believe the Holy Spirit is Christ in present tense empowering the believer, energizing the church and encouraging Christians that God is still with us. The Holy Spirit convicts us of sin, points us to the truth, and leads us into righteousness.

### **We Believe in the Church**

We believe the church is Christ's bride and His body in which to witness to the world through word and sacrament. The church is a fellowship of regenerated men and women called out to live together in community life.

### **We Believe in Scripture**

We believe that the scripture is God's word; it is His written authority for the Church. The scripture was given to ordinary men and women through inspiration; the scripture is inerrant in principle and infallible in content.

## **We Believe in Humanity**

We believe humans were created in the image of God. God breathed His life into humans; humans voluntarily rebelled against God and fell from a state of protection, thereby experiencing separation from God. Consequently, all humans are sinners but, by choice, are redeemable through Jesus Christ, our only hope to experience once again the peace of God.

## **We Believe in Salvation**

We believe in God's saving grace. We believe the blessings of salvation are free to all through the Gospel; that the requisite of acceptance is thankful, penitent and obedient faith; and that nothing interferes with the salvation of the sinner except their refusal of the Gospel. Humankind's disbelief or rejection of God is their condemnation.

## **We Believe in Justification**

We believe that justification is being brought into the right relationship with God; his position is accomplished without consideration of good works (of righteousness). Justification is the pardoning of sin. The gift of eternal life displays God's love for humankind; and by faith in the redemptive blood of Jesus Christ is His righteousness given to us.

## **We Believe in Baptism and the Holy Communion**

We believe baptism is an ocular demonstration of God's inward renewal of life in the believer. Through baptism, our names are changed. In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit we are placed under the authority of God's power and protection. It is the symbol of Christ's death, burial and resurrection to a new life. It is a prerequisite to the privileges of the church in relation to the Lord's Supper or Holy Communion. Jesus Christ took the bread and wine and established them as the imperishable symbols of the Church. The Lord's Table is open to all people in the faith who desire to fellowship with Him.

## **We Believe in the Virgin Birth**

We believe in the Virgin Birth; that Mary, mother of Jesus, conceived him by the Holy Spirit. He is without sin. He was born of a virgin as no other man in the past or in the present can ever be born. He is both the Son of God and God the Son.

### **WHAT WE REQUEST FROM YOU?**

1. **Your Commitment** – Help fulfill the vision of ONE ACCORD. What you help to make happen for someone else, God will make happen for you. When you place your vision under the vision of ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN CHURCH, you will begin to see the Holy Spirit bring to pass what God has put inside your heart. This commitment will be one of the major keys God will use to unlock your future. Our prayer is that God will fulfill your heart's desire when you make the decision to commit to and carry out the vision of ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
2. **Your Prayers** – Pray for Pastor Bolton, his family and your fellow church members. Pray that God will ignite your fire for ministry and that you spread the good news about Jesus, Pray that God will send people to our ministry that will help further His Kingdom. Pray for those who will be touched by our ministry and those who do not yet know Christ. Pray that you will be blessed by ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN CHURCH and also be a blessing to ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
3. **Your financial contribution** – ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN CHURCH is a giving church and we desire your financial gift through tithe (10<sup>th</sup>) and offerings that we may continue to sustain and further God's Work in this community and at OACC. God funds His church through the contributions of the people (Malachi 3:10-12) (Matthew 23:23)
4. **Your Resources** – ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN CHURCH desire your gifts, talents, skills, experience, wisdom, knowledge, influence, and networking.
5. **Your Time** – ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN CHURCH needs your commitment to being a part of the life of this ministry. We want you to get plugged in and begin to serve with us. **Become a participator and not just a spectator.**

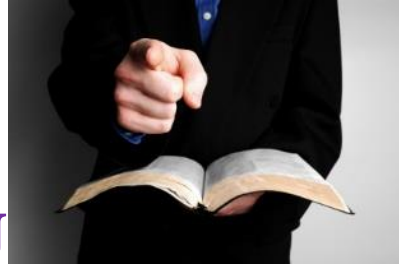


## MINISTRIES AT ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Ministries are in the process of being formed. We need your help and ideas with this process.

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| 1. Children's Ministry                   | Maria Shiles                                    |
| 2. Woman's Ministry                      | Prophetess Lisa Henderson                       |
| 3. Health and Wellness                   | Lady Lashelle Bolton                            |
| 4. Finance Ministry                      | Lady Bolton, S. White, T. Sherman, Aaron Shiles |
| 5. Armor Bearer /Adjutant/               | Marc King (Raymond Murray, Wendy Riley)         |
| 6. Building Upkeep                       | Shirley White, Wendy Riley                      |
| 7. Sunday School and Christian Education | Deacon Adelta Upshur                            |
| 8. Men's Ministry                        | Brother Rohan Simms                             |
| 9. Outreach Ministry                     | Debra Watson/ Overseer Bascus                   |
| 10. Marriage Ministry                    | Pastor and Lady Bolton                          |
| 11. Christian Counseling                 | Pastor Robert Bolton and Lady Bolton            |
| 12. Culinary Ministry                    | Cindy Pryce                                     |
| 13. Music Ministry                       | OPEN  |
| 14. Deaconate Ministry                   | Deacons Murray, J. Upshur, A. Upshur, A. Shiles |
| 15. Transportation Ministry              | Shirley White, Wendy Riley, Rohan Simms         |
| 16. Media and website                    | Annabelle Simms                                 |
| 17. Dance Ministry                       | open  |
| 18. Church/Pastor Administrator          | Tisha Sherman                                   |
| 19. Church Clerk                         | Theresa Brown                                   |
| 20. Greeting Ministry                    | Tishma McPherson                                |
| 21. Usher Ministry                       | Diane King (Ushers needed)                      |
| 22. Prayer Ministry                      | Maxine Murray                                   |
| 23. Pastor's Aide                        | Upshurs, Murrays, B. Ellis                      |
| 24. Security Ministry                    | Aaron Shiles                                    |
| 25. Care Team Lead                       | Loveina Lockett                                 |

# This Means YOU



## **BISHOP BOLTON'S PRAYER FOR YOU:**

Dear God in the precious name of Jesus Christ, I thank you for this opportunity to serve your people in the spirit of Holiness. I take it very serious in leading your flock in the Work that You have formed. Father send down a blessing for each and every one that have decided to commit to Your Work with the leading of your Holy Spirit. Father, bless their homes, jobs, finances, health, and their relationship with you! Father give them a spiritual boldness like never before. Father give them a thankful spirit and a spirit of gratefulness for this honor to serve you through One Accord Christian Church. Father, help each member take ownership of the working of the ministry and to do all they can to further your work. Father, help us all to work in the spirit of EXCELLENCE. Father, give us the desire and will to read your word, fast, pray, and witness to the lost about the benefits of eternal life through Jesus Christ. Father, bless your flock and make them leaders like they never knew possible. In Jesus precious name, Amen!

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



1. Have you accepted Jesus Christ as your personal savior?

2. Have you been baptized?

3. Would you like to be baptized?

4. What prompted you to join OACC?

5. What do you look for in a church?
  
6. What are some things that bother you about some churches?
  
7. What are some things you would like to see at your church, OACC?
  
8. Are there any spiritual gifts that God has blessed you with?
  
9. Have you worked on your gift and are you willing to use it for the Kingdom through OACC?
  
10. What are some of your talents that you may offer to the Kingdom through OACC?
  
11. Do you consider yourself a leader?
  
12. Do you desire to take OACC leadership ministry classes?