

THE FAITHFUL AND TRUE WITNESS APOSTOLIC CHURCH MINISTRIES

The Faithful and True Witness Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ, Inc. was born in the year of our Lord 1998, and incorporated in 1999. The church started in the basement of Evangelist Leroy A. Smith and his wife in Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA. This was a divine call to start a new ministry. As with many divine calls, such as that of Abraham, there was the need for a separation from friends and loved ones, but the will of God for their lives was being revealed. They were rejected and ridiculed but they were never discouraged as they answered the call.

With further guidance from the Lord and with a handful of faithful supporters the church moved to a storefront at 148 Columbia Street in Cambridge, ten months later. With limited finance and little outside support, the church continued in faith, standing on the Lord's promise.

This location which was later outgrown, served the church for nine years. The church relocated to a larger building at 139 Hampshire Street, Cambridge in April 2008, less than a mile away. This is the current meeting place of the church.

The legacy of this ministry continues as it is known as a church with an ongoing revival. Not only are souls being delivered, baptized and filled with the Holy Ghost but God also uses this house as a filling station and a place of refreshing for many outside ministers.

To further the vision of the Lord, the church was renamed *The Faithful and True Witness Apostolic Church Ministries*, in the year 2013. The great Bible teacher, Pastor Leroy A. Smith, who was commissioned by the Lord to "give my people understanding," has now been called to the office of apostle. The Lord has borne witness of this calling among many witnesses, in meetings in several states, in different churches organizations and in Jamaica as well. This commission would now be filled through the office of apostle.

The church as a whole continues to strive spiritually, producing many other great ministers and not to be outdone is the great intercessory ministry under the leadership of First Lady Smith. Saturday morning prayer was added where outside participants join in as well.