

OF GOD IN CHRIST, INC.

CONNECTICUT FIRST ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION  
CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST, INC.



# unfinished Business

Jesus saith unto them, My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and to finish his work.

JOHN 4:34

**BISHOP J. DREW SHEARD**

PRESIDING BISHOP & CHIEF APOSTLE

## 2025 CALENDAR

**BISHOP CHARLES HENRY BREWER, III**

*Jurisdictional Prelate*

**MOTHER LINDA L. JORDAN**

*Jurisdictional Supervisor*



# January 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
HAPPY NEW YEAR!						
5	6	7	8	9	10	11 JURISDICTIONAL CONSECRATION & INSTALLATION SERVICE
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE JANUARY 13th- 17th LOCATION: LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY						
19	20	21 PRAYER & BIBLE BAND MONTHLY MEETING (VIA CONFERENCE CALL) @ 6 PM	22	23	24	25 4TH SATURDAY LEADERSHIP ACADEMY
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	<i>Notes</i> <div> CWC ZOOM INFORMATION: 839 4268 1698; PASSCODE: CWC  PRAYER &amp; BIBLE BAND CONFERENCE CALL INFORMATION: 605-468-8850; ACCESS  CODE: 437-0606 </div>				

# February 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4	5 CWC MONTHLY MEETING (VIA ZOOM) @ 7PM	6	7	8 AUXILIARIES IN MINISTRY (AIM) BLACK HISTORY LUNCHEON
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22 4TH SATURDAY LEADERSHIP ACADEMY & DM'S LOVE SHOWERS
23	24	25 PRAYER & BIBLE BAND MONTHLY MEETING (VIA CONFERENCE CALL) @ 6 PM	26	27	28	1
2	3	Notes				

# March 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
23	24	25	26	27	28	1
2	3	4	5 CWC MONTHLY MEETING (VIA ZOOM) @ 7PM	6	7	8 CT FIRST SPRING CONFERENCE PRE- MUSICAL
9	10	11	12	13	14	15 FINAL STATE CHOIR REHEARSAL TIME: TBA
<b>CT FIRST 103rd ANNUAL SPRING CONFERENCE</b> <b>MARCH 10th- 16th</b> <b>LOCATION: JURISDICTIONAL HEADQUARTERS, THE NEW TRINITY TEMPLE COGIC, NEW HAVEN, CT</b>						
16 CT 1st OFFICIAL DAY	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25 PRAYER & BIBLE BAND MONTHLY MEETING (VIA CONFERENCE CALL) @ 6 PM	26	27	28	29 JURISDICTIONAL CREDENTIAL REPORTING FOR APRIL CALL
30	31	<i>Notes</i> All National Credential Reports will be collected on 3/29/25 & 4/5/25.				

# April 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30	31	1	2 CWC MONTHLY MEETING (VIA ZOOM) @ 7PM	3	4	5  CWC ANNUAL DAY
6	7 QUADDRENNIAL INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS Location: Memphis, TN	8	9  SPRING APRIL CALL MEETING APRIL 8th-10th LOCATION: MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
PALM SUNDAY						
20  EASTER	21	22	23	24	25	26  4TH SATURDAY LEADERSHIP ACADEMY
27	28	29	30 NORTHWESTERN DISTRICT MEETING APRIL 28th- MAY 2nd ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT HENRY WHITE	1	2	3
4	5	Notes				

# May 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
27	28	29	30	1 NORTHWESTERN DISTRICT MEETING APRIL 28th- MAY 2nd ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT HENRY WHITE	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
1	2	Notes				

# June 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4 CWC MONTHLY MEETING (VIA ZOOM) @ 7PM	5	6	7
8	9	10 JURISDICTIONAL AIM CONFERENCE JUNE 9th- 13th	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 JOSHUA DISTRICT MEETING JUNE 16th- 20th ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT JAMES HARRIS	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 4TH SATURDAY LEADERSHIP ACADEMY & PRAYER/BIBLE BAND BRUNCH
29	30	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	Notes				

# July 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	30	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
<b>INTERNATIONAL COGIC AUXILIARIES IN MINISTRY (AIM) CONFERENCE</b> <b>JULY 7th-11th</b> <b>LOCATION: PHOENIX, ARIZONA</b>						<b>CT FIRST HOLY</b> <b>CONVOCATION PRE-</b> <b>MUSICAL</b>
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
<b>CT FIRST 103rd ANNUAL HOLY CONVOCATION</b> <b>JULY 14th- 20th</b> <b>LOCATION: JURISDICTIONAL HEADQUARTERS, THE NEW TRINITY TEMPLE COGIC, NEW HAVEN, CT</b>						<b>FINAL STATE CHOIR</b> <b>REHEARSAL</b> <b>TIME: TBA</b>
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
<b>CT 1st OFFICIAL</b> <b>DAY</b>						
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
		<b>PRAYER &amp; BIBLE BAND</b> <b>MONTHLY MEETING</b> <b>(VIA CONFERENCE</b> <b>CALL) @ 6 PM</b>				
3	4	<i>Notes</i>				



# August 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
SOUTHWESTERN DISTRICT MEETING AUGUST 4th-8th ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT JAMES MILLER						PRAYER & BIBLE BAND ANNUAL DAY
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
		SHEPHERD'S CONFERENCE & ELDER'S ACADEMY AUGUST 19th- AUGUST 22nd LOCATION: TBD				4TH SATURDAY LEADERSHIP ACADEMY
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
		PRAYER & BIBLE BAND MONTHLY MEETING (VIA CONFERENCE CALL) @ 6 PM				
31	1	Notes				

# September 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
31	1	2	3 CWC MONTHLY MEETING (VIA ZOOM) @ 7PM	4	5	6 MOTHER JORDANS MEMPHIS TRIBUTE
7	8	9	10 JUDAH DISTRICT MEETING SEPTEMBER 8th- 12th SUPERINTENDENT ULISH BOOKER	11	12	13 JURISDICTIONAL WOMEN'S RETREAT
14	15	16	17 BOARD OF BISHOP'S CONFERENCE SEPTEMBER 15th- 19th LOCATION: TBD	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 WATERBURY HERITAGE DISTRICT MEETING SEPTEMBER 22nd- 26th SUPERINTENDENT EDWARD BARNES	25	26	27 4TH SATURDAY LEADERSHIP ACADEMY
28	29	30 PRAYER & BIBLE BAND MONTHLY MEETING (VIA CONFERENCE CALL) @ 6 PM	1	2	3	4
5	6	Notes				

# October 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
5	6	<b>BISHOP C.H. BREWER JR MEMORIAL DISTRICT MEETING</b> <b>OCTOBER 6th- 10th</b> <b>SUPERINTENDENT JAMES GATISON</b>				11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
						BISHOP BREWER III MEMPHIS TRIBUTE
19	20	21 PRAYER & BIBLE BAND MONTHLY MEETING (VIA CONFERENCE CALL) @ 6 PM	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	Notes				

# November 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4	117th INTERNATIONAL HOLY CONVOCATION NOVEMBER 3rd- 9th MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE			8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
GENERAL ASSEMBLY NOVEMBER 10th- 11th MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE						
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	1	Notes				

# December 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 CWC MONTHLY MEETING (VIA ZOOM) @ 7PM	11	12	13 JURISDICTIONAL SET UP MEETING
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30 PRAYER & BIBLE BAND MONTHLY MEETING (VIA CONFERENCE CALL) @ 6 PM	31	1	2	3
4	5	Notes				

# **FIRST JURISDICTION OF CONNECTICUT DIOCESE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**

Bishop Charles H. Brewer III- Jurisdictional Prelate  
Mother Linda L. Jordan- Jurisdictional Supervisor

## **EXECUTIVE OFFICERS**

### **Administrative Assistants**

1<sup>st</sup> Administrative Assistant Henry White  
2<sup>nd</sup> Administrative Assistant James Miller  
Administrative Assistant Gilbert Ginyard  
Administrative Assistant James Harris

### **Special Advisory Board to the Jurisdictional Prelate**

1<sup>st</sup> Administrative Assistant Henry White  
2<sup>nd</sup> Administrative Assistant James Miller  
Administrative Assistant Gilbert Ginyard

### **Executive Assistant to the Jurisdictional Prelate**

Pastor Scott Marks

### **Assistants to the Jurisdictional Prelate**

Missionary Shelby Brewer  
Missionary Danielle Davis

### **Finance Department**

1<sup>st</sup> Administrative Assistant Henry White- Chairman  
Missionary Danielle Davis  
Deacon Lorenzo Byam  
Brother Edwin Labrador  
Sister Evelina Parker

### **Ordination Board**

Administrative Assistant Gilbert Ginyard  
1<sup>st</sup> Administrative Assistant Henry White  
Administrative Assistant James Miller  
Superintendent Edward Barnes  
Elder Martin Evans Sr.

Jurisdictional Secretary.....	Missionary Danielle Davis
Interim Chairman of the Elder's Council.....	Administrative Assistant James Miller
Interim Vice Chairman of the Elder's Council.....	Pastor Scott Marks
Interim Secretary of the Elder's Council.....	Elder Martin Evans Sr.
Interim Treasurer of the Elder's Council.....	Elder Jonathan Miller
Jurisdictional Chief Adjutant.....	Elder Martin Evans Sr.
Episcopal Adjutant # 1 to Bishop.....	Brother Titus Campbell
Episcopal Security.....	Deacon Jawaun Bosh
Chairman of AIM .....	Superintendent Ulish Booker
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice Chairman of AIM.....	Brother Edwin Labrador
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice Chairman of AIM.....	Minister Jacob Tomlin
State Chaplin.....	Sister Gwen Garnett
State Convention Prayer Warrior.....	
Director of Public Relations.....	Elder Ulish Booker Jr.
President of Evangelism.....	Pastor Darren McDaniel
Elect Lady of Evangelism.....	Missionary Shelby Brewer
President of Missions.....	Sister Nicole Huckaby
Chairlady of Missions.....	Sister Angel Hubbard
President of Youth and Young Adult.....	Elder Michael Rush
Chairlady of Youth and Young Adult.....	Sister Michelle Labrador
Sunday School Superintendent.....	Elder Virgo Stewart
Chairlady of Sunday School.....	Sister Verlessie Shoulders
President of Christian Education.....	Pastor Gilbert White
Director of Bishop C. E. Blake Initiative.....	

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Director of Jurisdictional and Church Growth.....Dr. Timothy Brantley  
 President of 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday Leadership Academy..... Administrative Asst. James Harris  
 President of State Fellowship Conference.....1<sup>st</sup> Administrative Assistant Henry White  
 President of Men's Department.....Pastor James Gatison  
 Installation & Consecration Coordinator .....Superintendent Edward Barnes  
 State Minister of Music.....  
 Vice President of Music Department.....  
 Vice President of Music Department.....  
 Secretary of Music Department.....  
 Treasurer of Music Department.....  
 State Music Department Prayer Chaplin.....Missionary Shirl Wilkins  
 President of Usher Board.....  
 President of Nurses Unit..... Sister Frankie Berry  
 State Registrar.....Sister Sandra Barnes  
 Assistant State Registrar.....Sister Laverne Thomas

## JURISDICTIONAL WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

### District Missionaries

Jurisdictional Supervisor Mother Linda Jordan  
 District Missionary Helen Todd- Coordinator of the District Missionaries Unit  
 District Missionary Linda Booker  
 District Missionary Betty Goodwater  
 District Missionary Teresa Esson  
 District Missionary Kim Smith  
 District Missionary Ethel Newsome

### Executive Board

Missionary Danielle Davis- Chair  
 District Missionary Kim Smith- 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Chair  
 Mother Essie Styles- 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Chair  
 Missionary Shelby Brewer- Executive Secretary  
 District Missionary Teresa Esson- Assistant Executive Secretary



**Executive Board cont.**

Lady Kamiya Brewer  
District Missionary Linda Booker  
Sister Gwen Garnett  
Missionary Yvonne Holland  
Missionary Patricia Miller  
Mother Ethel Newsome

**Finance Department**

Sister Evelina Parker- Chair  
Missionary Shelby Brewer- Vice-Chair  
Missionary Danielle Davis  
Missionary Yvonne Holland  
Sister Michelle Labrador  
Sister Verlessie Shoulders

Coordinator of District Missionaries.....District Missionary Helen Todd  
President of Superintendent/ Administrative Assistants Wives..... Deaconess Missionary Pamela Y. Ginyard  
President of Pastors Wives.....  
President of Elder/Ministers Wives.....Missionary Kim Horton  
Vice President of Elder/Ministers Wives.....Missionary Tiara Evans  
President of Deacon's Wives.....  
President of Christian Women's Council.....Missionary Carolyn Curry  
President of Young Christian Women's Council.....Missionary Jazmine Ginyard  
Public Relations Director.....Missionary Melisa Brown-Fleming  
President of Sunshine Band.....Sister Tiffany Polite  
Vice President of Sunshine Band.....  
President of Hospitality.....Mother Dorothy Mock  
President of Prayer and Bible Band.....Missionary Shirl Wilkins  
President of Purity Class.....Missionary Courtney Robinson  
Jurisdictional Lead Adjutant Sister.....District Missionary Teresa Esson

<b>DISTRICT</b>	<b>CHURCH</b>	<b>SUPERINTENDENTS AND PASTORS</b>	<b>DISTRICT MISSIONARIES</b>
Bishop Charles H. Brewer Jr. Memorial District	New Deliverance Greater Christ Temple  Rock of Ages Restoration Springs Church (Waterbury, CT) Holy Trinity	Superintendent James Gatison Bishop Charles H. Brewer III (Interim Senior Pastor) Elder Danny Bryant (Interim Pastor) Bishop Charles H. Brewer III (Interim) Dr. Timothy C. Brantley, Ph.D. Pastor Gilbert White	District Missionary Linda Booker
Northwestern District	New Bethel- Danbury Christ Deliverance	Superintendent Henry White Pastor Barry Fraser	District Missionary Ethel Newsome
Oceanline District	Pentecostal Rescue Mission Emmanuel	Superintendent Nathaniel Scott Pastor Isaac Goodwater	District Missionary Betty Goodwater
Stamford District	Cornerstone Wilson Memorial	Superintendent Gilbert Ginyard Bishop Charles H. Brewer III	Jurisdictional Supervisor Mother Linda Jordan
Southwestern District	St. Paul Holy Temple (Norwalk) New Growth	Superintendent James Miller Bishop Charles H. Brewer III (inter) Pastor Scott Marks	District Missionary Helen Todd
Stateline District	Holy Temple (Windsor)	Pastor Robert Young	
Waterbury District	Greater Evangel Temple Redeeming Love TOP	Superintendent Edward Barnes Pastor Darren McDaniel	District Missionary Teresa Esson
Joshua District	Ark of Refuge The New Trinity Temple	Superintendent James Harris Bishop Charles H. Brewer III	District Missionary Kim Smith
Judah District	Destiny Family Life Center Power of Prayer Outreach Ministries Unity Outreach Ministries	Superintendent Ulish Booker Pastor Steven Benjamin Pastor Philip Blamo	
Mother Eloise Franklin District	Dr. Eloise Franklin Prayer Temple (Springfield) Dr. Eloise Franklin Prayer Temple (Holyoke)	Pastor Johnny Green Pastor Paula	

#### REGIONAL DISTRICTS


Historic Region	Superintendent Henry White Superintendent James Miller
Legacy Region	Superintendent Edward Barnes Superintendent James Harris Superintendent Ulish Booker
Mason Region	Superintendent Gilbert Ginyard Superintendent James Gatison

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## **2025 FINANCIAL ASSESSMENTS**

### **APRIL CALL CREDENTIAL REPORTS**

**(Credential Reports are due on 4/5/25)**



Jurisdictional Prelate- \$2000.00  
Administrative Assistant- \$750.00  
District Superintendent- \$500.00  
Pastor- \$400.00  
Elder- \$150.00  
Minister (Licensed/Unlicensed)- \$50.00  
Jurisdictional AIM President- \$350.00  
Jurisdictional Missions President- \$350.00  
Jurisdictional Music President- \$350.00  
Jurisdictional Youth and Young Adult President- \$350.00  
Jurisdictional Evangelism President- \$350.00  
Jurisdictional Sunday School Superintendent- \$350.00  
Jurisdictional Vice President/Chair lady- \$150.00

#### **Women Credential Holders**

Jurisdictional Supervisor- \$750.00  
Jurisdictional Supervisor w/o charge- \$300.00  
District Missionary- \$175.00  
Evangelist Missionary- \$75.00  
Deaconess Missionary- \$50.00

Spring Conference & Holy Convocation District Reports- \$600

***(Superintendents are asked to make their District reports on the Monday night of the meeting.)***

**2025 FINANCIAL ASSESSMENTS cont.**

**Official Day**

Administrative Assistants & Superintendents- \$250.00

Pastors- \$200.00

Elders- \$100.00

Ministers- \$75.00

Laity- \$50.00

**Auxiliary Assessments**

Spring Conference (March) \$500.00

Holy Convocation (July) \$ 250.00

***\*Auxiliaries are asked to present their assessments on Official Day \****

**WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT**

**2025 SPRING CONFERENCE & HOLY CONVOCATION ASSESSMENTS**

<b>Jurisdictional Office</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday &amp; Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday (Day)</b>	<b>Thursday (Evening)</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Official Day</b>
<i>Executive Board</i>	\$50.00	\$40.00	\$30.00	\$100.00	\$50.00	\$125.00
<i>District Missionaries</i>	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$30.00	\$75.00	\$40.00	\$125.00
<i>Auxiliary Leaders</i>	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$50.00	\$30.00	75.00
<i>Missionaries (Evangelist, Deaconess, Aspiring)</i>	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$50.00	\$30.00	\$75.00
<i>Laity</i>	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$50.00

**Women's Department Auxiliary (Auxiliaries, Bands, Circles & Units) Assessments**

Spring Conference (March) \$150.00

Holy Convocation (July) \$ 100.00

***\* Women's Department Auxiliaries are asked to present their assessments on Women's Day \****