



**Stoddard Baptist Home Foundation, Inc.**  
*Reverend Binkley J. Garrison, Chairman*

***2022 VIRTUAL ANNUAL MEETING***

**THEME: "Hands United in Christian Service"**  
*Romans: 8:28*



**Wednesday, May 25, 2022**  
**11:00 AM – 1:00 PM**

**Dr. John M. Alexander, Jr.**  
**Chairman**  
**Program Committee**

**Mr. Steven A. Nash**  
**President and CEO**



## **Stoddard Baptist Home Foundation, Inc.** *(Brief History)*

**Who is the Stoddard Baptist Home? The Stoddard of today began as a dream for a retirement home for Baptist ministers, their wives and/or their widows. The initial funds came to Stoddard through the heirs of Miss Marie T. Stoddard, a widely known Washington philanthropist of the late nineteenth century. The residents of the first structure were eight elderly persons who entered a location at Hamilton Street and Good Hope Hill in Southeast, Washington. This early period of operation was called "Stoddard Baptist" and was known as the "Southeast" phase of the facility which we know today.**

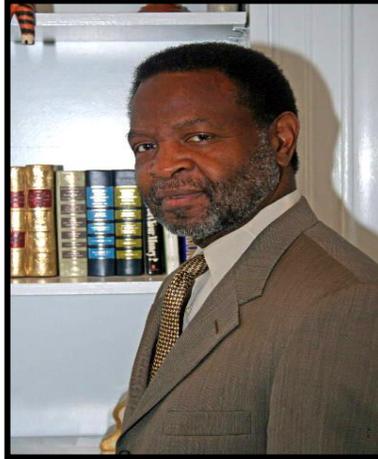
**Since 1902, until this final phase of the twentieth century, Stoddard has always been led by men and women of vision who have constantly increased the effort to serve the wider community. After the "Southeast" phase, the Board of Trustees acquired a property at 324 Bryant Street in Northwest, Washington which became known as the "Willard Estate." The leaders of the facility at the time were the Reverend W. D. Jarvis, the Reverend Aquila Sayles, Mrs. Minnie Robinson and Mrs. Susie P. Robb.**

**During the years on Bryant Street, the Home experienced steady growth and a widening mission of service to the community. For many years during the period of the Bryant Street location, the Board of Trustees was led by the Reverend William H. Jernagin, pastor of Mount Carmel Baptist Church and an unflinching spokesman for civil rights. It was during Reverend Jernagin's tenure as Chairman of the Trustees that the Home became a member agency of the original Community Chest of Washington, D.C. The "Bryant Street Period" ended in 1961.**

**As the needs for the shelter and care of the aging increased in the city, the trustees of Stoddard, under the leadership of the Reverend John L. S. Holloman, began to realize the limitations of the Bryant Street location. However, the precipitation factor in the move from Bryant Street was the desired use of that location by the District of Columbia to build the Katie C. Lewis Elementary School. So began the "Newton Street Era."**

**The "Newton Street Era" continues to this day. The present structure, which also contains a historically designated "mansion," is dominated by a new modern building dedicated to the comfort and well-being of the citizens of this city. The new structure contains all of the accoutrements and technological resources which make for felicitous living among the residents. The entire facility is a monument to the vision, the leadership, and the determination of Mr. John D. Hunter, Brigadier Joseph F. H. Cutrona and Mr. Willie Bowman, Jr. Over the years, their leadership and the unrelenting efforts in the community have brought Stoddard to its purpose today -- *to provide personal comfort, physical care, and a spiritual place for all who seek the services of the Home.***

**The unbroken chain of leadership by these great visionaries, Mr. Hunter, General Cutrona and Mr. Bowman, now rests in the capable hands of Mr. Binkley J. Garrison, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Stoddard Baptist Home Foundation.**



*Reverend Binkley J. Garrison*

## *Greetings from the Chairman*

**Greetings to the Patrons and Friends of Stoddard Baptist Home. Over the many years and indeed scores of years of the existence of this organization called Stoddard Baptist Home, we have been blessed by you, a cadre of men and women, organizations and institutions who recognize the value and need for the services the caregivers provide. Those who work for Stoddard on a daily basis do not take for granted the love and effort put forth by those of you who are mindful and whose hearts recognize the work Stoddard does and the manner in which the work is accomplished. We are of the mindset that it is the Lord who has placed on your hearts and minds to embrace the idea of extending the necessary concern for our seniors who have treaded the ‘corn floor’ before us.**

**We have adopted a strategic mission which states to “*Form and Sustain Safe, Viable and Caring Communities for Those in Need.*” We have also adopted what we refer to as “*The Stoddard Way*” which states, “*Caring for the Human Life in a Sacred Environment.*” These are not mere words to those of us who occupy positions as members on our Boards of Directors. These are not mere words to our Executive Staff. Nor are they mere words to our Administrators and their staff of nurses, caregivers and maintenance staff. These ideas set the tone for the total environment throughout our three operational facilities and the treatment of all personnel in the Stoddard Baptist Home family. We could do nothing without you, who are the blessing from the Lord.**

**Sincerely**

**Binkley J. Garrison  
Chairman**



*Steven L. Wash*

## *Greetings from the President and CEO*

A year later, and we cannot avoid expressing the challenges we have faced as a global society caused by the COVID-19 virus! It has certainly rocked the foundation of the world and Stoddard has not been immune to its effects.

When reflecting on the remarks made for this purpose last year, I am reminded of a young professor at UMBC, whose name escapes me, that much has not changed. We, in the African American community, still experienced a “syndemic” and we suffered from the magnitude of the effects of systemic disparities in the healthcare system, lack of access to providers, inadequate technology, current medical practices and antiquated housing, specifically for our senior friends.

Despite the diversity of attacks from corona virus variants, we continued to move forward and continued to press towards the mark. We retired a major financial debt whereby we have full control over Stoddard Baptist Nursing Home. We received approval from Prince George’s County to move forward with our Presidential Estates at Sycamore Hill Assisted Living Project. We continuously look forward to working with the District of Columbia government and other partners. We continue to pursue grants, the most recent award was through Leading Age which we pinned as “Victory Through Vaccination.” This grant allowed us to promote vaccine awareness and education while also sharing PPEs with our community. Leading Age also selected Stoddard to produce a series of videos that highlights our challenges in caring for residents and staff during the pandemic. Below is the link to view the videos:

***Faith***

<https://vimeo.com/637268180/4dff54b95b>

***Value***

<https://vimeo.com/637268245/70f9a51458>

***Hope***

<https://vimeo.com/637268291/46476c0454>



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**This was a great time in which our Stoddard Friends and community really came together. God's love really shined through and the care for our residents and staff continued on!**

**Despite the seemingly insurmountable challenges, Stoddard's mission continued with boldness and courage! Our frontline superheroes still marched on, caring for our residents, serving meals, administering medications, holding activities, cleaning the homes so that they were safe and sanitized. The good and essential work was done with great care, caution and commitment. Words cannot express the gratitude we need to give to this collective body of greatness - they are just simply AWESOME!**

**We must thank the wise and sound leadership of our organization. Our Board members have supported Stoddard, over the years, with their time, talent and treasure. They gathered their churches, sororities, businesses and friends together to donate personal protective equipment, meals, gift cards for the staff. They made masks for residents, wrote encouraging notes cards and gave iPads to help alleviate their isolation during this time. Words cannot express the gratitude we need to give to this collective body of greatness - they are just simply AWESOME!**

**We also most thank the leaders in our community, Mayor Muriel Bowser and her team for providing onsite, free COVID testing, education and support for our staff and residents. We also received several grants from the Mayor's office to create support groups to help our community deal with the mental effects of this pandemic and to distribute PPEs to the surrounding communities in most need. We have encouraged residents and staff to be vaccinated and they have responded at high levels, two of our facilities are 100 % vaccinated.**

**I end this message by saying thanks to all of our Stoddard Friends that care for us, love us, and show empathy towards us. It has been a tough year, but it also has been one of many blessings. **OUR DOORS ARE OPEN TO SERVE, AMEN!!!!** We are here to serve in a safe and caring environment. We thank you, we appreciate you and we need your continued support! We look forward to working with you, serving you, and having you as a part of our community as we prepare for *Stoddard's 120th Anniversary* of service on October 14, 2022 at the Mayflower Hotel!**

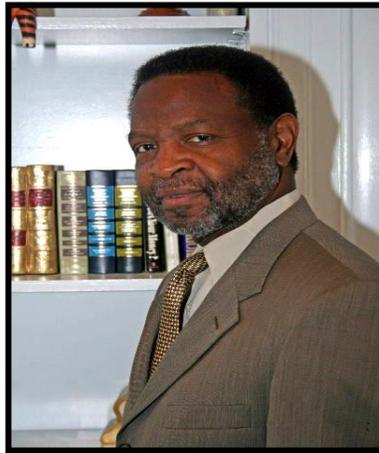
**In Christ,**

**Steven A Nash  
President and CEO**



## *Guest Preacher*

**Rev. Binkley J. Garrison**  
**Associate Pastor**  
**Mt. Sinai Baptist Church**  
**Washington, DC**



*Rev. Binkley J. Garrison*

*Reverend Binkley J. Garrison* is a member of the ministerial staff of the Mount Sinai Baptist Church of Washington, D.C. He serves as the primary teacher of the Singles Adult Ministry, a member of the Sunday School teaching staff, and performance of other duties as assigned. Prior to entering the ministry, Rev. Garrison served on the Deacon's Ministry for 22 years and was Secretary of the Joint Board for the last six of those years.

*Reverend Garrison* is a native of Ponchatoula, Louisiana and is the seventh of seven children born both to the late Reverend Phil Garrison, Sr. and Madie Garrison. He was educated in Louisiana and attended Southern University in Baton Rouge, attaining a Bachelor of Sciences Degree in Electrical Engineering. He entered the U. S. Army upon graduating from college, served 2 years as an officer, and was honorably discharged as a 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant. He entered the Federal Government as a civilian, working at the DoD Defense Information Systems Agency. He became the Branch Chief of the Airborne Engineering Branch where he worked on air-to-ground communications for executive aircraft located at Andrews AFB and Strategic aircraft located at other Air Force bases in the U.S. He retired after a rewarding career as a Supervisory Electronics Engineer.



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*Reverend Garrison* currently serves as Chairman of the Stoddard Baptist Home Foundation's Board of Directors, a non-profit organization dedicated to providing nursing home care for senior citizens in the Metropolitan Washington Area.

*Reverend Garrison* matriculated in May of 2017 with a Master of Arts degree in Biblical Studies (MABS) (*Summa Cum Laude*) from Capital Seminary and Graduate School in Greenbelt, MD, an accredited school which is an affiliate of the Lancaster Bible College, Lancaster, PA. He was ordained June 2019 at the Mount Sinai Baptist Church in Washington, DC.

*Reverend Garrison* cherishes every opportunity to articulate the Word of God.



## *Programme*

**Presiding Officer**  
**Mr. Robert L. Davis**  
*Canaan Baptist Church*  
*Washington, DC*  
**Chairperson, SBNH**  
**Board of Directors**

Call to Order.....	<b>Dr. John M. Alexander, Jr.</b> <i>Senior Servant, St. John United Baptist Church</i> <i>Washington, DC</i> <b>Chairman, SBHF Governance Committee</b> <b>Member, SBHF, SBNH, SBGC</b> <b>and Presidential Care, LLC,</b> <b>Board of Directors</b>
Scripture.....	<b>Old Testament: Proverbs 16:31&amp; Isaiah 4:1.....Deacon Bobby Mills</b> <i>. Mt. Sinai Baptist Church</i> <i>Washington, DC</i> <b>Member</b> <b>SBNH Board of Directors</b>
Scripture.....	<b>New Testament: 1 Timothy 5:1-3.....Deacon Anthony Hood</b> <i>The Greater First Baptist Church, MMP</i> <i>Washington, DC</i> <b>Vice Chairman, SBS Board of Directors</b> <b>Secretary, SBHF Board of Directors</b> <b>Member, SBGC Board of Directors</b>
Invocation.....	<b>Dr. Randolph Fitzgerald</b> <i>Pastor, Iconium Baptist Church</i> <i>Capitol Heights, MD</i> <b>Treasurer</b> <b>Presidential Care, LLC</b> <b>Board of Directors</b>



Greetings and Welcome.....Ms. Carolyn Bowden  
*Sharon Bible Fellowship Church  
Lanham, MD  
Chairperson  
Presidential Care, LLC  
Board of Directors  
Member, SBHF, SBNH and SBGC  
Board of Directors*

Musical Selection  
**“YOU BROUGHT THE SUNSHINE ”**  
The Clark Sisters

SBHF Financial Report.....Mr. Mahesh Tyagi  
**Chief Financial Officer  
Stoddard Baptist Home Foundation**

Stoddard Baptist Home Report.....Deacon Steven A. Nash  
*St. Joseph Catholic Church  
Largo, MD  
President/CEO  
Stoddard Baptist Nursing Home*

Report of the Nominating Committee.....Dr. John M. Alexander, Jr.  
**Chairman  
SBHF Governance Committee**

Installation of Officers and Members.....Dr. Robin A. Toogood, II  
*Senior Pastor  
Purity Baptist Church  
Washington, DC*

Musical Selection  
**“GOD IS”**  
The Chicago Mass Choir

Chairman’s Statement.....Rev. Binkley J. Garrison  
*Associate Minister  
Mt. Sinai Baptist Church  
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Presentation of Preacher.....Dr. John M. Alexander, Jr.

Musical Selection  
“*BLESSED ASSURANCE*”  
Gladys Knight

*The Sermon*

Rev. Binkley J. Garrison  
Associate Minister  
Mt. Sinai Baptist Church  
Washington, DC

Remarks and Announcements.....Dr. John M. Alexander, Jr.  
Chairman  
Annual Meeting Program Committee

Confirmation of Virtual Host Churches:  
2022 and Forward – Please contact:  
Carrie Owens – 301-760-7909 or  
[cowens@sbhfdc.org](mailto:cowens@sbhfdc.org)

Closing Prayer and Benediction.....Rev. Thomas J. Henderson  
Pastor  
New Jerusalem Baptist Church  
Chapel Oaks, Maryland  
Member  
Presidential Care, LLC  
Board of Directors

*Thank You  
For Attending  
Stoddard's 2022  
Virtual Annual Meeting!  
God's Blessings Upon You!!*

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# ***2022 VIRTUAL ANNUAL MEETING PROGRAM COMMITTEE***



**Chairman**  
**Dr. John M. Alexander, Jr.**



## **ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT**

Ms. Carrie R. Owens – Board Liaison/Development Assistant  
Ms. Arlethia Thompson – Executive Assistant