

19TH PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY PROGRAM



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HONORING
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT THOMAS J. RODGERS, II &
LADY ELLA RODGERS**

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2025 – 10:45 AM

HONORING EVANGELIST ELLA RODGERS

**“A Servant Chosen for God’s People”
-1 Peter 5:2-4**

**Worship Leader - Evangelist Annette Harris
(+ When indicated, Please Stand)**

Call to Order Evangelist Annette Harris
+ Opening Prayer Evangelist Rose Keely
+ Old Testament Mother Mary Usery
+ New Testament Mother Catherine White
Musical Selections Moriah City of Miracles
Welcome/Greetings Lady Cassandra Greenwood
Recap Children’s Church
Words of Expression (3 minutes) Mother Carrie Rodgers
Evangelist Shirely Guice
Mother Beverly Martin
Guest Churches

Introduction of our SupervisorAssistant District Missionary Brenda Sodamade

Voice of our Supervisor Mother T. Marie Brown
Supervisor, Dept. of MMEJ

Introduction of the SpeakerEvangelist Adekemi Sodamade

Inspirational Praise Dance Sister Roxie Williams

Word of GodDr. Andrea Hill
Lead District Missionary, MMEJ
Live Church

Altar Call

Offering Finance Team

Observations

Presentations to First Lady Ella Rodgers

RemarksLady Ella Rodgers

+ Benediction.....

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2025 – 4:00 PM

HONORING PASTOR THOMAS J. RODGERS, II

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**Worship Leader - Elder Lukumanu Sodamade
(+ When indicated, Please Stand)**

Call to Order Elder Lukumanu Sodamade
+ Opening Prayer..... Elder Myron Fletcher
+ Old Testament Elder David Rodgers
+ New Testament..... Elder Howard Williams
Musical Selections..... Moriah City of Miracles
Welcome/Greetings..... Sister Debbie Irvin

Words of Expression (3 minutes) Elder Robert Rodgers
..... Minister Thomas Cannon
..... Guest Churches

Voice of our Leader Bishop Elijah H. Hankerson, III
..... GMB Prelate Missouri Midwest Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction
Offering Finance Team

Introduction of the Speaker

Sermonic Solo..... Sister LaSonta Fletcher

The Word of God.....Administrative Assistant Daryl Randolph
Pastor of Center of Hope
Kansas City, MO

Altar Call

Observations

Presentations to Pastor Thomas J. Rodgers, II

Remarks..... Pastor Thomas J. Rodgers, II & Lady Ella Rodgers

+ Benediction

SPEAKER'S BIO



Dr. Andrea Hill is a native of St Louis, MO. She is the Executive Pastor of LIVE Church where she oversees several ministries serving her Pastor, Bishop Dr. Shadrach D. Martin. Dr. Hill attended Rhema Bible School in Tulsa, OK. She is a graduate of International College of Bible Theology and Midwest Seminary and was a teacher there for 5 years. Dr. Hill earned her Doctorate in Theology from Cohen Institute in St. Louis, Missouri. She also serves as District Missionary for the C.H. Mason District of the Missouri Midwest Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction COGIC where she oversees the women's ministry and works closely with

Supervisor T. Marie Brown in the MMEJ Department of

Women serving as:

- Chairperson of the District Missionary Unit
- Director of the Empowerment Institute

Dr. Hill is the Executive Director of A.Hill Ministries. With a passion for teaching the word of God and outreach, over the years she has partnered with different ministries and organizations to organize outdoor events throughout the St Louis area to provide housing, food, clothing, and practical resources to those in need while ministering the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Dr. Hill is also a conference host. A.Hill Ministries yearly host the Healing Symposium, Prayer Symposium, and the Third Watch Midnight Prayer in cities across the United States and Internationally. Countless people have been saved, miraculously healed and lives completely changed through her ministry. Dr. Hill is also a businesswoman. She's the Executive Director/Owner of Care Unlimited Home Care Agency Consumer Directed Services, Care Unlimited In Home Care and the owner of SEVNS Boutique for over 20 years. She is the author of 2 books, *Cursed On A Tree*, this book tells the story of how God miraculously healed her from cancer and *Opril's Kitchen*, a cookbook dedicated to the memory of her loving mother. Ultimately, she is a proud, doting mother of one beautiful daughter, Mariah.

SPEAKER'S BIO



Pastor Daryl D. Randolph, Sr. serves as the pastor of Center of Hope Ministries in Kansas City, Missouri, where he has led for over 24 years. His extensive service includes roles within the Church of God in Christ (COGIC) across various departments—Music, Youth, and Adjutant—on local, district, and jurisdictional levels. He currently holds the positions of Regional President of the International Men's Department, Superintendent of the E. Harris Moore District, and Administrative Assistant to General Board Bishop Elijah H. Hankerson III.

Pastor Randolph is deeply committed to his community, engaging with people beyond church walls to spread God's love. He is a member of Matters of the Heart Faith Alliance and Kansas City Metropolitan Alliance, a board member of Faith Leaders of Kansas City, and serves on the Chaplain Boards for the Kansas City Police and Fire Departments. Additionally, he contributes to the Foundation Board for Alphapointe Vision for Life, where he finds opportunities to reach people who may not attend church.

Beyond his public service, Pastor Randolph values his role as a devoted father to his five children: Nakia, Daryl Jr., Damon, Dorian, and Dallas. His spiritual life is central to him, and he proudly professes that he is saved, sanctified, and filled with the Holy Ghost.

PASTOR AIDE COMMITTEE APPRECIATION MESSAGE

On behalf of **Pastor Thomas J. Rodgers II**, **Lady Ella Rodgers**, and the entire **Pastor Aide Committee**, we extend our heartfelt thanks to each of you for joining us in this special celebration.

We are grateful to God for sustaining our Pastor and First Lady through 19 years of faithful service. We know God has brought them this far—and we believe God is not done yet!

Your presence today, along with your love, support, and kind words, means more than you know. The Bible reminds us to “*show ourselves friendly*,” and in pastoral ministry, true friends are a gift—those who uplift, encourage, and offer wise counsel.

The role of a Pastor is a divine calling that requires not only willingness but also wisdom and experience. Today, our Pastor and First Lady’s hearts are overflowing with joy, knowing they are surrounded by a community that believes in them and reminds them to press forward. They cannot come down—they must continue the work.

Once again, thank you for celebrating with us. May God continue to bless and strengthen you abundantly.

Yours in Christ,

Evangelist Brenda Sodamade
Co-chair of the Pastor Aide Committee