

**Dear Saints,****11-01-2026**

I pray you have had a blessed week! This is a very busy time for our staff and worship teams, as we prepare for our upcoming Fall Congregational Forum (11/7) and Meeting (11/8), the last weeks of our Stewardship series, Trans Day of Remembrance, a Healing Service, Friendsgiving meal, a new Grief Support group, and Advent! Welcome to November!

In some cultures, and in some religious traditions, this weekend is a celebration of remembering those who have left this life for the next. October 31 is considered "All Hallows Eve" (or Halloween); November 1 is considered "All Saints Day" (to honor the saints); and November 2 is considered "All Soul's Day" (or "Day of the Dead/Dia de los Muertos). I'm so excited that our Spanish-speaking ministry will be leading our combined service at 11:30 Sunday as we honor this wonderful ritual and remember special people that have passed from our lives. We will have a special guest performance from a famous Latin actress, Alejandra Flores. This should be a celebration to remember!

I do want to thank all of you who have already made your financial commitments for 2027. So far, \$44,440.00 has been pledged for next year. If you didn't get the opportunity to fill out your commitment cards last Sunday, never fear! The cards will be available the rest of the year either in worship (ask an usher) or on our website (foundersmcc.org). Please remember that these cards are kept confidential; only one or two of the board members (one being the treasurer) know the names and financial commitments. Thank you again.

Are you ready for worship? Let's get blessed so we can bless others!

Pastor Keith

Founders MCC Core Values: Love, Inclusion, Social Justice, Diversity, Spirituality and Acceptance

Founders MCC Vision Statement: We see our church as a community of faith, goodness, respect and union for all members regardless of race, color, language, immigration status, gender identity or sexual orientation. We see it as the house of Christ where our fundamental values of spirituality, love, social justice, diversity, inclusiveness and the feeling of community prevail.

Mission of Founders MCC: Being the hands, feet and heart of Christ here at Home, in our community, and in our World as we are called.



On Saturday, **November 7th** at 2pm, we will joyously remember and celebrate the life of our own Miss Betty. A repass will follow.



A Congregational Budget Forum will be conducted via Zoom on **November 7th at 11 am**. This will be followed by a Congregation Meeting the next day, **November 8th** after the morning worship, at 11:30 am.



Founders Metropolitan Community Church
Moderator:

Order of Service 11-01-2026

Welcome Video

Call to Worship:

Opening Song:

-FMCC Praise Choir

Opening Prayer:

Welcome

Announcements:

Passing of the Peace

Reading: **Matthew 5:1-12**

Arts In Worship:

Sermon:

Sermon Response:

-FMCC Praise Choir

Offering/Making Ministry Happen:

Communion:

Song of Thanksgiving:

-FMCC Praise Choir

Closing Remarks:

Closing Song:

-FMCC Praise Choir

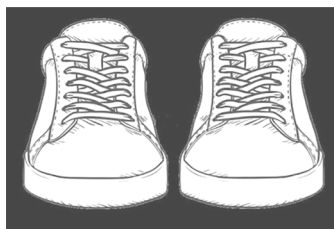
Sending Forth:

Saturday, Nov. 14th, 8 pm

Founders MCC member Wayne Babineaux / Weaux will perform a full hour-long original music show celebrating the release of his new double EP "Future Vu / Queer as Funk" ON VINYL!!! Tickets are free and you're highly encouraged to order your "Future Vu / Queer as Funk" vinyl at the show to help him towards his goal of selling 300 records to get these vinyls made!!!



We are collecting needed items for **SELAH** this month: New undergarments, shoes, socks & hats.



This Week at Founders MCC

Request Rooms at
foundersmcc.org/connect/calendar/
Call (323) 669-3434 for changes and updates

Sunday, November 01, 2026

8:30am AA/Sunday Morning Tropical -Theater
 8:30am 12 Step Men's Meditation Meeting -Gandhi Rm
10:00am Founders MCC Praise Service-Sanctuary
1:30pm Servicio de Adoracion- Sanctuary
 4:45pm SAA 12 Step Group -Hunter Rm
 5:25pm Meditation AA (11 Steppers) -Chapel
 8:00pm Fight Club/Basic Tools Men's Group -Ryland Rm

Monday, November 02, 2026

8:30am 12 Step Men's Meditation Meeting - Gandhi Rm
 6:00pm Silver Lake Chorus Rehearsal -Chapel
 7:00 pm Easier Way AA Group - Gandhi Rm
 7:30pm SPAA Group -Hunter Rm
 7:45pm Monday Night Alvarado AA -Ryland Rm

Tuesday, November 03, 2026

8:30am 12 Step Men's Meditation Meeting -Gandhi Rm
 6:15pm Overeaters Anonymous - Hunter Rm
 7:00pm Sisters of Perpetual Help -Chapel
 7:30pm Secular AA/WE Agnostics -Gandhi Rm
 7:30pm RagTag AA - Rosa Parks Rm

Wednesday, November 04, 2026

8:30am 12 Step Men's Meditation Meeting -Gandhi Rm
5:30pm Founders Praise Team rehearsal - Chapel

Tithing amount for Week Ending 10-28-2026: \$2,562.00

Facility rental: \$963.00

Special offering: \$135.00

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Wednesday, November 04, 2026 (Continued)

7:15pm No Losers AA Meeting - Fellowship Hall
 7:30pm Dark Secrets AA Newcomers Meeting -Gandhi Rm
 8:45pm Fight Club: Men's AA Stag Meeting -Ryland Rm

Thursday, November 05, 2026

8:30am 12 Step Men's Meditation Meeting -Fellowship Hall
 7:00pm Thursday Night NA -Ryland Rm

Friday, November 06, 2026

7:30am Founders Food Pantry -Truck Delivery

8:30am 12 Step Men's Meditation Meeting -Fellowship Hall
 6:30pm SLAA -Ryland Rm
 6:30pm Secular AA Group -Gandhi Rm
 8:00pm Stories AA Group -Chapel
 8:00pm Super Studs Group - Gandhi Rm

Saturday, November 07, 2026

6:30am HopeNet Prep Time -Hunter Rm

7:30am HopeNet Food Pantry Distribution

8:30am AA Men's Meditation Meeting -Gandhi Rm
 10:00am Big Book AA - Ryland Rm

Note: In the calendar section of the bulletin, the events in bold and italics are Founders MCC Events. The ones not listed in bold, and italics are 12-step groups and other events.

Upcoming Activities:

11/7 - 10am - FMCC Congregational Forum on Zoom only

11/7 - 2pm - Miss Betty Weaver's Celebration of Life at FMCC

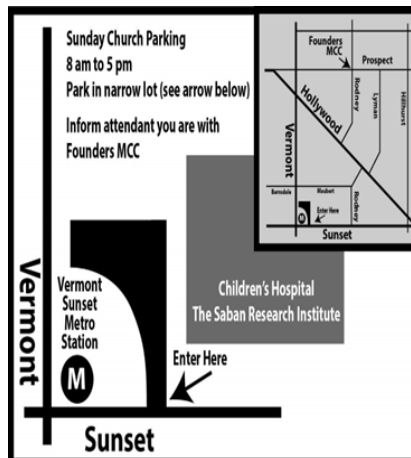
11/8 - 11:30am - Congregational meeting at FMCC

11/14 - 7pm - Future Vu EP Premiere Show Starring Wayne Babineaux at FMCC

11/29 - Friendsgiving at FMCC (Breaking Bread)

Weekly - Every Wednesday 2pm to 4pm
SELAH Drop-in center at FMCC

Children's Hospital has so graciously volunteered up to 10 spaces for us to park. It is a small lot off Sunset Blvd., just beyond the Metro Station entrance.



Finding Your Way Around

