



“CONSCIOUS AND INTENTIONAL MINISTRY: DOING WHO I AM”

Also I heard the voice of the Lord saying: “Whom shall I send, And who will go for Us?” Then I said, “Here am I! Send me.” Isaiah 6:8

THE PASTOR’S PEN

September 5, 2021

PILGRIM REST OASIS

We envision the Pilgrim Rest Oasis as a needed resource to revitalize our community through family engagement and holistic community service. The Pilgrim Rest Oasis will function for the good of the community to promote neighborhood vitality.

The Pilgrim Rest Oasis is established upon three foundations:

1. Education Center – An elementary school with a comprehensive educational program built upon academic rigor, cultural understanding and character development, and to facilitate and expand our Summer Learning Camp.
2. Community Center – A center to support and invigorate the capacity of residents to thrive in recreation, athletics, performing arts, technology, along with other areas of their lives.
3. Community Venue – A venue to support and encourage the creative and innovative work of our neighbors while gathering to discuss and debate, GED/HSED and continuing education classes for adults, intergenerational gatherings, and more.

Through the Pilgrim Rest Oasis, we will create an environment for refreshment, renewal, restoration, refuge and recreation (re-creation). Our vision is to create the place and space for a **Pilgrim** to find **Rest**.

The momentum of our journey presses us to continue looking forward, knowing that this is our time, our opportunity, our expression of faith for this season through the Pilgrim Rest Oasis.



Main Entrance



School Office

**School
Office**



**Gym /
Stage**

**Gym /
Stage**



Gym





2nd Floor Hall

Classroom





Social Worker / Psychologist / Therapist Office



Library



**Teacher's
Lounge**



Classroom



**Boys'
Restroom**



**Girls'
Restroom**



Kitchen



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Boiler

WORK FOR THE WEEK

SEPTEMBER MEMORY VERSE

¹ Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares *us*, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us,

Hebrews 12:1

SEPTEMBER MEDITATION QUOTE

“ The older I grow, the more I am convinced that there is no education which one can get from books and apparatus that is equal to that which can be gotten from contact with great men and women.”

Booker T. Washington

TODAY'S STUDY QUESTIONS AND MEDITATION:

Do I love the world and the things of this world more than I love God? _____

The three things that are a primary temptation for us is women/men, money and power. How am I guarding against these three? _____

FOR THE YOUTH

How much time do I give to God (praying, reading the Bible, Church School, etc.) compared with how much time I spend on my phone or on social media? _____
