

MEET OUR CONVENTION MUSICIAN

MINISTER CARLOS A. YOUNGER



Preacher, musician, choir director, songwriter, teacher are each a part of the calling that God has placed on the life of Minister Carlos Antonio Younger. He is a native of Charleston, West Virginia where he majored in music program of Herbert's Music Academy. Carlos also received private instruction under the tutelage of Mr. Curtis Austin, renowned pianist & music educator. From the Corporate America perspective, Carlos additionally received his Finance & Administration education and certification through the Graduate School, USDA.

In 1985 Carlos relocated to the Washington DC area, where he was blessed to serve on the music staff at Mt. Zion Baptist Church & Salem Baptist Church. He was later called to serve as Minister of Music at Mt. Ephraim Baptist Church, Largo, Maryland and Director of the St. James Community Choir who under his direction, recorded two successful projects and was presented in numerous concerts in not only the Washington DC area, but Georgia, Virginia, West Virginia to name a few.

In 1997, Carlos relocated to the Louisville Kentucky area, where God blessed his music ministry to reach another level. He served as the Minister of Music of the historic Fifth Street Baptist Church and then was asked to serve as the Director of Music for the Kentucky State Pastor's Conference, which he oversaw the music for the district and state level meetings. Carlos was blessed to participate as part of the accompanist and directors staff for the NAACP Concert Gala held in the city of Louisville each year drawing a crowd of over 1500 people.

Since Carlos' call back to the DC/MD area, God has blessed him to serve in a variety of church music venues. However, his greatest and most rewarding assignment is now, where he faithfully serves as the Minister of Music of The Miracle Center of Faith, where he was licensed to preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ on May 4, 2010.

Carlos serves as the Music Director for the Baptist Convention of DC & Vicinity City-Wide Revival, guest director for the Progressive National Baptist Convention's opening musical (Washington, DC). In May of 2011 he was appointed to serve as the Director of Music for American Baptist Churches of the South (ABCOTS) Convention.

Over the years Carlos has conducted many music workshops throughout the state of Maryland, Kentucky, City of Chicago, Indiana, West Virginia and Southern areas of Virginia. Minister Younger is an active member of the Chesapeake Choral Union Chapter of the National Convention of Choirs and Choruses, member of the DC Chapter of the Gospel Music Workshop of America and attends each year the Hampton Institute of Minister, Choir Directors & Organist Guild Conference.

Carlos is the proud father of two children Charles Anthony and Christine Danielle.

Carlos' favorite quote is "my story is not over, because God is not through blessing me yet"!