ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
BELFRY METHODIST CHURCH, INC.

The undersigned, being a natural person(s) over the age of twenty-one (21) years and desiring to form a non-profit corporation pursuant to KRS 14A and KRS 273, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation for such corporation.

ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation shall be BELFRY METHODIST CHURCH, INC.

ARTICLE II

The duration of said corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III

The Corporation is organized and operated exclusively for religious and charitable purposes under section 501(C)3 of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding section of any future tax code. In carrying out its corporate purposes, the Corporation shall have the power to operate a gospel ministry and to organize a facility for religious worship; the power to buy, sell, lease and rent any and all items commonly associated with similar nonprofit organizations; the power to employ any and all personnel necessary to conduct said business; the power to own and acquire by purchase or lease all real estate and buildings necessary to promote and carry on said business; and the power to engage in any and all other activities allowed corporations by and in the Commonwealth of Kentucky and the United States of America, as allowed by law.

Notwithstanding any other provision of the Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding Section of any future tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(C)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding Section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE IV

Upon dissolution of this organization, assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of Section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or corresponding Section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government for a public purpose.

ARTICLE V

The street address of the corporation's initial registered office in this state shall be 109 Main Street, Belfry, KY 41514, and the name of the corporation's initial registered agent at that office shall be Connie Caines. The mailing address of the corporation shall be PO Box 1110, Belfry, KY 41514.

ARTICLE VI

The corporation shall have no stock or shareholders.

ARTICLE VII

The Directors/Trustees will consist of Six (6) members as follows:

Charles Victor Stanley	193 Varney Rd, Belfry, KY 41514
Connie S. Caines	PO Box 190, Belfry, KY 41514
Billy Jack Ferguson	PO Box 1111, Belfry, KY 41514
Tammy Altizer	1309 Coburn Hollow Rd, Huddy, KY 41535
Michael G. Smith	245 Winston Dr, Pikeville, KY 41501
Greg King	1657 Stratton Fk, Canada, KY 41519

The Initial Officers of the Corporation are as follows:

President	Billy Jack Ferguson	PO Box 1111, Belfry, KY 41514
Secretary	Carol Sue Tackett	PO Box 96, Canada, KY 41519
Treasurer	Sandra C. Johnson	1647 State Highway 319, Hardy, KY 41531

ARTICLE VIII

There shall be no personal liability of a director to the corporation for monetary damages for breach of his or her duties as a director to the extent allowed by KRS 271B.2-020.

ARTICLE IX

This application will become effective upon filing.

I, Billy Jack Ferguson, acting as incorporator on behalf of the Corporation, declare under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kentucky that the foregoing is true and correct.

_____   _____10·27-22_____
Billy Jack Ferguson, Incorporator   Date

I, Connie Caines, consent to serve as the registered agent on behalf of the Corporation.

_____   _____10-27-2022_____
Connie Caines, Registered Agent   Date