Rev. Jacqueline Renee Pinkney



Jacqueline Pinkney is an Itinerant Elder in the African Methodist Episcopal Church. Rev. Pinkney was ordained in 2009 under the leadership of Bishop William P. DeVeaux. Rev. Pinkney attended Georgia Perimeter College majoring in Business Management. She received her Masters of Divinity with honors, inducted into Theta Phi, from Turner Theological Seminary, a constituent of the Interdenominational Theological Center in Atlanta, GA.

Rev. Pinkney is a retired AT&T Network Design & Planning Engineer with 37 years of service. During her time at AT&T she served as a Subject Matter Expert to her peers and volunteered in the company's community activities such Atlanta Food Bank, Back on My Feet (Atlanta), Atlanta's Corporate Challenge Walk/Run races and running the historical Peachtree 10K Road races until moving to Philadelphia, PA.

Rev. Pinkney has served in various capacities in the AME Church. Rev. Pinkney served as Youth Pastor at Turner Monumental AME Church in Decatur Ga; Associate Pastor at Wrens Chapel AME Church, Wrens, Ga; and Assistant Pastor at Amanda Flipper AME Church in Decatur, Ga.

Rev. Pinkney has a passion for helping people to discover their values and honor their self-worth. Living in Atlanta, GA, she created a group for teen mothers called TALK IT OUT providing a safe space for young mothers to share their experience and discuss issues that impact their lives and the lives of their children. Rev. Pinkney now takes that passion working as a coach with foster parents in Delaware County, PA.

Rev. Pinkney is married to her best friend, Rev. Jamie Kaufman. They have two daughters and three granddaughters.

A favorite scripture of Rev. Pinkney is, "The poor and the oppressor have this in common; the Lord gives light to the eyes of both." Proverb 29:13