OUR MISSION
Reid Temple A.M.E. Church exists to follow the will of God our Father, live according to the teachings of Jesus Christ Our Redeemer and administer to the needs of man, our brother and woman, our sister. Our church offers several weekly Bible study classes and mid-week services in addition to Sunday services. Church activities are abundant at Reid Temple and cater to all age groups from children to senior citizens.

OUR VISION
With Faith – Our God We Aim To Please As We Serve Through The 5 E's. II Corinthians 5:9: So whether at home or away, we make our aim to please Him.

- Evangelism – sowing the seed of God's Word in the hearts of all people.
- Empowerment – bestowing love and guidance on believers to disciple them in fulfilling their purpose.
- Education – knowing the will of God through study and obedience of His Word.
- Economics – flowing in financial prosperity according God's wealth principles.
- Expansion – growing in all ministry areas to reach the growing harvest of souls.

Vision Slogan: Aiming to Please through the 5 E's

About Reid Temple
Founded in 1964, Reid Temple A.M.E Church is located in Glenn Dale Maryland, Prince George’s County, with one of the largest A.M.E congregations from all walks of life, Reid Temple hosts 80 innovative ministries designed to provide comfort from the many challenging social issues facing God’s people. Reid Temple’s affiliated, 501c3 organizations include Reid Community Development Corporation, Reid Temple Christian Academy, Reid Temple Bible College, and the Reid Temple Senior Services Center.

For more about Reid Temple A.M.E visit www.reidtemple.org or follow @reidtempleame on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and YouTube

About Our Pastor Rev. Dr. Mark E. Whitlock, Jr.
Pastor Rev. Dr. Mark E. Whitlock, Jr. is committed to serving God, family, the A.M.E. Church and the community. He, his wife and his mother, are beyond thrilled to be in Glenn Dale, Maryland serving Reid Temple A.M.E. Church (RTAME). Prior to his historic July 2019 appointment to RTAME, Rev. Whitlock served as pastor of Christ Our Redeemer A.M.E. Church (COR Church) in Irvine, CA beginning in August 1998. Over the course of his ministerial and nonprofit career, Pastor Whitlock has raised more than $1.2 billion for the Kingdom of God through individual donors as well as corporate, federal and institutional grants.

Rev. Whitlock’s vision for Reid Temple is based on Hebrews 10: 23-25. God has called for Reid to become the Beloved Community under Pastor Whitlock’s watch. In order to fulfill this vision, Pastor Whitlock is following the A.M.E mission as well as the tenets of evangelism, discipleship, stewardship and social justice. Using the successful blueprint of COR Church and its Community Development Corporation, Pastor Whitlock is partnering with Reid Temple's five 501c3 corporations to take Reid Temple A.M.E Church to the next level.

Rev. Whitlock has been happily married to Rev. Hermia Shegog Whitlock for 35 years. He has three sons, Ariel, Mark, III, and Devin.

Rev. Whitlock has BA in Religion from University of La Verne, Master of Business from University of Southern California, and is an M.Div and doctoral candidate with the Payne Theological Seminary (2020). Rev. Dr. Mark E. Whitlock Full Bio

Press Contact:
Hannah N. Jones,
Director of Communications and Marketing,
Reid Temple AME Church
Email: hjones@reidtemple.org | Cell: 240-328-5206 | Office at 301-352-0320