



Perfecting Saints

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

The Reverend Donald J. General, Jr., D.Min.
Pastor, Perfecting Saints, COGIC



Dr. Don General currently serves as pastor of Perfecting Saints, Church of God In Christ (COGIC), located in Virginia Beach Virginia. Perfecting Saints COGIC is one of 50 churches and ministries under the leadership of Virginia's 4th Jurisdictional Prelate, Bishop G. Wesley Hardy, Sr. Elder General currently serves as Executive Secretary of the Jurisdiction.

Dr. General is a third generation COGIC member, who preaches and teaches faithfully the redemptive message of *The Cross*. He believes that servant-leadership and leadership-by-example is absolutely essential when leading God's people.

An advocate of "life-long" learning, he has earned a Bachelor's degree from Park University, a Master's degree from the University of Maryland, a Master of Divinity and Doctor of Ministry degree from the Norfolk Theological Seminary and College (Dissertation title: "Cyber-Sin: Exploring Spiritual Challenges in the 21st Century"), and he is near complete with his second doctorate, a Ph.D. from Northcentral University in Business Administration.

A highly sought after preacher and teacher, Pastor General is a Man of God that believes in "rightly dividing the Word of truth" and presenting it in a down-to-earth, practical manner.

Dr. General is married to Tanyeil "Tangie" General and they are the parents of five children: Donovan, Trenton, Haven, Cameron and Kyra.

In 2008, he and his wife established the Perfecting Saints LLC, a ministry designed to assist pastors with perfecting the "business" of the church! Perfecting Saints LLC specializes in issues surrounding church start-up, church growth, membership retention, financial management/budgeting, and grant & proposal writing.

"For though I preach the gospel, I have nothing to glory of: for necessity is laid upon me; yea, woe is unto me, if I preach not the gospel!" 1 Corinthians 9:16

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