

United States Bankruptcy Court
District of Maryland

Voluntary Petition

Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle): The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church
Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle):
All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):
All Other Names used by the Joint Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN) /Complete EIN (if more than one, state all): 29-0200709
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN) /Complete EIN (if more than one, state all):
Street Address of Debtor (No. & Street, City, State & Zip Code): 2406 Greenmount Avenue Baltimore, MD ZIPCODE 21218
Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. & Street, City, State & Zip Code): ZIPCODE
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: Baltimore City
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business:
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address) ZIPCODE
Mailing Address of Joint Debtor (if different from street address): ZIPCODE

Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if different from street address above): 2406 Greenmount Avenue, Baltimore, MD ZIPCODE 21218

Type of Debtor (Form of Organization) (Check one box.)
Nature of Business (Check one box.)
Chapter of Bankruptcy Code Under Which the Petition is Filed (Check one box.)
Nature of Debts (Check one box.)
Chapter 15 Debtor
Country of debtor's center of main interests:
Each country in which a foreign proceeding by, regarding, or against debtor is pending:

Filing Fee (Check one box)
Check one box:
Chapter 11 Debtors
Check all applicable boxes:

Statistical/Administrative Information
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Estimated Number of Creditors
Estimated Assets
Estimated Liabilities

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Voluntary Petition <i>(This page must be completed and filed in every case)</i>		Name of Debtor(s): The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church	
All Prior Bankruptcy Case Filed Within Last 8 Years (If more than two, attach additional sheet)			
Location Where Filed: None	Case Number:	Date Filed:	
Location Where Filed:	Case Number:	Date Filed:	
Pending Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner or Affiliate of this Debtor (If more than one, attach additional sheet)			
Name of Debtor: None	Case Number:	Date Filed:	
District:	Relationship:	Judge:	
Exhibit A (To be completed if debtor is required to file periodic reports (e.g., forms 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is requesting relief under chapter 11.) <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit A is attached and made a part of this petition.	Exhibit B (To be completed if debtor is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts.) I, the attorney for the petitioner named in the foregoing petition, declare that I have informed the petitioner that [he or she] may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each such chapter. I further certify that I delivered to the debtor the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b). X _____ Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) Date		
Exhibit C Does the debtor own or have possession of any property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable harm to public health or safety? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, and Exhibit C is attached and made a part of this petition. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
Exhibit D (To be completed by every individual debtor. If a joint petition is filed, each spouse must complete and attach a separate Exhibit D.) <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit D completed and signed by the debtor is attached and made a part of this petition. If this is a joint petition: <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit D also completed and signed by the joint debtor is attached a made a part of this petition.			
Information Regarding the Debtor - Venue (Check any applicable box.) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal place of business, or principal assets in this District for 180 days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other District. <input type="checkbox"/> There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partnership pending in this District. <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is a debtor in a foreign proceeding and has its principal place of business or principal assets in the United States in this District, or has no principal place of business or assets in the United States but is a defendant in an action or proceeding [in a federal or state court] in this District, or the interests of the parties will be served in regard to the relief sought in this District.			
Certification by a Debtor Who Resides as a Tenant of Residential Property (Check all applicable boxes.) <input type="checkbox"/> Landlord has a judgment against the debtor for possession of debtor's residence. (If box checked, complete the following.) _____ (Name of landlord that obtained judgment) _____ (Address of landlord) <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor claims that under applicable nonbankruptcy law, there are circumstances under which the debtor would be permitted to cure the entire monetary default that gave rise to the judgment for possession, after the judgment for possession was entered, and <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor has included in this petition the deposit with the court of any rent that would become due during the 30-day period after the filing of the petition. <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor certifies that he/she has served the Landlord with this certification. (11 U.S.C. § 362(l)).			

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(This page must be completed and filed in every case)

Name of Debtor(s):

The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church

Signatures

Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint)

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct.

[If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts and has chosen to file under Chapter 7] I am aware that I may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12 or 13 of title 11, United States Code, understand the relief available under each such chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7.

[If no attorney represents me and no bankruptcy petition preparer signs the petition] I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).

I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.

X _____
Signature of Debtor

X _____
Signature of Joint Debtor

Telephone Number (If not represented by attorney)

Date

Signature of a Foreign Representative

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, that I am the foreign representative of a debtor in a foreign proceeding, and that I am authorized to file this petition.

(Check only **one** box.)

I request relief in accordance with chapter 15 of title 11, United States Code. Certified copies of the documents required by 11 U.S.C. § 1515 are attached.

Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1511, I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11 specified in this petition. A certified copy of the order granting recognition of the foreign main proceeding is attached.

X _____
Signature of Foreign Representative

Printed Name of Foreign Representative

Date

Signature of Attorney*

X **/s/ Aryeh E. Stein** _____
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)

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September 29, 2014 _____
Date

*In a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, this signature also constitutes a certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules is incorrect.

Signature of Non-Attorney Petition Preparer

I declare under penalty of perjury that: 1) I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110; 2) I prepared this document for compensation and have provided the debtor with a copy of this document and the notices and information required under 11 U.S.C. §§ 110(b), 110(h) and 342(b); and 3) if rules or guidelines have been promulgated pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 110(h) setting a maximum fee for services chargeable by bankruptcy petition preparers, I have given the debtor notice of the maximum amount before preparing any document for filing for a debtor or accepting any fee from the debtor, as required in that section. Official Form 19 is attached.

Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer

Social Security Number (If the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual, state the Social Security number of the officer, principal, responsible person or partner of the bankruptcy petition preparer.) (Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.)

Address

Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership)

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, and that I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor.

The debtor requests relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.

X **/s/ Reverend Donald R. Palmore** _____
Signature of Authorized Individual

Reverend Donald R. Palmore _____
Printed Name of Authorized Individual

Chairman Of The Board _____
Title of Authorized Individual

September 29, 2014 _____
Date

X _____
Signature

Date

Signature of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose social security number is provided above.

Names and Social-Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted in preparing this document unless the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual:

If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets conforming to the appropriate official form for each person.

A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment or both 11 U.S.C. § 110; 18 U.S.C. § 156.

**CERTIFICATE OF RESOLUTIONS OF
THE NEW GOOD SAMARITAN BAPTIST CHURCH**

I, Reverend Donald R. Palmore, the undersigned Chairman of the Board of The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church, hereby certifies that on or before September 29, 2014, the following resolutions were adopted by the Board of Directors (the "Board") of The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church and recorded in the minute book of The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church, and that they have not been amended, modified or rescinded and, accordingly, are in full force and effect.

RESOLVED, that in the judgment of the Board, it is desirable and in the best interests of The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church, its creditors and other interested parties that a petition be filed by The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church seeking relief under the provisions of Chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"); and it is

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Chairman of the Board and any directors are authorized and empowered on behalf of, and in the name of, The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church to execute and verify or certify a petition under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code and to cause the same to be filed in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Maryland at such time as said officer executing the same shall determine; and it is;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Chairman of the Board and any directors are authorized and empowered on behalf of, and in the name of, The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church to execute and file all petitions, schedules, lists, and other papers and to take any and all action that said officer may deem necessary and proper in connection with The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church's Chapter 11 case; and it is

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the law firm of Meridian Law, LLC be employed as attorneys for The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church in its Chapter 11 case under a general retainer; and it is


RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Chairman of the Board and any directors are authorized and empowered on behalf of, and in the name of, The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church to retain and employ other attorneys, investment bankers, accountants, consultants and other professionals to assist in The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church's Chapter 11 case on such terms as such officer deems necessary, proper and desirable; and it is

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Chairman of the Board is, together with any employees or agents, including counsel, designated by or directed by such officer, authorized and empowered on behalf of, and in the name of, The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church to enter into, execute, deliver, certify, file, record and perform such Chapter 11 petition, and to take such other actions, as in the judgment of such officer

shall be or become necessary, proper and desirable to successfully complete The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church's Chapter 11 case, to effectuate the restructuring of The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church's debt, other obligations, organizational form and structure, and ownership of The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church consistent with the foregoing resolutions, and to carry out and put into effect the purposes of the foregoing resolutions, and the transactions contemplated by these resolutions, their authority thereunto evidenced by the taking of such actions.

Dated: September 29, 2014

The New Good Samaritan Baptist Church

BY: 
Reverend Donald R. Palmore, President