Chairperson Bishop J. Raymond Mackey

The Presiding Prelate of the Tabernacle of Joy Fellowship Churches Worldwide, Inc.
And
The Senior Pastor of the Tabernacle of Joy Church Uniondale, New York

The Presiding Prelate, his Excellency, the most Honorable, Bishop J. Raymond Mackey I is a native of Roosevelt, New York. He was born on July 17, 1957 to the parents of Minister Larry and Deaconess Beulah Mackey. He attended Roosevelt public schools and graduated from the Jr. Sr. High School in June of 1975. He also received the Congress Medal of Merit in 1975.

During his junior and senior years of high school, Bishop Mackey attended Nassau County B.O.C.E.S. Vocational School of Westbury, New York. It was there that he received a certificate in banking and office services. He was also named in the WHO’s WHO of Vocational Schools during 1975. After graduating from high school, he attended St. Johns University of Jamaica, New York and the College of New Rochelle School of Resources of New York City. Bishop Mackey received an Honorary Doctorate of Divinity from the National Theological Seminary of the Common Wealth of St. Louis, Missouri on January 26, 1985. Bachelor of Arts Of Biblical Studies on October 17, 1996, Master of Arts In Ministry on December 23, 1999, Doctor of Ministry on August 14, 2003 from Carolina University of Theology, a Honorary Doctorate of Divinity on May 20, 2007 from St. Thomas Christian College, Jacksonville, Fla., and on October 27, 2007 a Doctor of Humane Letters from Anointed by God Ministries Alliance and Seminary, Brooklyn, New York

In 1988, he was awarded as one of the Outstanding Young Men of America. In 1989, he was awarded by The American Leadership Council WHO’s WHO in American Christian Leadership Edition. Bishop has received many other awards and citations—to too numerous to mention. He was installed as Chairman of the Uniondale Clergy Association in January 1990. He was elected President of the Uniondale Clergy Leadership Coalition in February 1994. January 27, 1995 he was honored and named Honorary Trustee of the Uniondale Community Council. He also served as a member of the Uniondale Neighborhood Center Board. He has served on the advisory committee for the Uniondale Youth Project, and also as a member of the Nassau County Black Clergy. Currently he is a member of the Long Island Conference Of Clergy.

Bishop Mackey has traveled and preached internationally. He has had the opportunity to proclaim the gospel in the West Indies on several occasions. In August 1986, he preached in Barbados and in November 1991 and April 2003 he preached in Trinidad. Bishop has taught and preached the Word of God in Ghana and Ivory Coast, West Africa in January of 1993 and August of 1994. He has also proclaimed the Gospel of Christ in Nassau, Bahamas in February and July of 1996 and in March of 1997. On Saturday April 11th, 1998, eighteen churches were handed over to Bishop Mackey to oversee, The Redeemed Pentecostal Churches of Nigeria, West Africa. October 5, 1998, Tabernacle of Joy Fellowship Churches Worldwide was incorporated. On July 18th, 1999 Bishop Mackey was consecrated as the Presiding Bishop of Tabernacle of Joy Fellowship Churches Worldwide Inc.

In October 1999 Bishop Mackey hosted a Community Gang Awareness Meeting and in March of 2000 Bishop Co-organized H.E.V.N (Helping End violence Now) and served as Executive Board President until November 2003 and became the Executive Director of H.E.V.N. H.E.V.N is presently addressing the problem of criminal gang activities on Long Island. January 2007 he was appointed to the Roosevelt School District Board of Trustees by the New York Department of Education. Bishop Mackey believes “Bible Way = Bible Results.”