



Bishop Brandon A. Jacobs, Sr.

Bishop Brandon A. Jacobs, Sr. was called into the gospel ministry at the age of 9 and began preaching at age 13. He received his license at Mount Hermon Missionary Baptist Church in East Chicago, IN under the leadership of Reverend Andre McGhee. In June 2003, he received his ordination at New Jerusalem Temple of the Living God in Marlton, New Jersey, under the leadership of Apostle Sharon R. Robinson, where he served as Youth Pastor from 2000-2004. Bishop Jacobs served as Interim Pastor and Associate Minister of Mount Hermon Baptist Church from 2005-2006. Bishop Jacobs has earned a Masters of Divinity degree, from the Samuel Dewitt Proctor School of Theology, at Virginia Union University.

Bishop Jacobs is the Founder and Pastor of New Zion Temple Church organized on December 14, 2006. In 2017, the Lord led Bishop Jacobs to add a second New Zion Temple Church location in Indianapolis, IN, which launched May 20, 2017. Bishop Jacobs now pastors one church in 3 locations: including the NZT online church.

New Zion Temple Church is an affiliate of Pilgrim Assemblies International, Inc., which is headquartered in New York, under the leadership of Presiding Archbishop William Hudson III. On July 8, 2016, Bishop Jacobs was one of the last two Bishops consecrated under the leadership of the late Archbishop Roy E. Brown.

Through God's inspiration, Bishop Jacobs launched BAJI Ministries, which hosts The Ignite Conference annually since 2020. The Ignite conference is purposed to rekindling the fire within; targeting ministry, worship, marriage, and the marketplace, in hopes that it leaves its participants feeling rejuvenated, inspired, and empowered to transcend into their God-given purpose.

Bishop Jacobs is married to the beautiful and anointed Lady Vivian Jacobs who, as the Executive Pastor of New Zion Temple, diligently serves alongside her husband and impels the vision. They are the proud parents of five children.

Bishop Jacobs believes his strong relationship with God sustains him and gives him the strength to better serve his local church. As an itinerant Revivalist, Bishop Jacobs continues spreading the true, unadulterated word of God.