

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, founded 120 years ago, New Pilgrim Baptist Church has been a spiritual beacon for many generations of worshippers from the Golden Strip Community; and

WHEREAS, in keeping with the journey of faith and fellowship that began with its founders, the congregants of New Pilgrim Baptist Church continue the legacy of proclaiming the Gospel and ministering to the needs of others; and

WHEREAS, the New Pilgrim Baptist Church family and friends are commemorating 120 years of spiritual worship, fellowship, and faith.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Nikki R. Haley, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim September 11, 2016, as

NEW PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH 120TH ANNIVERSARY DAY

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to celebrate the rich history of the church and its congregation.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'Nikki R. Haley', written in a cursive style.

NIKKI R. HALEY
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA