



**Fruit Belt United**



*Keep Jesus First*



**Division of Criminal  
Justice Services**

**Project RISE**

*Respond, Invest, Sustain and Empower to rebuild communities affected by gun violence*

**PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH  
665 MICHIGAN AVE.  
BUFFALO, NY 14203**

## 6th Pilgrim Family Fest 2026

This Years Theme: **The Family Reunion**

Join us for the final Pilgrim Family Fest, marking the end of an incredible Six-year journey. This festival has become an amazing event, attracting over 15,000 attendees who enjoyed a full range of cultural music from local and national recording artists. From hip-hop to blues and R&B, in past years our lineup has included Grammy-nominated singers such as Glenn Jones, Angela Winbush, The Chi-Lites, gospel artist Milton Biggum, The Kinsman Dazz Band, Terry Harris, Lenny Williams, and local talent like Van Taylor & Taylor Made Jazz, Kareen Saxon, The B-Boys, and notably, homegrown national recording artist Rev. Frank Bostic, the founder and visionary director of the event.

Also, the event host **Sunday morning praise and worship** with our guest Preacher this year Dr. Carl L. Washington Pastor of the New Mount Zion Baptist Church, Harlem New York; Guest psalmist & gospel recording sensation Le'Andria Johnson; Saturday, August 2, 2026 at 9:00am.

This festival is more than just music and arts; it has also served as a health symposium focused on Black health awareness. Over the past five years, more than 400 people have received health screenings for breast and prostate cancer, eye exams, blood pressure screenings, and COVID-19 shots and testing within the inner city of Buffalo, New York, thanks to our partnerships with Roswell Park Cancer Institute, ECMC Medical Center, and the Health and Wellness Center.

Additionally, Pilgrim Fest has offered youth ages 8-24 the opportunity to showcase their cultural talents on the big stage. From dancing to singing and poetry, these young individuals have gained visibility not just locally but nationwide through live streaming on our YouTube, Facebook, Instagram, and other streaming platforms channel's. Over the past five years, we have been able to award 65 scholarships totaling \$37,000. To local youth for back-to-school purposes.

**This year, we invite you to sponsor a journal ad to memorialize and support the Pilgrim Family Festival. The journal will feature colorful pictures of past guests and attendees who have contributed to the success of this event. The funds raised from this journal will be used to provide 20 scholarships for 25 youths for the (September) 2026 back-to-school school year. These students have been chosen by local churches and minority businesses leaders in Buffalo, as well as some state and national awardees selected by national sponsors. Youth eligible for scholarships are graduating from elementary school, heading to high school, or high school graduates entering their first year of college. Scholarships will range from \$250 to \$1,000, and the awards will be presented publicly on Saturday, August 1, 2026, with recipients expected to be present.**

There are several ways you can provide financial support. Our goal is to raise \$25,000. The journal will allow you to advertise and promote your business or agency, and to include a flyer for your upcoming events for the fall and winter seasons of 2026 through July 2027. I appreciate your support!

**\*\*Pilgrim Family Fest 2026\*\***

**All journal articles must be submitted by June 5, 2026. Please note that all advertisements, including programs and event advertising, should be dated from August 1, 2026, onward. Journals will be provided to purchasers on or by August 1, 2026.**

Pastor Frank Bostic

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## Pilgrim Family Fest Journal Contract Ads Due: June 5, 2026

Invoice #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### JOURNAL AD SELECTIONS & PRICES

|   |                          |                            |
|---|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| _____ <b>Full Page (8.5" w x 11" h)</b> | Cash & Check: \$150.00   | Debit & Credit: \$155.00   |
| _____ <b>½ Page (8.5" w x 5.5" h)</b>   | Cash & Check: \$75.00    | Debit & Credit: \$80.00    |
| _____ <b>¼ Page (4.25" w x 5.5" h)</b>  | Cash & Check: \$50.00    | Debit & Credit: \$55.00    |
| _____ <b>Center Page 1 (Left)</b>       | Cash & Check: \$500.00   | Debit & Credit: \$510.00   |
| _____ <b>Center Page 2 (Right)</b>      | Cash & Check: \$500.00   | Debit & Credit: \$510.00   |
| _____ <b>Front Inside Cover</b>         | Cash & Check: \$1,000.00 | Debit & Credit: \$1,020.00 |
| _____ <b>Back Outside Cover</b>         | Cash & Check: \$1,000.00 | Debit & Credit: \$1,020.00 |
| _____ <b>Back Inside Cover</b>          | Cash & Check: \$1,000.00 | Debit & Credit: \$1,020.00 |

### PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS:

All checks must be made out to **\*\*Fruitbelt United Inc.\*\*** Payments can also be made **online through Givelify to \*\*Pilgrim Baptist Church - Fest Event 2026\*\*** or via Cash App at **\*\*Pilgrim Fest 2026\*\***.

### HOW TO SUBMIT AD:

**(No Bleeds)** Please leave a ¼" margin on all sides: 8.5" x 11"  
**(With Bleeds)** Please extend margin ¼" on all bleed sides: 8.75" x 11.25"

Appropriately sized ads may be submitted electronically in PDF or JPEG format.  
Email to: [tomikahunley50@gmail.com](mailto:tomikahunley50@gmail.com) and [info@nygmsonline.com](mailto:info@nygmsonline.com)

*We must have full payment before ad is placed.  
There will be a \$35.00 fee for returned checks in addition to full payment of journal ad.*

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