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November 14, 2026

Dear Friends,

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, Council of Elders and Staff of Franklinton Center at Bricks I joyfully welcome you to this celebration of the Center's "155 Years of Changing Lives, Choosing Liberty and Continuing Legacy." Today we observe that anniversary year theme by honoring seven families for their courage and commitment to be faithful stewards of the lands in this sacred setting. These families purchased land from the American Missionary Association (owner/custodian of the Center) in 1956, participated in the Bricks Rural Life School and formed and operated an innovative Farmers Cooperative for many years. It is a remarkable story of economic development, self-determination and pursuing generational security. Please celebrate this amazing story as we present to representatives of these remarkable families the Center's "Spirit of Sankofa Award."

Finally, let me thank those who continue to support the Center as a sacred, life-giving space for African American History Preservation, Community Education and Economic Development Engagement, Land-based Innovation and Conference and Retreat Center. In this critical moment of unabashed assaults on civil and human rights, and efforts to erase the strides of people of African descent and other historically marginalized groups, I invite you to embrace Franklinton Center at Bricks as "home," a sacred, safe space for renewal and growth. Host meetings here. Support programs offered. Make consistent financial donations. Visit our website at www.franklintoncenteratbricks.org to discover more about this beloved space and ways that you can support our common mission for the next 155 Years!

Yours in Peace and Power,

Henry T. Simmons

Rev. Dr. Henry T. Simmons
Chair, Board of Trustees
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RE: Welcome Home

Welcome home to Franklinton Center! We are humbled to celebrate our 155th year of existence. Slavery ended in 1865 and our journey as an educational institution began only 6 years after that. Where FCAB was a high school, college or religious training institute, we have always stood as a place that was committed to empowering and serving the community.

As the Executive Director, I am honored to be part of this legacy. I am equally committed to being sure FCAB has a role in bringing energy and resources to the next generation.

Today, we stop to pay homage to the families that physically and emotionally surrounding our campus. The legacy that was built still stays strong today. They have left an inheritance for their children's children and beyond. We realize that the path to economic empowerment is directly connected to generational land ownership.

Thank you to everyone who found it befitting to celebrate our 155th anniversary by attending our brunch, purchasing an ad, or praying for our continued energey. We will continue to provide a welcoming and inviting experience to all who choose to arrive on our sacred land.

Thank you for your continuous support.

Timothy J. Peterkin

Timothy J. Peterkin, Esq
Executive Director



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Celebrating 155 Years

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2026
11:30 A.M.

The Sankofa Awards

Honoring the families of:

- **Frederick and Lillie Coley**
- **Aaron and Gladys Garrett**
- **Raymond and Gearldean Moore**
- **Jesse and Ada Petway**
- **Aneather and Sanders Purcell**
- **Alonzo and Sallie Slade**
- **Manassa and Mary Slade**

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ORDER OF PROGRAM

Gathering Music	*Pandora Music Station*
Welcome	*Rev. Dr. Henry Simmons, Chair, Board of Trustees, FCAB*
Special Greetings	*Rev. Dr. Edward Davis, Southern Conference Minister- NC & VA*
Acknowledgement of Community Guests	*James Wrenn, Board Member*
Invocation & Blessing of Food	*Rev. Barbara Sutton, Board Member, Co-Chair 155th Anniversary*
Lift Every Voice and Sing	*ALL*

THE BRUNCH BUFFET

(please wait for your table to be called)

Musical Selection	*Delicia Battle, Gospel Unlimited Church of God*
Purpose of Celebration	*Rev. Dr. Mother Yvonne Delk, Council of Elders, FCAB*
Introduction of Honorees	*Board of Trustee Members*
Musical Selection	*Delicia Battle*
Sending Forth/ Benediction	*Rev. Dr. Henry Simmons, Chair, Board of Trustees, FCAB*

The Board of Trustees and staff of Franklinton Center At Bricks Thank each of you for celebrating our 155th Anniversary, and for supporting the 2026 SANKOFA Award Honorees.

A Tribute to the Families



Honoring the families whose faith, labor, land, and legacy laid the foundation for the enduring work of the Franklinton Center at Bricks.

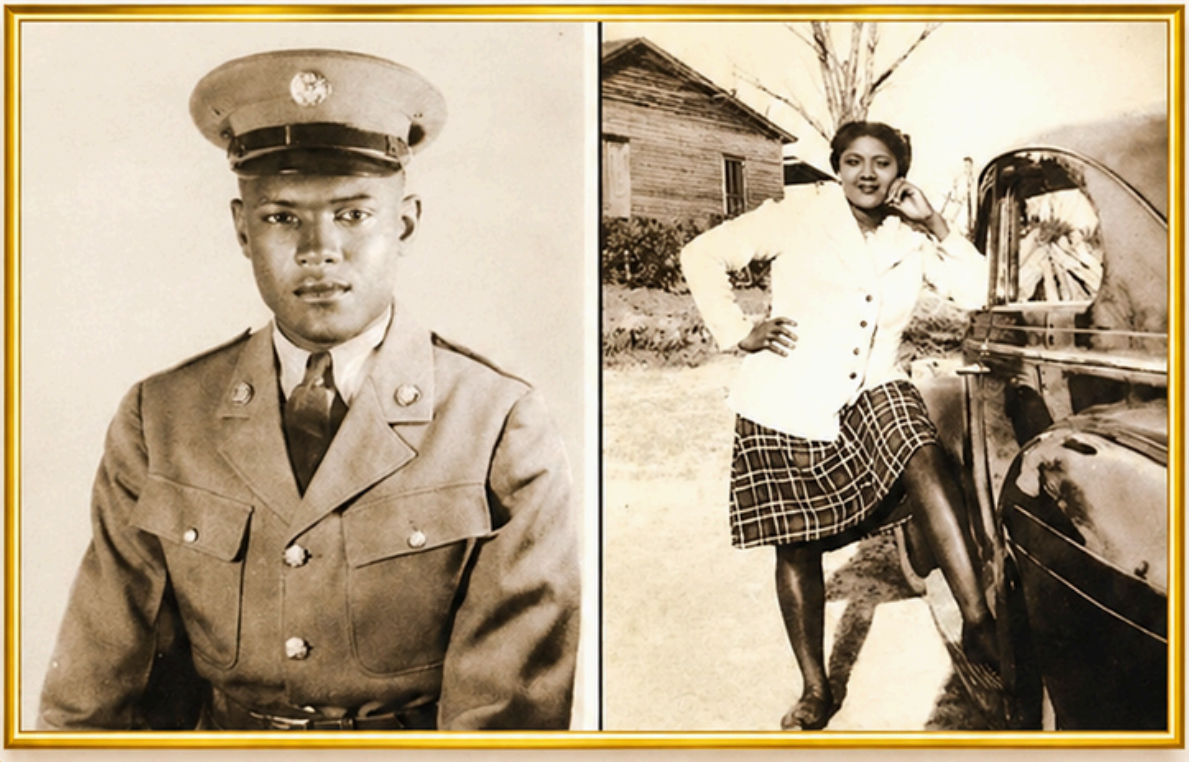
A MESSAGE FROM
JIMMIE AND CORNELL SLADE

Sons of Alonzo and Sallie Slade

Our Family and six fellow families who purchased farms in the Bricks Community in the 1956 era, to include the Thaddeus and Alice Phillips and Dan Brown Families, already landowners, displayed commitment to family, faith, community, and education. They all collaborated as farmers and families in the tight-knit Bricks Community. These farm families hired each other and local people to help them farm their crops. They also sold chickens, pigs, eggs, milk, butter, and other staples to customers in nearby Enfield, Whitakers, and even Rocky Mount and Tarboro. My family and the other families participated in home and farm management workshops on the Campus, attended Sunday School and Church, even camps and community service activities.

Jimmie, like other Bricks Community teenagers, sometimes visited and stayed with a United Church of Christ Family located in Rockville, MD where he first touched carpeted floors. Later, Rev. Dr. William Judson King, Executive Director of the Franklinton Center referred Jimmie to work at a United Church of Christ Center in Pembroke, NH during the summer after he graduated from Phillips High School. Jimmie returned to work at Camp Carpenter in Londonderry, NH between his freshman and sophomore years at NC A&T State University, all thanks to Dr. King.

Many thanks to FCAB, Dr. and Mrs. William Judson King. Your faith-based services and activities enriched our lives and provided us insights into the Global Community.





FREDERICK "JACK) AND LILLIE Coley



Frederick "Jack" and Lillie Coley made their home in the Bricks community. Lillie served as postmaster at the campus post office, where families throughout the community received their mail.

The home Jack and Lillie built early in their lives was later moved closer to the campus.

Their farm provided work and a livelihood for many members of their extended family.

Jack and Lillie had one son, Eddie Lee, who passed away a couple of years ago. His widow, Deborah Coley, still lives and works in the Rocky Mount area.



AARON AND GLADYS

Garrett

Aaron and Gladys Garrett had ten children. Only two of the children are alive currently to share the family story of growing up in the Garrett household.

They were a close-knit family who understood from their parents the value of land and land ownership. It was instilled in each of them as a way of life because the Garretts demonstrated that behavior in the home.

The Garrett couple was blessed to have also grown up on land owned by their parents.

Their son Jimmy proudly maintains the Bricks Cemetery to this day.







Raymond and Gearldean Moore

Raymond and Gearldean Moore were beloved pillars of the Bricks community who raised two daughters, Venesia and Kathy. Childhood sweethearts, they dedicated their lives to family, education, agriculture, and community development.

Raymond stewarded the family farmland and helped establish the Bricks Community Co-op, promoting agricultural education and international knowledge exchange.

Gearldean served as an elementary school educator and helped organize a women's community development club that taught food preservation and other skills.

Though their century-old home no longer stands, their legacy of land ownership, education, and community service lives on through their daughters and the Bricks community.





Jesse and Ada PETWAY

Jesse and Ada Petway had six children. The family raised tobacco, cotton, and small farm animals. Jesse and Ada were spiritual teachers who raised their children with love, discipline, and strong work ethics. Jesse farmed, worked at the campus' Post Office and was a pastor at several churches. Ada was a housewife and later learned to drive and found employment at an Enfield textile business. Currently a family member lives in the home today.



FAMILY STATEMENT

Aneather and Sanders PURCELL



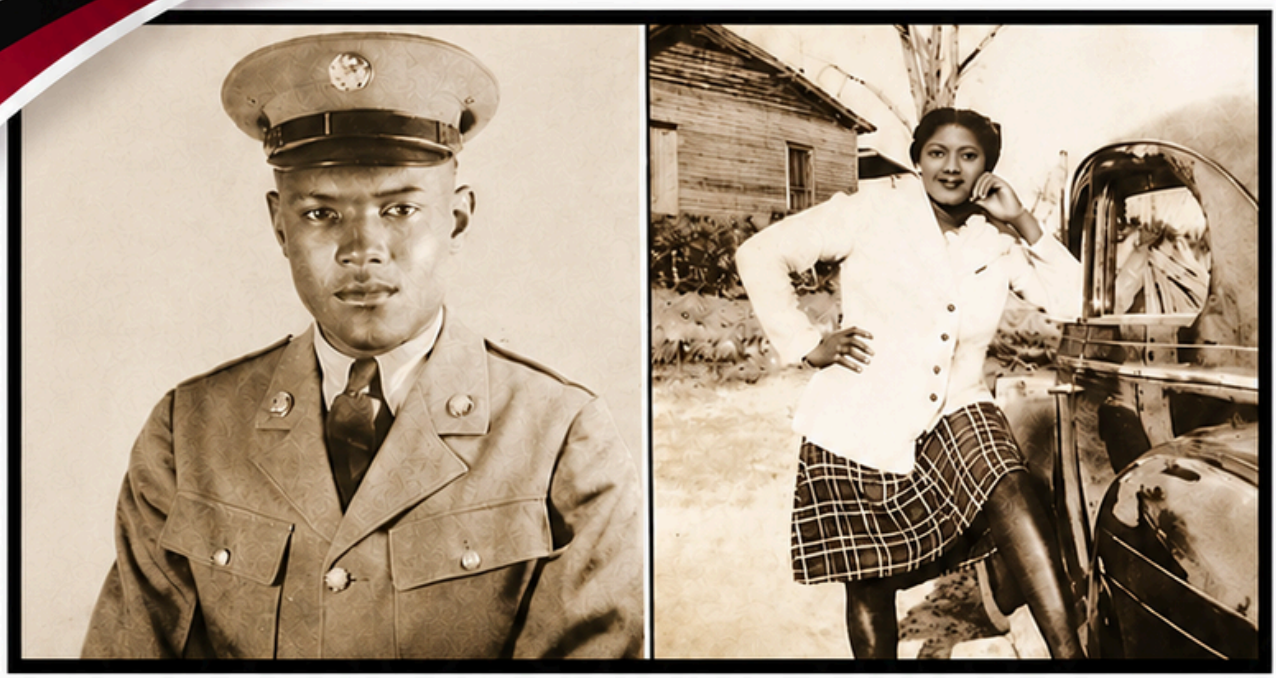


Aneather and Sanders Purcell had ten children, four girls and six boys. They also raised one grandchild. Even though Aneather and Sanders had minimal educational opportunities for themselves, they understood the value of education for their children.

As parents, the children saw them as financial wizards because they did not lack for anything.

The Purcell's attended church on the campus and in the community. Mr. Purcell was trustworthy and became a church treasurer.

One of their sons helped to integrate the all-white North Edgecombe High School.



A FAMILY STATEMENT

The Alonzo and Sallie Slade FAMILY

Alonzo and Sallie had four children, two of whom are still living and reside outside North Carolina. The family put the skills they learned to use, becoming productive farmers and landowners.

Their home, built on the family land, is still lovingly maintained and serves as the Slade family's "homeplace" whenever they return to the Bricks community.

A neighboring family helps care for the home.



Manassa and Mary Slade

FAMILY STATEMENT

Manassa and Mary Slade raised six sons on their farm. The family said they were lovingly called by the community "The Low Ground Slade's."

Manassa and Mary believed in having many streams of income. They raised hogs, rented land, and worked on two other nearby farms.

They were a church going family. Manassa was a Sunday School on the Franklinton Center at Bricks campus.

Mary was the farm wife and mother, who made sure there was always a hot meal for her family.

The children said that they learned the value of hard work and independence from their parents.



With Gratitude

The Franklinton Center at Bricks extends its heartfelt gratitude to everyone who has supported our work and to those who will continue to stand with us in advancing our mission

to provide a nurturing home to local, national, and global programs and organizations seeking liberation.

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"SPIRIT OF SANKOFA BRUNCH"

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2026

WHITAKERS, NC

May God bless you with many more visionary years of equipping and empowering people and groups for the struggle of peace with justice.

Rev. Dr. Henry T. Simmons

Board Chair

And

Mrs. Gayle H. Simmons

Abundant Peace & Blessings to Franklinton Center at Bricks

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"And let us not grow weary in well-doing, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart." Gal. 6:9

Franklinton Center at Bricks

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Uncle Jesse & Aunt Ada
Petway

With All Our Love,
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on 155 years of preserving history, empowering people and building brighter tomorrows.





OIC OF ROCKY MOUNT



Congratulations to

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on your

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I'm so proud to have been a part of Franklinton Center since my childhood including summer camps and retreats. As an adult, Women's Mission and Franklinton Center Day each August. I will continue to support and share the legacy with my family and friends.

-Julpenia Gardener Hill

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RAYMOND AND GEARLDEAN MOORE

their

daughters, grandchildren, and great grandchildren

Raymond Moore Is Successful Farmer



By J. B. Harren

Raymond Lenzora Moore, a 50-year-old Nash County native who was reared on a farm, learned early in life to love farming and took it for his livelihood, spending all but the time he served in the armed forces at his chosen profession—and very profitably.

Moore has been married to the former Geraldean Dixon of Enfield for 22 years. They have two lovely daughters, Venesia Raedean and Kathy Noreen Moore, high schoolers.

The Moores now live in a comfortable home in the shadow of a giant "umbrella" oak tree, which is nearly a century old, on the southwest corner of what was a portion of the Joseph Keasbey Brick School farm.

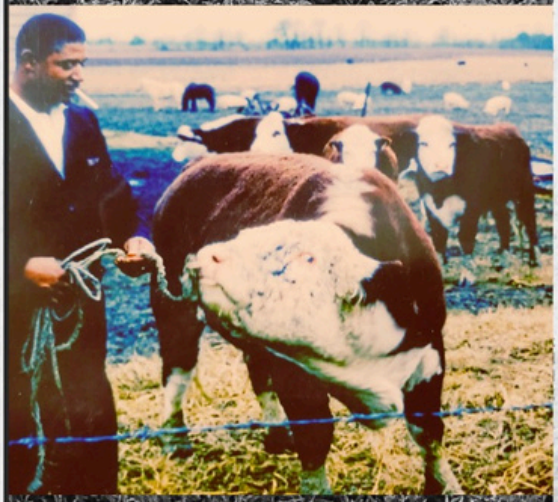
At least it was a part of the J. K. Brick School farm until Raymond Moore persuaded the American Missionary Association, owners of the 1,129 acres of former slave plantations, to sell it to individual Negro farmers who were, at the time, tenants or share-croppers in 1955.

As a result of Raymond's foresight and personal ambition, the Moores and five other families now own and operate individual farms varying in size from 85 to 150 acres.

All this has happened since and during the closing of the old Brick junior college and the transfer of Brick properties to the United Christian Church. The facilities have been renamed Franklinton Center. The plant is principally used as a mecca for camping groups and the holding of seminars.

During his youth, Raymond Moore studied hard in the 4-H club, Future Farmers of America and the Brick Credit Union, which still operates from an Enfield office under the leadership of Thomas and Curtis Cofield and others.

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Geraldean Moore

BRICK'S COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT CLUB

Brick's Community Redevelopment Club was reorganized in June 1983 by NEED Inc.

Located on Highway 301 North, the community is the home of Franklinton Center.

The purpose of the club is to solve the problems of the community and to engage the citizens in progressive and positive activities for the citizens.

The group officers are: Mrs. Geraldean Moore, president; MacArthur Mitchell, vice president; Mary Boddie, secretary; Cassandra Evans, assistant secretary; Lucille Dukes, treasurer and Myrtle Forney, reporter.

The main project is the Security Crime Watch Program. Fifty-five crime watch signs have been ordered for the community residents. Most families have engraved their valuables and taken stock of family possessions.

Another project has been the invitation of speakers on informational topics for the community.

The club is now in the process of being in-

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The Church Women of the Eastern Virginia Association

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May GOD's Glory continue to shine on Franklinton Center

Honoring The Legacy And Memory

Of Our Parents

Jesse & Ada Petway



The Petway Children

*Jesse L. Petway
Ada P. White
Richard E. Petway
William H. Petway
Frances P. Hart
Dora P. Bryant

*deceased



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Mr. Cullen Ricks,
and Chelsea Ricks.

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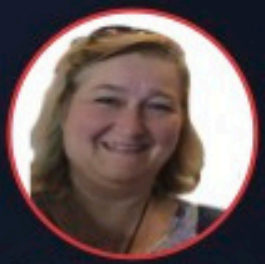
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of promoting life, liberty, freedom and justice,
and in celebration of the 2026 Sankofa Awardees –
families who have faithfully stewarded this sacred land
and honored the history of their ancestors.

We send our heartfelt congratulations, praise, and gratitude!

The Reverends Jane Hawken and David Taylor

First Church of Christ, United Church of Christ,
Glastonbury, Connecticut

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IN THE CELEBRATION OF

155 YEARS

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Joan Marsh - Vice Chair

and

Julian Marsh

Richmond, Virginia

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To The Petway Family

In Loving Memory Of

Our Parents

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I COR 12:27

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"Give a portion to seven, and also to eight;
for thou knowest not what evil shall be upon the earth."
Ecclesiastes 11:2

The Independent Black Farm Owners of the Bricks Community



From 1950 to 1975, Sanders and Aneather Purcell were proud, independent Black farm owners in the Bricks Community. Along with their ten children—six daughters and four sons—they built a life centered on hard work, family, self-sufficiency, and community. The Purcells were more than hardworking farmers; they were considered ideal neighbors. Known for their caring, loving, and helpful nature, they were always willing to lend a hand to those around them. Their home and farm represented a place where family and community came together.

Their farm was home to a variety of livestock, including cows, horses, pigs, chickens, roosters, and geese. Each year, they worked the land to plant and harvest a variety of crops, including tobacco, peanuts, wheat, corn, potatoes, vegetables, and fruit. The food they produced helped feed their large family, with plenty to share with their neighbors. Farming in the Bricks Community was not simply an occupation; it was a way of life built on cooperation and shared responsibility. Families depended on one another throughout the planting and harvesting seasons. There was no need for hired labor. Their children learned the value of hard work, responsibility, and teamwork by working alongside their parents and other community members.

The Purcell family's story represents more than farm ownership. It reflects a time when independence, determination, generosity, and strong community relationships were the foundation of everyday life. Their legacy is one of family, independence, perseverance, and community—a reminder that the strength of a community is often found in the people who work together to build it.

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Human Services Programs and Ministries

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Community Place Café Food Assistance Program: CMPGC and Community Place Café Food Assistance Program (CPC FAP) partners provide food-insecure program participants, including homeless and near-homeless people, with supermarket gift cards and other food assistance.

We Do Care Outreach Program: Our community outreach team distributes 52,000 lbs. of fresh produce monthly to about 700 families from a site in Oxon Hill and three (3) in Capitol Heights. The team also distributes grocery bags monthly to about 200 seniors and seasonal holiday food baskets, clothing, and gifts to about 75 needy families and clhildren.

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To God be the glory, great things He has done!

Deborah Dee Brayton

St. Albans, New York

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Of Our Great & Great-Great
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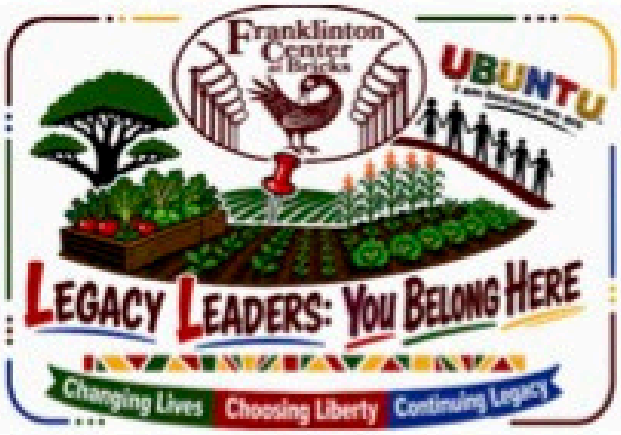
Jesse and Ada Petway

And

Manassa and Mary Slade

Congratulations!

Calvin and Carrie Wiggins



"I am because we are, and we are because I am"

The Legacy Leader advisors from St. Albans Congregational Church UCC St. Albans, New York congratulate Franklinton Center at Bricks on your 155th Anniversary. Both our Legacy Leaders and SACC Advisors knew that we belonged and were at home while attending the Legacy Leaders Event July 2026.

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