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The Reverend William Monroe Campbell is in his tenth year as Pastor of the Mount Gilead Missionary Baptist Church, located in South Los Angeles at 9201 S. Normandie Avenue.

He is a native of Los Angeles who grew up in the Palm Lane Housing Project that was located on the site now occupied by the Martin Luther King Jr. Hospital.

He also grew up in the Second Baptist Church of Los Angeles during the pastorates of the Reverend Dr. J. Raymond Henderson and the Reverend Dr. Thomas Kilgore Jr.

He is a graduate of Thomas Jefferson High School in Los Angeles; the Virginia Union University in Richmond, VA, one of the nations Historically Black Colleges and Universities; and of the American Baptist Seminary, now located in Berkeley, CA.

He has served in wide ranging church and community leadership roles, including President of the Black American Baptist Caucus of Los Angeles and the Pacific Southwest; Parliamentarian and Chair of Political and Community Outreach for the Baptist Ministers Conference of Los Angeles and Southern California; President of the Los Angeles Council of Churches; Coordinator of Community Outreach for Clergy and Laity United for Economic Justice (CLUE); Coordinator of the 2000 African American Redistricting Committee; and Chair of the African American Clergy, Labor and Community Coalition.

He is currently a Co-Host of KJLH=FM Sunday Evening Radio Broadcast, *Faith on the Frontline* with the Reverend Dr. Lewis E. Logan II.

He is married to Marilyn Poindexter Campbell, a registered nurse and Chief Operations Officer of Quality Improvement, Risk Management and Compliance with Kedren Community Mental Health Center. They are also parents of three adult children and one granddaughter.