

Bishop Roy Dixon

Presented by
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WHEREAS, Bishop Roy Dixon has served at several parishes in California including Pastor Val Verde Church, Greater Jackson Memorial Church of God in Christ and most recently at the Greater Woodlawn Park Church of God in Christ; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Roy Dixon's leadership established the Faith Chapel Church of God in Christ which has grown to over 1,500 parishioners and includes a 12,000 square foot facility with a charter school; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Roy Dixon began the Faith Fellowship of San Diego, providing outreach to disenfranchised Pastors who are not affiliated with any jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Roy Dixon has served as a Board Member for several community and civic organizations such as the Pacific Institute of Community Organizations, California and San Diego Restaurants Associations and All Congregations Together; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Roy Dixon was recognized as KPBS's Local Heroes during Black History Month in 2012 for his initiative with the San Diego Organizing Project that works on education, health, immigration and safety in diverse neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Roy Dixon's devotion to unify communities and faith in God have not only impacted the lives of countless churchgoers but also local residents in many San Diego neighborhoods; **NOW THEREFORE,**

BE IT PROCLAIMED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that this Council, for and behalf of the people of San Diego, does hereby proclaim December 12, 2015 as "**Bishop Roy Dixon Day**" in the City of San Diego.