



## WHO WE ARE:

Pastors for Florida Children is a statewide network of clergy and laity advocating for fully funded public schools.

## OUR MISSION:

To advocate for children by supporting our free public education system; to promote social justice for children; to advance legislation that enriches public education for the benefit of Florida children; and to provide clergy and congregations with resources for ministry to local schools.

## CONNECT WITH US:

Join our email list and invite others to join: [www.bit.ly/Pastors4FLchildren](http://www.bit.ly/Pastors4FLchildren). Email us directly at [pastorsforflchildren@gmail.com](mailto:pastorsforflchildren@gmail.com). Connect with us on Facebook at *Pastors for Florida Children*, or on Twitter at *@pastors4flkids*. Our website is being developed and will be up and running soon.

## OUR FLORIDA CO-FOUNDERS

Rev. James T. Golden - Social Action Committee Chairperson, FL AME Church

Rev. Joyce Lieberman - Executive/Stated Clerk, Synod of South Atlantic, PC(USA)

Rev. Rachel Gunter Shapard - Regional VP, Together for Hope Rural Development, Black Belt

## OUR NATIONAL AFFILIATE:

Pastors for Children

## STATE AFFILIATES IN:

AL, KY, MS, OK, TN, TX

## PASTORS FOR FL CHILDREN ADVOCATES FOR:



- A Pro-student budget - we promote funding increases across the board since Florida ranks 46th in teacher pay and is in the bottom 10 in the nation in overall funding.
- Public money for public schools - we believe money from the public trust should go to public schools.
- All faith is voluntary - the state of FL has no authority to advance religion.
- Support for teachers - we stand with public school teachers as the primary providers of the gift of public education to all Florida children.