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Introduction

The Charles B. Walker Culture Club (CBWCC) continues to serve with purpose, compassion, and Christian love. Guided by the leadership of President **Kim Swann-Ndiaye**, we remain committed to strengthening fellowship, honoring our rich cultural history, and uplifting our Zion family and community. Each activity this season reflects our mission: **to serve with joy, walk in unity, and glorify God through every effort.**

July–August: A Season of Rest & Renewal

During our summer break, members enjoyed a well-deserved time of rest, family, and fellowship. Although formal meetings were paused, the Culture Club remained active in spirit—many members joyfully supported the **Zion Baptist Church Senior Choir Concert**, celebrating the gifts God has placed in our church family.

September: Strategic Planning & Committee Engagement

We welcomed new members and guests with open arms, grateful for every individual God continues to send our way.
Our meetings shifted to a **hybrid format**, and we extend heartfelt thanks to **Sis. Elaine Saunders**, our dedicated Virtual Concierge, for keeping our online experience seamless.
The Anniversary Committee began preparations for our milestone celebration, working diligently in excellence and unity.

October: Celebrating 69 Years of Service

What a blessing! The Culture Club joyfully celebrated **69 years of faithful service**—honoring our past, celebrating our present, and looking forward to God's plans for our future.

The celebration included:

- A beautiful video presentation capturing our journey
- Warm fellowship
- Delicious cake and light refreshments

Special appreciation to our Anniversary Committee, **Lynette Williams and Judy Jordan**, for their outstanding work in planning this memorable occasion.
We also recognize **Vice President Karen Smith** for stepping in gracefully to lead while our President was away—demonstrating true teamwork and sisterhood.

November: Holiday Planning & Fellowship

Again, we welcomed new members and embraced guests who joined us in person and virtually. With **Sis. Elaine Saunders** continuing to support our hybrid meetings, we moved forward with joy and organization.

Our **Holiday Celebration Committee**, led by **Romona Turner and Lynette Williams**, prepared a festive holiday gathering for December at **Founding Farmers**.

In addition, members enjoyed a delightful cultural outing to see the *Fremont Avenue* play at Arena Stage on November 15th. A wonderful time of fellowship, fun, and enrichment—**this is how Culture Club does it!**

December: Christmas Fellowship & Joy

In place of a formal meeting, the Culture Club family gathered for a joyful holiday celebration at **Founding Farmers on December 6th**, enjoying food, laughter, and fellowship as we reflected on God's goodness throughout the year.

Happy Holidays from the CBW Culture Club!

Conclusion

The second half of 2025 has been a **season of purpose, progress, and praise**. CBWCC remains dedicated to uplifting our community, supporting families and youth, and honoring our cultural heritage through Christ-centered service.

We extend heartfelt thanks to our members, volunteers, partners, and supporters. Your commitment and prayers make our mission possible.

With God's grace, we look forward to an even more impactful 2026.

Respectfully,

Kim Swann-Ndiaye

President