

Rev. Dr. Colette Michelle Barrow has a sincere passion for serving the Lord and His people. She currently serves under the pastoral leadership of Pastor Desmond and Lady Larfreda Yarborough at Heart of Worship Church, also known as HOW Church, in East Orange, NJ.

Dr. Barrow was licensed as a minister on December 19, 2008 at Christian Love Baptist Church in Irvington, NJ under the leadership of the late Rev. Ronald B. Christian; and later ordained as an Elder by Rev. Rodney Smiling and For1Vision Church in Jersey City, NJ on January 31, 2016, where she served in ministry for 11 years. In addition to working in the Lord's House, in September 2019, Dr. Barrow founded DayBreak Women, a ministry purposed to call women out of obscure thinking and living, and into their identity and destiny in Christ. Weekly, women gather for breakthrough prayer and inspiring messages. This ministry is encouraging women to live fully and to live on purpose.

Dr. Barrow recently completed her Master of Divinity from Drew University's School of Theology. In addition, she holds a PhD in Public Policy from the Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Policy, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, a Master of Public Administration from the Rockefeller College of Public Affairs, University at Albany, and a Bachelor of Arts in English from the State University of New York at New Paltz. Professionally, she is Executive Director of Community and Population at University Hospital in Newark, NJ and is a Part-Time Lecturer at Rutgers University New Brunswick.

Dr. Barrow credits none of her accomplishments to her own ingenuity but to a host of mentors, spiritual leaders, relatives, and friends who saw greatness when she could not. Dr. Barrow's greatest joy is found in empowering God's people in the same ways. Her life scripture is John 10:10, *The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.*