

First Baptist Church of Laurel Hill

2019-2020 Year in Review

Pastor

Rev. Mike McVay

Music Director

Dee Dee Rowan

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We held a church Christmas party on Saturday, December 14th at 5PM with 9 attending.

We collected \$283 for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

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We celebrated Bro. Mike & Sis. Runae's anniversary and Bro. Mike's birthday on Wednesday, February 26th with cake and ice cream.

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Due to the COVID-19 pandemic the Friday Night Recreation at the church and the Good News Club held at the school were postponed effective Mar 23rd until further notice. Fri. Rec. resumed June 19th. Good News Club, now called L.H. Hoboes for Christ will restart when the school permits.

We collected \$220 for the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering.

Pastor Appreciation was observed on May 3rd. We recognized Bro. Mike in the morning service; PM Service with music videos, words from members present along with cake and ice cream.

We collected \$270 for the Mother's Day Children's Offering.

Baccalaureate was held at our church on Thursday, July 16th. The church provided hamburgers, hotdogs, and French fries before the service for the seniors.

VBS was held July 19-24 from 6 – 8 PM with 52 enrolled and an average attendance of 39. We had 13 to make decisions. We collected \$865.80 for the missionaries. On family night we all enjoyed chicken strips with all the fixin's. We had a giant waterslide for the kids to enjoy. The girls lost and Ms Dee Dee got the pie, "almost, well some of it".

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