

Blessed are ...



....great is your reward in Heaven:

Matthew 5:1-16



Since Labor Day first became a federal holiday in 1894, the first Monday of September has been set apart to celebrate, and honor the role of our workers and their work by providing, ironically and fittingly, a day off to rest and enjoy the fruits of one's labor.

**What many do not know** is that President Grover Cleveland passed and signed legislation that offered this holiday, the 8 hour work day, the 5 day work week and other labor related laws to help end years of strikes and 4+ months of protests. The violent efforts to put the workers back to work included 30 strikers being killed by federal marshals and army troops in Chicago the previous July. This is a holiday workers died for, let's make it count. Labor Day also affords a tremendous opportunity to reflect on the deeper meaning of our work, which the language of faith provides.



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**The Sunday message can be seen at**

<http://www.firstbaptistchurchlhf.org/sermon-studies.htm>

Wednesday Music 459 & 298

# Welcome to First Baptist Church of Laurel Hill

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September 4, 2016

**Pastor**  
Rev. Mike McVay

**Minister of Music**  
Bro. David Jackson



Creator Lord, the source of all wisdom and purpose, and the blessing of those who labor; be with us in our work to guide and govern our world. Give to all people work that enhances human dignity and bonds us to one another. Give us pride in our work, a fair return for our labor, and joy in knowing that our work finds its source in you. Let all who labor find rest in you and replenish us as we reflect on the progress of work and the satisfaction of a job well done. These and all other Blessings, in Jesus name.

September 4, 2016      *Make it a Labor of Love*

**Brotherhood Breakfast ~ 7:00 am**

**Bible Study / Sunday School ~ 9:45 am**

**Morning Worship Service ~ 11:00 am**

Welcome, Announcements

Worship in Prayer

Call to Worship

“I Will Serve Thee”

(choir 660)

Invocation

Set My Soul Afire

# 302

Living for Jesus

# 348

Jesus Is Tenderly Calling

# 188

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Special Music

“ Jesus Loves Even Me”

(choir 495)

God's Message

Pastor Mike McVay

Response



43a ~~~~~ 2c+cc

**Choir Practice ~ 5:15 pm ~ Open to All**

18+Y ~~~~~ 19+Y

**Evening Worship Service ~ 6:00 pm**

Worship in Music and Prayer

465 I Will sing the Wondrous Story

335 Standing on the Promises

262 Make Me a Channel of Blessing

Welcome / Announcements / Prayer

Message from the Bible

Response

While most services are recorded, there is no video recording of the congregation or the invitation/response

## Weekly Schedule of Opportunities for Praise, Worship & Service

Sun-Sat	Visitation Every Day,	Any Time
Wednesday	Prayer and Bible Study	6:30 pm
Friday	<b>Recreation Outreach</b>	6:00 pm
1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday	Brotherhood Breakfast	7:00 am
Wed > 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday	<b>Business Meeting</b>	7:15 pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday	Group Bible Study & Fellowship	6:00pm
Mon-Sat	Church Cleanup sign-up in the Foyer	Any Time

## Announcements

The **Blood Mobile** is going to be here  
Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 2pm

### Get ready for **GOOD NEWS**

September 28<sup>th</sup> 2:15pm – 3:45pm

Bringing the Bible to Life, **you can help!**

Need at least 3 **chaperones + teachers**

**Refreshments** at each event is a must

**Escorting students** to their parents at close

Broad age range suggests **2 classes**

Need a few teachers, **many caring hearts**

Let Patty know how you can help

**The Students at Laurel Hill School need JESUS**

We still have a Van, We still have interested passengers,

We still have a Commission, We still need drivers.

A crew of multiple drivers/chaperones could share the outreach.

**Helpers and Cooks needed for Recreation Fridays**

## Sunday Bible Study

If you are missing Sunday School

You are missing an education

2 Timothy 2:15 Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

**WE would LOVE to see YOU in Sunday Bible Study 9:45 am**