#### IV. CHURCH COVENANT

Having been led, as we believe by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Savior and, on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, we do now, in the presence of God, and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness, and comfort; to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline, and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church, the relief of the poor, and the spread of the gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealings; faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our deportment; to avoid all tattling, backbiting, and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale of, and use of, destructive drugs or intoxicating drinks as a beverage; to shun pornography; to be zealous in our effort to advance the Kingdom of our Savior.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember one another in prayer; to aid one another in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and Christian courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation and mindful of the rules of our Savior to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.



### Welcome to Fírst Baptíst Church of Laurel Hill February 9, 2020

Bible Study / Sunday School ~ 9:45 am Morning Worship Service ~ 11:00 am

### Welcome, Announcements

	Worship in Prayer	
	I love Thee	<sup>#</sup> 75
	Love Lifted Me	<sup>#</sup> 462
	There Is a Name I Love to Hea	r <sup>#</sup> 66
V	Vorship with Tithes and Offeri	ngs
	Special Music	
	"O How He Loves You and Me	" <sup>#</sup> 349
*	God's Message	
	Pastor Mike McVay	· 60
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### Evening Worship Service ~ 6:00 pm Worship in Music and Prayer

Music ~ Congregational Choice Welcome / Announcements / Prayer Study from 2 Peter 3 Response

### Thank you Mrs. Mary Alice for your music

The Sunday message can be seen at <u>http://www.firstbaptistchurchlhf.org/sermon-studies.htm</u>

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

Sun-Sat	Visitation Every Day,	AnyTime
Wednesday	Good News Club"Hoboes 4 Christ"	2pm-4pm
Wednesday	Prayer and Bible Study	6:30 pm
Friday	Recreation Outreach	6:00 pm
Wed. after 1 <sup>st</sup> Sun.	Business Meeting	7:15 pm
Third Wednesday	Fellowship & Group Bible Study	6:30 pm

# Announcements

Matt Gaetz Town Hall Meeting at the Barn Friday February 21<sup>st</sup> at 5:30pm

### BY-LAWS V. MEMBERSHIP

#### Section 2. Candidacy

A. ..... candidates will be presented to the church at any regular worship service for membership in any of the following ways:

(1) Profession of faith and baptism according to the policies of the church.

(2) Promise of a letter from another BaptistChurch of like faith and order.

(3) Statement of faith and that he has been baptized by immersion in a church of like faith.

B. Members will be accepted by majority vote of those present and voting

# <u>Sunday Bible Study</u>

The Adult dass has informal seminar style teaching packed with information via PowerPoint, audio & video.

Adult class Next Week

### **Big Questions About Pain and Suffering** February 16<sup>th</sup>

Where Does Comfort Come From?

If you are missing Sunday School ~ You are missing an education 2 Timothy 2:15 Give diligence to present thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, handling aright the word of truth. WE would LOVE to see YOU in Sunday Bible Study 9:45 am