

#### article V. MEMBERSHIP Section 2. Candidacy

- A. Any person in agreement with the principles described in this Constitution and By-Laws may offer one's self as a candidate for membership in this church. All such 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 Baptist Church 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.
- C. The candidate will be expected to maintain the principles of this document throughout their membership.

#### **Definition**

**Tithe** = First 10% of one's income given back to God to further Christ's command of the Great Commission. **Offering** = anything given over the Tithe, may be used to support individual needs.

### This Church gives >20% of its donations to other organizations serving our Lord.

Cooperative Fund (Missions) 10% ~ Tithe all donations Children's Homes of Florida 3% ~ Offering all donations Camp Okaloosa 2.5% ~ Offering all donations Okaloosa Baptist Association 4% ~ Offering all donations WTJT Christian Radio \$125.per mo. ~ Offering



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# Welcome to First Baptist Church of Laurel Hill

3972 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Laurel Hill Fl. 32567 (850) 652-4192 August 13, 2023

Pastor Rev. Mike M<sup>c</sup>Vay Minister of Music Dee Dee Rowan



#### II. STATEMENT OF FAITH

This church, believing in the Holy Bible as the inspired Word of God and as the sole authority for faith and practice and acknowledging its adherence to all the teachings of Jesus Christ, declares its purpose:

- (1) To maintain regular services, both devotional and for public worship.
- (2) To proclaim earnestly the gospel message and to urge its personal acceptance.
- (3) To promote systematic Bible study and training for Christian service and to encourage in every possible way life enlistment in some form of religious activity.
- (4) To secure as far as possible, the practice of true religion and Christianity as revealed and taught in the sacred Scriptures
- (5) To cooperate by prayer, gift and service to missionary and benevolent undertakings of the Southern Baptist Convention, the Florida Baptist Convention and the Okaloosa Baptist Association in their efforts to establish and promote the Kingdom of God throughout the world.

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



#### Welcome, Announcements Worship in Prayer

Love Lifted Me

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Just a Closer Walk with Thee

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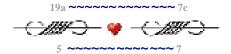
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#### Worship with Tithes and Offerings God's Message

Rev. Mike McVay Response



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

Music ~ Congregational Choice Welcome / Announcements / Prayer Bible Study ~ Proverbs 16



#### Wednesday Worship Service ~ 6:00 pm

Finger foods / snacks
Fellowship & Group Bible Study
The Great Disappearance-- The Noah Factor
With Dr. David Jeremiah

Thank you Mrs. Mary Alice for your music
The Sunday message can be seen at
<a href="http://www.firstbaptistchurchlhf.org/sermon-studies.htm">http://www.firstbaptistchurchlhf.org/sermon-studies.htm</a>

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

| Sun-Sat              | Visitation Every Day,            | Any Time      |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| Friday               | Recreation Outreach              | 6:00 pm       |
| Wed. $> 1^{st}$ Sun. | Business Meeting                 | After service |
| Wednesday            | Hoboes 4 Christ starts Sept 20th | 2pm-4pm       |
| 3rd Wednesday        | Fellowship & Group Bible Study   | 6:00 pm       |
| Fridays              | Church Cleaning and Maint.       |               |
| Monthly Delivery     | Hope for SH Children's Hospital  | Any Time      |

The place you Worship needs your support.

#### **Announcements**



#### Hope for S.H. Children's Hospital

Collection in the Foyer

Those interested in serving within the church see pastor Mike



#### Sunday Bible Study

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

SET APART: A LIFE LIVED FOR GOD Next August 20<sup>th</sup>

Set Apart for the Journey

Philippians 3:12 - 21



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