

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ANNAPOLIS
REV. DR. MARK A. WAINWRIGHT, PASTOR

2024 ANNUAL REPORT

JANUARY 10, 2025

NAME OF ORGANIZATION: Deaconess Ministry

PURPOSE: To support the Deacon Ministry in providing spiritual and administrative support to the Pastor in the performance of his duties, and to also provide support to the Deacon Ministry in reaching out to our sick and shut-in members, bereaved members, and the First Baptist Church Membership at-large; to assist with baptism and communion services; to serve and lend support to the various ministries in the church and to provide guidance, encouragement and support to all our members through prayer and worship.

2024 OFFICERS AND MEMBERS: Deborah McClure (Chair); Lynda Gross (Vice Chair); Vancie Hackett, Tryphina James; Essie Ross; Perlina Scott

FINANCES: Income for the year – N/A

COMPLETED PROJECTS FOR 2024:

Deaconess Ministry supported and participated in the Installation Services of our newly elected Pastor Rev. Dr. Mark A. Wainwright – April 27-28, 2024.

Deacons/Deaconess Ministry planned and executed our Annual Sidewalk Revival services July 22-26, 2024 with speakers from various churches.

Deacons/Deaconess Ministry planned and executed the 131st Anniversary of the Church on November 10, 2024 with Rev. Dr. Mark Wainwright as our guest speaker.

Deacons/Deaconess Ministry held their Annual Deacons/Deaconess Day Celebration on November 24, 2024 with Rev. Dr. Mark Wainwright as our guest speaker.

INCOMPLETED PROJECTS FOR 2024: None

PLANS FOR THE NEW YEAR 2025:

The Deaconess will be taking a more active role in assisting the Deacons with serving Communion (at the request of Rev. Wainwright, this initiative has already begun)

To continue our support of the Deacon Ministry and Pastor Wainwright with his plans for how best the Deacons/Deaconess Ministry can serve the needs of the church and the membership.

COMMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Deaconess Ministry welcomes our New Pastor and looks forward to a spiritual-filled and faith-based relationship; to strive to help our members to establish and maintain a relationship with our Lord and Savior through prayer and worship.

Chairperson Signature: Deaconess Deborah McClure

Date: January 10, 2025