

First Baptist Church of Annapolis
2023 Annual Ministry Report

Name of Organization: Youth and Young Adult Ministry **Chairperson:** Enid Collison-Lee

Purpose: The purpose of the Youth and Young Adult Ministry is to enhance the spiritual development of youth and young adults through Christian education, evangelism, and training programs in accordance with the Word of God, and to provide a bible based foundation for their spiritual growth.

Membership: All youth of the church between the ages of 10 – 21 are eligible and all young adults between the ages of 22 to 41

Completed projects and accomplishments:

- The Youth and Young Adult Ministry were the church program leaders each 4th Sunday of the month except in November when a potential pastor was engaged to speak.
- Sponsored a well- attended Youth Day in June with Praise Dancers, a guest musician, a guest minister and fellowship.
- Volunteered at the Kunta Kinta Festival in downtown Annapolis.
- Visited and supported other youth programs at Mt. Moriah, for Youth and Young Adult Worship Sunday, Faith Deliverance Christian Center in Virginia and John Wesley UM Church for Youth Usher Day.
- Sponsored College or High School sweatshirt Sunday in September.
- Worked with other ministries to provide Thanksgiving baskets to the needy in November.
- Discussed and organized questions that specifically dealt with Youth to ask at the appropriate time of the potential Pastor candidates.
- Participated in the Christmas Candlelight Service.
- Participated in the Mass Choir throughout the year.

Incomplete/Ongoing Projects

We plan to start having regular meetings either virtual or after morning worship on 4th Sundays. We would like to see more children's programs functioning in the church because our youth go off to college, the armed forces, or move away, etc. and we have no children moving up to our ministry.

Respectfully submitted: Enid Collison-Lee, Youth Advisor