The Rev. and Mrs. J. William Mason Endowed Scholarship

The Rev. and Mrs. J. William Mason spent 55 years together serving their Lord. Bill died at the age of 88 on September 14, 1985. Lillian preceded him on December 16, 1979. Rev. Mason had been an Educational Director in Hartford, Connecticut; Lubbock, Texas; Wichita Falls, Texas; and Austin, Texas. He held pastorates in several Texas towns including Comstock, Pearsall, Memphis, Edinburg, Snyder, Weslaco, Crystal City, Austin, Sunrise Beach on Lake L.B.J., and Vaughn, New Mexico. He served as a Chaplain during World War II and later spent time as an Associational Missionary for the Blanco Baptist Association. During these years, they worked together, visited together, traveled together, and witnessed together. Their house was always open to receive guests and share a meal with them.

Mrs. Mason was a talented musician and usually served as the church pianist or organist.

Throughout their lives, the Mason’s had a special love for young people. They loved to work with them and encourage them in their undertakings and education, which led to the establishment of this scholarship.