

Senate Resolution No. 2087

**BY:** Senator PARKER

**COMMEMORATING** the 147th Anniversary of Lenox Road Baptist Church of Brooklyn, New York, celebrated in June of 2019

**WHEREAS,** Religious institutions, and the many spiritual, social and educational benefits they confer, play a vital role in the development of the moral fabric of a responsible citizenry; and

**WHEREAS,** It is the tradition of this State and this Nation to pay tribute to those institutions and individuals who have contributed to the ethical and spiritual values of their communities; and

**WHEREAS,** This Legislative Body takes pleasure in commemorating the 147th Anniversary of Lenox Road Baptist Church of Brooklyn, New York, celebrated in June of 2019; and

**WHEREAS,** Lenox Road Baptist Church stands on the threshold of tomorrow, prepared to meet the challenges of the coming decades while retaining that spiritual resolve which characterizes its past; and

**WHEREAS,** It is the custom of this Legislative Body to take note of enduring religious institutions and to bring such institutions to the attention of the people of this Empire State; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the 147th Anniversary of Lenox Road Baptist Church of Brooklyn, New York, celebrated in June of 2019, fully confident that this commemoration reflects the belief in those values which enhance the dignity and purpose of life; and be it further

**RESOLVED,** That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Lenox Road Baptist Church of Brooklyn, New York.