

Hanwha Video Cameras and WAVE VMS Provide Orangeburg Avenue Baptist Church a Far Superior Solution Than the Big Box Store Kit They Considered

“Even though our volunteers were not trained professionals, they were able to easily install and configure the cameras and the VMS system themselves which speaks volumes about the ease of use and installation of Hanwha’s products



CHALLENGE

Concerned with increasing acts of violence targeting houses of worship across the world, Orangeburg Avenue Baptist Church in Modesto, California, assembled a safety committee that examined how they could improve security. There had also been an increase in vehicle break-ins in the church parking lot during services that they wanted to prevent with better monitoring. The safety committee recommended installing a video surveillance system to monitor and secure the building perimeter, parking lot, pre-school area and the church’s two-story lobby. They considered purchasing a do-it-yourself video surveillance system from a big box store, but quickly learned of its limitations. Safety committee members approached Warren Associates President – and church member – Bryan Quesinberry for recommendations as they weighed purchasing the big box store solution versus a commercial-grade video surveillance system. Warren Associates is a full-service security manufacturer’s representative that has long recommended Hanwha video surveillance products.

SOLUTION



Quesinberry designed a system of camera placement that delivered the expansive 360-degree coverage – for the parking lot, in particular – the church committee sought. He explained that those big box store solutions are insufficient to help an organization like a church achieve the level of security they need. The big box store cameras would not supply expansive coverage, and, if they did, the church would have to purchase several cameras just to achieve the same coverage from Hanwha’s Wisenet P series PNM-9020V 7.3 MP multi-sensor 180-degree panoramic cameras and the XNF-8010R X-Series 6 MP sensor indoor fisheye. The church purchased a Hanwha XRN-1610S-2TB NVR with a built-in PoE switch to keep their IP cameras separate from the church’s network since it is devoted to other vital processes. Church employees and approved volunteers can view video from a monitor station equipped with Hanwha’s Wisenet WAVE video management software (VMS) as well as via the WAVE mobile application. They are able to quickly and easily retrieve video upon request to help with any church or pre-school investigation.

RESULT

Orangeburg Avenue Baptist Church employees and members report that the Hanwha video solution is delivering results. Quesinberry said that Hanwha continues to impress, and he is grateful to have assisted in a project for a church in need of security while on a tight budget. “Hanwha did a great job producing cameras that address the needs of both today and tomorrow. Built-in analytics – as well as advanced features that are also included – make it a great choice for a church like Orangeburg Avenue Baptist because they get an affordable, reliable and quality video surveillance solution that far surpasses what they considered purchasing from a big box store,” said Quesinberry.

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