



Fairfield Highlands Baptist Church

MESSENGER

FAIRFIELD HIGHLANDS BAPTIST CHURCH ♦ 910 9TH STREET MIDFIELD, AL 35228 ♦ PHONE: (205) 780-6621
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Bro. Ed's Epistle *I thank my God . . . for your participation in the Gospel from the first day until now.* Phil. 1:3,5 Paul's joy over the Philippians' response to the Gospel is evident in his letter to them. They not only heard and believed the gospel, they also helped Paul spread the gospel by praying for him, sending missionaries to work with him, and by sending offerings continually to fund Paul's missionary work. It is a picture of what we do together now to promote the gospel. We share the gospel personally, we send missionaries to the "ends of the earth," we pray for missions, and we financially support missions. The primary way we support missions is through the Cooperative Program. It is the method by which Southern Baptists fund missions and ministry on every level. It is our ultimate Acts 1:8 funding plan. April 10th is the day we have designated as Cooperative Program Day in our churches. Join me in thanking God for giving us the Cooperative Program, and for the privilege we have to support missions every time we give an offering through our church.

SENIOR SPOT LIGHT

Charles and Vicky Haynes -6008 Gwin Circle-Bessemer, AL 35023
Robert Hazel-105 Thornberry Lane, Madison, AL 35758

ATTENTION HIGHLANDERS

COVERED DISH LUNCHEON- THURSDAY, APRIL 21ST, 11:30 A.M.
SPECIAL MUSICAL GUEST – WAYNE ALEXANDER

Lloyd's Lines ARE YOU CLOSE TO GOD

I read somewhere recently when someone asked, "Was there ever a time when you were closer to God than you are right now, then guess who moved ? " Do you ever feel that way? I have and it's not a good feeling but rest assured that God's word says "Draw neigh to God and He will draw neigh to you." Satan does everything he can to make us feel that way. So today dear friend, if you feel that way, then draw neigh to HIM and you will have the assurance that He will answer your prayer. Sometimes we get so busy with the affairs of life that we neglect praying and reading HIS promises found in His word. So today just remember who moved. Ask His forgiveness and get closer to Him.

MORE THAN A CARPENTER- THE EASTER Musical will be presented in the morning service this Sunday. The choir has worked hard and long and we believe that you will be blessed. Could we challenge you to pray for the choir and invite others to come with you? It is a little different than other musicals that you have heard in the past. Special thanks to the choir for your faithfulness in preparing and your dedication to the Music Ministry of FHBC. Would you let them know how much you appreciate them?

Then the following Sunday will be Easter Sunday with High Attendance. It too will be filled with Easter Music and a dynamic Easter Sermon from our Paster, Bro. Ed. Lift your staff and each other up in prayer everyday. And just remember, **GOD LOVES YOU AND SO DO I.**

SING-cereely, Bro. Lloyd

HARRY'S HEARTBEAT- A Little Humor If You Please . . . WORDS OF WISDOM

If the shoe fits, get another one just like it.

A flashlight is a case for holding dead batteries.

A shin bone is a device for finding furniture.

He who laughs last, thinks the slowest.

It is said if you line up all the cars in the world, end to end, someone would be stupid enough to try to pass them.

To realize the worth of an anchor, you need to feel the storm.

A good time to keep your mouth shut is when you are in deep water.

The old fisherman was playing ball with his grandson. He wandered why the ball kept getting bigger and bigger and bigger -- then - - it hit him.

A young man joined the military. After serving in two world wars and experiencing mustard gas and pepper spray, he is now honored as a SEASONED Veteran.

Don't blame me - - I just copied them.

I love you, Harry

DEACONS' MEETING SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 5:00 PM

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VITAL STATS

ATTENDANCE	
Sunday School	95
Mission School	42
Shut Ins	24
Total	161

REGULAR OFFERING\$4,660.00	
Mem-James McNutt	100.00
Choir Festival Tapes	10.00
Annie Armstrong Offering	175.00

TOTAL \$ 4,945.00

DEACON MINISTRY
Week of April 17, 2011
Don Davidson 491-1076

SECURITY PATROL
Sunday, April 17, 2011
AM – Ron Thomas, Bob Key
PM – Bob Key



Golf Cart Maintenance
A gift for the ministries of the ones who use the golf cart to get us to and from Sunday School and Church. The ones who greet us and welcome us. In loving memory of James McNutt by Mamie – Thank you for your thoughtfulness.

Thank you
Thank you, Bro. Ed, Harry Sims, Lois Kelley and Marguerite Holley for your hospital visits during my surgery. Also to those that sent cards and called, & to Ann Latty and my Sunday School Class for the wonderful food. I am truly blessed to have such a great Church family.
Bonnie Knighten

Sympathy
Our love and prayers go to Gene and Bonnie Price in the death of his brother, James Price in Florence, To the family of Edy Pearl Bean in her death.