Fairfield Highlands Baptist Church
MESSENGER

DEACON ON CALL	SECURITY PATROL
Winston Massey	AM-Bob Key and Ron Thomas
788-2248	PM–Johnny Handley

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Attendance August 2, 2015

Regular Attendance	74
Shut Ins	24
Total	98
Regular Offering	$8167.50
Highlander Trip	$160.00
Total	$8327.50

Sunday Morning, August 16
Bro. Harry Sims
will be giving his personal testimony

Sunday Morning, August 23
Wade Hammond
will be in concert at
Fairfield Highlands Baptist Church
Wade is an Award Winning Christian recording artist/songwriter. His music can be heard on Christian and Country radio stations as well as XM Enlighten radio.

We are looking forward to his concert – hope to see you there!

SENIOR SPOT LIGHT

Juanita Price
411 Mount Royal Towers
300 Royal Towers Drive
Birmingham, AL 35209

Ivy Gibbons
Self Nursing Home
131 East Crest Road   Room 139B
Hueytown, AL 35023

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Fairfield Highlands Baptist Church
910 9th Street
Midfield, AL 35228

Bro. Ed's Epistle

"Go out into the highways and along the hedges, and compel them to come in, so that my house may be filled." Luke 14:23

In the parable of the dinner, Jesus tells of the work of a man's servants to invite people to his dinner. After several invited guests declined the invitation, the man instructed them to invite people everywhere to come so that his house would be filled. It is obvious that Jesus is reminding us that God wants everyone to accept His invitation to receive eternal life by trusting Jesus. Like the servants in the parable, we are given the task of inviting people to accept God's great salvation. We are not responsible for their acceptance or rejection. We are responsible to our Master for inviting everyone.

There is only one week remaining before the Festival of Hope. I urge you to invite people who need Jesus to attend the festival. I also encourage you to regularly invite your family, friends and neighbors to attend Bible study and worship with you. I love you and look forward to fellowship and worship with you this week.

Highlanders Trip Thursday, August 6th
Visit Crooked Creek Civil War Museum
Followed by dinner at
The Old Cookstove
Vans will leave the church at 2:00 pm - Cost $20.00

Festival of Hope *with* Franklin Graham
Friday Night - August 14 (7:00 pm – 9:30 pm)
Saturday Night - August 15 (6:00 pm – 9:30 pm)
Sunday Night –August 16 (5:00pm – 7:30 pm)

HARRY'S HEARTBEAT

A tribute goes out to every Sunday School Teacher and worker, every Church Training Teacher and worker, to every Counselor for Jr. or Youth Camp, to every Director of G.A. or R.A., every Youth Minister, every Minister of Music, and Pastor, last but not least all the loving support of every member of this great old church over the years who sponsored a boy or girl for camp.

Fairfield Highlands Baptist Church has a rich history to praise God for. Her influence has been felt around the world. From the hill to Guam. During my time off I have gone through all the back history of how God has blessed this church. I know that there are many things that I am not aware of.

F.F.H.B.C. has licensed or ordained twenty two into Preaching Ministry, three into the Music Ministry, one into Home Missions, one into International Missions. So to everyone listed above, your efforts were not in vain. Only in heaven will you see your reward.

When I joined F.F.H.B.C. in 1958 the church enrollment was 981. In 1975 the enrollment was 2172. Our enrollment today is 130. Though the numbers have changed our mission remains the same, reaching people for Jesus through great fellowship, great music, Bible centered preaching and love for all people. God truly is so Good!

See you at your next opportunity to worship! I love you, Harry