WHAT'S AHEAD

THE FOOD PANTRY and CLOTHES CLOSET are open on Wednesdays from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. for the 36107 zip code area.

OUTREACH...meets each Sunday at 3:45 p.m. in Derek's office.

GRADUATE RECOGNITION SERVICE... We will be honoring the 2012 graduates this Sunday, July 15th during morning worship.

OUR FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION will be this Sunday, July 15th. Please bring non-perishable food items for donation to families in need in this community.

OUR QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING will be held on Wednesday, July 18th at 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROMOTION

Sunday, July 29th

All Preschool, Children and Youth Classes will promote at the end of Sunday School.

FROST Fellowship

A covered-dish luncheon will be on Sunday, July 29th following morning worship in Celebration of Derek's 1st Year as Our Pastor!

Extended Session Workday and Appreciation Luncheon

If you work in Extended Session on Sunday mornings, please mark your calendar for *Saturday, July 21st at 10:00 a.m.*

We will do some work to prepare the Preschool area for promotion followed by an enjoyable lunch.

THANKS FOR ALL YOU DO!

Please pray for these recent Graduates of 2012

Dominique Broadnax
(Daughter of Lynn Broadnax)

Erica Koski Crumpton
(Wife of Steven Crumpton and Daughter of Louise Halen and the late Vern Koski)

Caitlyn Stowers
(Grand-daughter of Richard and Audrey Stowers)

ATTENDANCE Week of 07/08/12

Morning Worship	75
Bible Study Enrollment	247
Bible Study Attendance	60
Preschool	7
Children	11
Youth	5
Adults	37

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

For Two Weeks Ending 7/8/12

Offerings Received	$6,450.25
Sharing Fund	116.00
Designated Funds	25.00
Total Tithes/Offerings	6,591.25

HOSPITAL

Jackson ER
Richard Stowers

VOLUNTEERS

For July 15th

AM Usher
Lamar Boyd
PM Usher
Jerry Burger
Extended Session Workers
Allison Frost
Betsy Winfield
Sandy Poole

CASUAL DRESS FOR THE SUMMER

Please feel free to dress casually during these hot summer months beginning this Sunday through Labor Day. Please remember **Who** we represent and dress modestly.

Thank You!

DEACON OF THE WEEK

Sunday, July 15th
Bill Smith
281-3452

Memorial

A memorial has been given by Carol Spisak in memory of Sandra McLendon.

Welcome to the Family

Church Membership
Sam Till
By Letter
Mary Frank Till
By Letter and Rededication

VBS 2012 REPORT

CEF's *Knowing Christ*

Enrollment

Children	63
Workers	33

Average Attendance

Children	39
Workers	26

TOTALS

Enrollment	96
Avg. Attendance	65

1 Decision!!
Praises to Our Lord!

❑ *Come Join The Family!*

Sunday School Bible Study for All Ages	9:00 a.m.	Sunday Evening Worship	5:00 p.m.
Sunday Morning Worship	10:15 a.m.	Wednesday Evening	6:00 p.m.

Our Mission Statement

The mission of Highland Avenue Baptist Church is to be a fellowship of baptized believers living out the Great Commandment through the ministry of the Great Commission in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Matthew 22:37-38, 28:18-20; and Acts 1:8

Messages from God's Word

This Sunday, July 15, 2012

Morning Worship at 10:15 a.m.

"How to Make Your Work Count"

1 Thessalonians 1:2-3

Evening Worship at 5:00 p.m.

"How to be Set Free" Acts 16:16-30

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I recently made a great discovery walking down the beach one morning in Pawley's Island, SC. With my blue travel mug in hand, I finally discovered that the lid from where you drink will actually press down and hold in place so that it will not fall back and hit you in the nose every time you take a sip! I had been dealing with this since I got the mug last month. I had finally learned to use my finger to hold the lid back when I took a sip. But now, PRAISE THE LORD, I can drink freely without wiping coffee drops off of my nose every few minutes.

You know, that feature of snapping the lid back had always been there. It just wasn't being used. I just hadn't discovered it yet... It was something I didn't know existed, something I didn't even know to search for. You might say it was, "unsearchable."

It makes me wonder how many problems you and I have whose answers lie undiscovered in the Christ who lives in us and in whom we live as believers. How much do we have in Christ that we are not using. There is infinitely more to your relationship with Him than you know right now. Why not continually heed God's call in Jeremiah 33:3 where He says, "Call to me and I will answer you and tell you great and *unsearchable* things you do not know." (emphasis mine)

Discovering More of Him,

Derek