

The Herald

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Holland Avenue Baptist Church

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First, let me thank you for the gift you gave me for Pastor

Appreciation. It was a generous gift certificate to a special local restaurant, and Joy and I will surely enjoy using it.

Second, the Transitional Focus Team held the church-wide listening session on Sunday afternoon, November the third. The ideas that were shared will help the Team in their efforts. They are now getting down to the heart of their work. Continue to

pray that God will guide them in this important ministry.

Third, let me encourage you to attend our special Thanksgiving service which will be held on Tuesday, November 26, at 6:00 PM. We will have both the meal and the service in the fellowship hall. There will be a wide variety of breakfast foods, not just pancakes. We hope that having the service at this time will enable more people to attend. Come, bring your appetite, and a grateful heart as we give thanks to God and fellowship together.

The Light of CHRISTMAS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8
10:30AM

PRESENTED BY:
HABC CELEBRATION CHOIR & CREATIVE MOVEMENT

New for 2013

Pancakes & Praise!

Thanksgiving Family Gathering

6:00pm
Tuesday, November 26



A number of years ago, our church approved the receiving of a Staff Christmas Love Offering. This is a way to thank our ministers and staff at HABC for their dedicated service to the Lord. The Staff Christmas Love Offering will be received through December 15.



Children's Ministry

*Building a Foundation of Faith
for the Future
Preschool through 5th Grade*

Hallelujah Harvest

Our HABC family never ceases to amaze me with the generosity and overwhelming support shown toward outreach in our community. Each and every one of you made the festival possible. The gospel was presented to hundreds, many Bibles and tracts were distributed, along with A LOT of candy! I truly believe the Lord was pleased with our attempt to reach Cayce/West Columbia for Him. Thank you so very much for everything you have done.

Children's Church

Currently we are working our way through the Old Testament and are now in 1 Kings. But during December, January and February we will be studying the New Testament



Music Notes...

Hallelujah Heart!

I want to thank our Children's Choirs and their leaders for a wonderful presentation and time of worship last Sunday with "Hallelujah Heart!" What a great way to celebrate God's faithfulness and begin a new month with a hallelujah heart! Special thanks to Robert & Sherry Mitchum, Carroll Crawford and Alex Poovey for the set design and set-up!

Christmas is Coming!

The Celebration Choir will present "The Light of Christmas" on

as we celebrate Jesus' birth and life. During the month of December we will be observing Advent each Sunday. December is already filled with anticipation for children. I look forward to observing Advent with them in anticipation to the birth of our Savior!

Christmas Event

The Christmas event for children (preschool-5th grade) will be held during the Children's Church time on December 15th. We will have a lot of fun as we throw an awesome birthday party for Jesus! Gifts are always a part of a birthday party, so children will be asked to bring a gift for the children at the Dickerson Center for Children. We will deliver the gifts to the center on behalf of

Sunday, Dec. 8 at 10:30 a.m. along with the Creative Movement Team. This is a powerful Christmas program with music to help us celebrate the true "Light of the world!"

The Children's Choirs will sing their Christmas music on Sunday, Dec. 15 at 10:30 a.m.

Bells of Praise and Creative Movement will begin rehearsing on Sunday, November 17 at 5:00 p.m. See O'Neta Poovey about Handbells and Ashley Whisonant for more information about Creative Movement.

Jesus' birthday. A list will be provided, look on the children's ministry bulletin board for details.

Check this out!

A fun resource for families this Christmas is the book entitled "Everyday Emmanuel". It is published by the creators of the "What's in the Bible?" curriculum. This book helps families celebrate Jesus' birth throughout the month of December. Details are on the children's ministry bulletin board.

For the Heart

My beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord. (1 Corinthians 15:58)

In His service,
Tammy

We look forward to this season of Thanksgiving as we give thanks and share our blessings with others!

Giving thanks for our HABC family,

O'Neta

Month in Review - October

Attendance

Average Sunday School Attendance	161
Average Worship Attendance	159
Average Nursery Attendance	15
Average Children's Church Attendance	30

Lakewood Ministries

Average Sunday School Attendance	18
Average Worship Attendance	20

Stewardship

Budget	39,864.91
Bridge of Faith	1,970.00
Total Designated	6,382.36
Total Children's Worship	31.75
Total Monthly Receipts	46,279.02



Our Worship Center will be decorated with poinsettias for our Christmas services. Would you like to share in this by purchasing a poinsettia to be given in memory or in honor of a loved one or a friend?

Please complete the form below and place it in the offering plate along with your payment of \$10.00 for each poinsettia order. Checks should be made payable to Holland Avenue Baptist Church. The deadline for placing your order is Sunday, November 24, 2013.

Name _____

Number of Poinsettias: _____ @ \$10.00 each.

Total Amount: _____

In Honor of:

In Memory of:

Thank You!

Dear Holland Avenue Family,
Thank you for your thoughts of kindness at the death of our mother. The calls, visits, cards and food were very much appreciated. She loved Holland Avenue and its people and loved attending church.

In Christian Love,
The Family of Ernestine Derrick

The Langston family would like to sincerely thank everyone who used their gifts to contribute to the celebration & memorial of their beloved Caro Langston (adored wife, mother, grandmother, aunt, sister & friend).

The service was beautiful. The meal provided by the hostess committee was much like the happy Sunday dinners we enjoyed on "E" Avenue. The love and prayers, calls, cards and hugs from the church family, who she loved dearly, honors us and her beautiful memory.

L.B. Langston, His Sons and Family



**Samaritan's Purse
Ingathering**

***Building Bridges to Jesus
one heart at a time!***

This Sunday, November 17

CHURCH STAFF
Dr. Ken Harmon
Transitional Pastor

Tammy Adams
Minister of Children

O'Neta Poovey
Minister of Music

Lindsay Shupe
*MOM Preschool Director/
Preschool Outreach Director*

Brad Siedschlag
Minister of Youth

Emily Lipscombe
Pianist

Stacey Arnold
Organist

Gayle Smith
Financial Secretary

Terra Kelly
Administrative Secretary

Ricky Roddy
Custodian

Our Next Herald :
December 9

Office Hours

Mon. - Thurs. 8:30-4:30
Friday Office Closed

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6:00pm - 8:00pm

801 12th St. • Cayce, SC
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\$3.00



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