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Attendance September 16, 2012	
Sunday School	77
Mission School	28
Shut Ins	24
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>129</b>

Regular Offering	\$	2132
Kathleen Mallory	\$	202
Special	\$	75
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>2409</b>

## SENIOR SPOT LIGHT

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## KATHLEEN MALLORY MISSION OFFERING

*In Loving Memory of  
 Ms. Clara Boockholdt*

*Deadline for giving is the first week of Oct.*

# PRAY 31

A MONTH OF PRAYER FOR AMERICA  
 (Coming in October)

Church Phone Number 205-780-6621

### BRO. ED'S EPISTLE

"O Lord, revive your work in the midst of the years..." Habakkuk 3:2

The prophet's prayer began with a plea for revival "in the midst of the years". Israel was facing enemies from without and corruption from within. To Habakkuk, times were desperate. He knew that God would establish His kingdom in the end times. But he did not want to wait for that time. He desired God's work of revival quickly. I urge you to adopt the same prayer of desperation: Lord revive us now! We are certainly in similar circumstances as Habakkuk. Therefore, we need the same touch of God which he experienced. Circumstances may not change drastically, but we can be revived in our spirit so that we can glorify God regardless of the circumstances.

I am grateful for our deacons and staff as they we take the lead in prayer preparation for revival. I am confident that you will join us in that effort. Thank you for all you do in Jesus' name.

**LLOYD'S LINES** –BROTHERHOOD – today the spot light is about the Brotherhood organization of FHBC. We are so proud of the men who make this a great fellowship. Some sing in the choir, others serve as teachers. Many are on the Board of Deacons, Some serve as Ushers. Some are Van Drivers and take us on trips, etc. Many of them are on the entertainment team that works when we have special events like the Fifth Sundays in setting up the tables and serving. Others work in the sound booth making CD's, DVD'S and tapes to be distributed in shut ins' Many of our men make visits to members of our church weekly. One of the highlights is our monthly Brotherhood Breakfast at Cracker Barrel every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 8:00 am. We usually have between 15 to 20 present each month. Our goal is to have 25 present so men our next breakfast is scheduled for Oct. 9<sup>th</sup>. We will be looking for you. Brotherhood president is Guy Sellers. God bless you men. We are proud of you.

Remember our next Fifth Sunday is September 30<sup>th</sup>. Special guests will be the combined choirs of PRBC and FHBC presenting the Senior Adult Musical "Bound for Glory" in the 6:00 pm service. You will be blessed. The entire congregation of Pleasant Ridge Bapt. will be joining in with us. A great joint fellowship is being planned, DON'T YOU DARE MISS IT. In the mean time, be present for every service here on the Highlands where GOD is blessing. Pray for your staff, for each other and just remember . . . . God loves you and so do I. SING-cerely, Bro. Lloyd

**HARRY'S HEARTBEAT** – "Sentimental Journey" has always been one of my favorite songs. With all the sorry mess going on in today's world, I find it refreshing to remember "WHEN." Three of my favorite magazines are: Looking Back, Good Old Days, and Reminisce. No, I would not like to go back to those days, but they make for some treasured memories. I recently read an article about the "king of swing," Benny Goodman.

On Jan. 21, 2002, Norma Delores Egstrom died. Had she kept that name, few would have been aware of her passing. Norma grew up in a dysfunctional home in North Dakota. Such was the state of unrest in her family that she ran away from at age fourteen.

Living from hand to mouth, it wasn't long before many Big Band leaders noticed what came out of her mouth: her superb vocal talent. Soon Benny Goodman signed her up as a girl singer. Norma changed her name to Peggy Lee and she was on her way to jazz stardom and soloist fame.

Yet, for all her fame, her personal life pretty much followed the lines of her Grammy Award hit, "Is That All There Is." Like Solomon, a dark cloud hung over her head. "Meaningless! Meaningless! Meaningless!" Maybe, if some friend had said, but there is more! **I Cor. 2:9** says: *God's abundance, right now, is yours for the asking!* If, like Peggy Lee, you are blue or hopeless, read this verse. I love you, Harry

### Upcoming Events...

**SEPTEMBER 19<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> - COMBINED SENIOR ADULT CHOIR** will meet **Here** the next 2 weeks 10:30 am at FHBC (**Sept 19<sup>th</sup> & Sept 26**)

**SEPTEMBER 30<sup>th</sup>** – Fifth Sunday – 6:00 pm  
 Special guests will be the combined Senior Adult Choir from PRBC and FHBC . Church wide fellowship following the service.

**OCTOBER 14<sup>th</sup> through 17<sup>th</sup> – "Fall Revival"**  
 Bro Bill Hatley will be preaching. Bro. Dale Jones will lead the singing