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SECURITY PATROL
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PM - Earl Howton, Bob Key

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Attendance June 29, 2014	
Regular Attendance	70
Mission School	25
Shut Ins	26
Total	120
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Regular Offering	\$ 1722.00
Total	\$ 1722.00

SENIOR SPOT LIGHT

Jimmy Mitchell
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With Sympathy

Our love and prayers go out to Doris Davis in the death of her sister, Dot Freeman

Happy Independence Day



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Bro. Ed's Epistle –

"...and may the Lord cause you to increase and abound in love for one another, and for all people,," I Thessalonians 3:12

Paul loved the church at Thessalonica and rejoiced in all that God was doing in and through them. They were a loving, hard working church. Yet he prayed that their love for each other and all people would continue to grow to the point of overflowing abundance. There can never be too much love in God's people. So today, I am praying this prayer for you. You are indeed a loving congregation, and I pray that God will increase your love to one another and to all people. I can hardly wait to see how God's answer will manifest itself in each of you.

I look forward to worship and fellowship with you this week.

Lloyd's Lines –J.O.Y. Club is the name of the senior adult group at the Baptist Church at McAdory. JOY stands for JUST OLDER YOUTH. There at the McAdory Church as well as here at FFHBC, the Lord is still using many seniors to serve HIM faithfully. Just because we are older does not mean that we do not continue to serve HIM. Look in GOD'S Word and see the many who were in their 70's, 80's and 90's who continued to serve the LORD. I will soon be 85 and my desire is to continue to serve HIM faithfully here. So my prayer is that many of you will continue to serve the LORD here. We are excited to be a part of this loving and praying group of Believers. So keep serving JESUS and remember“GOD LOVES YOU AND SO DO I” Sing-cerely Bro Lloyd

Harry's Heartbeat –

I am concerned about the future of some of America's churches. The more I observe it, it seems that some churches may have forgotten that the power and success of the early church was not built around the size and number of their buildings, the size of a budget, the number of paid staff, or furnishing entertainment.

Acts 1:8 clearly gives a description of the mission of the early church. Every member willing to, with power from the Holy Spirit, use the talents that God gave them to serve. If I say I don't have any talents or abilities with which to serve, I make God a liar.

So as a member of the bride of Christ Jesus at 910 9th Street, I need to realize what I am able to do. God expects me to do it. I am the only person on earth who can use my talents and abilities. No one else can play my role because my abilities and talents are uniquely given to me, just as yours are to you. To discover God's will for my talents, I should ask the Holy Spirit to reveal to me what I am most gifted to do and what I am not gifted to do. For example: I know nothing about music – timing, parts, notes, pitch, etc., so I don't mess up a choir for those who do. God has placed you and me in a church where our gifts and abilities can shine and make a difference. For God's G.P.S. for finding your gifts- go to 1 Corinthians 12:27-31.

Now that you've found them – use them.

See you Wednesday and Sunday. I love you, Harry