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Attendance September 28, 2014

Regular Attendance	74
Mission School	26
Shut Ins	30
Total	130

Regular Offering	\$ 9159.98
Baby Bucks	\$865.00
Reimbursement(Franklin)	\$262.24
Gasoline	\$15.00
Highlanders	\$137.00
Total	\$ 10,439.22

A gift of \$125.00 was received
 by the church
 in Memory of
 Ann Thomas
 by Dorroh Heating and Air

SENIOR SPOT LIGHT

Mary Helen Caudle
 300 Royal Towers Drive
 Homewood, AL 35209

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 3517 Lorna Road Apt. 315
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Sav- A - Life
Baby Bucks Total
\$970.00

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Bro. Ed's Epistle -"God is our refuge and strength, A very present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear, though the earth should change And though the mountains slip into the heart of the sea; Psalm 46:1-2

There are so many people who want to make us afraid. From terrorists to global warming (oops-climate change) prophets of doom. However, we serve a God who is greater than any threat that comes our way. His presence guards us from fear and strengthens us for every task He assigns us. We serve a mighty God who is worthy of all praise. Join with our church family as we worship HIM this week



We're going to be praying for our country during the month of October

Be part of this great experience! Make the commitment to pray! Take the 31 day journey of prayer!

HARRY'S HEARTBEAT - I have always loved auto racing. Oops, I rephrase that, Bro. Buck always told me I couldn't love anything that could not love me back. So, I have always enjoyed auto racing. Recently, while watching a race, the thought came to me, racing is a good example of the overall society in which we live, it's all about me being number one. It doesn't really matter how they get the checkered flag. If somebody got in their way, they just shove them out, or wreck them. Sadly to say that greedy competitive spirit is not limited to racing. No matter the price or who it hurts.

There are a couple of old sayings that I haven't heard in a long time. It pretty well describes much of the society of today. The first saying is "Dog Eat Dog." The other one, "Hurrah for me and to heck with you." This philosophy is rampant between nations, politicians, corporations, neighbors, friends and sadly to say, sometimes even among God's people and churches. God's word has much to say about the sin of greed and covetousness. Look around --- remove those two words and most wars would not happen and thousands of lives would be spared. Sometimes I'm guilty, are you?

See you every Wednesday and Sunday!

I love you, Harry