



Frances and I have a relative who sat in a meeting one day where a discussion was being held concerning what projects should be funded by their navy lab. By a margin of one vote it was decided to develop a system of using satellites to precisely guide a ship-launched missiles to its target.

The result of this vote is now evidenced in all our lives with what we know as the G.P.S. This is the Global Positioning System which allows your cell-phone to pin point your position, which locates your I-pad, and tells you where to make the next turn as you drive.

I like to say my G.P.S. is a Girl in Passenger Seat. In truth you and I have a much more powerful G.P.S. to guide us. We have had this guidance since we first accepted Christ. Our G.P.S. is God's Powerful Spirit.*

Like the human version, the Sovereign G.P.S. can be ignored or disobeyed. When we do that physically we can get into a difficult situation. This is even truer in the spiritual realm.

Let us resolve to follow closely the instructions and guidance we receive from our heavenly G.P.S.

Your co-laborer.

Bro. Mike

* **God's Powerful Spirit** is also:
God's Personal Spirit
God's Permanent Spirit
God's Protecting Spirit



Pastor and Director Clinic.

February 13, 2014
 6:30– 8:30 p.m.
 Resource Center

Pastors and VBS Directors will receive an introduction to the 2014 Lifeway VBS theme and helpful hints for having a wonderful VBS this year. Please be present.

The **Executive Board** will meet Thursday
February 20, 2014,



7:00 p.m. @ The Resource Center.
 Join Moderator Dr. Chris Young as we conduct the business of the Association.

**INVITE A UNION STUDENT TO
 PREACH NIGHT**
 — April 27, 2014 —



All churches are invited to open their pulpits to a young preacher boy from Union University. This will give these men an opportunity to preach as they continue their training.

All we ask of a church is the following:

- ✠ Let us know your church will host a preacher
- ✠ Have someone transport him from and back to the Resource Center. We will provide a supper.
- ✠ Take a love offering (which will be added to a common fund and divided equally among the preachers.)



BALANCE SHEET

Jan. 31, 2014
 General Budget

Initial Bal.	6,740.23
Church Rec.	11,676.78
Other Rec.	+ 1,305.81
	<u>19,722.82</u>
Expenses	- 10,042.28
Budget Bal.	\$ 9,680.54

Other Funds

Designated	\$ 12,029.53
DOM Disc.	\$ 424.36
Missions Fd.	\$ 1,802.43
Contingency	\$ 14,001.26
Cent. Fund	Variable

YTD Activity
Inc. 12,982.59
Exp. 10,042.28
Bal. \$+ 2,940.31

BIRTHDAYS

- 5 Tina Rhodes
- 6 Mary Ann Walker
- 15 Jonnie Jones
- 28 Michael Adams

ANNIVERSARIES

- 3 The Jimmy Burroughs'
- 10 The Micah Renfroes'



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CHURCH RECEIPTS

(Jan. 1, 2014 — Jan. 31, 2014)

Thank you. Our Churches are our Association's primary source of income.

CHURCH	MONTH	YTD
Barren Springs		
Bath Springs	150.00	150.00
Beacon	250.00	250.00
Bear Creek	106.38	106.38
Beech Lake *	100.00	100.00
Bible Hill	110.00	110.00
Bunches Chapel	25.00	25.00
Calvary	295.64	295.64
Chapel Hill	177.40	177.40
Corinth	100.00	100.00
Crossroads	344.97	344.97
Cub Creek Hall	12.15	12.15
Darden		
Decaturville, 1 st	100.00	100.00
Fellowship		
Flatwoods	598.17	598.17
Hopewell	200.00	200.00
House of Wor.	151.93	151.93
Huron		
Judson	100.00	100.00
Lexington, 1 st	1,666.66	1,666.66
Mt. Ararat	452.54	452.54
Mt. Gilead	325.00	325.00
Mt. Zion		
New Beech G.	150.00	150.00
New Hope	100.00	100.00
Parsons, 1 st	1,791.79	1,791.79
Perryville, 1 st		
Pine Grove *	639.86	639.86
Poplar Springs		
Ridge Grove		
Rock Hill	290.00	290.00
Salem	102.88	102.88
Sand Ridge	983.35	983.35
Sardis	189.99	189.99
Sardis Ridge		
Scotts Hill *	530.60	530.60
Southside		
Twin Oaks	275.66	275.66
Union *	984.30	984.30
Union Grove	246.30	246.30
Wildersville	126.21	126.21
TOTALS	\$ 11,676.78	\$ 11,676.78

* multiple checks

