

dec2016 report.

Dear brethren,

Hope all is well there.

About the congregation:

Sister Jean Bullock's mind and body are weakening. Some of it may be medication related, but we know that's not the only cause. She has been slowly headed that way for awhile now. Her Dr thinks that she may have a "gluten" issue, so they are working onthat. Her Family thinks they see some improvemrnt. Please keep her and her family in prayers.

Lora and Buddy Cotten are no longer caring for Buddy's 9 y/o great-niece. This is a really trying time for them and they are very worried for her. Lora's mother, Hope, is doing better now emotionally, but she has had some more health issues. Please keep the Doss and Cotten families in your prayers.

We've had no local visitors lately.

Several members, Glenda and I included, have had this respiratory issue that seems to be going around. We've all been to the Dr at least once, some of us more, and are just now beginning to show progress. Singing is very "horsey", but we all keep at it.

Sister Christina Countryman is still having some "panic attack" issues, but has been at services some this past month. That'sprogress. She has 4 children that need to be at worship and class, so pray for her and her kids.

We're down to 7 families now, with 18 people if everyone is there. Sun eve and Wed. nites are down to 3 families regular. We have had to cancel some evening services due to sicknesses. In fact, we had to cancel one Sun morningworship due to my sickness andthat of

most everyone else! As I've mentioned before, it does get discouraging at times, but then something happens and the Lord says "hang in there".

About Glenda and me:

Glenda's nephew Cody has been with his dad, but will be back with us early Jan '17.

Glenda has been down with respiratory issues all month, and has to miss more services than she has attended.

As I mentioned already, I had to miss one Sun morning due to illness, but the two men who were there led the worship. They didn't have a sermon, just scripture reading. I was proud of them.

Overall, I'll have to admit that 2016 hasn't been a stellar year for our group, except that we've managed to keep going. I've been praying for a better year in 2017. I Pray the Lord has blessed the work there.

Thanks for your continued support of the work here.

Dec support:

North Beach.....\$ 600/mo.

Midway church....\$ 1425 / mo

May the may the Lord's Word continue to spread there.

In the Lord DAVID REEVES