

# **Everett Ledbetter**

Missionary to Topeka, Kansas

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### **Sending Church**

Eastside MBC 1201 Park Hwy Minden, LA 71055

Please mail offerings to Eastside

# Report for September 23

It is hard to believe that September is gone already. We have been so busy this month. Much of the month was spent on the road and sharing about the work here in Topeka. We were blessed to be with Marlow MBC in Marlow, OK, Emmanuel MBC in Bogalusa, LA, and First Heritage BC in Fayetteville, NC. We were also blessed to be able to attend the Barnabas Missionary Retreat in West Virginia for some much needed encouragement in the ministry.

When we weren't on the road, we were working hard in Topeka. The chaplaincy efforts continue to go very well. Being both Police and Fire has opened some really mazing doors of ministry. The fire department continues to be very open to talking with me.

During the month, our attendance has held steady and our giving has increased. Pray for us during this coming month as we have many outreach opportunities laid out.



I continue to be blown away by the generosity of the Lord's people. Last month, I mentioned that Marlow MBC issued a challenge to match all offering up to a total of \$5000. Through the Lord's people that challenge was met. In Topeka, we have received over \$6000 toward our Land fund. Our sending church has also

received another \$6000. Once everything is deposited into our land fund account, we should have over \$20,000 in it.

After researching our area, I feel that we would be able to buy land at \$20,000 per acre. If we buy land, we will be looking for at least 5 acres, which means that we would need \$100,000 for land. We are also looking at existing buildings that could be repurposed for church use. If the Lord leads us in this path, those cost vary based on the building and the location.



\$5,000.00

\$1,000.00

\$6,531.13

**TOTAL** 

TOTAL FOR THE MONTH \$12,126.13

Mail support to: Eastside MBC 1201 Park Hwy Minden, LA 71055

#### **Receipts for Support**

Baring Cross MBC Missions Account -	\$50.00
Emmanuel MBC - Bogalusa, LA	\$350.00
Florence Street Baptist Church - Broken Arrow,	\$170.00
Highland Baptist Church - Oklahoma City, OK	\$50.00
New Home MBC - Pine Bluff, AR	\$100.00
Sublet Road Baptist Church Mission Account -	\$50.00
Unity Baptist Church Mission Account - DeWitt,	\$450.00
Walnut Hill MBC - Vivian, LA	\$250.00
Zion Missionary Baptist Church - Roland, OK	\$50.00
TOTAL	\$1,520.00
Receipts for Salary	
Eastside MBC - Minden, LA	\$815.00
Secretary of Missions - Texarkana, AR	\$3,260.00
TOTAL	\$4,075.00
Receipts for Building Fund	
Anonymas - ,	\$531.13

Florence Street Baptist Church - Broken Arrow,

Marlow MBC - Marlow, OK

#### **Ministry Support**

(Offerings received by Shining Light Baptist Church)

Landmark MBC, Vian, OK.	\$100.00
Unity MBC, Sunnyvale, CA.	\$250.00
Bistineau BC.	\$500.00
Bistineau BC (worship chairs).	\$1500.00
Crestview MBC, Arlington, TX.	\$120.00

Land and Building Fund received by Shining Light

Shining Light BC.	\$827.00
Emmanuel MBC, Bogalusa, LA.	\$3000.00
Scott Burt, Bogalusa, LA.	\$2500.00
Anonymous.	\$531.03

Balance as of 10/1/23 \$13,121.32

We are so thankful for the churches that have partnered with us in this ministry. Your prayers and support are so appreciated.