

January 2008 Report
East Gate Missionary Baptist Church
Colorado Springs, CO

Another Soul Saved!

I can't think of a better way to start of a new year than to see one come to know the Lord as their Savior and to follow Him in baptism. We were thrilled to see this happen here at East Gate in January. What makes it even more special to me personally is that it was our daughter Emily that was saved. Emily has been talking to me quite a bit lately about wanting to be saved and baptized but she didn't fully understand what she needed to do. On Sunday morning, January 13th at the close of the service she came to me and told me that she had prayed and accepted Jesus and He had saved her! She was baptized on January 20th. You can't imagine how much joy that brought to my heart! I thank the Lord for the privilege to be involved in His work here in Colorado Springs. I also thank all of those who have supported the work here and want each of you to know that you are a part of what the Lord is doing out here in the Pike's Peak region.

Visitors

We were also blessed in January with a visit by Brother Kelley Stringer and his wife, Story. We enjoyed the fellowship with them and getting to know them. Brother Stringer presented the work planned for Fort Collins, Colorado. Please pray for this family as they prepare to follow the Lord and start a new work in Fort Collins.

Bro. Paddock-Chappell

Brother Tim has made it to his location for his tour in Iraq. We were thankful that our other soldiers were in more comfortable situations but we know that is not always the case. Bro. Tim does not have some of the things that many of us take for granted each day. So far, his location has been pretty safe which we thank the Lord for. Please continue to remember Tim, his wife Christy, and their daughter Lorelei in your prayers. This is a difficult time for them as they learn to depend upon the Lord even more and more. We all miss him very much.

Outreach

Please mention us in your prayers as we seek opportunities to reach the people of Colorado Springs with the Gospel. Also, pray that we would be sensitive to the Lord's leadership in all things that we do here.

Address

Financial support can be sent to this address:

Cross Road MBC
c/o John Nowlin
111 Ashley 391
Crossett, AR 71635

Thank you and May the Lord bless you all,

Paul Breshears – Missionary Pastor of East Gate MBC
Our Website: www.eastgatembc.com



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| Beginning Balance | \$11,311.17 |
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| <u>Contributions</u> | |
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| Wagonwheel MBC - Henderson, NV | \$100.00 |
| Pleasant Ridge MBC - Rison, AR | \$125.00 |
| Egypt MBC - Hamburg, AR | \$500.00 |
| Egypt Ladies Aux - Hamburg, AR | \$25.00 |
| Bartholomew Association Mission Fund | \$250.00 |
| North Loop BC - Crockett, Tx | \$100.00 |
| New Hope MBC - Rison, AR | \$125.00 |
| West Crossett MBC - Crossett, AR | \$299.51 |
| Antioch MBC - Alma, AR | \$83.81 |
| Cross Road MBC - Crossett, AR | \$623.54 |
| Accounting Adjustment | \$0.01 |
| East Gate Tithes and Offerings | \$2,499.10 |

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| <i>Total Contributions</i> | \$4,730.97 |
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| <u>Expenses</u> | |
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| Lease payment | \$1,800.00 |
| Crown Publications - website | \$40.15 |
| Qwest Phone | \$47.41 |
| Church Mutual - Insurance premium change | \$148.00 |
| Wal-Mart | \$12.11 |
| Target | \$19.31 |
| Larry Pool - Ink cartridge | \$14.50 |
| Missions | \$100.00 |
| Baptist Bookstore | \$292.05 |
| Sylvia Pool (drapes and hardware) | \$109.13 |
| Transfer to Bldg fund (10% of East Gate MBC Offerings) | \$249.91 |
| Pastor salary | \$1,792.42 |

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| <i>Total Expenses</i> | (\$4,624.99) |
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| <i>Increase/Decrease for month</i> | \$105.98 |
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| Ending Balance | \$11,417.15 |
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| Building Fund |
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| Beginning balance | \$7,909.42 |
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| Landmark MBC - Delta, CO | \$205.36 |
| Cross Road MBC - Crossett, AR | \$150.00 |
| Bartholomew Association Mission Fund | \$250.00 |
| Loan Payment-First State Bank, Crossett, Ar. | (\$422.43) |
| 10% of East Gate MBC offerings | \$249.91 |
| Spare Change Collection - East Gate MBC | \$17.10 |
| Interest | \$0.07 |

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| Ending balance | \$8,359.43 |
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| Youth Fund |
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| Beginning balance | \$300.00 |
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| Ending balance | \$300.00 |
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Attendance: SS – 23, SM – 25, SE – 23, WE – 15

