Meadowbrook Baptist Church

102 North Park Drive / January 26

Morning Service 9:00

(Fellowship Following)

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## OUR NEW BUDGET

2024 Budget \$150,120 Received \$144, 468 Spent \$144, 285. 2025 Proposed Budget **\$145,000** 

## WHAT YOU HAVE DONE

On the border of the West Anderson old Mill area is a beautiful brick, white-columned Church. It is beautiful on the on the outside and inside - physically and spiritually. Because of our church last year, plus a couple of others, The education building classrooms walls are painted and repaired. It has a new roof; a newly painted education buildings and safe wiring.

On Wednesday nights there is a devotional; a lot of hugs and handshakes; used (but good) clothes and blankets available; conversations about Jesus last but not least a sack full of food. Every time I go there, they tell me, "Preacher Bob we could not do this without your church". I want us to do more. Because of the updated facilities the number of people (men women and children) who come on Wednesday nights from the neighborhood has gone from the 90s to to around 175.

Last year we voted to give them the interest from our money market savings, which is around\$10,000. I asked them the

cost of the Wednesday night ministry and it is around\$20,000. In a few days you will receive our proposed 2025 budget. I want us to budget \$10,000 Of our receipts to Bethel. This and the MM interest funds will cover all the Wednesday night programs

There are a lot of thirsty people in third-world countries and many wonderful helping agencies take them water. That is good and it pleases our Lord but now there is something better. Organizations and individuals are digging wells, supplying them with water for years to come.

That is what we do when we place a ministering church in a neighborhood. Every Sunday when we come to church, we can rejoice, our tithes and offerings, are helping close 200 people every week. And when God takes us to heaven, we will still be doing it. Revelation 14 says when we get to heaven we:

"Rest from our labors; we are blessed and the good things we did (for the Lord and others on Earth) are coming after us."

Church Conference
To Vote on our 2025 Budget
Sunday, February 2
Following Morning Worship

## Road Signs on the Way to Heaven

A pastor was late getting to work and he had an important meeting. He could not find his keys. Then he could not find his billfold. Then he dropped some scrambled eggs on his pants. Then his car wouldn't start and he had