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Monthly Mission Report September 2024

BEGINNING BALANCE:	\$2,540,562.63
RECEIPTS:	
Interstate Salaries	\$ 51,057.32
Foreign & National Salaries	\$ 49,343.86
Designated	\$ 36,687.27
Undesignated	\$ 8,948.18
TOTAL RECEIPTS:	\$ 146,036.63
BALANCE FOR SALARY/EXPENSE	\$2,686,599.26
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Interstate Salaries	\$ 66,036.00
Foreign Salaries	\$ 30,920.47
National Salaries	\$ 24,405.00
Designated	\$ 35,349.99
Sal/Exp of Sec-Treas Office	
Office Salaries	\$ 13,181.62
General Office	\$ 2,429.24
Sec/Treas of Missions-Expense	\$ 648.08
Automobile Expense	\$ 1,913.80
Postage	\$ 5,751.56
	<u>\$ 23,924.30</u>
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS:	\$ 180,635.76
BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD:	\$ 2,505,963.50
DEFICIT FOR SEPTEMBER	\$ (34,599.13)

Dear Churches of the American Baptist Association,

Greetings from the Missions Office in Texarkana. I hope this finds you well and prospering in the work of the Lord. I just arrived back home yesterday from a wonderful conference at First BC of Sullivan, MO. It was a blessing to meet them, give a report on ABA Missions and it was an honor to be the speaker. My family and I were thankful to attend and worship with Concord MBC in Omaha, TX, Promise Land MBC in Hamburg, AR, and Spring Creek in Benton, AR. It was a tremendous privilege to preach in these churches and to give an update on the missionaries of the American Baptist Association.

We celebrate the blessings on the work of the ABA Recommended Missionaries this month. For the month of September, the missionaries reported **465 professions of faith and 21 baptisms**. Since the messenger meeting in Springfield, IL, there have **been 1,884 professions of faith and 178 baptisms**. Please remember our missionaries each time you pray.

Please remember to pray and promote the Thanksgiving Missions Offering. This special offering helps to offset the deficit months we have throughout the year. Last year, without this offering, our deficit would have been almost \$300,000. Because of this offering we had a surplus right at \$47,000. Join us in reaching our goal this year of \$350,000, to be received by our churches during the month of November. We praise God for His faithfulness and for the generosity of His people.

Our prayers go out to all those affected by Hurricane Helene. The ABA Disaster Relief has been working in north Florida and southern Georgia. They are now moving to North Carolina. If you would like to donate to relief efforts, you may do so at abadisasterrelief.org or send offerings to Westwood MBC at 3210 NW Ave G, Winter Haven, FL 33880. Memo: Hurricane Helene. Lastly, we pray for Israel.

Keep on Keeping on,
Justin Coburn



Missionary Kurt Neely and family (MO) and Mission Ministers, The Mattingly Family at First Baptist Church, Sullivan, MO



Missionary Noel Sison, Philippines