

# Metro Ministries of Mobile

Casting a life line to the inner city for over thirty years

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## What Legacy are you leaving?



Left to right: Cheryl Gray, Ariyanna Ewald, Gene and Maxine Speich, Newlyweds Michelle and Bradley McCoy, Sherri Beal, Randy and Vicky McCoy (Bradley's parents) and Mark Beal.

**Three generations of cousins all serving Jesus because we are answered prayer of our Grandmother Goodman who spent hours praying for us.**

Cheryl was privileged to attend the wedding reception of her first cousin's grandson, Bradley and Michelle McCoy in Mpls. Bradley honored his grandparents by reminding us of their ministry model when he was growing up in Columbus, OH and the legacy they left for the generations to come.

Cheryl says: "Pastor Gene and Maxine Speich introduced me to the needs of the city over 40 years ago as I was a young intern with them being shown how to minister to many of the forgotten. Their legacy lives on in the work Pastor Bill and I do here in Mobile."

Let's consider who we are influencing today!



Eddy and Ingrid Brown chose to involve their three children in their wedding just a few weeks ago. We were so privileged to see Jacquez, Jakenzie and Justin all 3 in their mother's wedding as they heard their parents promise to love and to cherish each other until death do them part. Thanks to many of you monthly supporters, these are three faithful students who will be returning to our fall semester of a family meal together, weekly Bible study, completing a worksheet, group interaction and application. Thank you so much.

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**Words from the director...**

**We thank God for your prayers, monthly support and all you do to encourage and help keep us here in Mobile's inner city.**

**Pictured at right show us mentors praying over Evan, Ashley and Sophie Entrekina who are our new missionaries in training. Evan has answered God's call coming alongside Cheryl and I and is raising his budget. Pray with us that he can complete his fund raising by the end of the year and come full time January, 2020.**



**During her visit to Mpls. Cheryl was privileged to pray over her great nephew, Weston Christopher John Ewald with his parents, Chris and Brittany Ewald and many of their family. Deuteronomy 6 reminds us of loving God with all our heart, soul, mind and strength and teaching our children to do the same. Jesus loved children and is quoted in Luke 18:15-17 "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. I tell you the truth, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it." Luke 18:16-17**



**We are thankful to God for the privilege our mentors and I have been given by the Lord to invest in our extended families, and especially the extended family of Mobile's inner city children.**

**Please remember our students and mentors in your prayers for safety at school, home and on these streets.**

**God's best to you,**

**Bill and Cheryl Gray,  
Urban missionaries to Mobile's inner city**



**Cheryl with great nieces and nephew, Izzy, Liam and Ariyanna Ewald**