



Ryan Melson

WEST BANK BAPTIST CHURCH (MARRERO)

About the Family

My wife, Michelle, and I have been married for 19 years. We moved our family from north Alabama to the West Bank of New Orleans in July 2014. We have two children, Erin (15) and Walker (11). I am currently enrolled at New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, where I am pursuing an M.Div. in Christian Theology. I am a volunteer chaplain with the Jefferson Parish Sheriff's Department and serve as City Coach for Send Network's Generation Send.

About the Church Plant

We desire West Bank Baptist Church to be a multicultural, multiplying church in an area where very few SBC churches exist to reach the nearly 36,000 people. The religious culture is dominated by Catholicism and prosperity gospel teaching. Starting as an in-home Bible study on Sunday mornings in September 2014, we moved to Miller Wall Elementary in Marrero where we have grown to more than 40 people and are reaching people in a very tough context.

Find out how you can
Pray.
Participate.
Provide.

PRAY.

- For our family, that we would keep our priorities balancing personal time with a growing church.
- For those who have already and those who soon will place their faith in Christ.
- That God will continue to use us as He draws people to Himself.

PARTICIPATE.

We currently need teams to join us for door-to-door surveys, backyard Bible clubs and other ministry opportunities. For more information on how to partner with us, visit us online at wearewestbank.com.

PROVIDE.

There are numerous ways to help a church plant. Please visit sendnetwork.com/planterfunding for NAMB's policy on providing for church plants.

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