



Epworth's Annual Work Day Offering

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Breaking The Cycle

Ella is an older youth in Epworth's Center for Independent Living who left foster care when she turned 18, yet she had no place to go. She was not welcome back in her biological family; she did not have a job or any means of support, nor did she have a place to call home. Through a referral, she came to live in the Independent Living Center at Epworth where she is flourishing. She will enter college in the fall and plans to study nursing. Ella lives in a residence on campus with other young women her age where they begin to sample a bit of what life will be like when they live independently in their communities.

At the Center for Independent Living, Ella and her fellow residents are given life skills education, they learn about financial literacy, how to rent an apartment, buy insurance, set up a checking account, and handle all the necessary elements that come with being a responsible adult in the community. They also receive job skills training and tutoring to support their academic work. Your support of Epworth helps us provide the resources to help young adults like Ella become responsible, successful members of society.

With your help, Epworth is able to offer its young adults the tools needed for living independently. More importantly, Epworth offers each of its residents the vision, ideas, and self confidence they need to succeed.

When you give to Epworth's Work Day Offering, you are helping to provide the resources, activities, programs, and services that enrich the lives of children in Epworth's care. Your support enables Epworth's staff to make certain that all children in our care are given the chance to grow and flourish.

Thank you for giving generously to support Epworth in its mission to improve and enrich the lives of the children and families that it serves.

Beth Williams
President & CEO

**Children's names and photos changed for confidentiality.*



Did you know?

100% of your Work Day offering provides comprehensive care for children at Epworth. Epworth is not an apportioned item in the Annual Conference. Work Day is a vital means of supporting Epworth's ministry to children and families who are in need.