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GOOD NEWS ECHOES
Child Evangelism Fellowship[®] of Northeast TN
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TWO NEW GOOD NEWS CLUBS

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Wish List:
Ink for printer
Bags of candy for clubs
White card stock

- Prayer Requests:**
- *Churches to adopt schools for Good News Clubs
 - *New committee members
 - *New monthly support for the ministry

Matthew 18:14
“Even so it is not the will of your Father which is in Heaven, that one of these little ones should perish.”

Child Evangelism Fellowship is a Bible-centered organization composed of born-again believers whose purpose is to evangelize boys and girls with the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ and to establish (disciple) them in the Word of God and in a local church for Christian living.

USA Mission Statement



We are so excited that we have 2 new Church Partners. First Baptist Church in Roan Mountain, started a Good News Club[®] at Cloudland Elementary in August!! We also have New Lebanon Missionary Baptist Church. They started a club at Baileyton Elementary in Greenville. We praise God for opening this door. We hope to be able to announce more schools soon! Please continue to pray for us as we continue in our



Tennessee CYIA TRAINING was a wonderful time of students not only learning how to teach in a 5-Day Club, but a time of growing in their faith! We are so thankful for the two students that went with us. A

I knew as soon as the doctor told me that I broke my foot in two places the day before leaving for CYIA that God had BIG plans for my first summer in TN. I have been a part of many CYIA trainings over the years but this one was one of the most powerful ones yet-it felt "BATHED" in prayer. I greatly appreciated the TN state director beginning camp by explaining the goal of ministering first to the teens and then training them how to teach children in 5-Day Clubs. He knew his local CEF directors, so they taught and led using their strengths and gifts. He focused on helping teens make their time with the Lord a priority out of love and dependence and built them up using a variety of different ways. CYIA training is very challenging, but these teens WANTED to be stretched so they would grow in the Lord. Because I had to keep my foot elevated, God was so gracious and faithful to fill me with His Spirit and give me opportunities to have meaningful conversations with many of the teens. He would surround me with them and allow me to pour His love into their lives. Personally, God spoke to my heart about obedience in a



Barbara teaching on Wednesday morning



We had 31 students this year, and many of our staff were able to come. So thankful to be able to pour into the lives of this precious group of

We have a website now: cefnetn.org
If you would like to stay on the newsletter mailing, email us at johnsoncitycef@gmail.com

We received a huge blessing from the Eagle Scouts. One of our volunteers from Club

Thankful for Wyatt, Xavier, and Jeniffer , and my grandson, Deacon, as they worked in the 5-Day

Wyatt and Xavier said they were not tired when we started home from



Chapel getting a facelift! In 2020 we were selected for an Eagle Project. One of our Teen Volunteers, Jonathan Preshong was asked what he was passionate about, and it was CEF. They remodeled our Chapel on Wheels. We are so blessed and thankful. We also used it for some puppet shows at the Fair. My Daughter In law, Sarah, her mom, and my

Puppet Show at the Fair!



Jonathan working hard on the Chapel renovations



Dear Friend of the Children,

We are so thankful for you and your concern for the children. If you have children or grandchildren, or if you listen to the news, you know that our children are being attacked with so many ungodly influences. We must make the children a priority and teach them the truth of God's Word!

Child Evangelism Fellowship is all about evangelizing children and discipling them in the Word of God. During the last school year and amid the Covid pandemic, CEF® of Northeast TN ministries shared the gospel with over 1800 children. Due to Covid, some doors of ministry closed, and some remain closed. But God! Already this year we have seven Good News Clubs with 204 children enrolled and 7 counseled for salvation.

As you volunteer, pray and/or give, you are a part of what God is doing in CEF of Northeast TN. As the end of 2022 is upon us, we ask you to consider giving an end-of-the-year gift. Our CEF director is continuously seeking new club sites and other opportunities to reach the children with the gospel. Your end-of-the-year gift will ensure that our director will be paid, that our ministry will end the year in the black, and that we will have the resources needed to continue to reach out in various venues to share Jesus and His saving power with the children. Josh McDowell has said:

“CEF has become one of the most critical organizations in America . . . It used to be that if we didn't reach kids by high school, it was too late. Then junior high and now elementary. If we don't reach these kids at 5, 6, 7, 8 years old—we will lose an entire generation.”

Will you prayerfully consider giving a generous gift to reach children for the Savior? As I write, I believe we will need several thousand dollars to end the year in the black. Will you be used of the Lord to help meet this need? Thank you for caring for the children and may God richly bless you!

*Yours for the children,
The CEF of Northeast TN Committee*