

Good News to All Who Hear!

Let Them Come

It has been amazing to see how many children are coming to our Good News Clubs. This has been our highest attended year since 2019; each club has seen growth! Our volunteers report "The kids are thirsty for God's truth." We have blown past the goals we set with our human "wisdom" and are trusting God for more increase.



His first Bible!

After praying to accept Christ as his Savior, a boy from our Spring Break Bible Club received his first Bible. The next day he showed up an hour early for camp, Bible in hand, asking to be taught how to look up the memory verse. His JOY and ENTHUSIASM for God's word and his desire to grow was contagious! He inspired more students to ask for Bibles and for help finding the memory verse.



We are so thankful for the 80+ volunteers who have served in our 13 Good News Clubs and numerous outreaches-the hands and feet of Christ!

Interested in becoming a volunteer? Check out the 'Volunteer' tab on our website to learn more!

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Spanish Ministry

We are so excited to be expanding our ministry! We held our first Spanish-speaking Christmas and Easter outreaches, and held our first fully bilingual club! Our prayer is that the Central Coast chapter will increasingly reflect our community.



Pressing On

We are thrilled to have reached so many children this year, and we know many more who need to hear about their Savior. So we press on, seeking to expand into new territory, and to bring the Good News to the next generation!

Year of Growth

It is God who brings growth, which we have indeed seen this year. With two new staff members and a brand new board of 6, we are so excited to see all that God will do and bring in the 2025/2026 school year. To Him be the glory!



From Kjerstin

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

Lam 3:22-23

This year God has reminded me of His faithfulness. Through my weakness His power is stronger, and we can see His hand at work. The work of CEF is close to God's heart and He will always provide for Kingdom work!



Working in full time ministry is such a joy because you see lives touched by God and His work every day. You see miracles as God provides financial provision for the ministry and volunteers to do the work. You see God on the move every day.

Last year, in May, our local chapter was in need of a refreshed board and more staff to expand our ministry reach. Through our June banquet we had five great new volunteers join our board and raised enough funds to pursue hiring two incredible staff! What a mighty God we serve!

In November, I received a surprising and challenging Type 1 Diabetes diagnosis. God is faithful and has provided the support for me to continue serving Him in this season.

In bringing on new staff, I have been able to focus more on the role of director, overseeing the work of the amazing missionaries serving under me and developing the skills of a networker, making



key connections in our area. These changes in focus are stretching me and teaching me how to lean on the wisdom of our Lord.

Each week I still participate in one Good News Club, my favorite 90 minutes of my work week! I LOVE seeing God work in the hearts of these precious children! One such child is Zandy, a rambunctious and brilliant girl. On the surface you might not see her learning but come time for the review game her hand pops up every time with the right answer. God is faithfully revealing Himself to this precious soul!

Thank you for your prayers for CEF Central Coast, for our staff, and for me and my family. To God be the glory!

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