



Greetings in the name of the Lord!

June 9, 2025

I want to share with you all the amazing and blessed time I had at CEF's International Conference! This gathering of CEF workers from around the globe was so encouraging and challenging. CEF workers



from over 100 countries prayed, shared and fellowshiped. It truly was a taste of heaven, where every tribe and tongue will worship our Lord in unity of voice! Each morning started with prayer around the world map, praying specifically for brothers and sisters in each country, for their needs and petitions. We were blessed with updates from every CEF region around the world, and it is AMAZING to hear everything that God is doing! I will share a few highlights from these updates below.

CEF's founder, Mr. Jesse Overholtzer, had a passion for the whole world to know the Love of God. He prayed daily for the countries around the world and asked God to raise up an army of workers spanning the globe; this conference confirmed God's answer to these prayers! Leaders with powerful visions like Mr. O's are what drive the ministry to expand; and CEF's current president has a big vision as well. **His vision is to reach 100 million annually by the year 2032!** This is a huge goal, and requires a commitment to expanding ministry, prayerful dedication, and many more workers - both staff and volunteers to help bring the gospel to more and more children.

Each individual child is important and has an eternal soul and is loved by our great God. Each individual child is separated from God by their sinful nature and in need of the saving grace of the Lord Jesus. And each individual child matters in this big goal.

Here, locally, we are keenly aware of the many spiritual, emotional, and physical attacks on our children. Attacks meant to kill, steal, and destroy But we also know the amazing love and grace of God to bring children out of the darkness and into His marvelous light!

Let's work like never before to live out the great commission and go and tell His good news!

To Him be the glory,
Kjierstin Beck

Getting It Right



As I listened to testimonies, workshops, sermons, and updates, the overwhelming theme of the week was **PRAYER!** Around the world, workers and partners of the ministry are committed to prayer as our foundation. While we have a small prayer movement here in our Central Coast Chapter, I know that this

needs to be our first priority in building our ministry stronger and reaching more children with the gospel.

So, starting August 1st, we will be launching **Together We Pray**, a 24/7 prayer chain for God's provision for our ministry.

We are looking for individuals to fill 336 half-hour slots! The slots are for each half-hour in a day, every day of the week. If you want you can also sign up for multiple days. I know that a 24-hour prayer chain can feel like a lot, but I also truly believe that God is calling us to do this and will fill each slot!

Each month we plan to have a zoom prayer meeting where the new focus of the month will be shared.

If you are compelled to join **Together We Pray** please click the link below:

[Together We Pray Sign Ups](#)

Faithful Through Trial and Tribulation

Many of our brothers and sisters around the world face so much difficulty. They are living in refugee camps, threatened by religious extremists, or under direct persecution from their own government. Despite these hardships, CEF workers remain faithful in their calling to proclaim the Good News of new life through Jesus.

Sister S is serving in a country where all the churches were locked closed by the government in 2019, yet she and her team creatively conduct Good News Clubs in living rooms, hallways, and kitchens to reach children with the gospel. They have seen God's protection, as police missed houses for inspection, and His power, as people were drawn to their gatherings through dreams.

Tanya fled war in Ukraine two years ago. She has continued to work for CEF and our Lord, proclaiming His hope to other refugees in Pennsylvania. It was such an encouragement to sit with her each day!

There are so many more stories that I learned at International Conference. What a blessing to be a part of this BIG family—serving the Lord together.

Summer Ministry Plans

July

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Celebrate America

11:30am - 3:30pm

[Volunteer](#)

July

7-11

14-18

5-Day Clubs

Salinas, Hollister,
and Marina

[Volunteer](#)



August
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**Strawberry
Festival**
11:00am- 7:30 pm
Volunteer



August
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Salinas CalPal Car Show
11:30am -3:00 pm
Volunteer



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