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Dear Faithful Ministry Partners:

We are thankful for the **Lord's faithfulness** to CEF's ministry of teaching children and training adults during this year. We have had many opportunities to reach children with the gospel and to share with adults about the ministry in our nine-county region.

We're thankful for another successful **banquet** at Midway Village in April. It was wonderful to see so many attending to learn more about the ministry. We're grateful for all who gave in support the ministry of our chapter. Next year, the banquet will be on April 16, 2026 at Midway Village.

We're grateful for the opportunity to reach children through our summer ministry, and we were blessed to have four **Missionaries in Training** to help. **Eight Five Day Clubs®** were held throughout our region this summer, as a result 114 children heard the gospel with 3 of them making professions. Also, the gospel face painting booth at this year's **Ogle County Fair** reached 255 children with the gospel, and 12 of them made professions of faith.

Additionally, we're thankful for the opportunity to reach children in public schools through our **Good News Clubs®**. Currently, five clubs are being taught at schools in our region with more clubs in the works. We're also looking forward to the opportunity to reach children through the **Christmas Party Clubs**, in the schools and at other venues.

We are thrilled to share with you that a group of generous givers has offered to contribute up to \$5,500 in matching funds to CEF of Northwest Illinois. Every dollar you give will be doubled, because of this very generous donation, but we cannot receive this contribution in full without your gift. These donations will be used for staff support and new computers for the office.

Thank you in advance for your ongoing faithful support of this ministry, both financially and in prayer.  
Sincerely yours,

*Janice Anderson, David Craig,  
Sylvia L. Blaser, Jay Anderson,  
Benette Johnson*

The Staff and Committee of Child Evangelism Fellowship of Northwest Illinois

*Alma Fegters, Glenda Duke*



# Thankful to God

## World Day of Prayer

**November 5, 2025**

Pray with us for CEF local, state, national, and international ministry. At your request, we will send by mail or email some of the many important requests!

*Everything by Prayer*

## Christmas Party Clubs

You can be involved:

- Gather friends and co-workers to plan and prepare this children's outreach
- Set a December date, contact CEF, arrange for help (when available) to conduct your *Christmas Party Club*
- Attend our training on 11/8/2025. Host and teach your own *Christmas Party Club*. Materials available to purchase at the training.



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## Christmas Party Club Training

**Backwards Birthday Bash**

**Saturday November 8, 2025**

10:00 am - 1:00pm

Lunch Provided - Please RSVP



## Praises and Prayers

Praise God for the Good News Clubs® happening at public schools! Pray for a new Good News Club to come together and begin in January. Pray for favor with Sterling school district and principal.

Praise God for our Good News Club volunteers! Pray for Carlson, Dillon, East/Coloma Nelson, Froberg and Maple school Good News Clubs that the children would faithfully attend weekly, and that God would give wisdom and help to get the children's attention and keep it for the hour. Pray for good discipline and joyful teaching of God's Word at the Good News Clubs.

Praise God for our donors and supporting churches giving and faithfully praying for us! Pray for our Thanksgiving Matching Gift Challenge to go beyond the \$5,500.

Pray that we can get the computers replaced and bring on a field worker and a bookkeeper in 2026