

CEF® CENTEX: WHAT'S THE NEWS?

Matters of the Heart: God's Plan is Re-

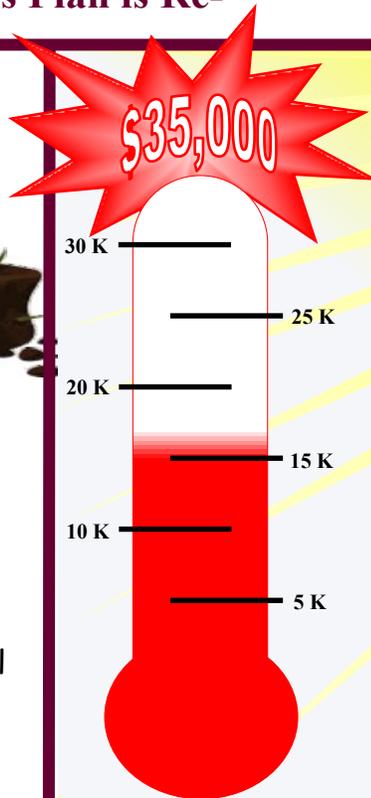
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Boots on the Ground



Carrying out the Great Commission

- 360** Supporting Volunteers
- 27** Good News Clubs
- 4** JYou Connection Clubs
- 1412** Children Heard the Gospel
- 284** Military Children Reached
- 88** Children Accepted Christ



Spotlight On!

Jehovah Jireh, our provider, continues to illuminate Himself through the kind acts of love rendered by others!

His unyielding faithfulness is evident in the continuous outpouring of support and donations the ministry has so gratefully received.

With a sincere and thankful heart we are eager to share that the current amount raised towards our annual goal is \$15,361!

As a result, we are empowered to continue being a blessing to the children and families of Central Texas while accomplishing the work that God has called us to do throughout this region.

Our Heritage, Our Father's Heart and Our Purpose

The Culture of Child Evangelism Fellowship states that "Every aspect of the work, no matter how big or small, has significance. This includes the training we conduct, materials we produce, the facilities we use and the way we present ourselves. In every area we must **STRIVE** for **EXCELLENCE** to the Glory of God." Children are our most valuable asset. They are the future and it is vital that we are properly equipped and enabled, through training, to proclaim God's word with boldness while clearly and accurately presenting the Gospel to them. Training also creates an atmosphere where relationships can be fostered and strengthened. Our initial training is scheduled to take place in August. We will meet from 8-11:30 am at First Baptist Church in Killeen on the 11th and at First Baptist Church in Belton on the 25th. We look forward to you joining us as we learn about "God: The One Who Knows My Heart!"

The Good News Goes to Gatesville

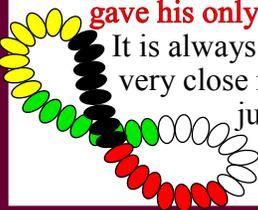
Sade McAllister— CEF Volunteer - Coryell County

On a hot day in June, the Child Evangelism Fellowship team set up a tent at Gatesville Shivaree to share the best story ever told! During this time of fellowship and outreach, we connected with 17 young boys and girls from the Central Texas area and shared the ministry opportunity with several adult attendees. To combat the heat, we enjoyed ice cream and had fun making wordless book bracelets while sharing the very special story of God's perfect plan.



For some, this was their first time ever learning John 3:16, which says "**For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son,** that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, **but have everlasting life!**"

It is always an honor and a privilege to share with a child that their Savior loves them and yearns to have a very close relationship with them. Once participants completed their bracelets, we encouraged them to not just wear them, but to use them as a witnessing tool. If that wasn't enough, God gave us another opportunity to witness to those at the 5K Fun Run that took place in Copperas Cove on June 16th. We give God all of the praise and glory for the work that He continues to entrust to us!



"It is not the will of your Father which is in heaven, that one of these little ones should perish."
Matthew 18:14



THE BEST 5 DAYS OF YOUR SUMMER!

Marquita Everson - Local Director

Each summer as we prepare for our Christian Youth In Action (CYIA) ministry, we are never certain how many youth will be involved in the program. This year God, who is always at work, sent us 5 youth, the number of grace and favor. These youth arrived to training with willing hearts, open minds, and much enthusiasm about learning. We are excited to see their personal relationship with Christ strengthened through this opportunity, in addition to witnessing the impact they will have in the lives of all those they encounter while facilitating 5 day clubs in Temple, Belton, and Killeen. Please be in prayer with us for God's will to be done this summer!

CEF Purpose

To evangelize boys and girls with the Gospel of the Lord, Jesus Christ; to disciple them in the Word of God; and to establish them in a local church for Christian living.

CEF Vision

Building and guiding a new generation that seeks to honor God.

CEF Mission

Establish Prayer
Enlist Volunteers
Equip Volunteers
Enable Leaders
Encourage Leaders

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Standing in the Gap

- Willing churches to partner with this ministry.
- Volunteers who are on fire to reach children.
- Principals seeking programs offered by CEF.
- Surplus of called and committed volunteers.
- God's overwhelming presence in every school.
- Exemplary health for all CEF laborers this year.
- Establishment of families in local churches.

Our dedicated team of prayer warriors join together to pray corporately every Thursday night at 8:30pm. Please also be in prayer with us concerning the above areas as there is power in numbers.



The Next Generation

Jocelyn Gibson—Bell County
Every Saturday on 98.5 FM, "The Rock," from 12-2pm the radio waves are taken over by a group of teenagers called the Now Generation Inspirational Crew (NGIC). These teenagers are reaching out to their peers in an effort to share the word of God, and offer the call to salvation. They choose a different topic each week that relates to all teenagers and invite guests on the show to join in on the discussion. Malachi

Everson, and Jakayla Harris had the pleasure of joining the NGIC team during the segment where they discussed bullying. They were able to share with the listening audience about how being apart of JYou Connection (JYC) assists them with dealing with the challenges of bullying. It was a blessing to have the youth look to Jesus Christ together for answers to matters that concern them. It is clear that God is working in their lives!

