# Reaching Children for Jesus

# **Child Evangelism Fellowship®**

Reaching children with the Gospel of Jesus Christ, discipling them in God's Word and connecting them with a local church.





# What is a Good News Club®?

Good News Club<sup>®</sup> is a ministry of Child Evangelism Fellowship<sup>®</sup> in which trained teachers meet with groups of children in schools, homes, community centers, churches, apartment complexes—just about anywhere the children can easily and safely meet. A Good News Club is an exciting and fun-filled club held once a week for 60-90 minutes. Many churches adopt a local school to host a Good News Club.

Children attend Good News Club only with parents' permission.

# Can we really teach the Bible in public schools?

Yes! The Gospel has been taught freely in public school around the world for some time. Now children in the U.S. have that opportunity too! In 2001 the U.S. Supreme Court ruled in Good News Clubs vs. Milford Central School that Good News Clubs can meet in public schools in the United States after school hours on the same terms as other community groups.

> "The Good News Club gives the local church the way to carry the Gospel into the public school then involve the kids and their families in your church." —Mat Staver, Founder and Chairman, Liberty Counsel





Child Evangelism Fellowship is the world's largest mission agency for children, reaching tens of millions of children each year! CEF is actively expanding ministry into new nations and new areas within nations with a goal of reaching Every Child • Every Nation • Every Day.

#### What is taught in Good News Club?

Each week an exciting Bible lesson using colorful materials from *CEF Press*<sup>®</sup> is presented. This action-packed time also includes songs, Scripture memory, a mission story and review games or other activities focused on the lesson's theme.



# The Gospel

Each club includes a clear presentation of the Gospel on a child's level and an opportunity for children to trust Jesus as their Savior.

Every club also includes strong discipleship training to build character and strengthen moral and spiritual growth. All children are encouraged to attend a local church if possible.





#### Who teaches a Good News Club?

Concerned Christians work together volunteering their time and energy to teach *Good News Club*. They are trained by *Child Evangelism Fellowship* to have a club that is exciting and informative so that children will want to keep coming. Teachers are asked to sign the *CEF* Statement of Faith and agree to abide by the policies of the organization. All volunteers are screened according to our Child Protection Policy.

To learn more visit goodnewsclub.com.

### Did you know that...

- *Ministry to children is often the most overlooked in today's churches?*
- The 4-14 window (the ages when most believers trust Jesus as Savior) is the largest unreached people group on the planet?
- Your church can have a HUGE impact by hosting and conducting a Good News Club in a local public elementary school?
- CEF stands ready as your ministry partner to motivate, train, and support your efforts to reach the next generation?

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When you reach children, you never know who they'll become. When you reach children, you change the future!

Fifty years from now most of us will not be here. Have you passed the spiritual torch to the next generation?



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