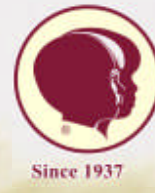


# Good NEWS



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CHILD EVANGELISM  
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Reaching The Children Of The Upstate With The Gospel

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## Introducing 2 New Resources

## Our Kid's Website

# **MyGoodNewsClub.com**

### Children can watch a whole Good News Club hour

- Bible lessons and verses
- Object lessons
- Missions stories
- Bible study pages and interactive review sheet

### Song videos

Children and their leaders can learn the songs and hand motions for Good News Club and 5-Day Club songs.



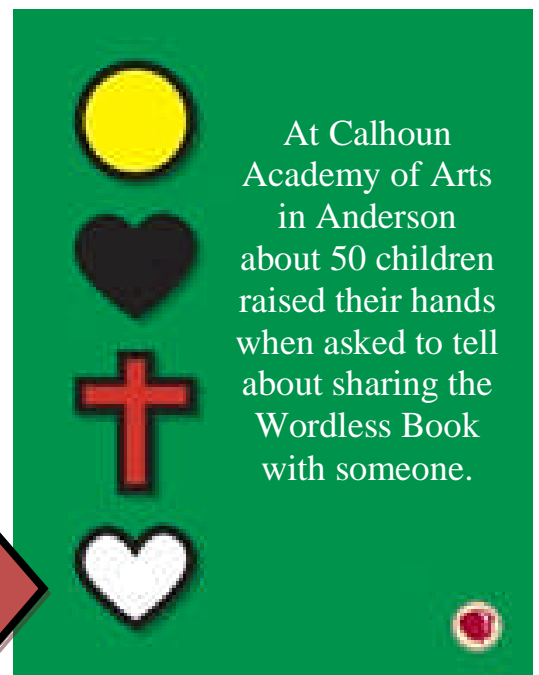
### Link to Wonderzone.com

- games, opportunities, and activities for kids

## Our New Staff Person



Roxanne Jones joined our staff in January, 2011. She will be assisting in the direct support of Good News Clubs in Pickens and Oconee counties. Roxanne has extensive experience in children and youth ministries. She has been helping in a Good News Club for several years and finished TCE in Fall, 2009. Roxanne's husband, David, has just joined our Board. Roxanne, David, and their two teenage children live in Easley and are active in Rock Springs Baptist Church.



At Calhoun Academy of Arts in Anderson about 50 children raised their hands when asked to tell about sharing the Wordless Book with someone.

**See more amazing things  
God is doing in GNCs.**

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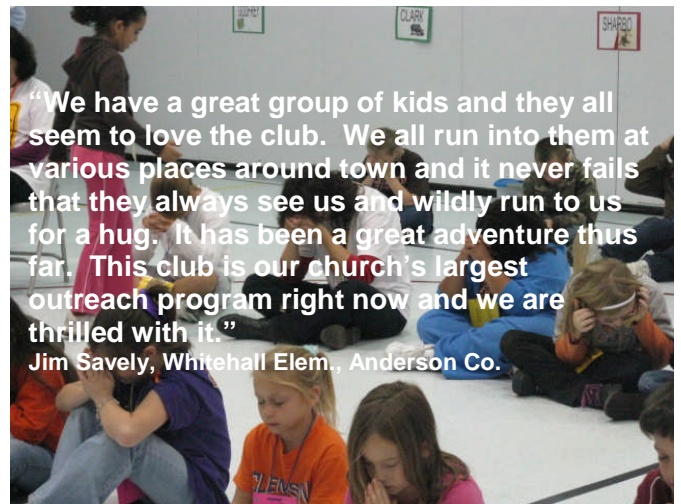
“As the teacher was teaching the Bible Lesson, I looked over and saw one of the 2<sup>nd</sup> graders with a Wordless Book. She was turning to each page as the teacher covered the subjects of God, man’s sin, Jesus’ payment and His invitation. Curious, I asked if she had made her Wordless Book at home.

‘No mama,’ she replied. ‘I made it in art class. My friend made one too.’

‘Did you tell your teacher what the colors mean?’

Her answer was excited, ‘I sure did!’ When I approached her friend and asked whom she had shared with, she told me, ‘I asked my teacher if I could share with my whole class, and she let me!’

**God is using these children to reach many!”**  
Misti Tolley, Oconee Co.



“We have a great group of kids and they all seem to love the club. We all run into them at various places around town and it never fails that they always see us and wildly run to us for a hug. It has been a great adventure thus far. This club is our church’s largest outreach program right now and we are thrilled with it.”

Jim Savely, Whitehall Elem., Anderson Co.



“I ran into a parent of a K-5 GNC student over Christmas break. The mom is a teacher and she said she is so amazed with the stories her son can retell to her and the verses he can quote.”

Kela Simpson, Liberty Elem., Pickens Co.



“The volunteers and I went this morning and delivered school supplies to all of the classrooms at Duncan Chapel. The PTA had sent out a letter requesting notebook paper, pencils, markers, and all sorts of other things. We decided to make a little basket that had supplies and some treats for the teachers. We were able to deliver a basket to every classroom. They were so appreciative. One teacher immediately opened the paper and started passing it out. I heard another teacher whisper a ‘YES!’ as we turned to leave and she was looking through the basket. The children were saying thank you and some of the classes even clapped for us! The best part was that every time the door opened to a classroom, all the children started waving and smiling and calling us by name! Some of the teachers were asking, ‘Who are you guys? How do all these kids know you?’ It was great!”

Amber Mathis, Greenville Co.



We’ve been able to see God using GNC to work in some of the saved kids. This past week, a 5th grader (who got saved last year) posted some of the problems she’s been having with friends on Facebook. She was very discouraged and was worrying over the situation. As a result, a lot of adults in our church and her other friends really encouraged her. I was able to use the Memory Verse, 1 Peter 5:7, and the Bible Lesson we learned in GNC to reinforce to her how God was caring for her by giving her all those people to encourage her. It was neat to be able to apply the lesson and verse in a real situation and I think this confirmed the truth and promise of 1 Peter 5:7 with her!

Lori Gibbs, Townville Elem., Anderson Co.



Below is a list of the schools with Good News Clubs and their adopting church(es). **Print this list and please be in prayer for each of these clubs on the days that they meet.**

Monday	Tuesday	Tuesday. Cont.	Wednesday	Thursday Cont.
Berea	Ambler	Mount Lebanon	Bethel	Holly Springs
Monaghan BC	Fairview Ind. BC	Lebanon BC	Five Forks BC, Rocky Creek BC, Mauldin FBC	Holly Springs BC Midway BC
Brutontown CCt	Armstrong	New Prospect	Brook Glenn	Homeland Park
Joyce Gibson	Mt. Bridge Bible Fell.	New Prospect BC	North Hills Comm. Ch.	Covenant BC
Cedar Grove	Augusta Circle	Oakview	Central	Liberty
Whitefield BC	Second Pres.	Woodruff Road Pres.	Central FBC	Flat Rock BC
Duncan Chapel	Belton	Palmetto	Greenville Ch. Fell.	Marshall
Buncombe Rd. BC	Second BC	Beaverdam BC	Greenville Chris. Fell.	Shady Grove BC
Fountain Inn	Blue Ridge	Pelham Road	Hollis	Mauldin
Fountain Inn FBC	Seneca BC, Utica BC	Morningside BC	Second Pres.	Shannon Forest Pres Horizon Church
Greenbrier	Blythe	Pickens	James M. Brown	McKissick
Calvary BC	Buncombe Rd BC	Lakeview BC	Open Door BC	Arial BC, United Wesleyan
Hagood	Brushy Creek	Plain	Northside	Monaview
Calvary Chapel	Brushy Creek BC	Temple BC, Christ Comm.	Hepsibah BC	City View BC
Lake Forest	Bryson	Simpsonville	Pendleton	Mountain View
Edwards Road BC	Standing Springs BC	Crossroads Comm. Ch. Word of Life Ministries	Faith Fell.	Ridgeview Church
Sterling CCt	Crosswell	Stone Academy	Wash. Ave. BC	Ravenel
Brushy Creek BC	Potter's Clay Fell.	Northgate BC	Washington Ave. BC	Crossgate Pres.,
OakWay Int.	Ellen Woodside	Tamassee-Salem	West Pelzer	Robert E. Cashion
Earle's Grove BC Bethel BC	Washington BC	Scenic Heights BC Pleasant Ridge BC	Tabernacle BC Calvary BC	Redemption World Outreach Center
Orchard Park	Fair Oak	Taylors		Rudolph Gordon
Westminster FBC Corinth BC	Bethel BC Earle's Grove BC	Taylors FBC	<b>Thursday</b>	Fountain Inn Pres.
Paris	Fork Shoals	Townville	A.R.Lewis	Salvation Army CCt
Mountain Creek BC Greenville Chris. Fell.	Fork Shoals BC	Oakdale BC	Concord BC	CYIAers
Powersville	Gateway	Walhalla	Alexander	Six Mile
Powersville FBC	Forestville BC	College Street BC, Walhalla Pres	San Souci BC Cornerstone BC	Prater's Creek BC
Tigerville	Grove	Wren	Bell's Crossing	Spearman
Tyger BC	West Gantt BC	Mountain Springs BC	Simpsonville FBC	Midway Bible Church
Welcome	Honea Path	Wright	Calhoun	Starr
Welcome BC	Honea Path FBC	Mt. Bethel BC, Bethany BC, Long Branch BC	Concord BC	Starr BC
West End	Hunt Meadows	Anderson	Concrete	Sue Cleveland
Geer Memorial BC	Corinth BC	Oconee	Mt. Moriah BC	Bessie Road Ind. BC
Westminster	Iva	Greenville	East End	Thomas E. Kerns
Westminster BC	Starr BC	Pickens	Mt. Carmel BC	Welcome BC
Woodland	Keowee	BC- Baptist Church FBC- First Baptist Church Pres.- Presbyterian CC- Community Church Fell.- Fellowship CCt- Community Center	Forest Acres	Whitehall
Taylors FBC	New Hope BC		Rock Springs BC	Electric City Fell.
Summit Drive	Mitchell Road		Heritage	<b>Friday</b>
Northgate BC	Mitchell Road Pres.		Foothills BC	Clemson
	Kiddie Kampus			Clemson Pres.
	CYIAers			

# Giving

CEF is a non-profit organization that depends on the financial gifts of God's people. If you can't go to clubs and teach the children, you can be still be a part of this work and help CEF reach the children with the Gospel by your prayers, tax-deductible gifts, and etc. Below are some ways you can help:

## CEF Golf Tournament

CEF's 7<sup>th</sup> Golf Classic will be held at [The Cliffs at Keowee Springs](#) May 9, 2011 and [The Cliffs at Keowee Falls](#) on May 10, 2011. We are presently looking for sponsors and players (men and women). *See our website for more information and to register.*



## BMW Charity Pro-Am



CEF has been selected as a charity for the BMW Charity Pro-Am to be held May 19<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>. As a selected charity, CEF has the opportunity to sell **\$25 Patron (General Admission) tickets** with **100 percent of the proceeds going to CEF**. If you volunteer or play at the BMW Pro-Am, please write "CEF" when asked by "who referred". Notify the CEF office that you are volunteering.

## United Way Pledge

Although we are not a member, you can give to us through United Way. Simply **request** a "donor choice form" and **mark** "specific care" on your pledge and **write in** "*Child Evangelism Fellowship – Greenville/Piedmont District*". To change your payroll deduction information, see your company's Human Resource Dept. It is never too late to designate or change your pledge!



## Search the Web with GoodSearch.com



GoodSearch.com is a search engine powered by Yahoo! which donates a portion of its revenue to the charities selected by its users. Search and shop using GoodSearch.com and CEF will receive income. How can you help? Follow the steps below:

1. Go to [www.goodsearch.com](http://www.goodsearch.com)
2. In the space below "Who do you GoodSearch for?" enter: Child Evangelism Fellowship – CEF – Greenville Piedmont District.
3. Click on "Make GoodSearch your homepage" and follow the steps.

## CYIA

Our summer missionaries must attend a 7-day training camp to prepare them for summer mission work through 5-Day Clubs. This training costs them \$325. It would be very helpful for our CYIA'ers if this cost could be underwritten by our supporters. Simply send a check to the office written out to CEF with "CYIA Training" in the memo line.



## General Giving

Any giving towards this ministry may be done through [Justgive.org](http://Justgive.org) to Child Evangelism Fellowship, Taylors, SC. We also accept **Credit Cards** and offer **automatic checking account debit**. *See our website for giving opportunities!*



## What is a 5-Day Club®?

It is a mini VBS coming to your location. The 5-Day Club meets for five consecutive days, one hour each day. Children gather to hear Bible stories, sing songs, learn Bible verses, listen to a missionary story, and play games. During this summer the theme will be *One Way* – five lessons on God’s plan for man.

- A Lost Man Found in a Tree (Zacchaeus)
- Undeserved Kindness (Mephibosheth)
- Listen, God is Speaking (People in the time of Noah)
- The Right Direction (The Ethiopian Treasurer)
- Turned Around (Saul)

## Who Does the Teaching?

High-school and college-age youth are prepared in the CEF Christian Youth In Action® (CYIA®) training program. 2-4 youth will come to conduct each club. They are supervised by Christian adults who have received comparable training. All workers have had a national background check and are approved for children’s work.

## How Does One Schedule a 5-Day Club?

Fill out and return the registration form below. Please make sure to put your choices for dates and times and *make yourself a copy of the form*. We will fill requests on a first-come-first-served basis. However, if a club will be in a distant location, we will attempt to schedule all clubs for that week in the same area.

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## 5-Day Club Registration Form

Name of Host \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Host \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_ phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please put a “1” by first choice and a “2” by second choice for week **and** time of day you prefer  
\_\_\_\_\_ June 20-24 (*this option only for the city of Greenville and Taylors – call for more info.*)

\_\_\_\_\_ June 27- July 1                      \_\_\_\_\_ 10:30 - 11:45 am

\_\_\_\_\_ July 11-15                              \_\_\_\_\_ 12:45 – 2:00 pm

\_\_\_\_\_ July 18-22                              \_\_\_\_\_ 3:00 – 4:15 pm

\_\_\_\_\_ July 25-29

How many children do you expect to participate in this program? \_\_\_\_\_

What are the age group divisions that you already have in place? \_\_\_\_\_

Which version of the Bible do you prefer that we use in our teaching? \_\_\_\_ KJV \_\_\_\_ NIV

Each year we take up an offering for missionaries who are working with children in a needy country. We encourage the children to bring a quarter a day, but this is optional. This year the money will go to Turks & Caicos Islands    May we collect this missionary offering from the children? \_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_ no

Are you planning on a game time? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, where will it be held? \_\_\_\_\_



Apr. 26 - GNC Coordinator/Team Leader Brunch  
May 9,10 - CEF 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Classic  
May 14 - CYIA Orientation  
May 19-22 - BMW Charity Pro-Am  
June 11-18 - CYIA Training Camp  
June 20-July 29 - 5-Day Clubs  
Sept. 8 - Fundraising Banquet

## CEF Contact Information

- Greenville/Piedmont Office –  
Physical Address: 4 W. Main St., Taylors, SC 29687 (next to Taylors FBC)  
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  - BJ Bateman, director – for policy issues, school liaison, church encouragement  
(W) 292-5842 x11, bj@cefgreenville.com
  - Paula Edwards, admin. assistant – for general information, ordering materials  
(W) 292-5842 x10, paula@cefgreenville.com
  - Ginger Evans, ministry assistant  
(W) 292-5842 x 12, ginger@cefgreenville.com
  - Cindy Griner, ministry coordinator – for materials information, training  
(W) 292-5842 x13, cindy@cefgreenville.com
  - Michelle Halbert, office assistant – for 5-Day Club registration  
michelle@cefgreenville.com
  - Debbie Howell, ministry coordinator, CPP forms  
(W) 292-5842 x18, dhowell@cefgreenville.com
  - Roxanne Jones, area coordinator Pickens and Oconee counties  
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  - Debbie Ray, office assistant  
(W) 292-5842 x 14, debbie@cefgreenville.com
  - Woody Simpson, ministry coordinator - GNC coordinator  
(W) 292-5842 x17, (C) 293-2220, woody@cefgreenville.com
- Greenville/Piedmont website – [www.cefgreenville.com](http://www.cefgreenville.com)
  - Member's Club for GNC workers
  - General information about CEF Greenville/Piedmont
- Greenville/Piedmont Children's website – [www.MyGoodNewsClub.com](http://www.MyGoodNewsClub.com)
- National – website – [www.cefonline.org](http://www.cefonline.org)  
Press – [www.cefpres.com](http://www.cefpres.com)
- Tutorial Program - Jeannette Oliphant (244-6380)

### Schools that Still Need Good News Clubs – why there isn't one

A.J. Whittenburg Elem. – principal not allowing  
Buena Vista Elem. - principal not allowing  
Chandler Creek Elem. - principal not allowing  
Chastain Road Elem. – new next year  
Concord Elem. – no adopting church  
Crestview Elem.- principal not allowing  
Dacusville Elem. – no adopting church  
E.N. Street Elem. - principal not allowing  
Nevitt Forest Elem – no adopting church  
Sara Collins Elem. - principal not allowing  
Skyland Elem. - principal not allowing  
Westcliff Elem. - principal not allowing

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