

CHILD EVANGELISM  
FELLOWSHIP

...Prayer...  
& Praise

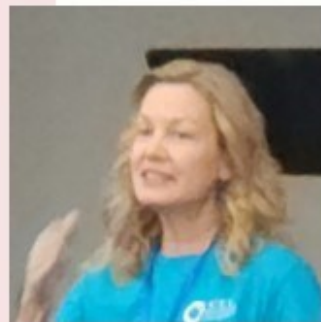
April 27th  
10AM-2PM

## CELEBRATE WITH US!

On April 27 we will celebrate the work of God in the lives of children here in Sandhills area! With great joy we will also dedicate our new office space for the purpose of reaching every one of the 121,702 children in the Sandhills area. We hope every volunteer, sponsor, and community supporter will join us on this special day to pray fervently, honor the Lord, celebrate the victories he has given, and look forward with vision to the future.



Clement Good News Club



Heather Dunbar Teaching

### **THE POWER OF THE RESURRECTION**

The power of Jesus Christ's resurrection completely broke the grip of sin and death. No more eternal separation from Him and hopeless living! Jesus is the only hope for approximately 70,000 children in our 7 county area who have never heard the Gospel or only attend church occasionally. What will your role be in reaching them?

**"I planted, Appollos watered, but  
God gave the growth" 1 Cor. 3:6**

## EVENT SCHEDULE

**10:00 INTERACTIVE PRAYER  
WALK, ACTIVITIES  
FOR KIDS, & TOURS**

**11:00 PRAISE & DEDICATION  
CELEBRATION SERVICE**

**12:00 FREE MEAL  
ACTIVITIES RESUME**

**2:00 EVENT ENDS**



## PRAYER REQUESTS

- **121, 702 children (in Sandhills)**
- **15 more church partners to reach children in schools**
- **for summer missionaries as they prepare for the summer.**
- **help with new office setup.**
- **help with setup on Dedication Day, April 27th.**
- **help with newsletter design and development.**
- **help with special events.**



## **MORE IN '24**

In the face of declining church attendance and increasing cultural confusion, it is more critical than ever for us to extend our ministry reach to children who cannot access traditional church settings but have a hunger for the hope that only Jesus provides. With this in mind, our vision for 2024 is clear: to reach 10,000 children across the seven counties of CEF Sandhills. To achieve this vision and reach more in '24, we have the following three goals:

**1. Recruitment of Staff Members:**

Essential to growth is additional staff who share our commitment to reaching the children. A new Good News Ministry Coordinator is needed plus volunteers who will help support the growing number of ministry opportunities across the chapter. The cost for the GNC Coordinator is \$35,000. The training and mileage for the volunteers is \$5,500.

**2. Expansion of Programs:**

To increase the number of children we serve, we seek to grow after school Good News Clubs by at least 50% in 2024-25 school year. The cost is \$2,400 per club for each new club. We also plan to increase the number of Christmas Party Clubs.

**3. Collaboration & Partnerships:**

Partnerships with local churches maximize the ministry's impact and connect children and their families with a local church. When we collaborate with churches and like-minded nonprofits, so more children can be reached.

You're invited to embrace these God-sized goals with us. Would you consider increasing your involvement? We need dozens more of volunteers, committed monthly givers, and an army of advocates. Would you consider being part of an eternal change in a child's life? **It takes all of us to reach all of them.** A child is waiting for YOUR help!

**Missionary volunteers who took further training at the  
*Childrens Ministries Institute*<sup>®</sup>.**



**Margie Hosking**



**CEP President Cho &  
Zelina Henry**

## CYIA Training



CYIA training began in early March with Wordless Book training and continued with our annual CYIA retreat. The missionaries learned how they can begin a Gospel conversation at anytime through tools like the 15-second testimony. Last week they put all this training into practice at Cross Creek Mall!

### **Fifteen Second Testimony**

“There was a time in my life when I was \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (examples: broken & alone, confused & scared, anxious & discouraged). Then someone shared with me that God loved me so much He sent His Son to die for me (summary of a Bible verse such as John 3:16 or Romans 5:8). Then I **turned** from my sins and **trusted** Jesus. Now my life is marked by \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_(examples: hope & forgiveness, peace & purpose, wholeness & joy).

**Do you have a story like that?”**

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