



Learning to share God's Love through His Word

Two students practicing the red page of the Wordless Book. On this page we share how God sent His sinless Son to earth to be born as man. He lived a sinless life to be the sacrifice for our sins and three days arose from grave proving his power over sin and death! I Cor 15:3b-4

Share the love



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Join Us for an Evening of Celebration and Purpose!

Saturday, April 26, 2025, Berean Baptist Church

517 Glensford Drive, Fayetteville, NC from 5:30 – 7:30 PM

This special evening is an opportunity to **celebrate what God is doing in the Sandhills area** and support **Christian Youth in Action (CYIA)**. Proceeds from this event help CYIA students attend state training and participate in summer ministry at minimal cost, ensuring more children hear the Gospel. It is also a time to express our deep gratitude to those who faithfully support this ministry through **prayer, donations, and service.**

What to Expect: A beautifully decorated venue by a talented committee. A delicious catered meal. An uplifting program featuring testimonies, video presentations, and live music. A fun photo booth to capture the evening's memories. **Attire:** Dressy or business casual.

We are excited to gather in fellowship and celebrate the impact of this ministry with you. God is at work!

Please **RSVP soon** by scanning the QR Code, contacting the CEF office at (910) 779-4978, or on our website, cefsandhills.com.

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How can I be involved?

“The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.”

James 5:16b

1. Please pray that God will supply the needs to cover the cost of training and sending these Christian Youth In Action missionaries this year. The transformation of a teenage missionary and all of the children he or she touches costs approximately \$700.
2. Pray for God to work in the hearts of these missionaries to draw them closer to Him and prepare their hearts to serve as His representatives.
3. Plan to attend and give at:

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From Retreat to Awe

My head hit the pillow with relief. Fifty-six students and 7 adults from the Sandhills chapter had experienced a great weekend at the CYIA retreat. Had God spoken? Definitely. I recalled the time of prayer with young ladies at the altar just that morning - prayers for the salvation of parents, prayers for help to resist temptation, and prayers for life direction. I remembered a difficult relational circumstance that a few of our teen girls encountered while at camp. It had become an opportunity for spiritual growth and discipleship. I asked God for wisdom as I lay there pondering over the weekend, confident in the promise of James 1:5. My heavenly Father is wise, generous, and a faithful revealer.

As I commented to my husband that I was happy to rest in my own bed, Jesus's words immediately came to mind - "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." Such a Savior! Matt. 8:20

For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet **for your sake** he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich. 2 Cor. 8:9

Jesus "emptied himself, by **taking the form of a servant**, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, **he humbled himself** by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Phil 2:7-8

Isn't it amazing? Isn't He wonderful? He left the comforts of heaven for you and I. Is there anything, any service, any obedience that He does not deserve? Would you be willing to relinquish a few nights of rest in your own bed? Would you consider applying to serve as a camp counselor or cook in June? Background check, references, and interview required.

Upcoming Events

Bonfire and Training

Friday, April 4, 2025, 5:30 - 9:00
118 Evans Lane, Godwin

CYIA Training

Saturday, April 12, 2025, 10:00-2:00
Central Baptist Church, 6050 Plain View Hwy, Dunn

Annual Fundraising Event

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Berean Baptist Church
517 Glensford Drive, Fayetteville



Top to bottom: Retreat cooks with A.J., a CYIA student; game time; Sandhills students leading worship; Girls from the red team



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