

A ministry update for Child Evangelism Fellowship of Rochester and the Quad County Area



Cedars of Chili – CEF Party



Julio's Update

I'd like to share something that has been on my heart: **Jesus welcomes the children** (see Mark 10:13–16). We should tell the children about the Word of God so they can come to know Jesus at a young age.

Charles Spurgeon, one of the greatest preachers of the 19th century, had a deep love for children and a strong passion for their evangelism. Each Sunday, he invited 500 children from a local orphanage to sit in the front row of his church so they could hear the Gospel—and many came to know Christ as their Savior.

Many influential ministry leaders were saved at a young age, including **Jim Elliot** (age 6), **Matthew Henry** (age 11), and **Dr. Isaac Watts** (age 9).

Child Evangelism Fellowship exists to serve the church by **reaching children where they are today**. This mission matters to God, and it should matter to us as well. As **Bill Bright** once said, “*CEF has been the most effective movement for introducing children to Christ of our time... I strongly endorse this marvelous work.*”

If you would like a **CEF information table** at your church or organization, a **presentation** about the ministry, or **training for Sunday school teachers** on how to share Christ with children, we would love to come to you. Please feel free to **reach out** using the contact information below.



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February Ministry Updates

➤ School 42

- **4–7 children** attend **Good News Club** each Tuesday. **Julio** has been **mentoring two boys** who often get into fights. Through conversations about their home lives, his heart has been touched, and the boys now **seek him out regularly**. Please pray that **God will continue working in their lives**.

➤ Pittsford School

- **5 children** are currently attending **Good News Club**. Please pray for **continued growth**.

➤ Warsaw Good News Club

- **24 children** attending and the ministry continues to **thrive**.

➤ LeRoy School

- **14 children attending**, and all is going **well**.

➤ Cedars of Chili

- **9 children** attended a recent **CEF party**, and the team is working toward hosting a **monthly Good News Club**.
- **Ron** has been bringing one boy to Open Door Baptist Church, where he is **growing in his faith** and **building friendships**. Ron continues to **disciple him**, and the boy is showing **leadership** by inviting friends to **Good News Club**.

We are grateful that the Lord is allowing us not only to **minister to children** through Good News Club, but also to **build meaningful relationships** with them. We are also seeking ways to help **connect children to local churches** when transportation is a challenge.

Please join us in praying that the Lord will continue to raise up partners to support this ministry through **prayer and financial giving**.

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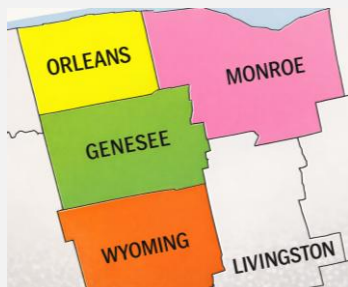
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