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# Spreading the Word

CEF of West Texas, Panhandle Chapter

October 2022 - Summer Ministry Update

**Christian Youth in Action®** is a two week summer training program designed to equip young people to share the Gospel with children. The Panhandle Chapter had ten students complete the training, and we celebrated their accomplishment with a commencement exercise at Westcliff Bible Church on June 24. The team has had monthly get togethers to continue relationship building and to have some fun.

The CYIA team was responsible for conducting and teaching eleven **5-Day Clubs®** from June 20 through August 5. These clubs were held in Amarillo, Borger, Sunray, Cactus, Spearman, and Perryton. Bible stories were taught, games were played, songs were sung, and Bible verses were learned as the children gathered for five days.



There were 276 children reached with eight professions of faith in Jesus, 108 Bibles given away, and \$1,065.27 raised for the Ukraine Mission Project! The CYIA team did an impressive job of sharing Jesus as well as exhibiting excellent team-work skills.



**Camp Good News®** was from July 11-15 at Gibson Baptist Assembly in Hardesty, Oklahoma. When we began the process of putting things together for this year's camp, we adopted the slogan, "expect the unexpected", and the "unexpected" things became such blessings. Our regular camp nurse was unable to attend this year; however, her mother, Sandra Sell, took on the role and was a

blessing to the whole camp experience. We were short on staff but had many new capable leaders who took on dual and triple roles. We were having issues finding transportation options, but Pavillard Baptist Church and Prairie View Baptist Church loaned us their vans (and some drivers). Overall, there were 68 campers, 19 counselors, and 11 staff. Two children received the Lord as Savior, and many received much needed counseling for life and growing decisions.



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**344 kids**  
reached with the  
Gospel during  
summer 2022



# The Fall 2022 Good News Club Ministry is Underway...

Three **Good News Clubs**® and one Party Club have already started this fall. There will be one additional Party Club starting in November, and two new Good News Clubs will be starting in December. We are thankful for our faithful volunteers who bring the Good News to the kids of the Panhandle. Please pray with us as our clubs continue and as new clubs are started.



## Mark Your Calendars for our 2022 Fundraiser *Non-Event* Starting November 29

This year, in lieu of having a fundraising event, we are dedicating all of our time, money, and resources to our mission. We will be having a fundraiser “non-event” for 2022, and it is sure to be the Texas Panhandle’s most anticipated non-event of the year.

**Watch your mailbox next month for your invitation!**

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## *A Good News Story*

“I learned (at camp) to accept Jesus and use Him in my life to make me a better person.”

*-Camp Good News attendee*



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