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EVERY NATION

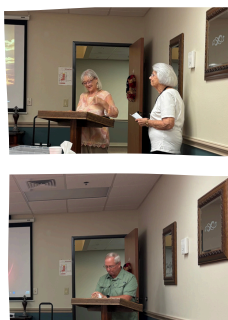
EVERY DAY

Season of Change

Sometimes change feels like starting over. But sometimes, it is where we get to see God rebuilding something beautiful.

Since 2020, the CEF of West Texas Panhandle has experienced more change than we ever could have expected. When the pandemic hit, so much of ministry came to a stop. Schools changed, clubs stopped meeting, volunteers stepped away, and in many ways, it felt like we were starting from the ground up. We know many people don't like to look back on that season. It was hard. But as we enter fall—a season of change and a season of thanksgiving—we can't help but look back and see how faithful our Lord has been through it all.

This year, we have continued to rebuild and grow. We will have completed three ministry trainings, with another special training coming up focused on children with special needs, including ADHD and Autism. Certified educators will be joining us to help our staff and volunteers better understand and serve the children God has placed in our clubs.



One of our biggest focuses this season has been making sure our staff and volunteers are equipped. Our first priority will always be sharing the Good News of Jesus, but we also want to make sure we are prepared to care for children well, follow safety procedures, and faithfully use the CEF curriculum.

A volunteer at Western Plateau Elementary shared about a special moment during their club. As the teachers shared the Gospel and invited the children to respond, one little girl raised her hand. Later, she talked with the teachers and shared that she believed on Jesus that day. **One child. One decision. One eternal life changed.**

The season may change. The ministry updates may change. Our circumstances may change. But the Gospel never changes. That is why we keep going. And this fall, we are simply thankful to be here—still sharing, still serving, still growing, and still watching God open doors for children to hear the Good News of Jesus.



Training in Perryton

Our Local Director, Bunny recently traveled to Perryton to hold a CEF training for a faithful group of volunteers. We were also blessed to have our State Director, Caprice, join us as a special speaker!

The ladies learned about everything from organizing a Good News Club to using our newest technology through CEF+. We are so thankful for volunteers who continue to learn, grow, and prepare!

NEWSLETTER HIGHLIGHTS

GOOD NEWS CLUBS,
EVENTS, FALL
MINISTRY

FEATURED GOOD NEWS
CLUBS AND ALL AFTER-
SCHOOL CLUBS

VOLUNTEER
SPOTLIGHT

FROM THE LOCAL
DIRECTOR

PRAYER REQUESTS
CONTACT INFO, & CEF
MISSION STATEMENT



"HEREIN IS MY FATHER
GLORIFIED, THAT YE BEAR
MUCH FRUIT; SO SHALL YE BE
MY DISCIPLES."
JOHN 15:8 KJV



Good News Clubs:

- Amarillo Collegiate Academy , Bushland Elementary School, Wills Elementary School, Pavillard Baptist Church, Perryton Williams Intermediate, Perryton Wright Elementary, Tradewinds Elementary School, Western Plateau Elementary School, Landergin Elementary School.

Party Clubs:

- Avondale Elementary School, Southlawn Elementary School, Martha's Home

JYC:

- Amarillo Collegiate Academy

CEF WTX Panhandle Stats:

- Good News Clubs = 9
- Party Clubs = 3
- Junior Youth Challenge(s) = 1
- 5-Day Clubs = 13
- Christmas Party Clubs = 17

OTHER:

- Camp Good News = 54 attendees
- Christian Youth in Action Students = 7

-Volunteer Spotlight-

Since 2024, **Joash Rodriguez** has faithfully served with **Child Evangelism Fellowship of West Texas Panhandle** through *Good News Clubs*. While he may not always be the person standing at the front of the room, Joash is truly **the heart behind the ministry** at Emerson and Wills Elementary Schools.

Joash currently serves as a Memory Verse Teacher and also helps with the technology behind the club, making sure songs, lessons, and other parts of the program run smoothly. He has a gift for teaching and music.

One of Joash's favorite parts of serving has been being part of a **bilingual Good News Club**. He shared, *"I love reading the Bible to the children in Spanish and English and hearing them read it back. We encourage the children to discuss the Bible openly in their language if a classmate doesn't understand in English."*

Through his quiet, faithful service, Joash is helping create a place where children can hear God's Word, understand it, and share it with one another.

When asked what encouragement he would give to others who are considering serving, Joash said:

"Love God and love your neighbor, boldly sharing about our Lord Jesus Christ."

We are so thankful for Joash and the way he faithfully uses the gifts God has given him to serve children and advance the Gospel!

Whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, as to the Lord.
Colossians 3:23 KJV



Photo of
Joash Rodriguez



From the Local Chapter

Director: Bunny Baldwin

SCAN & LET US KNOW HOW WE
CAN PRAY WITH YOU HERE:



HOW YOU CAN PRAY FOR US:

- Each Individual Club listed in the Newsletter
- The volunteers and staff of CEF WTX Panhandle
- Another possible JYC ministry
- Financial provision for the yearly budget
- Hiring of new possible staff
- The Vision Dinner for spring 2027
- For others to hear about the ministry

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