



MARCK Messenger

Child Evangelism Fellowship® of Ohio, Inc., MARCK Chapter

Morrow-Ashland-Richland-Crawford-Knox Counties

April/May 2022

Jehovah Jireh – God provides!

Julie Brown

Things are in constant motion all year around for Solid Rock Ministries. *God provides* wonderful funding through our summer rummage sale and private donations. As a result, we are able to support a winter coat give-away, a Christmas Shop for our Good News kids, and supplies for our weekly Good News Club® during the school year, as well as a summer 5-Day Club®.

Many of our kids come from difficult home situations, so we are especially thankful that God has given them the desire and ability to come to Good News Club to learn about our Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ. We've enjoyed seeing God's creative glory in one of the kids as he participates in the

short drama skits during lesson time. He really has a talent for speaking in a voice that just might even "sound like" Abraham! (see photo on right)

God has given us many opportunities to share His love through teachings, various interactions with the children, praying for their individual prayer requests, and at times ministering to the physical needs of their families. God has answered some very specific prayer requests! Several children have professed Christ, with one desiring to be baptized soon. *Please pray with us that entire families will be saved through the ministry of Good News Club.* May our Lord protect and complete the work He is doing in this neighborhood!



Solid Rock Good News Club at Hickory Grove Mobile home park in Johnsville

Steps of Faith



Doug and Nancy Lillo volunteer together at Wynford Elementary GNC in Bucyrus.

Crawford County Public school art teacher, Doug Lillo, has a burden and love for the students at Wynford Elementary in Bucyrus. He previously taught at the elementary school and is now teaching the high school students. Even though he isn't working at Wynford Elementary, he and his wife, Nancy, chose to keep the club going there, along with a number of staff from Wynford. One of his key volunteers retired from the school and could no longer help at the club, but a number of other staff from the school have stepped in to help. At a March club, Doug had been counseling a child for salvation while Nancy

was teaching a missionary story. She taught about what it means to be consecrated or totally committed to the Lord. In the story, the girl Adhiambo had shown her total commitment to God by stepping into a drawn circle with BOTH feet. Nancy drew an imaginary circle to symbolize the choice to step into the circle to show obedience to following the Lord. Shortly after, all 20+ of the children stood up and chose to step into the imaginary circle, showing their desire to follow after God! Nancy said it was so amazing and encouraging to see all of the children respond the way they did!



It's That Time of Year!

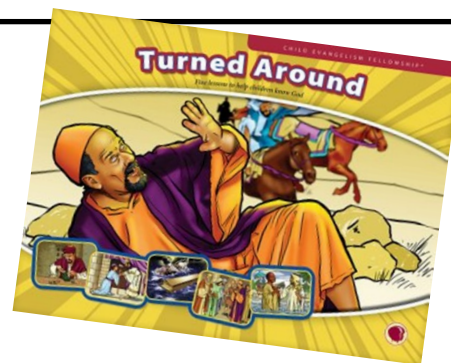
5-Day Club® Training

Saturday, May 21 9:00-12:00 pm

at Mansfield Alliance Church, 291 W. Cook Rd., Mansfield **OR**

Monday, May 23 6:00-9:00 pm

also at Mansfield Alliance Church



Demos, Helps, Refreshments, Friends!
Superhero theme this year!
RSVP by May 18th at 419-756-7799.

One of our 5-Day Club hostesses from last summer said that a little girl in her neighborhood who came last summer was already asking in the winter time, *“When is 5-Day Club going to be? Are you going to do it again??”*

The Wiggly Kid

Patty Arvidson



There is always at least one child in your club that just cannot sit still. I have two in one of my clubs. I was sure they were not getting much out of the lessons. At any given time they could be kneeling on the chair, standing, jumping around, and just constant motion. They exaggerated every

motion or activity for songs, memory verses or interacting during the lesson. At least I knew they were listening to that part of the lesson. They knew **how** to move. When it was time for the review game, I put them on opposite teams thinking I should not put two on the same team who, I was sure, would not be able to answer. During the review game,

only one person on the team can answer, but they can get help from team members. Not only did they get their questions right, they were able to help their teams; and they usually answered with the exact wording I had used in the lesson. I'm so thankful that God made us all unique and continues to remind me of His creativity.

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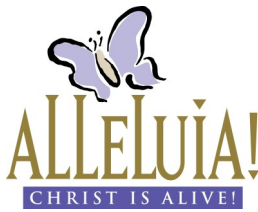
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CEF of MARCK April 2022 PRAISE & PRAYER

1. Pray for **CYIA™ Spring Retreat** today and tomorrow at Inspiration Hills, Burbank, OH.
2. Former CYIA, **Katie Walthour**, is getting married this summer! Praise Jesus!
3. Search me, O God and know my heart. Keep your servants pure! (Psalm 139:23)
4. Thank God for over 200 guests coming to the CEF Banquet tomorrow.
5. **CEF Fundraising Banquet:** Pray for Dale Hudson (Speaker) and everyone coming to the Banquet today at Berean, Mansfield.
6. Thank the Lord for his showers of blessings in our lives, physically and spiritually.
7. Lord, help us to “redeem the time for the days are evil” (Ephesians 5:16).
8. God “heals the brokenhearted” (Psalm 147:3) Help families in their brokenness.
9. Ask God to provide teachers willing to take the **Teaching Children Effectively™** Level 1 course again this summer/fall.

10. Pray for **Patty Arvidson**, as she continues to faithfully serve the LORD with CEF.
11. Thank **Jehoveh Jireh** that He will provide who we need to come on staff in a **Ministry Coordinator Position**.
12. Pray for God’s blessing on the CEF of MARCK **Local Committee meeting tonight**.
13. Pray for the LORD to provide 10 youth to attend the CYIA™ Training (June 12-18).
14. Praise God for the grant CEF received to provide scholarships for CYIA training!
15. **Good Friday.** Christ died for our sins!
16. Thank God for our Treasurer, **Mark Boyd** who is also CEF of Ohio Treasurer.
17. **Easter Sunday! Jesus has risen from the dead! He is RISEN INDEED!**
18. Pray for saved children to grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus.
19. **TODAY is the RSVP deadline for the Volunteer Appreciation on April 26.** Thank the Lord for all our volunteers!
20. Ask **Jehoveh Jireh** to provide 5-Day Club® hostesses for this summer.

21. Ask God for wisdom & guidance for **Director, Dale Baer**, as he plans for future.
22. Pray for people to register for the two 5-Day Club trainings coming up.
23. Pray for new church partnerships to conduct more Good News Clubs this fall.
24. **Thank God for FREEDOM IN CHRIST!**
25. Pray for the final preparations for the **Volunteer Appreciation Ice Cream Social tomorrow at Berean at 6:30 PM.**
26. Volunteer Appreciation Ice Cream Social today at Berean. Pray all goes well.
27. **Praise God for the fact that He is our Jehovah Jireh, our PROVIDER!**
28. Praise God for hard working pastors. Pray for the Richland county pastors’ meeting today in Lexington.
29. Lord, bless the **CEF State of Ohio staff meeting today in Mt. Vernon.**
30. Pray for churches and individuals to partner with CEF & 5-Day Clubs this year.



May 2022 PRAISE & PRAYER

1. Pray for God’s guidance in providing a Ministry Coordinator (staff position) for our chapter.
2. **Praise God for His FAITHFULNESS, LOVE, MERCY and His HOLINESS!**
3. Pray for God’s blessing on the CEF Zoom prayer meeting today at 1 PM.
4. Pray for the summer **5-Day Club®** ministry and for many volunteers to help.
5. **National Day of Prayer TODAY!**
6. Thank God for the growing ministry in Knox County. Ask God to continue to bless and guide the ministry there.
7. Pray for Patty Arvidson as she continues as a Missionary Fieldworker.
8. **Mother’s Day!** Thank God for all mothers today and pray for them!
9. Praise God for Spring and new life!
10. Pray for Godly wisdom and unity for the CEF Board as we meet today.

11. Pray for CEF President Reese Kauffman as he speaks online today (11 AM).
12. Ask God for help and direction for CYIA and summer ministry.
13. Lord, help children who struggle with lying and stealing. Set them FREE!
14. Lord, help us to pray without ceasing for the lost all around us.
15. Pray for all CYIA to have their applications completed by today’s DEADLINE.
16. Pray for all the CEF instructors that they will prepare for teaching at CYIA.
17. **Praise:** Almost 2,000 children reached in ministry this year and 144 saved so far!
18. Lord, help the CYIA students finish their Pre-Training Manual due June 2.
19. Pray for churches to partner with CEF this summer to sponsor a day at the fair.
20. Pray for Dale Baer and Patty Arvidson as they prepare for the 5-Day Club training tomorrow.
21. Pray for 5-Day Club training 9-12 pm at MAC, that God would be honored.

22. Pray for a good team of CYIA willing to give of their time to reach kids for the Lord Jesus Christ this summer!
23. Lord, guide this second identical 5-Day Club training at MAC today 6-9pm.
24. Thank God for the open doors for 5-Day Clubs to take place this summer.
25. Praise God for the U-Nite TV and U-Nite Radio ministries online for kids!
26. Ask Jehoveh Jireh to provide more CEF workers worldwide to share of Jesus!
27. Praise God for CYIA planning team who is meeting today (10-2:30 PM).
28. Praise God from whom all blessings flow! **“The Lord is my LIGHT”** (Psalm 27:1).
29. Pray for CEF Press as they prepare and print materials for ministry.
30. Pray for Kyle Latchaw, CEF of Ohio State Director as he prepares for CYIA.
31. Pray for wisdom for 5-Day Club summer ministry scheduling so many children will be reached with the Gospel.



Volunteer Ice Cream Social!



Volunteered with CEF this past year? You're invited to a CEF®.

Volunteer Appreciation Ice Cream Social!

An evening of fun & encouragement

WHEN? Tuesday, April 26th

6:30-8:30pm

WHERE? Berean Student Center

2145 Middle Bellville Road

RSVP by April 19th to the CEF Office at 419-756-7799



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Hours

(can make appt. also!)

M-W-F 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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Redeeming the Time
Fundraising Banquet
April 5, 2022
6:30-8:30 p.m.
Guest Speaker, Author
Dale Hudson



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