



"The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest." *Luke 10:2*

Every Child. Every Nation. Every Day.

October 15, 2026



Go & Tell:

Children Reaching Children

This past Saturday we had our 4th Go and Tell Training - and the Lord moved again in the most beautiful way! God brought some amazing kiddos who have wonderful hearts for the Lord, very thought-provoking questions, and a burden for friends and family who don't know Jesus.

Go and Tell trainings have quickly become one of my favorite things we do because we get to hear directly from kids an explanation of the gospel in the sweetest way.

Pray for these kids as they have now been commissioned to live out this training and share the gospel with their peers.

Luke 10:2 - Prayers being answered!

One of the goals the Lord set before us last year was to train 75 new volunteers. This was and still seems to be an impossible goal...in our own strength. And yet, after a year of prayer and diligently training a few new volunteers every month, we were surprised to arrive at a total of 77 new volunteers! It is always amazing that the Lord not only hears us, but chooses to answer our prayers!



We have heard from many of our volunteers about how God has burdened their heart for the children in our community. From words from friends, moving news stories, and even dreams - we are sensing the Lord is sending out laborers into this vital harvest.

Are you burdened for the lost?

You can start the volunteer process today by clicking the link to fill out the volunteer paperwork!

[Volunteer Paperwork](#)

Next, you will need to attend a volunteer training. Our next training will be Saturday October 24 @ 9:00am (In Salinas, location TBD). Lunch will be provided!

Please register by emailing centralcoast@cefnorcal.org

We look forward to seeing you there!



Holidays for Him!

It has been such a privilege to see how God uses holiday fairs to reach children for Him! At CEF we desire to make the most of every opportunity to share the gospel message with children in our community. In the next few months there are many opportunities for YOU to serve alongside us to bring the Good News to the Lost!

Gospel Pumpkins

We use this pumpkin themed outreach throughout the fall. This outreach is so incredible as it's sensory, thematic, and FUN! Sign up to serve:

- October 25th at Compass Church (10 volunteer spots)
- October 28th at Lighthouse Baptist in Seaside (3 volunteer spots)
- October 31st at First Baptist Church of Salinas (5 volunteer spots)



Training provided as needed, sign up through the link here:

[Fall Outreach Sign-Ups](#)



The BEST gift 🎁 to give at Christmas!

Christmas has also been such a wonderful time for the gospel to go forth!

At Christmas we celebrate God's gift to us - and we remember that our blessings from Him ought to bless those around us. We invite you to join with us in bringing the best gift ever to the children around us. This Christmas please consider:

- 🎁 Serving with us at a Christmas gospel booth.
- 🎁 Hosting a Christmas Party Club
- 🎁 Serving with a Christmas Party Club.

Vision Dinner Recap

We are pleased to share that our 2nd Annual Vision Dinner was a success! The Lord packed the room full of new faces with whom we shared CEF's mission and outlined the vision that the Lord has set before us for this coming year. We have since heard several testimonies from attendees that they feel the Lord is calling them to serving with CEF, and that is just in the last three weeks! We are excited to see all the ways the Lord will continue to work because of this dinner!



And we are praising the Lord that we have raised \$258,085 towards our goal of \$275,000!

After two years of experience and some wise feedback, we are planning to host our 3rd Annual Vision Dinner in the **Spring of 2027**. We hope to see you there!



October 2022



Easter 2026

4 Years In!

I started with CEF four years ago this October and in these four years God has taught me so many invaluable lessons! I have learned first-hand how our good Lord provides for all our needs. In Matthew, Jesus tells His followers to consider the sparrows and the lilies - how they need not worry because God takes care of them. Then we are admonished to seek first the Kingdom, and God will add all we need to our lives. Year after year we have seen God provide all that we need as a family and in the ministry. As Hudson Taylor said, "God's work done in God's way will never lack God's supply."

Another lesson the Lord has taught has been His strength in our weakness. In November 2024 I was diagnosed with type 1 diabetes, and have learned acutely that where I am weak the Lord is strong! God does not use only those who are fully capable, but also those who are willing to serve despite their weakness. His grace is sufficient!

Finally, I have been blown away with how the Lord builds His church! Year in and year out He has called and equipped believers to this work. And the CEF Central Coast missionary team is a testament to the prayers of so many of you!

I cannot wait to see all that God will do in the years to come! He continues to show Himself faithful.



Love, Keri!

Nothing will stop God from reaching His children with the Gospel!

Join us in praising Him for what He has done and praying for the ministry to continue to grow.

Thank you for reading!

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