

Vision Newsletter

NEWS – STORIES - EVENTS

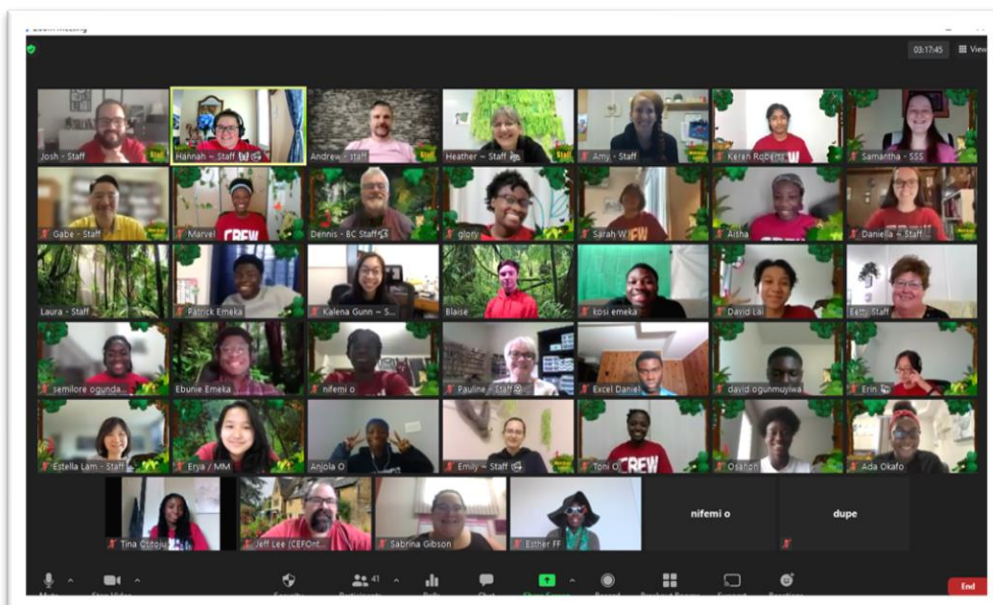
From the Desk:

Because of you....

We have just finished our first week of Online 5-Day Club here in BC, Manitoba, and Ontario. And we have been encouraged by what we've been hearing from the field!

“The group of kids that I taught for my first week were from Hartford Baptist Church, and there was this girl, Shekinah, who really surprised me. She really picked up on the little details in the Missionary Story, and learnt the Memory Verse quite quickly. I haven't seen many children who remember and memorize details that fast. Also, I personally felt that God filled me with the Holy Spirit when I was teaching the kids. God helped me be more confident/encouraged while I was speaking and telling the children in my group about the Good News.”

“We asked if Alivia remembered the main truths and she gave them from two and three days ago. Nailah said the whole Bible verse on the last day. When asked about sin, Alivia answered by preaching the entire gospel - about the need for salvation, Jesus dying for us and everything!”



Prayer Requests from the CEF Summer Team

1. Pray for the children as they come to 5-Day Club. Pray for open hearts to the message.
2. Pray for the boys and girls who have already been to club. Continue to pray as the Gospel works in their hearts.
3. Pray for the Summer Missionaries that they will stay rested and healthy as they teach and interact with children all summer long.
4. Pray for the staff as they support the clubs and make plans for ministry in the fall.
5. Praise God for the children who have heard and responded to the Gospel in the first weeks of club.

Thank you, once again, for making it possible for these clubs to happen and for being a part of what is happening here in BC, and across Canada. Have a great summer and I look forward to passing on remarkable stories and reports.

Check out our Facebook page for more pictures and stories from this summer! www.facebook.com/bccef

Summer Stories...

Kalena, our summer intern, said:

“The beginning of my summer consisted mostly of contacting people to support me spiritually, financially, emotionally, or a combination of the three. Each year, I try to add at least one new supporter from the previous year. I am excited that in addition to having 4 new supporters, I also have a non-Christian supporter on the list to receive my email updates! I’m praying that the Holy Spirit will work through my emails and that in reading my accounts of God’s love and the wonders of His works, a curiosity about God would begin to grow in my friend’s heart.

Leading up to SMT, I have busied myself in helping to finalize the manual that will be used by the Summer Missionaries as they run their clubs. As well, I have been editing the Bible Lesson and Object Lesson videos. I have especially enjoyed editing the Object Lessons because in exploring how to make the videos engaging in different ways – like through images and animations, I have been able to use more of my imagination and have gotten the opportunity to expand my skillset in video editing.

During SMT, I get the blessing of being a Work Group leader with Jeff (a staff member from CEF Ontario), a Games team leader, and a Devotional leader. I’m enthused about all three as one of my prayers for this summer was that I would be able to build a connection with at least two summer missionaries. You can also join me in prayer that over the summer, God will reveal something to me about His love according to the 5 main truths we will be teaching the kids: God’s love is unexpected, for everyone, shows mercy, brings hope, and never gives up.”

Welcome Home:

Welcome Home is an event, on **August 14**, where we celebrate what God has done during the summer. If you would like to attend this virtual event to hear stories, see pictures, and hear from the CREW (Summer Missionaries) and staff – contact the office and we will get you the meeting details. Looking forward to seeing you there!

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CLUBS

Pray for the Holy Spirit to be working in the hearts of children as they come to clubs.

2

SUMMER

Pray for the Summer Missionaries as they are on Zoom each day, sharing the Gospel with children.

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STAFF

Pray for energy as all our staff instruct, supervise, follow-up, and set up ministry for the fall.