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*“Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened
and I will give you rest.”* Matt 11:28

These are the times that try our souls. Conversations of quarantine, the virus, and election fraud have caused unrest, anxiety, and fear in many families. Children have picked up on the tensions and they are trying to deal with the impact this is having on their own lives. Their anxiety levels rise as they experience isolation from family, school, friends, and church. These continual changes make having a normal routine impossible. But God wants girls and boys to know Him so that they might find comfort, peace, and love in the midst of all the chaos in these difficult times. Jesus said, *“Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.”* Matt 19:14. Because of His love for the boys and girls, God works in mighty ways so that the gospel can be shared with them.

Just last month, several groups of children had the opportunity to hear the gospel in Good News Club. At one club, the children were glued as they listened to the Bible lesson. As God was giving His message to the boys and girls through the Bible teacher the children learned how to trust in God during difficult times. At the end of the lesson when the invitation was given one boy responded and invited Jesus into his life.

At another club, a boy, after hearing the gospel, immediately blurted out “I want to ask Jesus into my life!” Two different boys at two different locations knew exactly what they wanted. They wanted Jesus! They were so excited to talk to Jesus and ask Him into their lives. What a joy it was to witness the power of God and His heart for the children!

Your support of this ministry allows us to focus on innovative ways to reach the children. Our newest endeavor to reach kids with the gospel is offering online party clubs! We also have some young adults signed up to take a training course in January that will help them develop Bible lessons to help kids have a deeper understanding of God.

Jesus said, *“Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.”* Matt 11:29 We thank the Lord for you and for your steadfast love for the children. We pray that you will experience His rest for your soul during these times.

Wishing you and your family a very Merry Christmas and blessed New Year!

Jenny, Sue, Ray & Mercy
and
your Local CEF Committee

Thank you for considering us in your year-end giving!

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