



CEF® of WV, Inc—New River Area Chapter

Praise & Prayer

April 2018



Call to Prayer – Colossians 4:2-4

Continue in prayer, and watch in the same with thanksgiving. Withal praying also for us, that God would open unto us a door of utterance, to speak the mystery of Christ, for which I am also in bonds: That I may make it manifest, as I ought to speak, to walk wisely toward those who have not yet come to the true knowledge of Christ.

Praises

Good News Club®/JYouConnection™

- Ansted Elementary GNC (22 enrolled, 5 responded)
- Ansted Middle JYC (59 enrolled, 7 responded)
- Beckley Elementary GNC (64 enrolled, 9 responded)
- Bradley Elementary GNC (29 enrolled, 5 responded)
- Coal City Elementary GNC (32 enrolled, 6 responded)
- Crab Orchard Elementary GNC(45 enrolled, 4 responded)
- Cranberry-Prosperity Elementary GNC(12 enrolled, 4 responded)
- Crescent Elementary GNC (43 enrolled, 23 responded)
- Daniels Elementary GNC (52 enrolled, 1 responded)
- Fayetteville Elementary GNC (13 enrolled)
- Ghent Elementary GNC (48 enrolled, 4 responded)
- Maxwell Hill Elementary GNC (23 enrolled, 4 responded)
- Shady Spring Elementary GNC (80 enrolled, 7 responded)
- Shady Spring Middle JYC (13 enrolled)
- Sophia Soak Creek Elementary GNC (37 enrolled, 3 responded)
- Stanaford Elementary GNC (50 enrolled, 4 responded)
- Stratton Elementary GNC (19 enrolled, 9 responded)
- White Sulphur Springs Elementary GNC (56 enrolled)

Ministry Office Praises

- Mercer County has been opened with Good News Club ministries!

Prayer Requests

- CEF international ministry established in remaining countries
- God's increase in general finances (additional \$800/month)
- Good health and strength for ministry volunteers
- County Coordinators for all 11 New River Area Counties
- McDowell/Mercer County Schools of the Week: (see blue box on back)
- God's continued work in opening doors in new counties
- Training and school adoptions in Greenbrier, Mercer, Nicholas counties (for more information, contact our office at 304.253.4554 or call/text 304.573.9030)
- God's selection for candidate instructors from around nation to be trained in the IOT 1 course held this summer (for more information, contact our office at 304.253.4554 or call/text 304.573.9030)
- God's selection of summer 2018 CYIA ACTIONTEAM (for more information or to apply, contact our office at 304.253.4554 or call/text 304.573.9030)
- God's plan for summer 5-Day Club/VBS locations (for more information, contact our office at 304.253.4554 or call/text 304.573.9030)
 - Week of July 2—McDowell and Wyoming counties
 - Week of July 9—Fayette, Nicholas and Raleigh counties
 - Week of July 16—Fayette, Nicholas and Raleigh counties
 - Week of July 23—Greenbrier and Monroe counties
 - Teaching Little Kids Course (White Sulphur)
 - Week of July 31—Mercer and Summers county
 - Week of Aug 6—TCE 2 Course, Raleigh County

Upcoming Events

Mark your calendar and pray

- Every Monday
 - Ansted Middle School JYC
- Every Tuesday
 - Beckley Elementary GNC
 - Crescent Elementary GNC
 - Shady Middle School JYC
 - Stanaford Elementary GNC
 - Stratton Elementary GNC
- Every Wednesday
 - Ansted Elementary GNC
- Every Thursday
 - Bradley Elementary GNC
 - Fayetteville Elementary GNC
 - Maxwell Hill Elementary GNC
- Every Friday
 - Crab-Orchard Elementary GNC
 - White Sulphur Springs Elementary GNC



•Accepting ACTION TEAM CYIA 2018 applications

(for more information or to apply, contact our office at 304.253.4554 or call/text 304.573.9030)

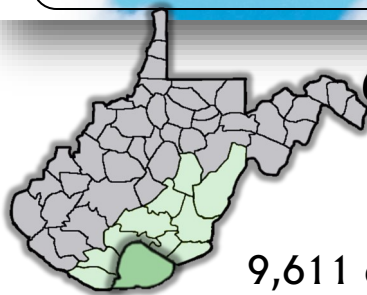
- April 6 — CEF New River Area Prayer Lunch (for more information, contact our office at 304.253.4554 or call/text 304.573.9030)
- April 14 — Mercer Elementary School Good News Club TEAM Meeting
- April 24 — Mercer Elementary School Good News Club starts (for more information, contact our office at 304.253.4554 or call/text 304.573.9030)
- April 28 — CEF New River Area Summer Ministries Yard Sale (for more information, contact our office at 304.253.4554 or call/text 304.573.9030)
- April 30 — CEF New River Area Committee Meeting
- May 1 — Kidz at Heart Preschool GNC starts
 - Learning Tree Preschool GNC starts
 - Kidz at Heart Daycare GNC starts



Pray for our team as many have now returned to school and college.
Thank you for praying for our ACTION TEAM and for being part of their prayer and financial support team

Alissa Kirby * Ben Shumate * Emma Carroll * Hayden Critchley * Joshua Dickerson * Joshua Wilson * Josiah Kratz * Judah Kratz * Katie Swaggerty * Olivia Bragg * Smiley Weatherford

Praise and Prayer continues on back



County of the Month Mercer

9,611 children in public schools

- Pray churches will adopt Mercer county schools to host an after-school *Good News Club*
- Pray for Mercer County Coordinator

- Indicates ministry has taken place
- Indicates praying for church/ministry team to adopt

County Schools

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Athens Elementary School | <input type="checkbox"/> Melrose Elementary School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bluefield Intermediate School | <input type="checkbox"/> Memorial Primary School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bluewell Elementary School | <input type="checkbox"/> Mercer Elementary School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brushfork Elementary School | <input type="checkbox"/> Montcalm Elementary School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ceres Elementary School | <input type="checkbox"/> Oakvale School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Glenwood School | <input type="checkbox"/> Princeton Primary School |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kidz at Hart Preschool/Daycare | <input type="checkbox"/> Spanishburg School |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Learning Tree Preschool/Daycare | <input type="checkbox"/> Straley Elementary School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lashmeet/Matoaka School | <input type="checkbox"/> Sun Valley Elementary School |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Whitethorn Elementary School |

2017-2018 Good News Club[®] Schools

• Pray for these Good News Clubs (GNC) and JYouConnection Clubs (JYC) listed below and for additional clubs this school year...

- ✓ Ansted Middle JYC
- ✓ Ansted Elementary
- ✓ Beckley Elementary
- ✓ Bradley Elementary
- ✓ Coal City Elementary
- ✓ Crab Orchard Elementary
- ✓ Cranberry-Prosperity Elementary
- ✓ Crescent Elementary
- ✓ Daniels Elementary
- ✓ Fayetteville Elementary
- ✓ Ghent Elementary
- ✓ Kidz at Hart Preschool (Re-start May 1)
- ✓ Kidz at Hart Daycare (Re-start May 1)
- ✓ Learning Tree Preschool (Re-start May 1)
- ✓ Maxwell Hill Elementary
- ✓ Mercer Elementary (Start Date: April 24, 2018)
- ✓ Sophia-Soak Creek Elementary (Fall semester)
- ✓ Shady Spring Elementary
- ✓ Shady Spring Middle JYC
- ✓ Stanaford Elementary
- ✓ Stratton Elementary
- ✓ White Sulphur Springs Elementary

Schools indicated in **Green** are **NEW** schools started during the current ministry year.

Ministry Focus



CEF Military Children's Ministry[™] (MCM)

CEF Military Children's Ministry[™] (MCM) is an outreach to the children of families who serve in our military.

2 million children under age 11 have family members in US military service. These children face big issues, such as parental deployment and death at a young age. Saying goodbye to friends is frequent as families are reassigned. CEF MCM seeks to have a *Good News Club* established in every military-based school to offer hope of Christ and provide social stability from base to base.

- Pray for national, state and local government, legislation, and judicial decisions affecting the children
- Safety of military children's parents
- *Good News Club* program will spread into all military base schools

As Spring and Summer approaches, our New River Area Open Air/Fair Ministry team invites youth groups and adults to join us in ministry as a church family. We prayerfully urge you to adopt a day/evening from the upcoming events.

For a full schedule brochure and/or to adopt a day/evening, contact CEF office at 304.253.4554 or Bob at 304.237.4743



Local Ministry Staff

Pray for good health, spiritual wisdom/discernment, ministry direction, daily provision and protection

- *John Camp, New River Area Director/Instructor of Teachers
- *Dana Ferguson, Office Manager
- *Gary and Fay Walker, Fayette/Nicholas County Coordinator
- *Joy Potter, Children's Ministry Specialist

Committee Members

- ☞ Spencer Hammons, Chairman
 - ☞ John Greenwald, Vice Chairman, Raleigh County Coordinator
 - ☞ Laura Martin, Secretary
 - Chris Smith, Treasurer
 - J D Hughes
 - Josie Meyer, Greenbrier County Coordinator (Volunteer)
 - King Mitchell
 - Bob Norman, Carabiner Project/Fair Ministry Coordinator (Volunteer)
 - Dr Earl Parvin
 - Robin Scott, Mercer County Coordinator (Volunteer)
 - Katie Swaggerty, CYIA ACTIONTEAM Representative
- (☞ Indicates chapter representative on CEF of WV State board)

New River Area Schools of the Week

This month our prayer focus are for the following **McDowell/Mercer County** Schools. Weekly emails will follow with more prayer details.

Week 2—McDowell

- 🏠 Kimball Elementary
- 🏠 Mount View Middle
- 🏠 Sandy River Middle

Week 4—Mercer

- 🏠 Athens Elementary
- 🏠 Bluefield Intermediate
- 🏠 Bluefield Middle

Week 3—McDowell

- 🏠 Southside Elementary
- 🏠 Sunlight Ministries
- 🏠 Welch Elementary

Key

- 🏠 School currently has GNC/JYC
- 🏠 School had GNC/JYC in past
- 🏠 School has not had GNC/JYC