



March/April 2022

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South Central Chapter
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CEF® Fund Gathering Banquet “For Such A Time as This”

The Banquet was held at the Scioto Township Hall on South Watt St. on March 1, 2022. The tables were dressed with colors of the Wordless Book. The centerpiece was a world globe to symbolize the ministry of *Child Evangelism Fellowship®* around the world.



Committee Chairman Leah Mar Hoover welcomed everyone. Pastor Mark Clendaniel from the Jefferson Ave. CCCU gave the opening prayer.



Rev. John Nunley and the Hutchison Girls were the Singers



Shelah Sparks Ministry Coordinator gave the

ministry report for the Chapter, highlighting 5-Day Clubs, Good News Clubs, Party Clubs, and the Good News Caboose at the Ross County Fair. She also spoke about the addition of nine counties to the chapter resulting in the name change.

Celebrating 60+ Years of Ministry was the focus of the speakers Joyce Warner and Nancy Chaffin. Joyce, whose husband Gary, designed and built the caboose told about how the caboose came to be. Steve Whited gave a testimony of hearing the story of the Wordless Book and how it had impacted his life. Nancy gave a power point presentation of CEF® in Ross County using newspaper articles and minutes from the early years that told of the events of the early years and those that were involved in it.



Kyle Latchaw, CEF® of Ohio State Director challenged with the urgent need for us to get involved and the importance of prayer in reaching the next generation for Christ.



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!!ATTENTION!!

Volunteer Training

When: March 19, 2022

11: AM – 2: PM

Where: Jefferson Ave. CCCU
770 Jefferson Ave.
Chillicothe, Ohio

A Volunteer Training is scheduled with Kathy Horner CEF® of Ohio State Education Director as the instructor.

Good News Caboose



Dogwood Festival

Where: Piketon Ohio

When: April 21 – 24

Caboose is open from 11: AM until 8: PM. Workers needed for 3 hour shifts on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Contact: Shelah Sparks
@ 740-804-7651



June 12-18

Cedarville University

CYIA an exciting program for teens aged 12-18 to learn to present the Gospel on a Child's level, council for salvation and lead a 5-Day club

!!WE ARE GOING BACK TO SCHOOL!!

Ministry Coordinator Shelah Sparks met with Intermediate School Principal Josh Tripp to secure permission to resume the Good News Club in his school. The GNC will meet on Thursdays for 5 weeks beginning April 7th anyone who helps with the club must attend the training on March 19.



Valentine Party Clubs

Three Valentine were held in February.



One at Sherman Park, one at Lincoln Park and one at Massieville.



CEF of Ohio South Central Chapter is looking for churches to partner with us to reach the boys and girls in all of the counties in our Chapter.

What is Church Partnerships?

The official guide to Church Partnerships "The Plan" describes it like this:

Church Partnership is CEF® and the local working in cooperation with the same vision, passion and goal of caring out the Great Commission. Together we become a powerful team in evangelizing and discipling children for Jesus Christ. This partnership is for the common goal of fulfilling the Great Commission. CEF® coming along side the local church to help them reach their communities for Christ through outreach to children. CEF® supporting the local church as they draw children into their church's children's programs. CEF® and the local church partnering together to reach children and families in the community.

Interested churches or individuals can contact CEF of Ohio Inc. South Central Chapter Ministry Coordinator Shelah Sparks @ 740-804-7651



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**Thank You
Churches Currently
Supporting
CEF® Ministry**

Charleston Church of the Brethren
Tabernacle Baptist Church
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Jefferson Ave. CCCU
Real Joy Community Fellowship

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To all who attended the Fund
Gathering Banquet.

Thank you
To all who helped with the Fund
Gathering Banquet

Thank You
To those who prepared the food.

Thank You
To all who came and helped with
the set-up.

Thank You
To the Teens from five different
churches servers who served the
food and the drinks.

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