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CHRISTMAS PARTY CLUBS AROUND THE WORLD



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WEEKLY

UPDATE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

Greetings from International Ministries,

Mr. Overholtzer, founder of *Child Evangelism Fellowship*®, said this: "We have noticed during the Christmas season that the hearts of children are turned toward the Lord Jesus. And so, if we do our part, we can make this season the most fruitful season of the year."

For the past few weeks, we have prayed on behalf of the workers and volunteers worldwide bringing the Gospel to children this Christmas. We are already hearing reports of the fruit of their efforts! Pray with us this week for the children—that they will understand and respond to the Gospel, receiving Jesus Christ as Savior.

CHRISTMAS PARTY CLUB COUNTER

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| Seminars | 965 |
| Volunteers Trained | 30,687 |
| Number of Clubs | 5,768 |
| Children Reached | 200,423 |
| Professions of Faith | 64,735 |
| Good News Clubs Committed | 3,142 |

*AS OF 30 NOVEMBER, 5 REGIONS REPORTING (UNOFFICIAL)



NOW SHOWING EMMANUEL

Today, we praise God for how He is using the Middle East Media Ministry. The region has produced a 10-minute animated Emmanuel video, already available in Arabic and English. It is also currently being translated into additional regional languages.

Last year, the videos created by ME Media Ministry were viewed over 100,000 times. Although we can't measure the true, eternal impact of digital resources like these, we are thankful for the way God uses the handiwork of talented workers to reach more children with His truth, right where they are!



All over the world, children are RESPONDING to the invitation to place their trust in Jesus as Savior! Praise God for over 60,000 children who have already made decisions for Christ. Pray they would grow in Him.

WHO CAN BE AGAINST US?

"Yesterday, two of the church leaders of a nearby town wanted to boycott our CPC seminar. They even went so far as to call for a meeting against us. We humbly prayed, and God answered! Six other leaders came forward to support us. Finally, we could do the seminar.

One of our volunteers, P, said "Who can stand against the plan of God?" No one. We were reminded of Romans 8:31, "If God is for us, who can be against us?" ■



There was a young sister named Fariel, who came all the way from our eastern border district Marowijne (Suriname), crossing through two other districts and the city to get to our training seminar. She was so excited after the seminar that she invited us to also come to her district for seminars the next time. We certainly will when it's time for Easter!



In Central African Republic, workers and volunteers are trained and ready to share Emmanuel with the children this Christmas



50 Days of Prayer

Remember to continue praying for Christmas Party Clubs this week!

DEC 2: Children will understand what it means that Jesus is Emmanuel - God with us.

DEC 3: Children will understand the Gospel and receive Jesus Christ as Savior.

DEC 4: Children will attend church and *Good News Club*®.

DEC 5: Children will tell their friends about Jesus.

DEC 6: Families of children who attend CPCs will also hear the Gospel and be saved.

DEC 7: CEF staff will all become involved in CPCs.

DEC 8: God will protect and bless places where CPCs are conducted.

DEC 9: God will protect volunteers and workers from harm.



In Brazil, the public school CPC ministry continues!

