

COVID-19 RESOURCE PLANNING GUIDE





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CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP*

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Local Church Friends;

In these unprecedented times, we may be separated as a precautionary role against the spread of the coronavirus, but we are not hindered. The LORD GOD has given wisdom to HIS Church and works of ministry, like CEF^{\circledast} , to have courage and innovation to continue HIS kingdom come and HIS will to be done.

The staff of *Child Evangelism Fellowship® of South Carolina* have been working hard to provide additional support to churches during this difficult time. Now, your church has additional opportunities to reach children and families with the Gospel through a variety of resources, training and services provided by your local *CEF* office

The outlines provided in this resource planning guide can be customized to meet your church's particular needs based upon participation and availability of your local *CEF* chapter office.

We are hopeful, through prayer, that your church may fulfill the calling from the LORD JESUS to "make disciples" even in difficult circumstances. We count it an honor to serve you and your congregation, the Bride of CHRIST.

On behalf of the staff of CEF of South Carolina,

State Director

Child Evangelism Fellowship of SC, Inc.



Child Evangelism Fellowship is a Bible-centered organization composed of born-again believers whose purpose is to evangelize boys and girls with the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ and to establish (disciple) them in the Word of God and in a local church for Christian living.

We have eleven local chapter offices across the state of South Carolina, supporting every county and community. Each chapter of *CEF* is working to support local churches in their efforts to share the Gospel of Jesus with the children and families of their communities. *CEF* is a grassroots ministry. We exist through the prayerful interest and involvement of people within each county's local *CEF* chapter. Discuss options to support the ongoing work of *CEF* with your local chapter representative. Location information can be found on our website at **cef-sc.org/locations**.



AVAILABLE RESOURCES

Links, Embed Codes for Websites, Print



Get your imagination flowing with these ready to use resources for your church children's ministry during this COVID-19 Summer and beyond. Most of these items are ready for your church to use online FREE of charge in coordination with your planned VBS or children's event during this COVID-19 Summer. You can make links available to children and their families at your event, by email, mail or personal visit. Many of the children's materials can be downloaded and printed for immediate use at home or church. Videos may use the during a live-at-church event, a virtual event, or made available to children and their families for independent at-home viewing. You can view these items on cef-sc.org/covid-19-support.



As a direct ministry of your church, some items may also be available to use on your church website. Discuss with your website designer which options work best for your church. Embed codes for your church website can be obtained by contacting **stateoffice@cef-sc.org**

There are also items available in printed versions for a nominal cost at **CEFpress.com**. Using print items can provide a tangible point-of-contact with children through mail distribution (kids love getting mail); or, personally delivering through a home visit (even better).

Children's Materials



Crisis Related

Do You Wonder Why? A key word in times of crisis is WHY? This series of materials was designed to help children troubled by natural disasters, national crises and personal problems. Available in print, online video and booklet, plus website enbedding. English and Spanish versions provided.

My Very Own Stuck at Home Devotional 1 & 2 There are 2 volumes of these 30-day Stuck at Home Devotionals designed to help kids deal with challenges they may be facing during this difficult time. Children will be encouraged to recognize that God is still in control, and to give them practical help in relying on Him. Booklets available online for viewing or download for print.



The Greatest Doctor The corona virus is a huge problem, but this resource reveals an even larger problem! God's solution through His Son, Jesus Christ is discussed. This digital Gospel tract is available online for viewing or download for print. Available in English, Spanish and several other languages.

Stop the Spread Are your kids anxious in these days? God's promises in this Gospel-centered digital pamphlet will help them fight the spread of fear! Available online for viewing or download for print. Available in English, Spanish and several other languages.

Activity Related

Wonder-Fun This action-packed Bible activity book that shares the Good News of Jesus Christ and keys in Christian growth. The activity book is filled with coloring pages, puzzles, activities, mazes, word scrambles, drawing activities, and much more! Booklets available online for viewing or download for print.

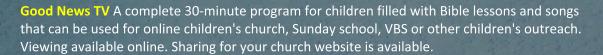
Kids Draw the Bible Ages 6-8 can enjoy the drawings of other children while discovering how to talk to God, Bible verses to learn God's message to them and thought-provoking questions to discuss with their parents or church leaders. Booklets available online for viewing or download for print.

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Online Videos & Media for Reaching & Teaching Children

Do You Wonder Why? This video accompanies the children's online and print material by the same name. It can also be used as a stand-alone ministry tool on your church website, or, shown to children and families at VBS or other event. Viewing available online. Website embed coding available.

U-Nite Channel on YouTube God's Word is shared in a fun, engaging way to draw children to both understand and apply biblical truths to their lives. Verse songs are dynamic ways for children to learn and memorize God's Word as they sing of God's promises and commands, the message of salvation, and other biblical truths. The Gospel is woven throughout each lesson. Viewing available online. Sharing for your church website is available.



Good News Radio Dramatic real-life circumstances shared through audio stories with sound effects and sound actors provide an intriguing 15-minute revealing the hope of the Savior. Listening available online. Sharing for your church website is available.

The Story of Jesus for Children A live action movie for children created by our friends at The Jesus Film Project. In the first century, a group of children meet together to talk about what they've seen and heard about Jesus. Some believe Jesus is the Son of God. But others think Jesus may just be tricking the people. Benjamin and Sarah, two character in the film, talk to the children watching their story about Jesus and what it means to believe who He is and accept Him as their Savior. Viewing available online. Sharing for your church website is available.

File Zero An animated series for ages 8 to 14 created by our friends at *The Jesus Film Project*. In a post-apocalyptic world, a band of hackers search for truth and meaning. Their journey takes them to a place they never would have imagined that was long hidden by an evil dictator intent on keeping control. Viewing available online. Sharing for your church website is available.



















Websites for Children

WordUpTime.com A website for children to watch fun-filled videos of Bible-centered puppet skits, object lessons, stories, activities and more. Also includes age appropriate downloadable activity pages to print for church or home use. Viewing available online.

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Children's Teacher & Leader Training

How To Lead A Child To Christ A FREE complete online course on how to share the Gospel in simple childlike terms using a simple 5 color tool called the Wordless Book. Course includes student notes, video teaching and demonstration, Bible bookmarks and more. Provided through CEF's Children's Ministry Institute™ and made available at cef-sc.org/ministry-support

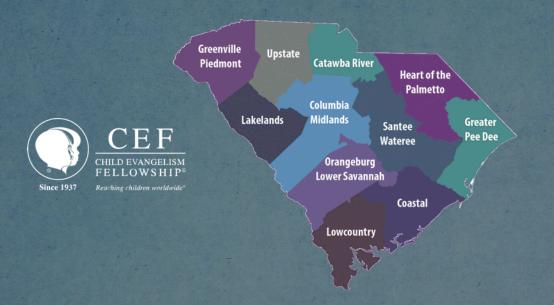
Children in Difficult Life Situations Children today are encountering a variety of circumstances that can turn their worlds upside down—divorce of parents, abuse, violence, natural disasters and more. In this session we will look at what you can do as a teacher to prepare children for the hard times they might encounter and help the child who is currently going through a difficult situation. Online workshop includes student notes, video teaching and more. This FREE course provided through CEF's Children's Ministry Institute and made available at cef-sc.org/ministry-support

Keeping Kids Engaged & Focused Are you looking for fun ways to keep kids interested and help them learn? We went straight to the experts—the children themselves! Using their feedback we developed some new ideas then tried them out with kids in various settings. These ideas have been kid tested and kid approved! Don't miss this fun-filled workshop with lots of practical ideas that will help children stay engaged and focused on the awesome truth of God's Word. Online workshop includes student notes, video teaching and more. This FREE course is provided through CEF's Children's Ministry Institute and made available at cef-sc.org/ministry-support

Sunday School Solutions These quick 2 to 3 minute online videos on various subjects help you as a children's worker. Whether you work with children in Sunday School, VBS, in an After-School Good News Club, or other venue, these videos are designed to inspire and strengthen your spiritual role in the life of children. These FREE encouraging and supportive online videos are available at *cef-sc.org/sss*

Teaching Children Effectively 1 This live course designed to offer a fresh approach to evangelizing and teaching children. Based on spiritual and educational principles, the course provides the methods and procedures to lead children to Christ and immediately equips the believer to begin and sustain a ministry to children. Available at most local *CEF* offices and online.

OFFICE LOCATIONS





State Office

7520 Monticello Road Columbia, SC 29203 803.798.8647 Serving the entire State of SC through 11 local district offices

Catawba River Office

2260 Cross Pointe Drive, Ste 203 Rock Hill, SC 29730 803.324.9888 Serving York, Lancaster & Chester Counties

Coastal Office

PO Box 1173 Ladson, SC 29456-1173 843.300.5330 Serving Charleston, Dorchester, & Berkeley Counties

Columbia Midlands Office

500 St. Andrews Road Columbia, SC 29210 803.798.4405 Serving Aiken, Fairfield, Lexington, Newberry & Richland Counties

Greater Pee Dee Office

763 Hwy 905 Conway, SC 29526 843.365.4233 Serving Horry, Georgetown & Marion Counties

Greenville Piedmont Office

4 West Main Street Taylors, SC 29687 864.292.5842 Serving Anderson, Greenville, Oconee, Pickens Counties

Heart of the Palmetto Office

PO Box 5893
Florence, SC 29501
843.662.5921
Serving Florence, Darlington,
Marlboro, Chesterfield &
Dillon Counties

Lakelands Office

1305 Montague Avenue Greenwood, SC 29649 864.554.8290 Serving Greenwood, Abbeville, McCormick, Edgefield & Saluda

Lowcountry Office

5467 N Okatie Hwy Ridgeland, SC 29936 843.645.2400 Serving Beaufort, Jasper, Colleton & Hampton Counties

Orangeburg Savannah Office

541 Broughton St. Orangeburg, SC 29115 803.535.0061 Serving Orangeburg, Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell & Calhoun

Santee Wateree Office

PO Box 2199 Sumter, SC 29151 Serving Sumter, Kershaw, Williamsburg, Clarendon and Lee Counties

Upstate Office

1969 E. Blackstock Road Roebuck, SC 29376 864.574.0236 Serving Cherokee, Laurens, Spartanburg, & Union Counties