



Child Evangelism Fellowship®
of Maine, Inc.

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Dear Friends of CEF of Maine,

And the ransomed of the Lord shall return,
And come to Zion with singing,
With everlasting joy on their heads.
They shall obtain joy and gladness,
And sorrow and sighing shall flee away - Isaiah
35:10

Isaiah is used of the Lord to give us this glorious picture of our future redemption. Joy without end, in His Presence, as the sorrows in life with all of its weariness running in the other direction.

Knowing what awaits us provides a wonderful foundation from which we eagerly approach the ministry opportunities that the Lord opens up for us. For some those are opportunities of “**going**” while for others the opportunities are for “**sending**.” Though you, our donors, have a variety of opportunities in both areas, we here at **CEF of Maine** are so very grateful for the way in which you act as senders in your support of this ministry.

In so many ways we are in the midst of the battle. Summer ministry is an onslaught of both opportunities and challenges. Your gift this month has been used of the Lord to encourage us during our busiest time of the year. We could not move forward in this ministry without you, the people of God, standing and “**holding the ropes**.”

Until Every Child Knows,

Trent Boyd
(Interim Director)

PRAYER AND PRAISE **SUMMER, 2024**

*“Arise, cry out . . . Lift your hands to him
for the lives of your children.” Lamentation 2:19*

ECHO YOUTH MINISTRY TRAINING

- ♦ Praise for 66 young people who took the training and grew in their walk with the Lord. We also had 4 who took the Lifeguard training.
- ♦ Praise for the ministry day conducted by the teens. 40 children attended the Camp Fun Day and 37 Party Clubs. 4 children were counseled for salvation.
- ♦ Praise and prayer for the teens & College Bound students who will be serving through-out the state this summer.

CAMP GOOD NEWS

- ♦ Praise for the large number of campers and staff that have signed up for this summer. Camp is almost full with campers and volunteer staff.
- ♦ Pray for the campers to have fun, to be safe and to let God speak to their hearts.

SUMMER MINISTRIES

- ♦ Summer ministries are happening in all these areas.
Camp Good News, Blueberry Mountain Bible Camp
Camp Jireh Day Camp, Down east Day Camp
5-Day Clubs, Fair Ministries
- ♦ Pray for God's blessing on each outreach.

CEF OF MAINE STAFF

- ♦ Pray for wisdom for Trent Boyd as he leads the work in the interim.
- ♦ Pray for a state director.
- ♦ Pray for local directors for southern, central, western and northern Maine
- ♦ Pray for John Romano's ministry to CEF USA workers

FINANCES

- ♦ Pray for a good response to the sponsorship letter. \$62,165 has been given so far.
- ♦ Pray for funds sufficient for heavy summer expenses.

Pray for the children of Maine to be saved.