

Dan and Michelle

God continues to bless the ministry of CEF® here in Franklin and Fulton Counties. It's been such an honor to be a part of all that God is doing. As the new year begins, we will once again start plans for Good News Camp and summer ministries. Good News Clubs will continue through April and we are so thankful for the many volunteers that will faithfully lead these clubs until then.

Our family has had another year of blessings as well. We had a year filled with family ministry, good health, and great times together. We look forward to how God will use us this coming year.

Caleb is busy working on his National History Day project. This year, he is designing a website on the Alamo. He's really learned a lot as he does his research.

He's looking forward to our family mini-vacation over Christmas. We'll get together with our extended family for two days at a hotel just to visit and spend time together. The kids always enjoy the time with their first and second cousins.

Caleb

Cora

Cora is enjoying the break from not doing cheerleading this year. She's been doing some tutoring and babysitting for extra income and is still keeping plenty busy. She's on the drama team at her church and the praise team at her school. She really enjoys these ministry opportunities.

The Russells 2014

Olivia

Olivia is enjoying the church's children's choir again this year. The choir is called "Friendship Company" and they participate in various activities. Last month, they sang a special for the church and she got to accompany them on her guitar. This month, they'll take part in our church's big Christmas program.

Her class at school got to go shopping for the Samaritan's Purse shoebox project and they also got to collect supplies and deliver them to a homeless shelter. She enjoyed these events.

Jacob is doing great with basketball. He had a lot to learn since he had never played competitively before, but he's picked it up quickly and even had a chance to be a starter.

Jacob

He's also working on his History Day project. He'll be making a documentary on the rights of CEF in the public schools. He knows a few people that can help him 😊