



# GOOD NEWS

## SUMMER PLANS

Cora, Caleb, and Jacob are all excited about working with CEF® again this summer. Cora is our CYIA coordinator again this year and has been doing a great job getting everyone organized and prepared for training school. She's also been setting up the schedule for the clubs they will teach after training ends.

Jacob is taking the leadership track this year at CYIA training school. This is his fourth year as a summer missionary, so he feels ready to take on some leadership responsibility.

Caleb has decided he wants to stick with camp this year. He has a junior staff position which means he's helping out wherever he is needed. He's been teaching one of the chapel sessions each day.

Olivia is doing summer missions for the first time this year. She decided to do CYIA since she's already pretty familiar with camp. She will complete two weeks of training before teaching clubs the rest of the summer. We're so excited to have all four of our children serving God this summer.

## VACATION

Our family was able to go to New Orleans for a few days just before camp started. It was so much fun as we visited places and people that we had not seen since our time living there during Dan's seminary training.

New Orleans is known for its fantastic food, so we were sure to sample plenty of that during our visit. We had gumbo, jambalaya, crab cakes, po boys, crawfish étouffée, alligator sausage, blackened chicken (for the non-seafood eaters) and beignets. We loved listening to live jazz musicians as we enjoyed our food.

We also visited some museums such as the World War 2 Museum and the Hurricane Katrina Museum. Our kids really love history so they enjoyed these visits. Olivia got to take a cooking class and learned how to make pralines, crab bisque, shrimp creole, and bananas foster. That was the highlight of her vacation.

We loved having this family time together and are so thankful we had this opportunity before our busy summer began. Thanks to those of you who were praying for us during our trip.