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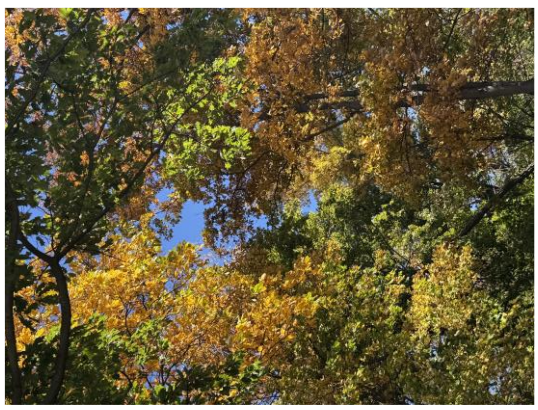
Child Evangelism Fellowship® of Franklin and Fulton Counties

As Fall Comes, God Never Changes

Fall has always been my favorite time of year. The trees turn from green to beautiful yellows, reds, and oranges. The weather begins to get colder, and short sleeves turn to long sleeves. Farms are harvesting their apples and pumpkins. All these wonderful things remind me of fall. I always feel so blessed to live in Pennsylvania during this time of year because we get a nice transition from the summer weather to the cooler fall weather. One of the biggest things about fall is that it is a season of change. Throughout the end of September into October, there is so much change, yet through all of that change there is a constant. That constant is our God. Through each season, He remains the same. The fall season always brings me back to Isaiah 40:8, "The grass withers, the flowers fades, but the word of our God will stand forever." Despite the constantly changing world we live in, our God remains, never changing and always present.

Fall also reminds me of the wonderful gift that God has continuously blessed us with each and every fall. That gift is our ability to hold Good News Clubs in each of the schools in our two counties. God gives us a unique opportunity to present the Gospel to these children who may never hear it anywhere else. It brings me immense joy that the Gospel can be spread to these children. Sometimes clubs may change. People within the club move around, or different people take on roles they did not have before. Clubs may change, people may change, the world around us may change, but in all of that, our God never changes. May we always praise God for His ever-steady presence. Thank you all for your faithfulness and support throughout the Good News Club year.

- Colin Donatto



Teacher Training

In November, we will hold our second teacher training class of the year. All are welcome to attend. If you are interested in teaching children more about how much Christ loves them or want to get involved in a CEF® in any capacity, we would love to have you. This month, Robin Amend will be having a presentation on teaching a Christmas Party Club and using the Good News of Great Joy lesson. We will have the Good News of Great Joy lesson available to purchase, as well as tracts that match with it. The dates for the trainings are November 2nd, 9:30-11:00 at Chambersburg Bible Church, 810 Orchard Drive, and Tuesday, November 3rd, 9:30-11:00 at the CEF ® Office, 45 South Broad Street, Waynesboro.



Thanksgiving

As we enter November, we are reminded of the holiday of Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is a wonderful time when we can come together and celebrate all the things that God has given us in our lives. It is often called a season of thankfulness. I am not particularly a fan of that phrase. Seasons come and go and do not last forever. Should we only be thankful during certain times? When God has given us plenty, and everything seems to be going well, should we be thankful? Yes, of course! When family members get sick, or work is very grueling, should we be thankful? YES! In I Thessalonians 5:18, we are asked to be thankful in all circumstances, not just the good ones. God is present in all situations; He never leaves. Even in difficultly and pain, He has a plan. We need to remember that and hold onto it. As enter November, let's not just make it a season of thankfulness, but rather a habit of thankfulness, thanking God in all things throughout the entire year.

-Colin Donatto

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