

CEF Military Children's Ministry

What is the purpose of CEF MCM?

CEF Military Children's Ministry serves alongside protestant military chaplains and churches in military communities, sharing the Gospel with boys and girls by strengthening their relationship with Christ. We strive to establish them in the Word of God and in a local chapel or church for Christian living and to help meet the unique spiritual needs of military children who live with the reality of deployment.

How can I support this ministry?

- **Pray**—We want to reach the 7,000 to 8,000 children living on Ft. Bragg post.
- **Volunteer**—Help is needed with administrative paperwork and club activities for 90 minutes once a week.
- **Give**—*CEF MCM* is supported by monetary donations from churches and individual Christians who believe in spreading the Word of God to children.

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these" (Matthew 18:14 NIV).

I serve too, I'm a military child.
I stay strong when my dad goes away.
If there is a war and my dad is detached, I will help him fight back.
With my braveness and courage I can stay strong; my family's support helps me carry on.
Whenever we move, I start over again. I have to go to a new school and make new friends.
Even though people think I'm a military brat, I just don't quite see it like that.
My daddy helps defend our country so we can live in peace and harmony.
So all the military children help their mothers and fathers because we serve too; we're their sons and daughters. —*Kiara, 6th grade*

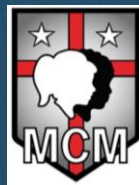


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While they minister "over there,"
CEF Military Children's Ministry™
serves their children "over here."



What is *CEF Military Children's Ministry*?

Child Evangelism Fellowship®, a non-profit/non-denominational mission organization, started *CEF Military Children's Ministry* to meet the unique needs of children living on military posts. As the children face the deployment of a parent and constant change, CEF MCM will be there to offer stability and share Christ's love.

Primary Ministries

Good News Club®

An exciting, fun-filled hour held once a week in Ft. Bragg schools, neighborhoods and community centers. Clubs include games, Bible lessons, the application of faith to daily life and the importance of connection to the faith community. *GNC* is for boys and girls ages 5-12.

Truth Chasers Club™ (formerly CEF Mailbox Club)

A correspondence Bible course program that is a series of lessons for children to complete and mail back to *CEF* then receive another lesson in the mail.

5-Day Club®

A week-long Bible program held during summer months for boys and girls 5-12 years old. Typically clubs meet in the parks and community centers in military housing areas. The club includes Bible lessons, creative learning activities, missions stories, songs and life-changing Scripture memory.

One day a mom stopped me to say that her son came home from club and emphatically stated, "We need to go buy a Bible." When asked why, he answered, "Because the only way I will learn about God is if I can read God's words." *Anjanette Franklin CEF MCM Coordinator*

Who can attend club?

- Boys and girls ages 5 - 12.
- Children do not have to attend school where clubs are being offered. Home-schooled children are encouraged to come.
- Volunteers can bring their school-age children with them to club.

Who can volunteer?

- Christians over 12 years old who are concerned for the spiritual well-being of children.
- Volunteers receive specialized training and must complete background checks.



This soldier volunteers at the *Good News Club* at Gordon Elementary.

"When little Terry asks with wide eyes and a big grin, 'Did Peter really walk on water, really?' Who will tell him? This is a great place to provide spiritual training for the children on post."

Hope Perry, chaplain's wife and volunteer at Ft. Bragg CEF Good News Club

"Military Children's Ministry [*Child Evangelism Fellowship*] has done outstanding work since arriving at Fort Bragg in 2010. I want to thank you for your ministry to military kids and their families. You fill an important need to our children and I am very grateful for your service."

*Chester C. Egert, Fort Bragg NC
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