



South East Antrim Bulletin

Child Evangelism Fellowship

September 2025

Fear not, for I am with you; Be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you,
Yes, I will help you, I will uphold you with My righteous right hand.

Isaiah 41:10



Holiday Bible Club in Greenisland



Some of the children reached with the Gospel in Bawnmore



Rachael teaching a lesson at our Bible Lego Club



Some of the children at Camp

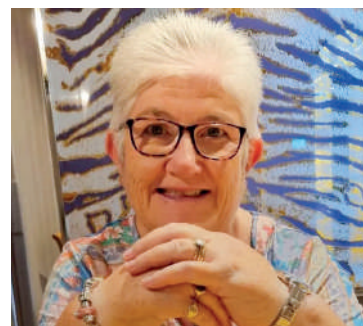
We have known the presence of God as we have conducted ministry across the local area over the summer months. Back in June we were involved in a number of Bible clubs in schools. During these clubs the children, as well as the teachers, sat and listened to the Gospel being presented through the stories of the 'Paralysed Man' and 'Bartimaeus.' In one school, a Chinese teacher was present during the club. As the Gospel was presented through the Bible lesson, this lady commented to other staff in the school that she had never heard a story about Jesus before. We believe God brought that lady across our path for a reason. It made us think though, how many more people are like her across the district? How many people in our neighbourhoods have never heard the Gospel just once? The fields are white unto Harvest! In a different school club we were approached by another teacher at the end of the second day. After growing up in a non-Christian home, God used an RE teacher in a local Grammar school to bring her to repentance and faith. Now in her 30s she is married to a Presbyterian Minister. Remarkably, her mother works in the school too and heard a clear Gospel presentation that day. It is wonderful how different opportunities present themselves in the schools.

A number of Holiday Bible Clubs were conducted across the area too. In one Holiday Bible Club in Greenisland, two children trusted the Lord for Salvation. In Bawnmore, the Word of God went forth again through the open air 5 Day Club. Although small in number, we believe God spoke to the boys and girls in that estate and we praise Him for the opportunity to once again go in and share about how they can be saved through Christ alone. In Mossley, 120 children were reached through the Good News of the Gospel during our Bible Lego week.

This year camp was fully booked. Everyone seemed to enjoy the fun activities and outings which had been organised during the week. However, it was the missionary lesson on John Paton that seemed to fulfil and capture their hearts. How important it is to instil a missionary heart in a young person. Each night from the tent the groans would go up from eager young people wanting to know what would happen next in the story. We pray that God would raise up some of these young people to go and serve Him in the future.

It is a privilege to work alongside our faithful camp counsellors. Year on year they come back and work faithfully and tirelessly to make camp God glorifying. The children were taught so clearly each day on lessons on Esther (Juniors) and the life of Peter (Inters). We praise God for the young 8 year old girl who trusted in the Lord during quiet time one morning. We pray for all the souls that were saved this summer and we pray that these young children would grow in their faith.

Sadly though, on the way home from camp, one of our counsellors and a very trusted friend whom we love and respect was involved in a very serious car accident near Magheraknock Mission Hall, Ballynahinch. Andrea Berry required surgery for multiple breaks as a result of the accident. Even in the middle of this storm, she continues to be a light for Christ; telling Doctors and Nurses how she spent a week in Kilkeel teaching children about her Saviour and Lord. Please pray for healing on her body. For the road to recovery; as she undergoes physiotherapy to improve her movement. Also, pray for Nigel and Lynsey as they support Andrea.



Andrea Berry has worked with CEF as a Volunteer for many years.



Some of the young people enjoying the Camp Activities

Announcements

Autumn Conference
75th Anniversary Celebration
 Saturday 27th September 2025
 Lurgan Baptist church 7.30pm

Autumn Week of Prayer

Monday 13th October – 8pm
 Trevor and Helen McKitterick
 30 Fairview Park, Newtownabbey,
 BT36 6PY

Wednesday 15th October – 10.30am
 557B Doagh Road, Newtownabbey,
 BT36 5BT

Friday 17th October – 11.00am
 Jean Porte
 7 Milebush Cottages, Carrickfergus,
 BT38 7QH

Friday 17th October – 8pm
 Greenisland Church of the Nazarene
 Ladies Meeting
 Longfield Gardens, Carrickfergus,
 BT38 8TR

Thank you

Thank you for your continual support and interest in the local ministry in South East Antrim. Thank you for your generous giving and partnering in the work. We truly are blessed to have individuals like you standing with us in the work. Please continue to uplift the work in prayer. Praying is the most important thing you can do. Please note a member of the committee will be calling with you in October to open boxes.

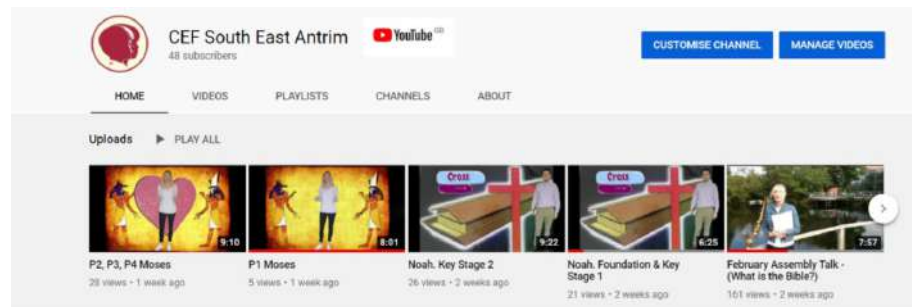
Monthly Prayer Meetings

Carrickfergus Prayer Cell: Fridays – 7.30pm
5th September, 3rd October, 7th November, and 5th December
 Northland Court, Northland Road, Carrickfergus, BT38 8LF

Straid Prayer Cell: Fridays – 8.00pm
3rd October, 7th November, and 5th December
 10 Village Hill Mews, Newtownabbey, BT39 9WF

Come and join us as we pray for the children and young people of the area.

By subscribing to our YouTube channel, you will get to see the latest videos as they are uploaded.



Not called! did you say? 'Not heard the call,' I think you should say. Put your ear down to the Bible, and hear Him bid you go and pull sinners out of the fire of sin. Put your ear down to the burdened, agonized heart of humanity and listen to its pitiful wail for help. Go stand by the gates of hell, and hear the damned entreat you to go to their father's house and bid their brothers and sisters and servants and masters not to come there. Then look Christ in the face – whose mercy you have professed to obey – and tell Him whether you will join heart and soul and body and circumstances in the march to publish His mercy to the world.

William Booth



May you know the blessing and peace of God.

Philip, Rachael and Joel

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