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Dear Champion of the Children,

Joshua 6:20 “So the people shouted when the priests blew with the trumpets. . . that the wall fell down flat, so that the people went up into the city, every man straight before him, and they took the city.”

The Israelite army didn’t attack Jericho. The priests just blew trumpets and marched around the city of the Jericho walls for seven days. That probably seemed like a strange way to fight a battle! Our Good News Club® volunteers are in the process of doing a prayer drive around the school buildings where they teach club. I visualize us marching around the schools praying for the boys and girls, teachers, all workers and parents. Please join us in prayer as we are preparing to go back into the public schools this fall and preach the Gospel to the boys and girls. These pictures show two of our largest clubs that have been able to continue meeting this school year at Friendship Alliance Church and in Norton Primary School. There are over 50 children in each club!

We are looking forward to meeting the teens that will attend our CYIA™ Retreat March 26 and 27. Pray that these teens will want to serve the Lord by teaching 5-Day Club® this summer. Our CYIA training week will be held June 13 – 19 at the beautiful Cedarville University in Cedarville, OH. Our prayer for this chapter is to have at least fifteen 5-Day Clubs and 10 Summer missionaries (Senior, Senior Assistant, and Junior Missionaries).

We are inviting you to join us for our first *Virtual Silent Auction* in April! Please see your special invitation and details enclosed.

If you have any prayer requests, email Lynnette Hilliard at lynnettehilliard@me.com. We will be having our next zoom prayer meeting Tuesday, April 6 at 10:30 a.m. If you have time, please join us! Send Lynnette your email address, and we will send you the Zoom link to pray with us online.

Thank you for being a champion of the children of Greater Akron!

For the Children,

Ruth Hill, Local Director



Friendship Alliance GNC

Norton Primary School GNC

Summer 5-Day Clubs



Will you host a 5-Day Club (5DC) in your backyard or porch to bring the Gospel to children in your neighborhood this summer? We train Christian teens who want to serve Christ to share the Gospel, teach memory verses, play fun games, and sing songs with children.

You can find out more by calling this office, 330-928-1648.

Teens! Will you serve? Learn how to share the gospel with children! We will provide the training and everything else you'll need to serve as a summer missionary teaching 5DC. Call us for a brochure today!

Tuesday—Sunday

July 27—Aug. 1



We Need Fair Volunteers!

What a fun way and a great opportunity to share the Gospel with children (& adults)! We need churches and individuals to partner with us to cover all the fair hours. We will have a training class for you to learn how to share the Gospel with the colors of the Wordless Book to unsaved children in a way that's fun

for children so they can understand the message. We'll supply all the materials you will need to use at the fair. Call 330-928-1648 to sign up for a training class today!

Thursday—Tuesday

Sept 2—7



Camp Good News® is Back this Summer!



We're excited to have our 6-day overnight camp again after not being able to last year! Camp Good News is happening August 1—6. Many children have believed in Jesus as Savior because of their Christian camp experience—the gospel message and challenge they hear daily, and Christ's love modeled by counselors and leaders during camp week. Our camp cost is only \$220. What a small amount to spend to offer eternal life to boys and girls! Fourteen (14) campers professed faith in Jesus in 2019! There are also many fun camp activities kids look forward to enjoying. We have brochures available that will give you all the information about camp.

