

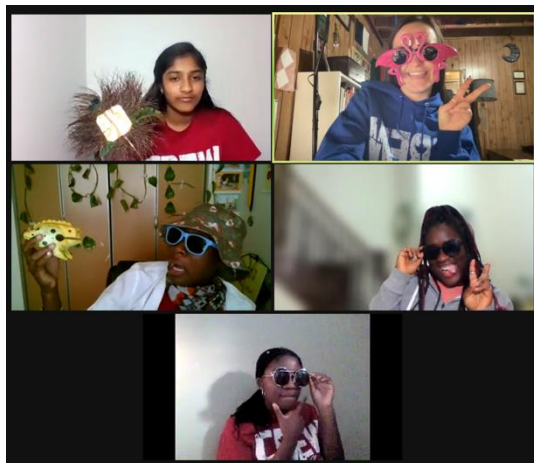
Dear Community Bible Church Family,

Summer 2021

**Thank you** for supporting me as I interned online at Child Evangelism Fellowship! Your generosity and encouragement are greatly appreciated. I would not have been able to serve God the way that I did without your help.

### What did preparation for the summer look like?

In May and June, I recorded Bible lesson videos to be shared during the 5-day clubs. Our theme was **Wonders of the Amazon, Amazed by God's love**. Between Bible lessons, Nate Saint Missionary Story, 1 John: 4-9-10 memory verses, songs, and games, we prepared sharing the amazing love of God to the children.

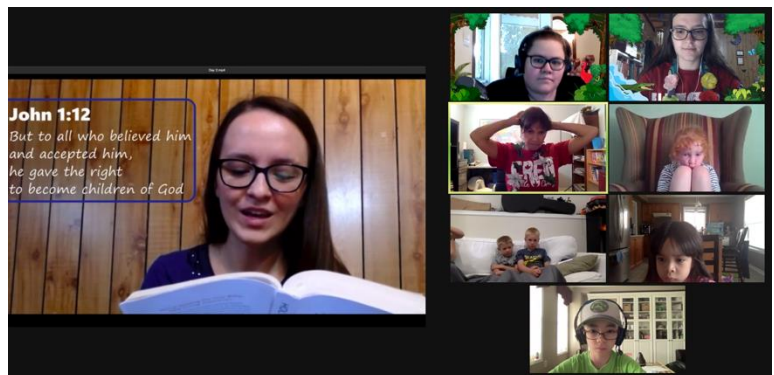


### How was Summer Ministry Training different for you personally this year?

At Summer Missionary Training (SMT), we trained the Crew Summer Missionaries how to share the gospel and lead the 5-day clubs on Zoom. This year **I was a Workgroup leader**. My boss, Josh, gave me amazing training on how to assess where someone was at and enable them to grow in their teaching. Amy, my co-leader, and I lead the workgroup together for the first few days and then I worked on my own – listening to the summer missionaries present the lessons and giving them feedback and encouragement. I grew so much in this role and I'm very thankful for the opportunity, training, and environment to do so.

### Where were the clubs taught?

Through Zoom, I was part of the team that taught clubs in Ontario and BC but children from California, Moosonee, China, Oregon, Washington, and Newfoundland joined club and heard the gospel too! We had 39 clubs with **887 children reached & 15 counseled for salvation!** Praise the Lord! Do not believe for a second that children cannot learn about Jesus online. An unchurched boy asked, "If someone is mean to us, does God want us to be mean back?" This shows that he was seeing areas in his life where living out God's truth could be applied.



### What way did you grow personally?

I grew a lot in learning how to lead well. I also learned how to preach a lesson focused on the saved child – challenging them to grow in their personal walk with Jesus. While each Bible lesson has a saved child application point, the lesson that I learned had more of a dedication focus to it. After hours of practice, I shared this lesson with the children at Word of Life Camp. At that service, **24 children decided to rededicate** their lives to Jesus. Praise the Lord! I pray that these decisions were a life changing decision for them. One girl said that she was reading the Bible with her dad, and she recognized some of the stories (Creation and Cain & Abel) because we talked about them during club. It was such a joy to teach the children and to serve with all of my siblings!



### How was the CBC7 CEF club?

AMAZING! How encouraging it was to see the church get behind this 5-day club, including the youth as they lead small groups and served. We had new children come every day and on 4 of those days, there were **unchurched children who came to club!** I had the privilege of teaching with my sister, Samantha. So many of the children said the verses to me word perfect! Personally, I was thrilled to teach at this club because I went to a CBC CEF club when I was a child. So, to see it come full circle and be on the team that organized a club was amazing!

There are many more stories that I could share – perfect examples of God at work in the children’s lives and my life as well. As we continue to follow Jesus together, may you be encouraged that He is working and we can trust Him, even when it’s really hard.

Love,  
Daniella

*1 John 4:8-10 God is love. God showed how much he loved us by sending his one and only Son into the world so that we might have eternal life through him. This is real love—not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins.*