

Annual Report of Paul Nasekos to the Presbytery of the Mississippi Valley for 2015

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Dear Fathers and Brothers in Christ,

The gracious permission of The Presbytery of the Mississippi Valley that allows me to labor out of bounds as the director for the Greater Jackson Area Chapter of Child Evangelism Fellowship is a continual cause of gratitude in my heart. This month is my ninth year serving in this vital ministry which is teaching the Bible to around 4000 boys and girls in Hinds, Madison, and Rankin Counties. I respectfully request permission to continue to serve this ministry as the Lord enables me for the coming year.

A number of churches mentioned in this report, including this presbytery, have partnered with me or with CEF of Greater Jackson Area. The friendship of the saints and their fellowship in the gospel ministry are treasured blessings and I count it an honor to be serving the wider church with the glorious good news of our Lord Jesus Christ.

I have preached at Immanuel Presbyterian Church, First Presbyterian Church, Hazelhurst, Pearl Presbyterian Church; spoken at the Trinity Presbyterian Church and Pear Orchard Presbyterian Church mission conferences; trained teams from Lakeland Presbyterian Church, Highland Presbyterian Church, and Providence Baptist Church. I have also administered the Lord's Supper and preached a funeral in Louisville. Throughout the year I am engaged in training adults and young people from various evangelical churches to teach God's Word to boys and girls.

It has been my privilege to coordinate individuals on various teams from St. Paul Presbyterian, Grace Bible Baptist, Pear Orchard Presbyterian, Lakeland Presbyterian, Trinity Presbyterian, Antioch Baptist, First Baptist Madison, and First Baptist Jackson. These saints are conducting Good News Clubs during the school year in locations such as the YMCA, the Boys and Girls Clubs of Central Mississippi, and child care centers around the Metro Jackson area.

This summer I taught a Christian Worldview class for five days at CEF of Mississippi's *Christian Youth in Action (CYLA)* camp in Biloxi. This student missionary program trains junior high, senior high, college students and adults to teach 5-Day Clubs in cities statewide. Afterward our summer missionaries conduct 5-Day (Bible) Clubs for boys and girls throughout Hinds, Madison, and Rankin counties.

In October I administered our evangelistic outreach at the Mississippi State Fair through the Good News Tent with volunteers from metro area evangelical churches who proclaimed Christ to over 2800 fairgoers.

All the glory goes to our mighty God for allowing us to take the gospel to thousands of children, youth, and adults this past year who are beyond the church. We pray that the Holy Spirit will seal the saving grace of God to the souls of those who have prayed to receive Christ as well as the many more who have heard the Word of Life. Our goal is to increase our outreach to 10,000 children a year.

Your financial support and prayers are deeply appreciated as I continue to serve the wider church in the needy mission field of the Tri-County Area. Also, please pray for favor as I meet with pastors and congregations to appeal to them to awaken to the cries of a lost generation in a godless culture in need of the justifying grace of Jesus Christ.

Your servant for Christ's sake,
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