



Center for Urban Education Ministries Newsletter

"Relentlessly Strengthening Urban Education"



"Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!"

We are celebrating the birth of our Savior Jesus - the whole purpose of our lives is put in focus. May this time of year bring you great rejoicing. The Center for Urban Education Ministries (CUEM) is not only joyful in our Savior's birth, but also in the work that is being done to "level the playing field for students in underserved communities". Our board of directors brings tremendous wisdom and experience. There is a continual push to recruit and train teachers for urban classrooms. And our vital resources support educators as we recognize urban education excellence. Let's continue to support this work financially and with a merry spirit because it is truly a Merry Christmas.

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OR

You may give by sending a check to:
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Milwaukee, WI 53202

-Dr. Steve Gerner, Executive Director/CEO

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RECRUITMENT

We are identifying and training the next group of high-performing urban educators. These teacher candidates are eager to learn and positively impact young students in our city schools.



RESOURCES

Several loving volunteers gathered together in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, to purchase and package gifts. These generous gifts were sent to Our Saviour's Lutheran School in the Bronx, New York. Students and teachers in New York will use these gifts to get through Christmas break and have an outstanding start to the new semester in January. Items were purchased by volunteers out of pure love and concern for all students. This is another example of CUEM "leveling the playing field for students". We are so thankful for these volunteers as they give their money for gifts and their valuable time.

The Center's '6' Resources

If you haven't seen our FREE valuable resource for you, check it out below! The Center's "6" provides you with six minute educational videos that address vital school topics. We also post our monthly newsletter here to serve as an asset for your school.

Access "The Center's '6'" Resources on the LEA Website

Click here to see more CUEM Resources

RECOGNITION

In March 2024, the Center for Urban Education Ministries will be awarding the Jane and Mel Kieschnick Leadership Award to two principals. This prestigious award recognizes excellence in servant leadership, humility, and innovation.

Reflections from Mel Keischnick

(CUEM Board Member, Emeritus)

"Christmas is a time for the Gospel, for the Good News that the Incarnate God forgives sins and accepts sinners, to be spoken with great power. It's a time to begin again to express and to experience in the depths of our being the reality that Christ the Savior is born."

Partner With Us!

Have an educational resource or story to share?

Connect with **Devan Lenz-Fisher**, our Director for Programming and Communications, to have your information highlighted through our various platforms.

Email Devan at
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GIVE TO CUEM

We need your financial support for CUEM. Your contribution will help us in "relentlessly strengthening urban education."

Please click on "**GIVE**" button to make an electronic payment.

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