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Just a few more days! I can hardly wait! Christmas music will start playing 24/7 on radio stations, and malls and stores will be tinsled and blinged-up for the best Birthday in the world! People complain that it's too early, but not for me! Why shouldn't we have a big ol' worldwide bash for Jesus' birthday? Woo-hoo! We get the last laugh! Some are celebrating the Savior, and they don't even realize it!

We here at CWM are celebrating, too. Every single one of our partner ministries, in Mississippi and around the world, is birthing new followers of Christ! THAT is something worth celebrating and giving thanks for during Thanksgiving.

We need your help! We are experiencing one of the most critical financial crises in the history of our ministry. We have continued to send support to all of our partners, but particularly in India and the U.S., we have great need. We are behind on staff salaries in our home office (I have not received a paycheck since May, and 2 other staff are now one month behind), and pastor salaries in India have been reduced.

PLEASE PRAY that the windows of heaven will open and abundance will be poured out for every need, every home, every church, every ministry. Thank Him with us that He never fails or forsakes His children, that His grace is sufficient for every need, and that He is already working to meet the needs of His children.

As you pray about your year-end giving, please consider making a generous gift to our general budget, or take a look through the enclosed Gift Catalog. There are items for any budget that will truly make a difference in many lives. Join us in choosing to make our gift-giving count for God's Kingdom. And share the catalog with your friends in church and small group settings. Perhaps you could join together to make a Christmas gift through CWM.

We celebrate the Prince of Peace, and our peace is not disturbed by these trying circumstances, because He has made us more than conquerors in His great love! This morning, listening to the news, I realized that what we are experiencing is what millions around the U.S. and the world live through every day. Now, we know how to pray earnestly that they, too, will know the Peace of God that passes all understanding.

Thank you, friends, for praying and giving generously. We thank God for you!

Happy Thanksgiving!

PRAYER NOTES & MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES:

WEEKLY LOCAL MINISTRIES:

Youth Community Explosion

Daily, Mon, Tues, Thur, 4-5:45 p.m.
CWM Outreach Center

Bible Study at The Claiborne

Monday, 10:30 am
The Claiborne Retirement Community,
Lee Ann

Fellowship with Nepali Students

Wednesday, 4:45-7 p.m.
Wesley Foundation, MUW, Columbus,
MS, Lee Ann & Lori

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Friday, 6:30 am
CWM Outreach Center,
Cecil Williamson

MINISTRY EVENTS:

- Nov 3-4 MS Non-Profit Conf,
Jackson
9-10 Int'l Christmas Store,
CWM Center, Starkville
20-21 YCE Cardboard City
Homeless Project
22-27 Thanksgiving Break
27 Worship at the Claiborne
- Dec 5-9 YCE Service Projects
Christmas Party &
Volunteer Appreciation
Semester End Trip
18 Christmas Concert,
Greenwood, MS,
St. John UMC
20 Soup & Seasonal Singing
CWM Center
Dec 21-Jan 2 Christmas Break

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES:

- Financial support for India, Pakistan, Nepal, Nigeria, U.S. ministries
- Persecution is on the rise in Nepal
- We had so many volunteers we had to turn some away!

Local volunteers needed!

Construction, Snacks and Meals for YCE,
Organization Projects

See our website for event details:
<http://www.christianworldmissions.org/news-and-events/ministry-eventsmissions/>

To schedule a ministry event, order resources or join us on a mission trip:

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