WELCOME TO THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.

THE SURING TRANSMITTER FUND BEGINS THE WEEK AT 47% OF THE GOAL; \$49,507.05. CONTINUE PRAYING FOR GOD TO BRING IN THE REMAINING \$55,492 DOLLARS NEEDED TO REPLACE THE 27 YEAR-OLD TRANSMITTER HERE IN SURING. AND THAT'S NOT 27 YEARS OF OCCASIONAL USE. IT HAS RUN NIGHT AND DAY FOR THAT ENTIRE 27 YEARS AND COUNTING. BUT AS WE ALL KNOW, NOTHING MECHANICAL LASTS FOREVER. PARTS WEAR OUT AND NEED TO BE REPLACED. WE'RE ALREADY FINDING THAT SOME OF THOSE PARTS ARE NO LONGER AVAILABLE. AND THAT'S A PROBLEM. THE NEW SOLID STATE TRANSMITTER WILL ENABLE US TO CONTINUE BROADCASTING THE GOSPEL MESSAGE EVEN AFTER I'M LONG GONE FROM BEHIND THE MANAGER'S DESK.

I'VE TALKED ABOUT SOME OF THE OTHER BENEFITS BEFORE SUCH AS THE COST SAVINGS FROM USING LESS ELECTRICITY AND HAVING LOWER MAINTENANCE COSTS. BUT FAR AND AWAY THE BIGGEST THING IS THAT IT WILL ENSURE WE CAN HAVE A DEPENDABLE TRANSMITTER FOR MANY YEARS TO COME.

AS GOD ENABLES AND LAYS UPON YOUR HEART TO GIVE WE LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR OVER AND ABOVE GIFT FOR THE NEW TRANSMITTER.

WE ARE NOW ABOUT ONE MONTH AWAY FROM THIS YEAR'S CHRISTMAS CONCERT. IT'S EARLY THIS YEAR. WE HAVE TO BE FLEXIBLE IN THE DATE TO GET THE GROUPS WE WANT. THIS YEAR IT'S ERNIE HAASE & SIGNATURE SOUND. THEY WILL BE SINGING SONGS FROM THEIR LATEST TWO PROJECTS. ONE OF THEM IS A CHRISTMAS CD. THE DATE IS SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23 (YES I KNOW IT'S OPENING DAY OF THE DEER HUNTING SEASON). THE CONCERT IS BEING HELD AT THE OCONTO FALLS HIGH SCHOOL PERFORMING ARTS CENTER. START TIME IS 7:00 PM. FOR YOU HUNTERS, BE SURE TO PURCHASE ONE OF THE ARTIST CIRCLE SEATS. THOSE ARE RESERVED SEATING SO YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE THERE EARLY TO GET A GOOD SEAT. THOSE SELL FOR \$25. OTHERWISE THE GENERAL SEATING TICKET PRICE IS \$15. COME KICK OFF THE CHRISTMAS SEASON EARLY AND ENJOY SOME GREAT MUSIC BY ERNIE HAASE & SIGNATURE SOUND. YOU CAN PURCHASE TICKETS ONLINE AT WRVM.ORG OR BY CALLING DURING OFFICE HOURS 920-842-2900.

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THANK YOU FOR JOINING ME FOR THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.