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At this time of the year, we all are thinking of the blessing that have been ours over the past year. Thanksgiving has passed and our thoughts turn to the Christmas season. Our hearts and attention to this time of the year cause us to be thankful and share gifts with one another because of the greatest gift that has been given. That gift is eternal life through faith and trust in Jesus Christ. Thank you Lord for bringing us to a point in life when we trusted in you as our personal savior. Help us to tell others what you have done for us. Because we are thankful, there are some prayer requests for our churches that I wanted to share with you. Put these on your prayer list and lift these needs to the Lord.

1. Please remember to lift up Concord Baptist Church and their church family in these days. Many of you may not know that their building has been in a state of repair for the past several months. God provided an unoccupied church building in McKenzie for their use during the time they have been misplaced. Repairs are being made with the hope of being back in their church before too many more months.
2. The I-40 Truck Stop has a new building for those who choose to worship there on Sundays. Please remember to lift Bro. Keith and the ministry there in prayer. Bro. Keith conducts at least 4 worship services each Sunday and also ministers to the truckers during the day. Mr. Leon Smith and Mr. Dwight Baldwin are faithful workers at the truck stop as well. Please lift each of these men to the Lord. Many thousand CDs with testimonies and sermons are duplicated and shared each year through the ministry.
3. Eastwood Baptist, Republican Grove, Eagle Creek and Atwood are without pastors at this time. Pray that God would soon send the man He wishes to serve in these different churches. Some have interims and some have different preachers filling the pulpit each week.
4. Pray for all of our churches as we approach this Christmas Season. Many of our churches will be having children's Christmas programs and many will be having adult Christmas programs. Pray that we will not forget the reason for the season. "For unto us a Savior is born." He is still the reason for the season.

Doing Together What We Cannot Do Alone