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To the South Mills Church of Christ Family & Friends, Greetings in the Name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Great seeing so many musicians wanting to use their talents to help us with our worship unto the Lord.

Elders had a great meeting last Monday via video conference. Some serious praying went down.

Deacons are continuing to see to their various assigned ministries. Their labor has been quite helpful to our congregation.

Despite the cold weather and all the sickness going around, the Ladies' Fellowship was able to hold its monthly meeting last Thursday. Lots of things in the works.

Why did Rudolph do poorly on his report card?

Because he went down in history.

“Walk and Worship” got off to a great start last Tuesday.

Really nice turnout for the “Senior Luncheon Club” on Sunday. Food was scrumptious. Fellowship was sweet.

Sunday Funday was filled with excitement. Kids really enjoyed going to Funville.

Our 2024 giving was down slightly. That was offset as expenses were slightly under budget as well.

How does the snow globe feel this year?

A little shaken.

On Sunday, many picked up their 2024 Giving Statements. For those who have not done so, check out the table in the Foyer.

We are trying to help a family with some food. They do not have much of an income and they struggle to have enough nourishing food. See Angela Gregory if you want to help in some way. Several brought in food items this past Sunday.

International Disaster Emergency Service (one of our monthly supported missions) reports that they are partnering with Oak Grove Christian Church in Arden, NC to help with clean up from Hurricane Helene. They ask that we pray for their volunteers as well as those who have lost much. They ask that we pray for healing and hope.

IDES also reports that as the war in Ukraine continues, so does the basic necessities of life. IDES is working with a number of partners in Ukraine to provide relief to thousands of Ukrainians. They recently provided a generator to a church in a war zone, so they could have the ability to continue serving neighbors in need. They ask that we pray that this church will continue to bless others.

Campus Christian Fellowship (another one of our monthly supported missions) reports that their UNC group had an outreach event (Painting on the UNC Quad). This group also had earlier gave out ice pops to Freshman as part of the welcome to UNC, as part of this outreach they let the students know that rides to church can be provided.

Do pray for Campus Christian Fellowship as one of their longtime staff members (Dean Owens) lost his battle with cancer. Pray for his widow and their two daughters.

Thought to Ponder: 82.7% of all statistics are made up on the spot.

Note the bulletin from Sunday. The VBS dates are posted there. Mark your calendars. Chili and games. Gonna be fun Sunday night. Who wants to play some chess?

Let's all get well and stay well! Our God is an awesome God! Serve Him well.

His servant, and yours,

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