

Greetings Cortland Church & Friends,

Wednesday, 12/20/06

A special thanks to Pastor Bailey, who presided over Tuesday's Church Business Meeting, along with a thanks to the district's new Pastor, Dustin Hall, for attending. Thank you for inviting me, Erich Haesche, to the Business Meeting as an invitee and allowing me to submit suggestions and answer questions.

We made good changes for both the Church and Cortland Christian Radio, Inc. (CCR), which will simplify the topic of utilities and forming a lease in an efficient and timely manner for the Station to use the school property.

Did you know, as of the last Business Meeting that was Chaired by Elder Rodriguez, it was voted that CCR is an Official New York Conference and Cortland SDA Church ministry? Both the Church and CCR recognized the importance of us all working together in Ministry.

You are encouraged to find out what CCR is doing, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, and how you can personally use radio as a tool of encouragement, teaching, evangelism, and inspiration. This is the only opportunity the Cortland Church has ever had to use mass media on a long term basis, that they have a direct hand in.

Thank you, as a Church, and thank you, as a member or attendee, for the time and finances you have invested into radio over the past few years. You're not alone. Within the U.S., there are about 130 radio stations just like this one, putting out the Three Angels' Message.

On the business side of things, the bottom line is almost always the bottom line. There's no nice way to say it, but that CCR needs to raise more than \$9,000.00 by the end of January. Part of this will pay off past debt which is due. If we can pay this off this year, \$3,3443.00 of our debt, which is above and beyond the \$9,000.00, will be forgiven or donated.

The other part of this money we need will pay for a new furnace in the school building, a new gas meter will be installed, and we will be paying for the building's electric. Other expenses are insurances, licensing fees, payroll, operating expenses, etc. This is a time of great need. The station is run quite efficiently and we continue to search to lower our cost of operations and yet, increase our effectiveness.

And here's The Bottom Line. You, I, and the Advent Movement, want to help quicken the Second Coming, by getting the Biblical Truths out as a warning to all people and nations. This is going to take time and money. I hope that each one who reads this will search their heart and finances to see what could be done for the cause. Would you please pray about this and see what the Lord would have you do?

Respectfully,



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