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Greetings!

Now that the first quarter has ended, I am sure that you are busy putting your winter schedule winter schedule together. Before you know it, we will be putting up our Christmas trees and singing the songs of the season. Here at Fellowship Church of the Brethren, we are excited to be planning our third year of a Christmas tradition called Operation Cooperation: Christmas Tree and Charity Extravaganza. It will be held on December 4 and 5 at our church from 5-8 pm each evening. We will again be turning our building into a Christmas Tree Wonderland.

Here is where you come in. We are once again inviting non-profit organizations from around the area that are doing good works in our community to come in and set up Christmas trees. We hope that in doing so, you will be able to increase awareness of your group's work. We invite you to set up a table or display providing information about what you do. We also hope that it will help to provide your group with, we are sure, are much needed donations. Each group may have a box at their display to receive donations during the event. Please note that you must provide your own Christmas Tree (any size). It is not required, however, it may helpful to have someone at your table throughout the event to answer questions about your organization.

Would you be willing to participate? We hope that you will and we invite you to be creative as you decorate your tree. Decorate it in such a way that is relevant to the way that you serve our community. There is no monetary cost to participate in the event. We only ask that you "pay" in cookies. We ask that each participating group would provide 5 dozen cookies to be served to the visitors during the event.

In addition to the trees, we are inviting musical groups from throughout the community to come and present 15 minute mini-concerts to help ensure that there will be a flow of folks throughout the event.

If you would like to participate, please fill out and return the attached form by November 5. Also, if you know of other non-profit groups that may like to participate, please pass this information on to them or have them contact me for a registration form. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 304-283-1042. I look forward to working with you!

Sincerely,

Doug Diamond, pastor
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