

Dear NAPC,

We are excited to let you know about a big development in the process of creating a new, permanent home for our church. On Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup>, our Elders voted on a final layout design and budget and approved a Guaranteed Max Price contract with O'Brien Robinson Construction Services to proceed with the construction of our building. Together with the Building Committee, the Capital Campaign Committee, the Steering Committee, and staff, many hours have been spent discussing, negotiating, deciding, and working toward this moment. We are grateful for your support and prayers throughout this process, but especially in this last week, as Session and other key participants spent several hours together making these final decisions. Before we borrow any funds there will be a congregational vote to approve the financing terms, the details of which are still being finalized. While it is not certain, we feel confident in the loan commitment and our ability to proceed with construction once the loan closes.

We are thrilled to have the opportunity to glorify God through the use of this building, and we can't wait to see how He moves in and through us and our community in our permanent space. A floorplan and rendering of the new building are included here, as well as aerial views of our property. As you can see, the site prep is well underway, and more construction will start soon.

After looking at these materials, many people will have questions. Here are a few specifics that may provide some of the answers:

- Our construction timeline is 13-15 months, targeting completion in late Summer or early Fall 2023.
- The new sanctuary will seat up to 460 people, with overflow space in the narthex and elsewhere.
- The new parking lot will have 200 spaces.
- The floorplan includes a dedicated, secure children's education area, middle school and high school gathering space, as well as flexible adult classroom space.
- Some areas of the building, including the administrative offices and the kitchen, might not be fully built out at the time of opening.

If you have other questions, please reach out to an [Elder](#) or to [Lisa Rathburn](#), and we will be happy to provide any answers we can.

In Christ,

NAPC Elders