



CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

As Summer turns to Fall I hope all of you are doing well. To all those who live here, I hope you survived the heat and to those from other parts of the country, we look forward to welcoming you home.

Your Building and Capital Campaign Committees have continued their work during the Summer making great progress on the new buildings. The City of La Quinta has issued their final points that have to be addressed before we are issued a permit to proceed with construction. Our architects and consultants are working on them and are hopeful we will receive the permit to proceed in November. Once received we will immediately go to bid. We hope to award the contract and start construction in December.

We hope you have also seen our recent financial thermometers showing that we are up to 1273 donors, \$10,400,000 in pledges and \$8,900,000 cash on hand. That means we are still short of the Diocesan requirements for cash on hand of 85% of the estimated cost of the project, \$12,500,000, to start.

Father James has also discussed our progress with the Diocese, and we have been given permission to proceed forward by starting with the Hall first and have the Administration building follow once we have the necessary funds. Thank you, Father!!

Now once again we need your help. Our goal has always been to have 100% of all Parishioners contribute to this project within their means. At 1273 donors we are a long way off. As Father has indicated this is a Holy opportunity as the Lord commands everyone to give of their time, talent, and TREASURE, to further his Kingdom on earth. Please accept your responsibility and give of that treasure now. That way, as you see shovels in the dirt in the near future you will be able to exclaim "I helped build that!!"

Go to <https://www.wesharegiving.org/App/Form/79b112c9-c42d-474a-aa4f-c98b111cb668> or call the office to make your donation.

May God bless all of us as we near the end of our preparation and begin the construction to enlarge God's Safe Haven on the Hill for Our Parish, Our Future!!! God Bless You.

Sincerely,



Bill Poland, Chair

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