

Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church

Vision Aligned Building (VAB) Update

September 17, 2020



GROUNDBREAKING CELEBRATION

Sunday, October 4th at 2:00 pm

This week Marceau Pipe Organs began dismantling the organ and carefully packing it for transport to their shop in Ballard. Marceau also connected with Nelson Miller to pick up the chimes that were part of the Calvary Lutheran Church installation. These chimes will be incorporated into Our Redeemer's new organ console and will be a wonderful addition.

Church staff and the preschool have been working diligently to pack, store, and move everything out of the building as we prepare to turn it over the contractor on October 5th. The last 5% is always the hardest and thanks to Pastor Kathy, Pastor Gretchen, Karie, and an army of volunteers, we are getting closer every day.

The Parish Administrator, Karie, and our Owner's Representative, Brandy Fox, have been working to define the Church's Policies and Procedures for the construction phase of the work. These will be presented to the VAB Team, Finance Committee, and Council over the next few weeks. They will define the authorizations for invoice approval, budget modifications, and contracting. In addition, they will ensure accurate and predictable reporting of financial information.

Beginning the Week of October 5th, LZL Construction and their subcontractors will be preparing the building for asbestos abatement. They will install plastic walls inside the space that allow for a negative air environment during removal of the hazardous materials. It will look quiet from outside but will be followed shortly behind by demolition of the restroom, administration, and chancel areas.

Stay tuned for more photos and information. Everyone is working diligently to ensure we communicate often and thoroughly to ensure the congregation can see the progress.

