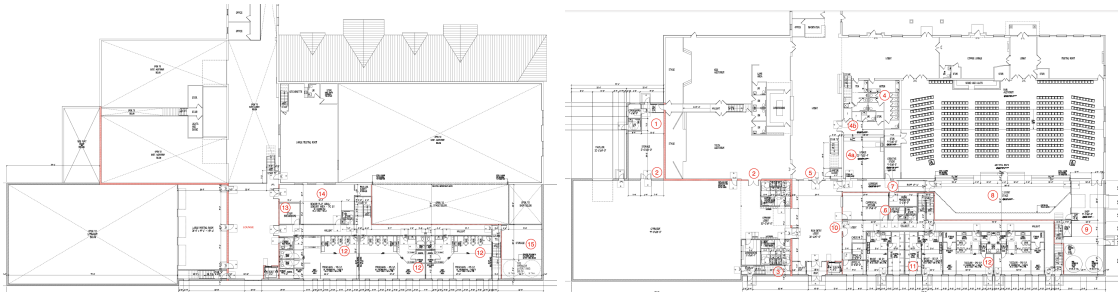


TAKE GROUND Part 7 “ENOUGH”

WE ARE TAKING GROUND!!!!

November 18th.....members votes unanimously to EXPAND part 4!

-32,000 square foot addition! OVER DOUBLE AGAIN!



THIS FREAKS ME OUT!!!!

WHY: Invest in next gen and community impact!

- Thurs: Fire Fighters
- Tues: Chamber
- Sun: Girls BBall banquet
- Mon: Funeral
- Tues: Boys BBall Banquet

TIME, TALENT, TREASURE

NO HUGE CAMPAIGN!!! “ENOUGH”

THE FIRST BUILDING PROJECT IN HISTORY!!!!!!

-3500 years ago.....Moses built the first Tabernacle!

- They had specific detailed plans
- They had specific materials needed
- They had specific work that needed to be done

Offerings for the Tabernacle

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- Verses 6-9 list all the materials needed

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- Verse 23-28 lists everything they brought

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- Then the Lord brought the workers

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-They started the project

Exodus 36:2 ² So Moses summoned Bezalel and Oholiab and all the others who were specially gifted by the Lord and were eager to get to work.³ Moses gave them the materials donated by the people of Israel as sacred offerings for the completion of the sanctuary.

-There was enough!!!

Exodus 36:3-4 But the people continued to bring additional gifts each morning. ⁴ Finally the craftsmen who were working on the sanctuary left their work.⁵ They went to Moses and reported, “The people have given more than enough materials to complete the job the Lord has commanded us to do!”

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NOT A BAD FIRST PROJECT!!!!

Some key takeaways:

TIME, TALENT & TREASURE!

NEEDED: WORKERS, MONEY & MATERIALS

PEOPLE WANTED TO BE INVOLVED!!!!

READ THROUGH ALL EXODUS SCRIPTURES AGAIN!

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SO: MY WORD “ENOUGH”

God’s got this and will MOVE on people’s hearts!

SO HERE IS THE PLAN!

MAY: Kick off a 6 week “Generosity Journey”

-The BLESSED LIFE! Robert Morris

OUR TREASURE: EVERYONE MOVE FORWARD IN FAITH!

Not what I want FROM you, what I want FOR you!

TRUE FREEDOM!

IMPACT BEYOND THESE WALLS!!!

MY TREASURE:

Emerging: Give sometimes when you come.....KB giving.

-I HAVE SOMETHING TO GIVE! Time, Talent & Treasure

Consistent: Set up auto-plan

-I AM READY TO MOVE!

Intentional: Idea: 1% increase each month

-I AM READY TO TAKE GROUND!

Tither: Gives 10% of income

-I AM READY TO TAKE THE LEAP OF FAITH!

Sacrificial: Tither and Over & Above

-I AM READY TO LIVE GENEROUSLY!

Legacy: Make a long lasting investment through your company or assets.

-I AM READY TO LEAVE A MARK!

NOT ASKING NOW AND WILL NOT BE PRESSURING!!!!

TIME & TALENT

WHAT COULD YOU DO?

THIS IS OUR TABERNACLE!! THIS IS OUR COMMUNITY!

OUR GOAL: \$1 Million in donated labor and discounted materials!

THERE IS "MORE THAN ENOUGH"

WE GIVE OUR TIME.....TALENT.....AND TREASURE!

CHALLENGE: EVERYONE TAKE THE NEXT STEP AS WE ALL TAKE GROUND.....TOGETHER!

2 Corinthians 9:6-8 Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

