

Legacy Building Program Informational Update

April 16, 2025

Timeline

- Began May 7, 2024
- SD - Schematic Design (10 weeks)
- DD (Design Development) Phase was completed in February, and we are currently waiting to receive updated bids from the contractor.
- CD – Construction Documentation is moving forward and should be completed by mid-August.
- Pricing and Permitting
 - Pricing (6 weeks)
 - Permitting (3 months)
- Office Relocation planned for July
- Worship Services moved in August
- Construction (16 months)

Design Development Specifics

- Our architect took 8 weeks to complete their value engineering drawings.
- The Legacy Building Committee met with architects and contractors to review the updated drawings on Tuesday, January 14, 2025. The new drawings provided a look at the determined changes that were submitted. The architects offered further suggestions as well as sharing the city requirements concerning the requested changes. After reviewing the updates, the committee agreed to move forward with the updates.
- Once approval is given for these final changes, we will move to the construction document phase.
- Bids for final pricing will be complete based on final design documentation by the end of April, 2025

Update and Specific Prayer Requests

- The architect (Beck) and construction manager (Hill & Wilkinson) have met with our Legacy Building Committee and have value engineered the project so as to have a high-quality building that meets our needs while constructing it at the greatest cost savings to us. We have been able to reduce costs yet still have high quality facilities that meet the needs of FBCG so we can minister and advance the Kingdom through this location as a base.
- At this point, the project still looks to be more than initially projected to us, due to inflation in 2024. We do not know the exact numbers until the project scope and pricing phases are completed.
- Pray for wisdom as we determine where Sunday School classes will need to be moved during the transition and for our people to continue to be “godly and flexible” during this time.
- Pray for the pricing process that God will lead everyone involved to make the proper decisions for God’s glory.
- Pray for 100% of our members to be involved in some way in the Legacy Building project.
- Pray that we will continue to meet our church budget as well as we continue to minister in the name of Jesus.
- Pray for God to continue to be in the entire process and lead us divinely.
- Pray that FBCG will learn aspects about God and His character through the building project and God will grow our faith as we are built into a habitation of God as His people while the church building is constructed physically.
- Pray for God to provide the resources needed for this project.