



Pastor Sean's First of the Month Letter-August 2024

Warm Summer Greetings!

Often times I think of summer as a slow down time. That is not the case this summer. Even here in the late summer days of August things at CLC are moving right along. I wish to share some of these things with you.

The first thing I want to bring to your attention is construction projects. Two are scheduled here in August, with two others not quite pinned down but they could start in August. I write this with some degree of hesitancy, as whenever one talks construction there can be delays and move ups, schedules can change right at the last minute. So here is what I think I know as of right now:

1. The sanctuary ceiling and roof are scheduled for some work. Mold remediation, some board replacement, proper venting, and lots of clean up is scheduled to begin on Monday August 5 and be completed by Friday August 16th. This means that in all likelihood we will be worshipping in the CCC on Sunday August 11th. Stay tuned for more information as it becomes available.
2. Hopefully at exactly the same time, the two bathrooms right at the sanctuary entrance will be fully remodeled to ADA standards. This will be a huge improvement for us, and if the timing works, it could not be better.
3. The flat roof and roof line over the library will be fixed soon. You can easily see how rotted the wood is there. Also the parking lot needs work. Neither of these projects have a scheduled time as of this writing, but they will be done soon. Again, please stay alert for announcements about the timing of all the projects.

Any caring person might ask: "How are we paying for all of this?" The main answer is our Endowment Fund. I am grateful beyond my ability to properly express to those who first thought to create the fund, and to those who have donated to it. For those who don't know how the fund works, a brochure giving a fuller explanation is available. My short explanation is that people donate to the Fund, and the principle remains untouched and invested. The proceeds from that investment can then be used for projects like these above. Grab a brochure and learn more about the Endowment Fund. Thank you to all who helped make these projects possible.

This August is a busy time, share in the fun and excitement of this season!

Peace, Hope, Love, and Joy.

Pastor Sean