

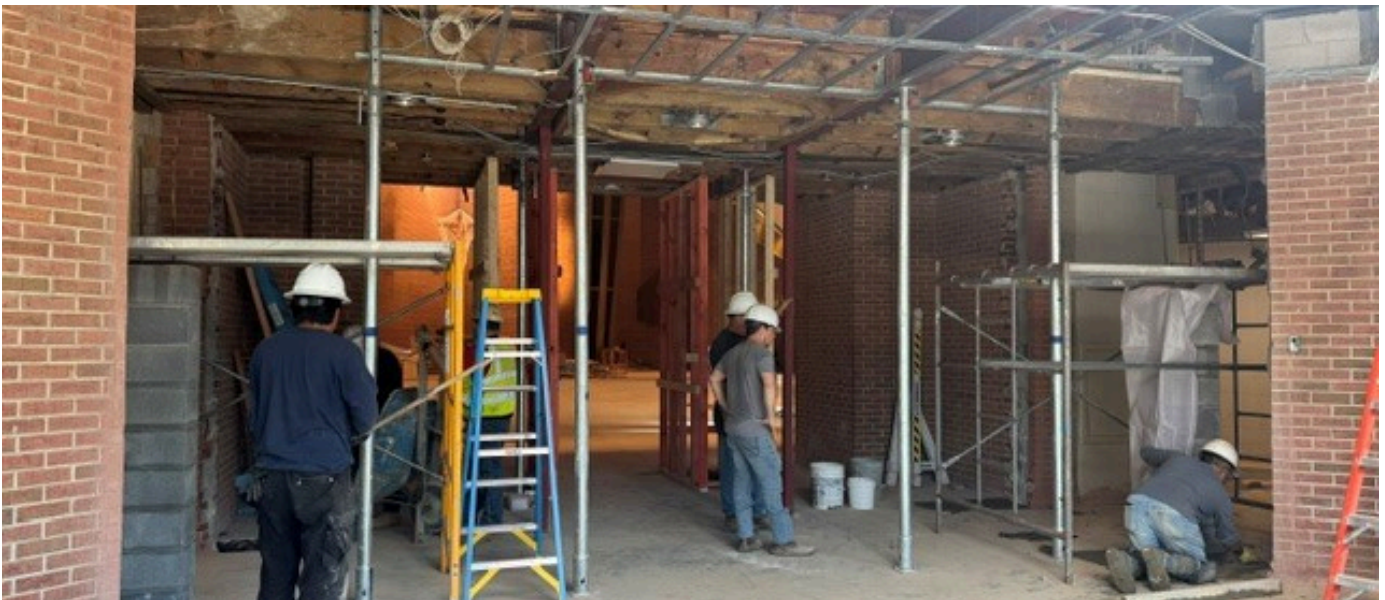


The Cornerstone Project *Update #3*

UNDER CONSTRUCTION

We have made significant progress over the last week or two with concrete! The old brick columns at the entry of the church have been removed and the entry way widened from the Narthex towards the Church. New steel support beams have been placed and welded horizontally in the ceiling and all open areas on the floors have been filled with concrete.

In the sanctuary, a third concrete step has been poured for the altar (it was previously wood) and another set of stairs has been poured for the new placement of the tabernacle behind the altar.





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Framing has begun for the new Reredos Wall, a structure that serves as a sacred backdrop for the sanctuary and altar area. It will emphasize the holiness and importance of the altar and will create a beautiful focal point that directs attention towards the Eucharist and the presence of Christ.

Framing has also begun for the new statue bases for Mary and Joseph in front of each metal column as well as for the new statue of St. Francis de Sales, who will reside in the area where the tabernacle used to be.

