

Why now?

The Session and people of Christ Church have considered an expansion of phase one, our current facility, for a few years. At this point we face the need for immediate space in our nurseries and foyer areas. We face several compromising situations when we arrange for two services. With financial stability and membership growth over the past year, we believe that this is the significant season God has for us.



Will the new sanctuary have pews or chairs?

We have not determined whether we will have chairs or pews.

Will the new sanctuary change our style of worship and/or preaching?

No. The new sanctuary will only enhance our current worship style by allowing for better acoustics, a larger chancel area for enhanced instrumentation, and choral performance.

Will the additions add more storage?

Yes. The basement of the sanctuary will remain unfinished. Since we will have life-saving features, such as exits and water sprinklers, we will be able to use it for storage.

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Q & A

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What is a Master Site Plan?

The Master Site Plan is a plan to maximize the development of our lot. The plan allows us to plan phases that will contribute to the overall vision of our facilities for the years to come.

How did the church, builder, and architect develop a Master Site Plan?

The Building Leadership Team invited all ministry teams, both existing and those which did not but use the building, to answer surveys provided by the architect and builder. After completing the surveys each team was invited to participate in an interview with both the builder and architect. Our Master Site Plan addresses 80 percent of the desires of the ministry teams, which is wonderful considering our lot limitations.

What do we anticipate adding in Phase Two?

Depending upon congregational response, we anticipate adding the following:

- A 500+ seat sanctuary with an unfinished basement extending North.
- An extended foyer with a finished basement extending North connecting our current building with the new sanctuary and basement.
- Renovations to our current facility to better fit the additional space and provide increased square footage for those ministries in need.

How much will Phase Two cost?

The above plans will cost an anticipated \$4 million. Depending upon the funds raised, we do have some discretion with how much renovation we will execute on our current facility.

Will the architectural design of our current facility remain the same?

The new edition's architectural design will remain generally the same.

How will the expansion address current building constraints in relation to the nursery?

We have set the nursery constraints as a priority in expanding. Our hope is to "get ahead of the curve" with more space than what is currently needed. We anticipate adding a check-in desk, sleep rooms, play rooms, and private rooms for nursing mothers.

How will the expansion address current building constraints in relation to the foyer?

By freeing up the current sanctuary and adding additional foyer space to the north, we will be able to provide hospitable gathering spaces to serve a sanctuary size of 500+.

Will the new addition add more children and youth ministry space?

Yes. By finishing the basement under the new foyer, we will be able to better address children's Sunday School and youth ministry spaces.

Will we be adding more parking?

Yes. We will add additional parking space and a third entrance into the lot off Shelbourne.

Will there be parking on the lot purchased across Shelbourne along Constitution Trail?

This phase does not necessitate that we add parking onto that property. But we did consider the lot in the Master Site Plan to add 28 additional overflow parking spaces in the future.

Does the Master Site Plan keep the maple tree?

At this point our plans do include the Sunset Maple Tree. We will also consider the amount of construction around the tree which may inhibit our desire to keep it.

In what order will we build?

The second phase of construction will be the foyer and sanctuary additions. Then we anticipate 3 to 6 months of renovations to our current basement. The remaining renovations will last for an additional 3 months.

When can we anticipate our first service in the new sanctuary?

If construction were to begin in April 2009, then our first services will be in April 2010.

Will the construction impact our regular Sunday corporate worship and ministries?

Yes. The timing and adjustments that will take place are not yet known. We will maintain the Kairos Web site (www.significantseason.org) for ongoing construction updates through the process.

What will happen to our current sanctuary?

Our current sanctuary will turn into a Fellowship Hall for small banquets and conferences.

Will we move the steeple?

No. It will stay in its current location.

How many people will we be able to seat in the new sanctuary?

We will have capacity for 500+ seats.