

**FAQ – Town Hall Meeting 6/24/18**  
**(43 people in attendance)**

Q: What is the suggested cost per family over the three year pledge period?

**A: “Active” families / 350...\$4,000 / Family. \$111.00/Month/36 Months.**

Q: When do you want to have the pledge cards collected to determine if you will have enough money to start Phase I of the project?

**A: August 1<sup>st</sup> is the goal date.**

Q: Does the money collected from the “church maintenance” envelope that comes in the mail go towards the church restoration/renovation fund?

**A: No. The “church maintenance” money received from the monthly envelopes goes towards routine maintenance of the church. However, we are *looking to add a “church restoration/renovation” envelope to the monthly envelopes* mailed out as a reminder for those that wish to give monthly.**

Q: Who is bidding the building project?

**A: Sircal. This company was suggested by the Finance Council. Father Viviano concurred, as he had worked with them on the renovation project at Helias.**

Q: Will there be a professional that will be deciding on the esthetics of the renovation, specifically, to ensure the antiquity of the building inside and out and to determine color choices on the inside.

**A: As far as the antiquity of the building, a number of photos from parishioners have surfaced as well as those collected from the Historical Society, and by direction given from Father. It is our plan to restore the church back to how it would’ve been in that time period as much as possible.**

Q: Will you be keeping the Stations of the Cross and the mural paintings.

**A: Yes. We will keep the Stations of the Cross and the bid includes restoration of the paintings, and to put the paintings that are currently on the wall onto canvas to preserve them for future renovations.**

Q: Will there be “town hall” meetings such as this prior to each phase of the restoration process?

**A: Yes. It is our desire to have a meeting before each phase of this process so parishioners can offer their suggestions and ask any questions they may have. We want to be as transparent as possible throughout this entire process.**

Q: Are there any plans for restoration of the statues in church?

**A: At this time we do not have any bids on statute restoration.**

Q: What materials are being considered for the steeple?

**A: The building materials being considered for the steeple are slate and copper. For this entire project, we are looking at materials that will last us 50+ years.**

Q: Can we turn the pledge cards into the offertory at church?

**A: Yes. Pledge cards and payments can be turned into the offertory baskets at church. If you are turning in a check, please use the envelopes that say “Church Restoration Fund” so we can accurately track your donations. Additional pledge cards and envelopes can be found in the back of church.**

Q: Will there be any regular update as to the amount of money being collected to date?

**A: Yes. We will have a fundraiser thermometer in church to show monies received to date that will be updated each weekend before mass.**

Q: When is Phase I to begin?

**A: Early August**