

## **January 2021 Update**

### **Construction Update**

The construction continues with the goal that the facility will be dried-in by late February and a completion date of late summer/early fall for the project. As construction continues, we will be able to get a better picture of where we are financially in terms of what is needed to complete Phase One. As a reminder, the two biggest items we are working on to get a better picture of the completion of Phase One are the Audio/Visual/Lighting for the worship area and the youth building. You can read more details about this in the December 2020 update, which can be found at <https://fbc-brenham.org/about-us/relocation/>.

### **Faith Building Capital Campaign and 2021 Giving Strategy**

In December 2017, we embarked on a three-year capital campaign, which we called “Faith Building.” The funding of the Faith Building campaign and funding from a previous campaign, sale of land and property, and other giving have been our funding for Phase One. As always, God has shown Himself faithful. Here are the three-year numbers for the Faith Building Capital Campaign:

- Pledged in December 2017: \$2,923,243.16
- Total amount given over three years as of 12/31/2020, including those who gave but didn't make pledges: \$3,388,905.79

While we still have a ways-to-go before completing Phase One, it is important to take a moment and simply thank and praise God for His provision! As we continue into 2021, there are two places you can give to help financially support the relocation:

- The Faith Building designated fund will remain open through 2021 to those who want to complete their pledges but did not have the opportunity to do so between 2017-2020.
- New giving (i.e. not funds given to complete Faith Building pledge) to the relocation construction in 2021 will be directed to the Building and Growth designated fund, which will help with the completion of Phase One and provide – God willing – some of the seed funding for Phase Two.

Thank you to everyone has given, who continues to give, and, in advance, to those who will start giving! THANK YOU!

### **Events on the Property**

We continue to think of different ways and events we can have to get you on the property and see what is happening. So many people have mentioned how being out on the site and being in and around the buildings has helped them “see it” and be excited about the relocation. Once again, we will keep you updated about some different opportunities as we plan them.

### **Staying Informed**

You can read previous updates and learn more about our relocation journey over the years by going to <https://fbc-brenham.org/about-us/relocation/>.