

Almost There

As most of you know by now, the new building addition is nearing completion. Lord willing, we will be using it for Sunday school and mid-week activities by the end of October. We are in the last push to get the building finished and really need your prayers (and your gifts) to make sure it gets finished well.

Once we move in we will start with new and existing Christian education and youth ministry activities in the building, but we have plans for so much more. It is our goal to offer expanded ministry opportunities to families and seniors in the coming year and the new building will give us more room to do this. We have ideas and plans for a regular family night, parenting classes, fitness classes, church wide socials, senior events and activities, wedding receptions, sports leagues and so much more. One of the more concrete plans in the works is to house a Christian school in our new building.

Currently, we have entered into discussions with Light House Christian Academy to possibly house their ministry in our new building, or potentially have their school come under our oversight as a ministry of Safe Harbor. Please keep these discussions in your prayers, the elders of your church want to bring the most glory to God possible through this new building and desperately wish to proceed to that end with all wisdom and grace. With this being said, we are very excited about the potential of having a ministry that would provide daily Christian education in our new building. We are impressed with LCA as a school especially due to some recent improvements the school has made including some new leadership and faculty.

Several of our members are very involved with Lighthouse Christian Academy and make up some of that new leadership, including Linda Whiting who will be their new administrator and Matthew McKay, who is the new chairman of their school board. Pete Geurra, Mike Herron, and Dave Eynk have all previously served on the school board and recently Sean Morton accepted the call to serve on the board. Along with the potential for having LCA in our building we will continue to host the home school ministry in our existing building each Friday, and our prayer is that if the Lord would have LCA move to our premises, these two ministries would complement each other and both thrive under our oversight.

As it stand right now Lighthouse will be at Island Alliance Church for this fall semester, and if all goes well would be able to move to Safe Harbor for the spring semester of 2012.

Please keep all of this in your prayers, and ask of the Lord that he would be pleased to prosper these plans and ministries for His Name's sake and for the spread of his fame and glory.

In Christ,

Pastor Todd