

Christian Community Presbyterian Church



Sanctuary's 20th Anniversary









Raze the Roof Square Dance









Holiday story

The cross that was saved....

By Kelly Harmon

Gordon Ebersole of Bowie, gets frustrated sometimes because the world isn't more self-sufficient.

When the 15-foot-tall cross had to be removed from the roof of the Christian Community Presbyterian Church at 3120 Belair Rd. and was going to be discarded because of how costly it would be to re-erect it, the 80-year-old Ebersole stepped in.

After a contractor had estimated it could be expensive to erect the angle-iron, I-beam cross in the memorial garden of the church, church members voted to get rid of it because of the expense involved, Ebersole said.

"I guess the contractor was somewhat realistic," Ebersole added, a little grudgingly. "He was going to bring in a crane."

The cross weighs more than two hundred pounds and required three men to lift it in the memorial garden. Ebersole used block and tackle and cable to erect the cross in the garden, and cemented it in place — all for the cost of an \$8 bag of concrete.

"I only used about two-thirds of the bag of concrete," Ebersole said. "So, it really only cost about



Gordon Ebersole and the cross.

Stephen C.

\$5."

He added, "It wasn't that hard to do."

Ebersole, of 13538 Youngwood Turn, Bowie, is a retired engineer

who's used to solving such problems. When he learned of

Please See CROSS: A















1993 Confirmation Class



(last class before groundbreaking)

"Then says the Lord of hosts . . . 'Go up in the hills and bring wood and build the house, that I may take pleasure in it and that I may appear in my glory . . .'"
—HAGGAI 1:7-8

Our Building Plan

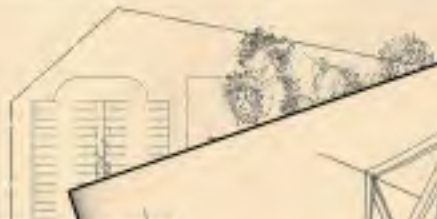
- Complete renovation of the Fellowship Hall roof
- Fixed seating for 350 members
- Choir loft with sound system
- Potential for overflow seating
- Additional meeting rooms
- Natural beauty of site
- Free standing, full basement
- Design includes parking

"Sing aloud," says the Lord . . . "Tat the vines out to the full and drive the pigs home,"
—ISAIAH 54:2

Floor Plan



Site Plan



Share the Vision

Christian Community Presbyterian Church
into the next century . . .

CITY PERMIT #

CITY OF BOWIE

BUILDING PERMIT

FOR INFORMATION CALL 301-261-5100

PERMIT #

DATE ISSUED

EXPIRES

RESIDENTIAL

NEW CONSTRUCTION

COMMERCIAL

DATE ISSUED

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR A BUILDING PERMIT FOR

AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATION:

LOT NUMBER(S):

Property owner

Address of owner

City

Phone

Contractor

Address of contractor

City

Phone

Estimation of construction cost:

Owner/Agent

Signature

The signor hereto by affixing his signature

assumes personal responsibility for the work

required by the building inspector under the

building code enforced by Prince George's

County and the City of Bowie.

Fees: \$100.00

By

Employee signature

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PERMIT #

DATE ISSUED

EXPIRES

RESIDENTIAL

NEW CONSTRUCTION

COMMERCIAL

THIS IS HEREBY MADE FOR A BUILDING PERMIT FOR

FOLLOWING LOCATION:

3130

HOUSE NUMBER

GALAXY DRIVE

STREET

LOT(S):

Property owner

Address of owner

City

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Revised 11/1/93

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ERIAN CHURCH
Drive
Bowie, Md.
Block 12
ACCA - 2.15 AC
ARM WATER MANA
PAGE - 220 AC

CHRISTIAN
3120 Belair Drive
262-6008



JOINING OUR ATTENTION
Leader: I was glad when they
People: God has been our dwelling place
Leader: Today we celebrate in worship the beginning
dwelling place.
Let our voices and our aspirations to God.











































Christ Church Community Church
Worship 8:45 & 10:45 AM
Lenten School 10:45 AM
CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP MEETING
10:45 AM
PASTOR REV. MICHAEL
18 YEARS AND OLDER





























Preparing
for the
dedication









Christian Community Presbyterian Church

WORSHIP
830 & 1045 AM
EDUCATION 940 AM
SANCTUARY DEDICATION
OCT 2 10 AM
PASTOR REX MC-DANIEL
INTOUCH LINE 262-5177



GOD IS HOLY



GOD IS OMNIPRESENT



GOD IS FORGIVING



**GOD IS
OMNIPOTENT**



**GOD IS
LOVING**



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GOD IS UNCHANGING



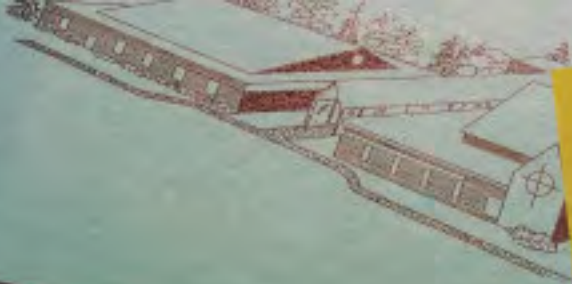
GOD IS THE SPIRIT



Dedication Sunday
October 2, 1994







Service of Word and Table
for the
Dedication of the Sanctuary

Sunday, October 2, 1994
(World Communion Sunday)
10:00 am

Christian Community Presbyterian Church

3120 Belair Drive
Bowie, MD 20715

Phone: (301) 262-6008

*The Session and Members of
Christian Community Presbyterian Church
3120 Belair Drive, Bowie, Maryland
cordially invite you to join in the celebration
as we dedicate our new sanctuary
to the glory and service of God.*

*The Dedicatory Worship Service
and Communion will be held
Sunday, October 2, 1994
at 10:00 a.m.*

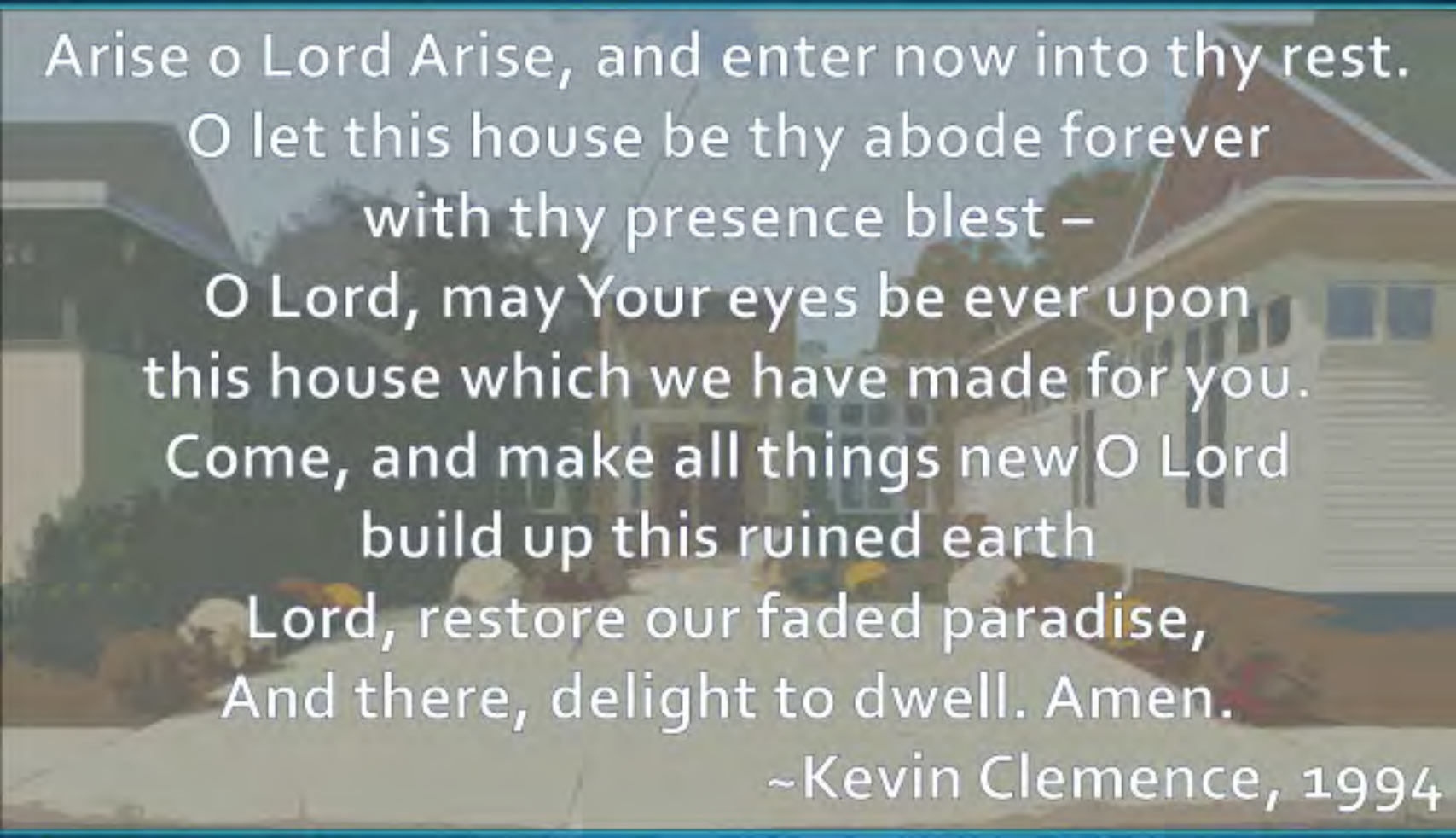
*The celebration will continue with a luncheon
immediately following the worship service
where we will honor our founding pastor
and rededicate our former worship space
naming it Dodds Hall.*

*We welcome community leaders and members to an
Open House
and tour of our complete mission base
from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.*









Arise o Lord Arise, and enter now into thy rest.

O let this house be thy abode forever
with thy presence blest –

O Lord, may Your eyes be ever upon
this house which we have made for you.

Come, and make all things new O Lord
build up this ruined earth

Lord, restore our faded paradise,
And there, delight to dwell. Amen.

~Kevin Clemence, 1994

Christian Community Presbyterian Church to dedicate sanctuary

By CHERYL
Staff Writer

in its first quarter
Community Presbyte
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community.

Belair-at-Bowie's
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Fellowship hall,
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feel as if you're
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Staff photo by Cheryl Tazewell

Christian Community Presbyterian Church on Belair Drive will dedicate its new sanctuary this
10 a.m.

circularly
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and over his

and 10 eight tall panels from floor to
ceiling around the altar will be large
panels designed by noted East Coast
artist Nancy Souter and stained by
women of the congregation.

rear wall of glass, letting in a view of
tall trees and the church's memorial
garden.

Little in the consciously traditional
exterior hints at the drama colors

This Sunday's first service in the

new sanctuary has been eagerly
awaited, Ekbe said.

Already, families are looking for
word to the following Sunday, when the
first children will be baptized there
and there are at least four weddings
lined up, she noted.

In addition to the baptism, Oct.
will be the date of a separate dedication
of the sanctuary banners, on the walls
of which some 50 churchwomen with
the leadership of Patricia Buckner
been at work.

In addition to McDonald, 100
pastor for nine years, who has not only
watched the work of building take place
here, his hands to some of the construction,
Ekbe said two other church members
have played key roles. They
Building Committee Chairman Al
Mother and Thad Ueding, who
served as the congregation's "liaison"
with the construction contractor.

For information about this Sunday's
dedication and other special events,
the church office, 266-0000.

fitted out in a harmonious design
of light and shadowed wood.

Above and behind the altar are two

But about 100 women are the rule and





October 15, 1994



First wedding in the new sanctuary







SOME OF OUR DEACONS

DORIS KOBE, HELEN BUJAC, SKIP OATES, REBA SHEPPARD, NANCY PHILLIPS,
DEE MCCARTY, MARILYN AQUILINA AND PEGGY BLACK.









Surprise 'Marti Gras'
celebration for
Dee McCarty
after 15 yrs as our
Pastoral Assistant



Doris Kobe



A Service of Installation
of

James Dewart Brassard
as Pastor of
Christian Community Presbyterian Church

September 12, 2004

Order of Service

3:00 P.M.

Kathy Spr

PRELUDE

**Indicates that you may stand, if comfortable.*

Moderator B

Elder Hamer

WELCOME

***THE CALL TO WORSHIP**
Leader: I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of
is your spiritual worship.

People: **Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by
renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what
will of God - what is good and acceptable and perfect.**

HYMN OF PRAISE

Come Thou Almighty King





Installation of Pastor James Brassard

When Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down; for I must stay at your house today." So he hurried down and was happy to welcome him. All who saw it began to grumble and said, "He has gone to be the guest of one who is a sinner." Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Look, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor."

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New
Organ



Giving their time for music...



Buildings & Grounds, Budget, Youth, Media, Socials...



Habitat for Humanity, Living Waters, Pancake Tuesday...



Christmas Families, Warm Nights, Hudson House, VBS...



VBS – Galactic Blast “Shoes for Haiti”





Stephen Ministry





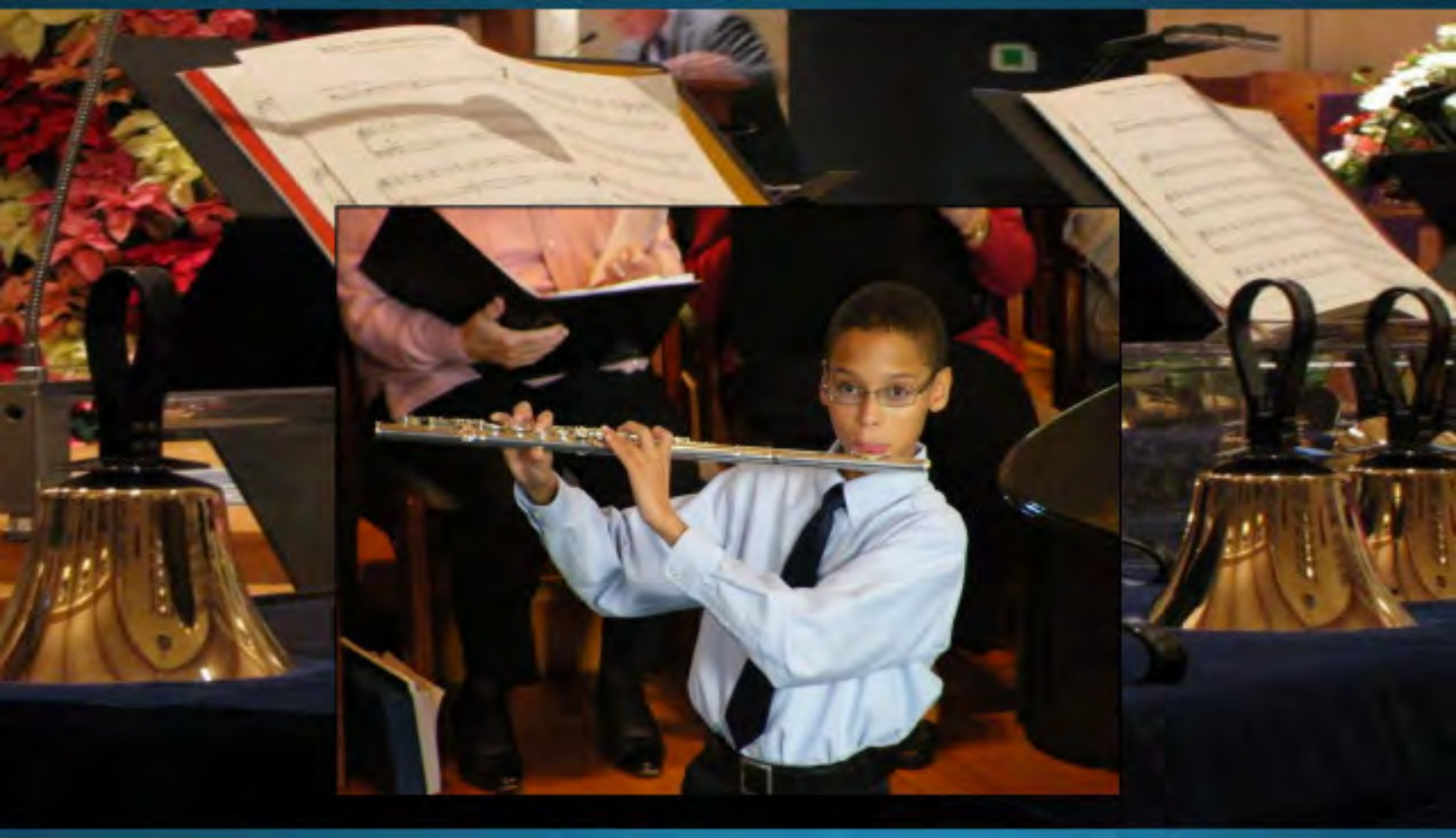


















Children of Eden



Astronaut Rick Arnold



Prayer



Golden Anniversary





50th Anniversary Crystal



Folk Group Reunion







2006 Marjorie Farmer & Son
2005 Jane Sumner
2004 June Colgan
2014 Woman of the Year



Good-byes & Welcome Backs!





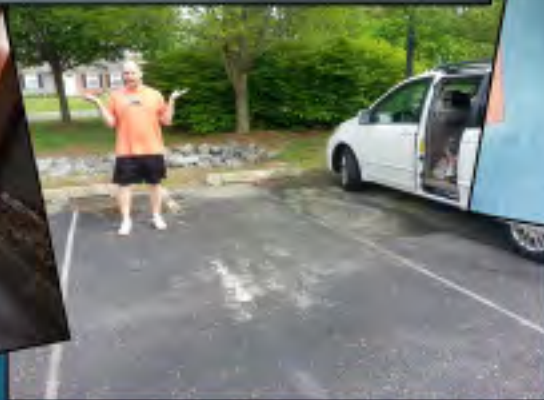


When I asked a lifelong member of CCPC what they remember about Children's Sermons- the answer was, "Bob Schrott and dandelions."





St. John's Episcopal Church
The Epiphany Vigil
January 6, 2023
8:00 AM
The Epiphany Vigil
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Like we said, there was work to be done...







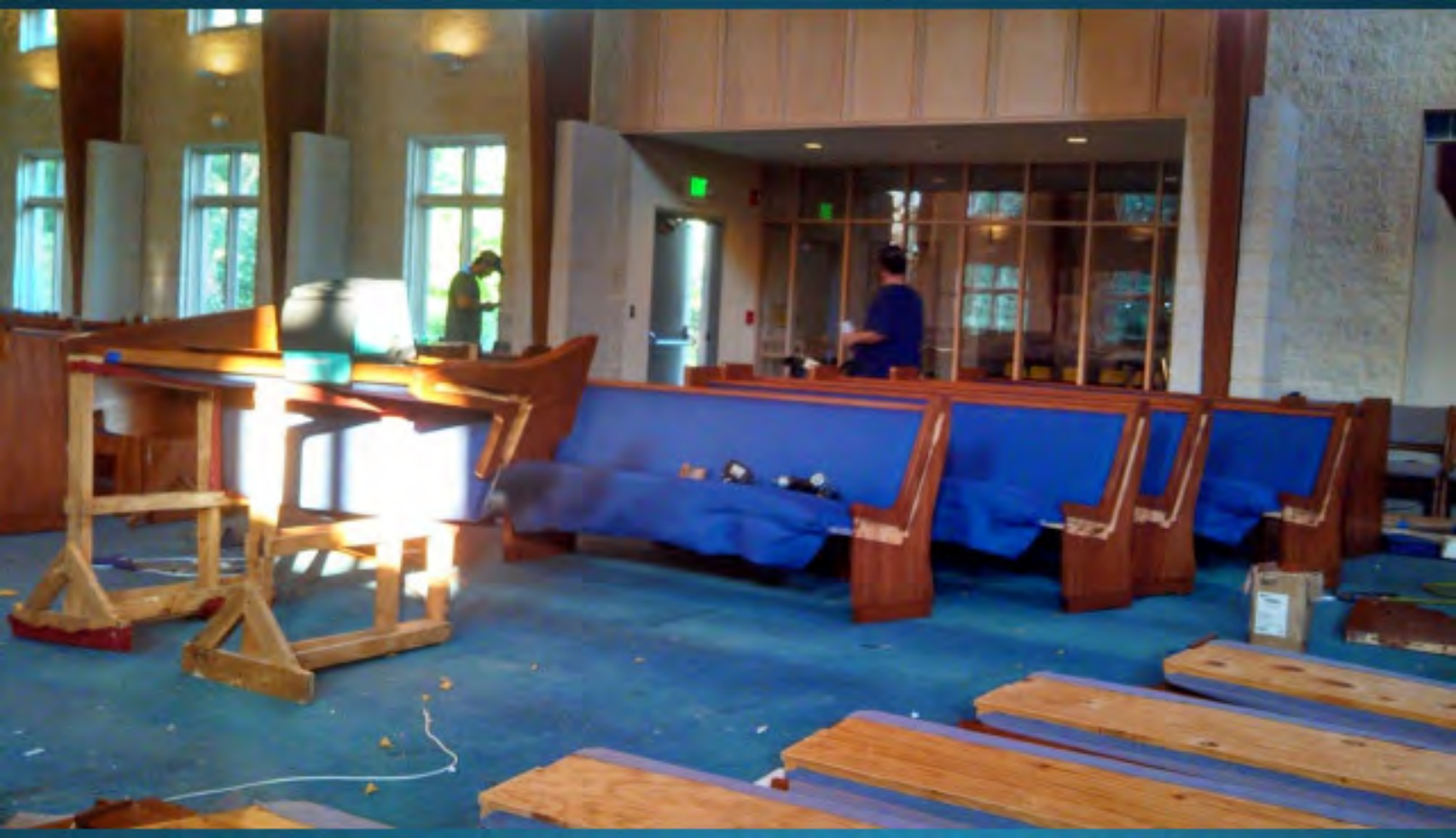
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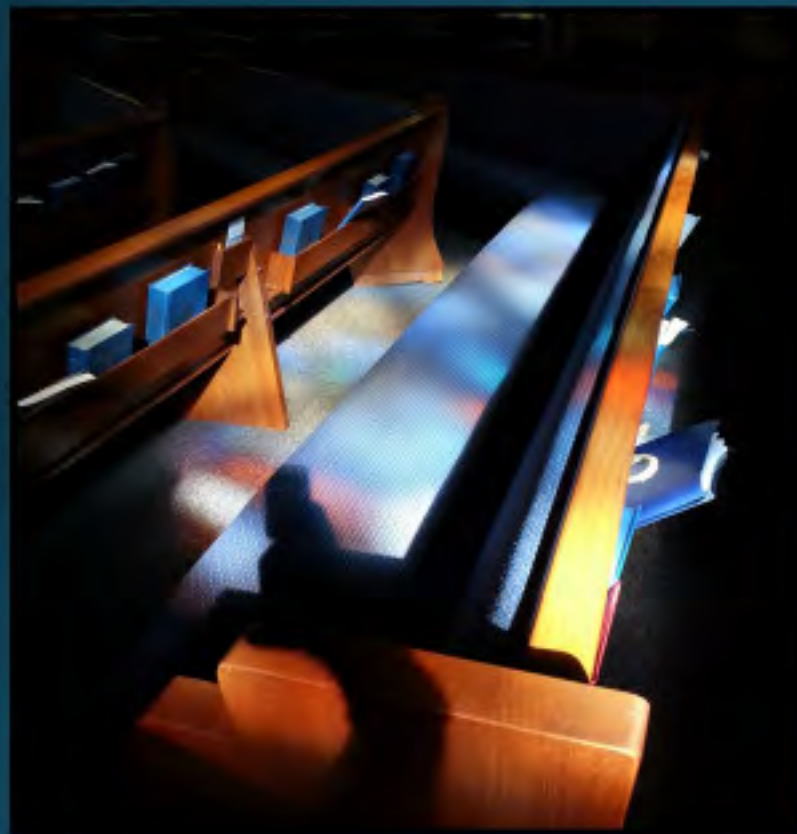












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Presbyterian Church*

www.ccpc.bowiemd.org

East Coast Presbytery
April 2014





1994 Building Committee

John Mather*Chair

Lyn Ossont *Co-Chair

Pat Ashby

Kate McDaniel

Mike Curtis

Harold Padgett

Steve Merchant

Johnny Guy *

Barbara McCamish

Trudy Neff *

Robert Turner

Paul Dorsey *

Nancy Sanford

Bob Tichenor*

Pete Haeussler

Jack Jones

Mark Farrer *

Dick Arnold

Dal Holmes

Ron Tillotson *

Dave Sparks *

Bill Freeborne*

On Site CCPC Liaison to the Contractor: Thad Uehling

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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ANNOUNCES THE AVAILABILITY OF
\$1,250,000
First Mortgage Bonds

Anticipated Interest Rates: 6.50% to 8.50%
Anticipated Issue Date: March 10, 1993
Simple Interest and Zero Coupon Bonds Available
Offering Price \$1,000 Per Unit

SIMPLE INTEREST BONDS
Interest paid by check semiannually

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8 Mo - 2 Years
2 1/2 - 4 1/2 Years
5 - 7 Years

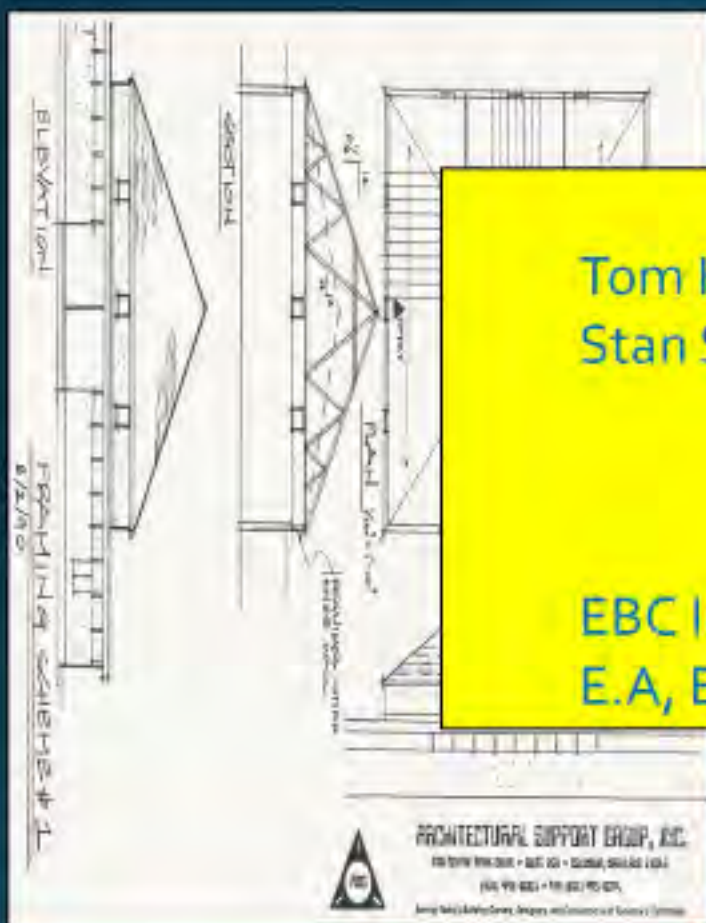
Pledge Campaign Committee # 1:
Doris Kobe, Carl Neumann, Audrey Scott,
David Sparks & John Turley

Pledge Campaign Committee # 2:
Ron Tillotson & Audrey Scott

Bond Campaign Leader: Jerry Calhoun

Treasurers for the Building Committee:
Bill Freeborne & Ron Stokes

Session liaisons:
Carl Neumann * Mike Curtis *



Architects:

Tom Kerns
Stan Serson

Sanctuary
Roof replacement &
CE Building

Contractors:

EBC Industries Inc
E.A. Baker

Sanctuary
Roof replacement



*Unless the Lord builds the house, those who build it labor in vain.
Psalm 127:1*