

## Update on IHM Building Projects

On Tuesday, December 12, 2023, we had a meeting for all members of the Parish to review the results of the Parish Survey and discuss how to proceed. From this meeting there was a consensus to do the following:

- Write a letter to Archbishop John Wester asking permission to start a Building Fund that would include a monthly second collection to obtain the necessary resources that will be needed for the Building Projects. This Letter was written on December 18, 2023, and mailed the same day.
- The top 8 of the 13 projects that were prioritized by the survey are the ones that will be focused on. They are listed in order of priority:
  - Church Roof, IHM Los Alamos.
  - Church Roof, St. Joseph White Rock.
  - Update Parish Hall Kitchen, to be code compliant, and user friendly.
  - Interior update of St. Joseph Church in White Rock.
  - Update to be code compliant and increase the number of bathroom stalls in IHM.
  - Parking lot repairs, at IHM in Los Alamos.
  - Update and increase the size and visibility of the Cry Room at IHM.
  - Improve safety and the working area in the Parish Office.
- Develop a Building Committee that has subcommittees to focus on each project. If you would like to be a part of the Building Committee, please contact the Parish Office at 662-6193 and fill out an information form to be a member of the Building Committee.
- On Wednesday January 10, 2024, at 7:00 PM there will be a meeting in the Religious Education Building to discuss the possibility of a Catholic School in Los Alamos or other ways of providing the option of a Catholic Education to the children of Los Alamos.

### List of the 8 Building Projects

Start and completion dates are not exact

1. IHM Roof	Started 8/21/24	Completed 8/21/24
2. St. Joseph Roof	Started 11/14/24	Completed 12/7/24
3. IHM Parish Hall Kitchen Update	Started	Completed
4. St. Joseph Church Seating	Started	Completed
5. IHM Bathrooms	Started	Completed
6. IHM Parking Lot Repairs	Started	Completed
7. IHM Church Cry Room	Started	Completed
8. IHM Parish Office	Started	Completed

Currently the Building Committee is working on the design of the Parish Hall Kitchen update. The Chairperson of the Building Committee is Mike Kluk, his email address is [lamkluk@aol.com](mailto:lamkluk@aol.com).