

## PHASE 1 IS OPEN!

9.10.25

What has been accomplished in 12 weeks is truly amazing. This project is ON TIME and UNDER BUDGET thanks to the great work by BLDD Architects and Executive Construction. Key leaders in our congregation, Scott Likins and Kristin Evers, are coordinating decision making to hit deadlines and have a final product that hits our agreed upon priorities. Thanks to dozens of people who volunteered in our four storage shift evenings and the move-in crews this past weekend who were a critical piece of this puzzle.

## Highlights of this phase include:

- Major HVAC work above the ceilings, maximizing our systems
- Updated fire detection systems
- Expanded restrooms are new from inground plumbing to design and finishes. This look was repeated in the new nursery restroom.
- Doors coming soon...many of the new doors are temporary with final wood doors coming soon
- New windows (13) in this area
- 11 totally renovated rooms new floors, ceilings, lights, paint, some walls, cabinets and more
  - 9 preschool classrooms
    - For our weekday preschool where we have 118 children enrolled this fall
    - For our weekend NazKids ministries
    - Designed to be rearranged so they can be used by other age groups as needed
  - New toddler room
    - Developmental pieces for infants, crawlers and walkers, including a smaller playset piece similar to the larger one in the Family Lobby
    - Family Resource Area to equip and encourage parents & kids
    - Children's restroom
  - New nursery with restroom and an area for nursing moms. Includes monitor for Sunday service.
- Family Lobby is designed for kids up to 9 years old as a place to hang out and play (with supervision). Ideal for before/after Nazarene Preschool or Sunday services, during Naz Recreation leagues, and those winter days when parents/grandparents need a place to go. It is also a place where parents and grandparents can connect in fact there is a Life Group of young moms that is meeting here this fall.

  Opening date for full use will be in early October.
  - •Weekday Keurig coffee maker •Flexible seating •TV monitors for info/promotion
  - Developmental games/pieces (we are working on a large Lite-Brite unit!) and large play set
- Exterior work includes painting the entire exterior flat surfaces and adding *Exterior Insulation and Finish System* (EIFS) that not only updates the look along Bell Road and north side of the building, but it will also provide better insulation for climate control. This design and product will be extended to the 2-floor educational building on the north and west sides during phase 2.

Thank you to all who have given sacrificially to make this possible. It will impact generations of young families in the decades to come.