

**GREATER NORTHWEST BAPTIST
MONTHLY UPDATE**

February 2024

This report is to keep you informed regarding the progress of ongoing church initiatives. You can also find this and all previous Monthly Updates **on the church website and bulletin board.**

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

WEBSITE UPDATES	Our Annual Events Calendar (including the church anniversary) is on the website. The church website is a tool where you can find information updates, ministry leaders, program information, and policy changes. If you want to be in the know- login!
'CHURCH HOUSE' UPDATE	Property renovation assessments for 3450 W. 62nd Street are complete. A new contractor has been engaged and quotes are expected within 10 days. Contractor quotes will be reviewed, and work is expected to start soon after approval. Plans were stalled as a search for a reliable and trusted contractor proved more challenging than expected. Brothers Reed, Jones and James are leading the project.
FACILITIES UPDATE	Current priorities for our church building are the roof and the fence, followed by the parking lot. The board may consider negotiating pricing on these items with the contractor for the 'church house' if it results in cost savings.
501c3 STATUS UPDATE	The 501c3 status for the church is expected to be approved by early fall. The IRS is now reviewing applications submitted in June of 2023, and our application was among the August 2023 submissions. We will keep you informed of any progress or news as it becomes available.
BUDGET REMINDER	There is a new process for budget requests this year. Please keep in mind that items purchased for a ministry without prior approval of the ministry leader are not eligible for reimbursement. Receipts must be separate, and all purchases must be made by those authorized by the ministry leader.

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