**Report of the Long-Term Planning Committee**

Glory to Jesus Christ!

Dear Father John, Parish Council, and Congregation,

God is moving in unexpected ways and growing our parish body seemingly exponentially. The number of catechumens continues to grow each week, and we are seeing an increasing number of new visitors, young families, and individuals of all ages joining our community. It follows that our plans to build a new temple have taken on a feeling of urgency as we wait for God's direction.

Father John and the Long Term Planning Committee have been working diligently to follow through with CJK Design Group, the Maryland Department of the Environment, Wetland Delineator - Ken Reddinger, & Frank Lynch,JR. - Surveyor, to get approval for a Site Plan Permit from the state of Maryland. Once we receive this approval we can apply for a Building Site Permit from Worcester County.

Our Parish has begun planning for a fundraising campaign.

The LTPC has put CJK Design on hold until we hear back from the state of Maryland. We will need to hire the services of a Civil Engineer for Structural Steel and a Soil Engineer for areas impacted in and around the Building Site of the new Temple.

Please see an accounting for services rendered, and paid to date below. We have not received an Invoice from Ken Reddinger yet.

| Contractor: | Amount Paid to Date: |
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| CJK Design and Architects | $ 16,248.55 |
| Frank Lynch, Jr. - Surveyor | 4,290.00 |
| | Total $ 20,538.55 |

In Christ,

Tom Mathews