

Delays

- Apologies to everyone for lingering delays beyond control - especially the **elevator** – an inevitable result of the busiest of construction seasons. We are very pleased to at long last have a certified and fully functional elevator. Thanks again for your patience!
- Customized safe and secure handrails are now installed.
- Final adjustments and tuning have been completed on all audio visual components.
- Completion of door installations expected by December.
- Fire separations and exterior siding will wrap up the most visual remaining work.
- Look for weekly updates in the bulletins and ‘What’s Happening’.

Financial Update

- **95% of all spending** to date has been drawn from designated reserves and external sources that could not have gone to normal operational expenses.
- Even with the Council-approved expanded CCS project budget, **any additional spending will come from the Project Fund** set up last February.
- Your generous donations to this Fund now exceed \$77,000, **so there is no possibility of any shortfall** on this major venture!
- In all of this we remain grateful to the **faithful stewardship by Trustees over the past generation** - in particular the Manse, Building and Memorial funds -along with the 2017 Four Rivers Development Fund.
- As noted at the outset we appreciate that your individual **donations are over and above regular givings**. That said, it remains vital to make up for any summer deficit and strive for a balanced budget by the end of December.

Submitted by Bob Sneyd



Sanctuary Before Renovations



Sanctuary After Renovations



Ribbon Cutting Ceremony - September 15, 2018

CCS Committee: Glenn Tunnock, Rev Barry Joynt, Elaine Scott, Lana March and Bob Sneyd