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Dear Sacred Heart Parishioners,

About eighteen months ago, our parish and Diocese underwent the *Know, Love, and Serve* planning process to help guide us in the next four years. As part of that process we determined five goals and needs for our parish. The number one issue from our surveys and meetings identified a growing concern regarding our buildings and grounds. Because of that concern, I commissioned the Exploratory Committee for Buildings and Grounds to identify our options going into the future. The committee began their work in September of 2014 and completed their work in September of 2015. I am grateful for their fastidious efforts to ascertain the best course of action regarding the various alternatives we have in terms of accommodating our growing congregation and the issues of safety, accessibility, and parking. The following is the completed report of the Exploratory Committee and their recommendations for Sacred Heart in the coming future. I invite you to read it and attend a community meeting to discuss the results in December. This is the most pressing temporal need that our parish faces and we need to make decisions sooner rather than later. I thank you in advance for your thoughtful consideration and look forward to meeting with you to forge a plan for our future.

In the Sacred Heart of Jesus,

Fr Jeffrey Core
Pastor