

CALVARY CHAPEL OF THE LAKES

Church Sanctuary Project

Update for April 4, 2025

This was a highly productive week with a large number of tasks being completed. Thank you to all of you who volunteered time to accomplish so much!

The current schedule remains for the pews to be removed on Tuesday and carpet installed Thursday and Friday. To accommodate that schedule here are the tasks remaining for us to complete ourselves:

Sunday 4/6 (after church)

- Empty pews of all items like Bibles and pens to a box in back
- Clear the stage music equipment
- Move tithe table and bibles to the Cry Room

Monday 4/7 starting at 10:00

Remove bolts from all center pews (need 4-6 volunteers)

Tuesday 4/8

PEWS ARE REMOVED

Need volunteers to follow the workers and break off bolts from the floor (2 volunteers)

Saturday 4/12 starting at 9:00 (Major volunteer effort needed)

- Move chairs into Sanctuary and set up rows
- Set up stage and electronics
- Install knee walls and baptismal
- General restoring of the sanctuary space
- Set up the Choir Room for the ladies' prayer and study

If possible, please let Tom know if you can help on the Monday bolt removal and/or Saturday sanctuary restoration. Tom is 407-722-2184.

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Update for *March 30, 2025*

Opportunities to Volunteer

Thursday, April 3 – Saturday, April 5

- Move chairs from choir room to the Cry Room
- Clear the floors behind the stage
- 50% of bolts removed

Monday, April 7

- Final bolts removed
- Clear sanctuary to the fellowship hall
- Sound equipment to the booth

Tuesday, April 8: *PEW REMOVAL (3rd party)*

Wednesday, April 9: *Vacuuming*

Thursday, April 10 – 11: *CARPET INSTALLATION (3rd party)*

Saturday, April 12: *Set up chairs, stage, Choir Room*

Contact Tom to inquire or to lock in a time you can help.

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Update for *March 23, 2025*

Our annual financial update on 3/23/25 concluded with an announcement about plans to remodel the sanctuary. As part of our Preparing For Growth initiative, we intend to replace all the sanctuary carpet (including behind the stage), permanently remove all sanctuary pews, and replace the pews with the 180 cushioned chairs already on the property.

This is a major change in the appearance and functionality of a key part of our church life. Accordingly, we want to share regular updates so that you can stay current on progress and expectations.

As of Tuesday 3/24, we tentatively expect to see work completed in time for Easter. With contracts signed and a deposit made on the carpet, we should have a timeline developed in the coming week.

Although the carpeting is being done by professionals, we will be doing many tasks ourselves and that presents lots of opportunities for volunteers to get involved. Check back again for more news!

With faith, and in service to our Lord,
Calvary Chapel Of The Lakes – Leadership Team