



Dear Friends,

For those of you who may not have been here last weekend to hear the announcement: Bishop Barber has given us permission to build the Adoration Chapel. This is great news that has been long-time coming. Thanks be to God, and the generosity of the people of St. Mary Parish, that we have reached this point.

Now we must get the architect to design the final plans, present these to the City of Walnut Creek, the Diocesan Design Review Board and the Bishop, and then secure the contractor, so that we can get our Chapel completed. This will take time – *and LOTS of prayer* – but the blessing at the end will be fantastic.

Thanks to all those who have prayed for this day. Thanks to all who have contributed toward the building of the Chapel, both small and large. Thanks for the trust that the bishop is showing us by allowing us to do construction and still continue to pay off our debt. And thanks to everyone for their support.

May the Good Lord bless our project and let everything go through smoothly, so we can have a special place for prayer and adoration of our gracious and loving Lord.

God bless you!

*Father Fred*