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They answered, "We have only five loaves of bread and two fish—unless we go and buy food for all this crowd."¹⁴ (About five thousand men were there.)
But he said to his disciples, "Have them sit down in groups of about fifty each." ¹⁵ The disciples did so, and everyone sat down. ¹⁶ Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks and broke them. Then he gave them to the disciples to distribute to the people. ¹⁷ They all ate and were satisfied, and the disciples picked up twelve basketfuls of broken pieces that were left over.



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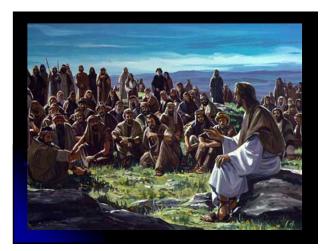
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³² So they went away by themselves in a boat to a solitary place. ³³ But many who saw them leaving recognized them and ran on foot from all the towns and got there ahead of them. ³⁴ When Jesus landed and saw a large crowd, he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd. So he began teaching them many things. (Mark 6:32-34)



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 ⁸ Another of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, spoke up, ⁹ "Here is a boy with five small barley loaves and two small fish, but how far will they go among so many?" (John 6:8-9)



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Our New Sanctuary!













Bid Budget Items

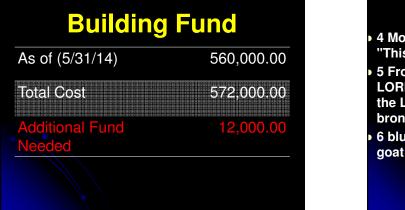
Lowest bid for th	e 615,000.00
project	
CCCC as GC	470,000.00
	145,000.00

Non-Budget Items

Design fee	8,500.00	
Landscape (trees, tree planting, sods and irrigation)	26,830.00	
Steeple	6,980.00	
Furniture (donated)	0.00	
Survey Sound System	4,000.00	
Sewer and Water tap in	7,890.00	
Miscellaneous	6,800.00	
Total	102.000.00	

Project Cost

Budget Items	470,000.00
Non-Budget Items	102,000.00
Total	572,000.00



Exodus 35:4-6

4 Moses said to the whole Israelite community, "This is what the LORD has commanded:

 5 From what you have, take an offering for the LORD. <u>Everyone</u> who is <u>willing</u> is to bring to the LORD an offering of gold, silver and bronze;

6 blue, purple and scarlet yarn and fine linen; goat hair;...

Exodus 35:20-23

20 Then the whole Israelite community <u>withdrew from</u> <u>Moses' presence</u>,

21 and everyone who was willing and whose <u>heart</u> <u>moved</u> him came and brought an offering to the LORD for the work on the Tent of Meeting, for all its service, and for the sacred garments.

22 All who were willing, <u>men and women alike</u>, came and brought gold jewelry of all kinds: brooches, earrings, rings and ornaments. They all presented their gold as a wave offering to the LORD.

23 Everyone who had blue, purple or scarlet yarn or fine linen, or goat hair, ram skins dyed red or hides of sea cows brought them.

Exodus 36:5-7

- ... and said to Moses, "The people are bringing more than enough for doing the work the LORD commanded to be done."
- 6 Then Moses gave an order and they sent this word throughout the camp: "No man or woman is to make anything else as an offering for the sanctuary." And so the people were restrained from bringing more,
- 7 because what they already had was more than enough to do all the work.

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- Dedication of New Sanctuary
- Funds More than Enough
- Many Seekers Got Saved