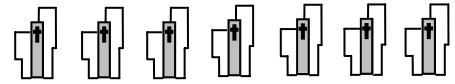


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The first year of the Ministry for Tomorrow program is complete. In that first year, we have attained an encouraging 2/3 of our goal! We now have \$1.4 million in commitments toward our goal of \$2.1 million. 55% of our membership have already made commitments to MFT. We have also received outstanding support from the Diocese of Virginia, with a \$50,000 Mustard Seed grant and the continuing services of a Diocesan consultant. MFT has also had significant help from former parishioners, with \$80,000 committed to date from our “extended flock” around the country. And our fundraising events, such as the fantastic Christmas Bazaar last month, continue to contribute to the MFT goal. (Thanks, Anne Brannam and all your many helpers, for a job well done!)

Year Two of the Ministry for Tomorrow campaign will focus on completing the canvass, especially to encourage participation by the rest of our current membership and recent newcomers. Meanwhile, back behind those sealed-with-tape doors . . . the Nave Renovation is moving along nicely, with most demolition work complete and actual renovation efforts well underway. The photo on the left shows what the Nave looked like one day in early November. And there’s more to come. You’ll be hearing much more in the next few months about the planned “St. Andrew’s Homecoming” event in May of 2009 that will include Confirmation, a Reunion Dinner with our Alumni, a May Fair and sports events for all.

Ministry for Tomorrow is about the future ministry of St. Andrew’s – and it’s happening today! *Thanks to all!*