

Starosta's Annual Report 2023

2022 went by quickly and we have made good progress on our goals and accomplishments. We have started our monthly church parish work day which helps with taking care of our church and property. It also helps our newer members to become better involved in the church family and an opportunity to get better acquainted with more members. We really do have a wonderful group of people here at St. Vladimir's. Thank you to all of you, for you live by the Lord, God and Savior's teachings by showing love for all. It has been a true honor and blessing for myself to be allowed to serve the church at St. Vladimir's.

Our school project is going very well and I hope with the help of all of you and God's grace that we will be able to finish this summer. The cemetery has had a section of fence added this past year and we will try to add another section each year to finish the fencing project.

The maintenance building we are planning to partition off part of it for equipment repairs. It will have a HVAC system added also in 2023 to allow for it to better protect and lengthen the life of the equipment we store. This also will make it much easier for the members that keep our equipment in good working order.

The new church. Yes if God blesses it we will begin to turn our attention to building our new church. This will be our biggest project ever and one that many many people have been hoping and praying for. It has been a dream and only a dream for many years, but we have met the challenges of dreams before. Like our cemetery and school. We will also meet this challenge and continue to grow. But we need everyone's help and support to do this.

This brings me to my final thought on this past year and moving forward. I would encourage all of you to please consider the automatic

donation methods we have in place to financially support our church and for us to help all who seek the orthodox faith. I can personally tell you that God's blessings continue to increase and your life changes for the better because of this. I have been blessed with more than I deserve and I am grateful for all of you, my church family. My God also bless all of you.

With love in Christ

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