

Builders for Christ

Weekly Update from
Immanuel Lutheran School, Hutchinson, MN

September 2, 2023



Hello volunteers,

We finished up a lot of projects this week.

1. Completed the Tyvec wrap
2. Put in all the backing for grab bars, partitions, tp dispensers, water coolers and cabinets
3. Finished building walls to the roof deck between the trusses
4. Put in the last of the hurricane clips
5. Installed the last of the diagonal bracing in the trusses over the bearing walls
6. Sheeted and wrapped the columns under the entry canopy
7. Dave Wusterbarth and crew have the rubber membrane on the main roof and on the canopy. He has some detail work to do after we get the siding on, but the building is dried in now.
8. Installed the windows

The electricians will be coming this week to begin their rough-in. Plumbers and HVAC crews are making good progress. Our main focus for the near future is siding, siding, siding! The siding arrived on Wednesday and we are in the process of figuring out what color, style, trim goes where. It's much more complicated than I anticipated, but we enjoy a challenge. There are three different colors and three different styles with a lot of transitions and trims in between, plus various places that have manufactured stone but we have nothing to do with that. Door frames are to be delivered this week also.

The crew worked hard until Friday noon and now we are taking a long holiday weekend due in part to the hot forecast and because it was time for a break before taking on the siding project. For that reason there was no Friday night potluck to report on. 😊

I pray everyone has a great holiday weekend.

Thanks to all for your service, support, and interest.

In His service,
Elwood