



## Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church Building Renovation

December 2025

### Bringing the Vision to Life

*As work continues at Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church, the project is beginning to take visible shape. Each phase brings exciting progress, and our team remains dedicated to ensuring the process runs smoothly and safely. We're grateful for the continued partnership and support of the congregation as we move closer to creating a renewed space for worship, fellowship, and community.*

### Schedule

During October, crews made great progress preparing the church for upcoming structural work. The team poured new concrete supports for the steel wind columns, removed the front stairs, and began adjusting several door openings and walls in the basement. Work also started on the front wall, which is being rebuilt to make way for the new columns. These efforts mark an important step in reinforcing the building and setting the stage for the next phase of construction.

Looking ahead to November, you'll begin to see visible changes as the steel wind columns are installed and the first floor is redecked. Crews will also start adding new support structures and openings inside the building, along with installing the new front entrance steps for the A&E Building. Each step brings us closer to restoring and strengthening the church for many years of worship and community gatherings to come.







## Meet the Team

In each newsletter, we highlight a Warfel team member who is helping bring the new Grace Lutheran space to life! This month, we're featuring David Betz, Project Manager!

David brings a friendly, team-focused approach to every project he leads. His positive energy and commitment to collaboration make him a valued member of the Warfel team and an important part of the Grace Lutheran Church project.

Outside of work, David and his wife Maddy enjoy spending time outdoors—hiking, fishing, kayaking, hunting, and visiting the beach with their two dogs, Oakley and Laney. This past summer, they joyfully welcomed their baby girl, Isla Lou, and are excited for all the adventures ahead as a new family.

