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David -

We are thrilled with our new worship center and want thank you and the entire CGLS team and your consultants who've made this 20 year dream become a reality for our congregation. This has been one of the smoothest, most professionally run design projects I've personally been associated with in my 30+ years - I'd recommend if there are future building plans for our church that your firm again partner with us. From the start your firm showed attention and sensitivity to our needs providing wise guidance to create a space that's inviting and merges attractively with our original building while fulfilling our need for a true worship sanctuary. We were especially pleased that you retained Merck & Hill to design our acoustical and visual media environment...our members have been very pleased with the rendition of our *a capella* singing and spoken word.

David Brown is an exemplary architect – we really appreciated his soft spoken but experienced hand in leading us toward making decisions that will be beneficial throughout the life of the structure. His tolerance and patience as we worked through difficult decisions also made the process bearable, even enjoyable. Mike Groff executed a well understood design and was extremely valuable in the permitting process. Frankie Ware was very friendly and easy to work with, providing a wonderful palette of colors and materials that complemented the original structure. Dave Pittard did a terrific job of coordination with the Potts team – they were very complementary of his timeliness in addressing submittals and requests for information. All of you and your thoughtful design with its craftsmanship were blessings to us on this project.

The beautiful facility that has resulted was a great team effort between CGLS Architects, The Potts Company and us – accept and share our deep thanks with your staff and take pride in the successful execution of your design.

With our gratitude

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