



## Friends, We Have A Problem...

Our plan was to replace our roof the first week of July, but we have just received some costly news that will put those plans on hold. A test was conducted on a sample of our existing roof and unfortunately, asbestos was found. This means that there is a substantial increase in costs to safely remove and dispose of the old roof. Additionally, we will not know how extensive the damage is underneath the existing multiple layers until the top membrane is removed, including the inspection of the insulation.

Our best estimate at this time of the total cost, including permits, removal of multiple layers of roofing, taxes and asbestos abatement could reach \$35,000. Up to this point, approximately \$23,000 has been given towards this project. It is difficult to keep asking for financial resources. Genesis has always strived to be good stewards of what God has given us, through faithful contributors, yet the urgency is there to replace the roof before winter and the possibility of more damage.

We trust that God will provide and that those who hear His prompting to help, will listen and act. We must complete this replacement by the end of August. We are so grateful for all the support we receive and know you will be blessed for your prayers and gifts. Thanks for standing with us.