

The Parish Hall moved to Erie

Most Rev. and dear Archbishop:

This is to thank you for the \$1,000.00 check which you sent us for the restoration of the social hall of Lafayette.

We now have the building moved and set on the foundation at Erie. We hope to have it ready for use early in September.

Respectfully and sincerely yours,

Martin Arno, O.S.B.
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Letter from Father Arno to Archbishop Vehr

Dated July 29th 1957

Father Martin Arno was instrumental in obtaining the hall for Saint Scholastica's and moving it to Erie. The Ladies Altar and Rosary Society held fundraisers to help pay for moving the hall (they cooked meals) and restoring it and volunteers provided the labor. A new foundation was set in place, a new furnace was installed, and new plumbing was provided. The restored building continues to serve our parish. (2009 history book and 2024 interviews with Castro and Ronnie Cardenas)