

BEDROCK NEWS

FROM BEDROCK CHURCH ROANOKE

CALENDAR

AUGUST 6th:
BY Kings Dominion

AUGUST 23rd:
Forged Men's Bible Study

AUGUST 24th:
Life Group Leader Training

AUGUST 27th-30th:
Hurricane Helene Relief Trip



SERMON SERIES: FOUNDATIONS

STARTING AUGUST 3RD



Culture is shaped when deeply held beliefs produce shared values that drive our behaviors. At Bedrock Roanoke, our culture is built on foundational values that unite us as we live on mission for the Kingdom of God. These Bedrock Values aren't just ideals, they drive the behaviors we actively live out together. Join us for this 5 week series as we discover what defines us and step into the vibrant culture of Bedrock Roanoke as we pursue God's Kingdom together.

UPCOMING

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Bedrock Men- Join us for a 9 week study on the book of Titus. On Saturday, August, 23rd there will be a kick off breakfast at 7:30am at the Quarry. After this, the group will meet the first and third Saturdays of the month at 8:00am. This will be a great time of fellowship and study together.

[Register HERE](#) >>



HURRICANE RELIEF

We have partnered with Valley Hope Church and Operation Blessing in Swannanoa, NC to help rebuild from the devastation caused by Hurricane Helene. We have trips planned throughout the year and are committed to continuing our partnership there as the area recovers. We would love to have you join us on a trip. If you would like to go on a trip register here and let us know when you could make it down with us. We look forward to serving the people of NC with you! Our next trip coming up is **August 27th-30th**.



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MISSIONS OPPORTUNITIES



[Click HERE](#)

Interested in joining us on mission?

We have some exciting opportunities to get on mission next year. Some will take overseas, some across the country, and others in our region or just down the road! If you are interested in joining one of our teams, we want to keep you in the loop on dates and trips! Register below to join the update list for all things missions at Bedrock Roanoke!

[Get more information here!](#) >>

MINISTRY UPDATES

KIDSROCK

July Highlights in Kidsrock:

Toddlers and PreK-Kindergarteners: This month, our youngest kids have been learning what it means to live and love like Jesus! Through stories like Jesus Forgiving Peter, Jesus Praying, The Good Samaritan, and The Great Commission, they've been encouraged to forgive, pray, care for others, and share God's love.

1st-5th graders: Our elementary students are discovering that "Live it Out" is more than a theme—it's a call to action. Through the same powerful stories, they're learning to put their faith into action by showing kindness, compassion, and courage in their daily lives.

Rice Bowl Campaign Update: We heard back from the Rice Bowl Organization after sending in our donation. We're thrilled to share that Kidsrock provided 2,204 meals for children in need around the world! Thank you to everyone who donated. The kids of Bedrock truly made a difference—way to go!

REMINDER! Starting Sunday, August 3rd, we will be launching a **NEW** Kidsrock class to better serve our growing families! These changes will help us better tailor the curriculum and create smaller, more focused environments for our kids. Here's what's changing:

- **Preschool** will now be only preschool (ages 3-5 and potty trained)
- **Kindergarten** will move to a new K-2nd grade classroom
- **3rd-5th graders** will have their own class

We're so excited to see how God continues to grow and move in the lives of the children here at Bedrock Roanoke!



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BEDROCK YOUTH

July was a great month! 12 of the youth were able to go to Merriwood Christian Camp and volunteer as the serve team for their teen week. Students learned about all the things that happen behind the scenes so that camp can run smoothly. We worked hard, overcame challenges, grew closer together, and grew closer in our walk with God. We are wrapping up summer with a trip to Kings Dominion on August 6th. Students can sign up using the Church Center app. Be on the lookout for our fall/winter calendar in the next couple weeks. To sign up for events and to see our calendar, click [HERE](#).



WORSHIP

A few Sundays ago, I had the privilege of helping lead worship at Bedrock Bedford, the church that planted us many years ago here in Roanoke. It was really cool to be able to step in while their worship leader, Chris Russ (who most of you know as our former worship leader), was leading their mission team in Nicaragua with Pam and Because We Care Ministries.

From the moment I arrived that morning, it felt like home. The authenticity, the welcoming spirit, the sense of purpose; it's clear that the DNA we cherish at Bedrock Roanoke runs strong in Bedford too. I was struck by how natural it felt to worship with their team. They're incredibly gifted and humble, and I felt like I was part of the family from the first note in sound check.

The experience also reminded me just how special Bedrock Roanoke is. As great as it was to be there with our Bedford family, I found myself missing our Roanoke gathering. There's something truly powerful about the way our community sings. The way we all sing boldly, joyfully, and together is awesome. You all don't just attend a "worship service," you engage, and that's something rare and beautiful. May God raise up more houses of true worship that are filled with growing faith families.

It was also really encouraging to see the great work Chris is doing with the guys there in Bedford. He's building something strong and faithful, and it's neat to see the ripple effect of his time here continue to shape lives and churches.

All in all, it was a refreshing Sunday, and I wanted to take this moment to shine light on the reminder that we're part of something bigger than just one location. God is on the move and He's using His Church!

-Josh & Carla

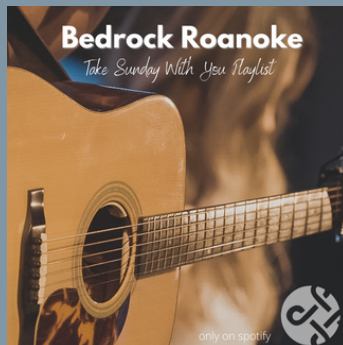
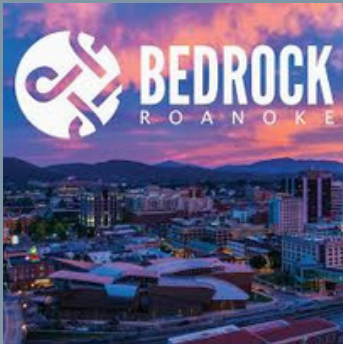


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