



Multi-Purpose Facility

For more than 140 years, Rumble Memorial Presbyterian Church has served as a place of worship, refuge, and community. Today, Rumble is building on that legacy with a bold initiative that strengthens its mission and expands its service to the people of Blowing Rock and beyond.

Guided by a long-term strategic vision, Rumble has invested in meaningful improvements across its campus. These efforts include the complete renovation of the church manse, the restoration of historic Rumble House for administrative and meeting space, and the reconfiguration of the education wing to support Blowing Rock Cares, youth programming, childcare, and Rumble's Fresco Gallery. Together, these accomplishments reflect careful stewardship and a deep commitment to mission. The final and most transformative step is the construction of the multi-purpose facility. Centrally located on the Rumble campus, the multi-purpose facility will serve as a flexible, multi-purpose gathering space designed to meet the growing needs of church and community.

The facility will include:

- Table seating for 150
- Stadium seating for more than 250
- A modern, fully equipped kitchen
- Bathrooms with showers

The multi-purpose facility will replace and expand upon the former fellowship hall and support worship services, weddings and funerals, Vacation Bible School and camps, visiting mission groups, food packaging and distribution, recreational activities such as basketball and pickleball, as well as lectures and conferences.

To date, Rumble members and friends have contributed \$6.8 million toward campus improvements. Of those funds, \$4.1 million is available for construction of the multi-purpose facility, including \$1.5 million in renewed commitments from original campaign donors. The total projected cost of the multi-purpose facility is approximately \$5.5 million.

After nearly six years of planning, fundraising, and faithful preparation, Rumble stands at the threshold of completing one of the most important initiatives in its history, positioning the church to serve boldly for generations to come. The time is now.

"Who knows? Perhaps you have come...for just such a time as this." Esther 4:14