

CRU at UNC

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Back to School!

We start back this week for another year at UNC. Right now 8 survey tables are strewn all over campus as we connect with new faces. There is always a uniqueness to this time of year of all the possibilities and new things God will be doing through their stories. **"Behold, I am doing a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert."** -Is 43
Pray for God to do what only he can do through our efforts.

Pray for the Smiths

- Praise God for the 121 leaders who are trusting God with us all over campus.
- Pray for God to draw students to himself this week through meaningful conversations.
- Pray for God to use all these events and our weekly meeting to connect people to our vision for campus!
- Pray for our staff team to empower others through God's grace in our own lives.

Harrison turned 7 July 30!

We are amazed and so grateful for his life. He also got to be a ring bearer this summer in a wedding of our friend and co-worker with CRU. Pictured above!

Sunday, Aug 19
Fall Fest
8 pm | South Rd

Monday, Aug 20
Freshman Picnic
5 pm | Forest by Kenan Stadium and Stadium Dr

Thursday, Aug 23
First Community Groups
*check website for times and locations

Friday, Aug 24
First Weekly Meeting
7:30 pm | Genome Science Building, Room 100 Check website for future location cruatunc.com
Fall Series - DOES GOD STILL MATTER?

Sept 7-9
Barn Party - Food, Music and Dancing
6 pm | Bell Tower Amphitheater

Fall Retreat
Camp Rockfish - Fayetteville, NC

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Summer Sabbatical

This June we were given the option to have a summer at home intentionally disengaging from ministry. It has been a rich season with good family time. Additionally, Josh has been taking three seminary courses through the summer to continue being enriched in the word: Bible classes on Genesis to Joshua and Hebrews to Revelation.

We are so grateful for this season to connect well as a family and get some slower pace to dive deep with our church. We are ready to take on a new year. A couple books we have enjoyed: Josh read **The Rest of God** by Mark Buchanan and Erin enjoyed **Parenting in the Pew** as we are adjusting to have Harrison in church. Thank you for your partnership with us to reach students at UNC.

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