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rock of roseville

Client: Rock of Roseville Church

Location: Roseville, CA

Project Type: New Construction

Seat Count: 500

Opening: 2007

Construction Cost: \$5.4 million

Architect: HGA, Sacramento

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AD Scope: Acoustics | Audio | Video

Rock of Roseville is a very interactive church. The church is currently using a system that can tabulate responses to questions on the video screen. If the pastor asks three to four questions during the sermon, a worshipper can press a, b, c, or d and provide the answer. The church uses this to create instantaneous feedback about what is really happening in people's lives.

In addition to the tabulation system, the room itself needed to support communication between the platform and seating areas. To support this, a wrap-around seating plan was developed to give a strong sense of connection in the room. However, there was an acoustical challenge to doing this in a way that would not create sound focusing which would normally result if the wall shaping followed the seating plan. The wall shaping is generally rectangular, which allowed for a simple and inexpensive building structure, while eliminating the acoustics issues of a curved wall. We worked with HGA to develop the wrap around seating plan within the rectangular shape.

ACOUSTIC DIMENSIONS