

# **ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

## May 20, 2018

When you send your Spirit, they are created, and you renew the face of the ground.

May the glory of the Lord endure for ever; may the Lord rejoice in his works —

he who looks at the earth, and it trembles, who touches the mountains, and they smoke.

*I will sing to the Lord all my life; I will sing praise to my God as long as I live.* 

May my meditation be pleasing to him, as I rejoice in the Lord.

But may sinners vanish from the earth and the wicked be no more. Praise the Lord, my soul. Praise the Lord.

Psalm 104:30-35 (NIV)

THE LORD'S DAY

Morning Worship Service, 10:00 AM

## PRELUDE & INTROIT

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## <sup>†</sup> GREETING THE FAMILY OF GOD

## CALL TO WORSHIP & RESPONSIVE READING Psalm 104:30–35 – see front of bulletin

## INVOCATION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven; Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts; as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil; For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

<sup>†</sup>WORSHIPING GOD IN SONG "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah," Hymn 51

<sup>†</sup>CONFESSING OUR FAITH The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### "Gloria Patri"

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

WORSHIPING GOD IN TITHES AND OFFERINGS

## <sup>†</sup> PRAISING GOD FOR HIS BOUNTY "The Doxology"

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## <sup>†</sup> PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

## <sup>†</sup> WORSHIPING GOD IN SONG

"Holy Ghost, Dispel Our Sadness," to the tune of "Come Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

Holy Spirit, end our sadness; Pierce the clouds of sinful night; Come, O source of sweetest gladness, Breathe Your life and spread Your light! Hear, O hear our supplication, Loving Spirit, God of peace! Rest upon this congregation, Great distributer of grace!

From the height which knows no measure As a gracious show'r descend. Bringing down the richest treasure We can wish, or God can send! Help us flee what e'er would harm us, Both from error and from sin. Guard us, less the world alarm us, Holy Fountain, cleanse within.

Be our friend on each occasion, God, omnipotent to save! When we die, be our salvation, When we're buried be our grave. Seat us with Your saints in glory, When from out the grave we rise, Then forever we'll adore You, Round Your throne above the skies.

## CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION Psalm 38:1–4

My wounds fester and are loathsome because of my sinful folly.

I am bowed down and brought very low; all day long I go about mourning.

My back is filled with searing pain; there is no health in my body.

I am feeble and utterly crushed; I groan in anguish of heart.

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON John 3:16

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

WORSHIPING GOD IN SONG, the Choir

Children 3 yrs. to 1<sup>st</sup> grade dismissed to children's church

THE READING AND PREACHING OF THE WORD "Beware of a Twisted Gospel Story," <u>Galatians 3:15–22</u>

#### <sup>†</sup> RESPONDING TO GOD'S GRACE "Children of the Heavenly Father," Hymn 44

<sup>†</sup> BENEDICTION

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Tonight's hymns: 212, 408, 542 Tonight's message: "Paul's Prayer for Israel," <u>Rom 10:1–5</u>

We will accept nominations for the office of elder throughout the month of May. You may submit a name in the box in the Narthex.

The deacons and elders will have their joint meeting today at 5:00 PM (the elders will meet at 4:30 PM).

VBS meets this year Sunday, June 3, through Wednesday, June 6, from 6:00–8:00 PM. You can register on our website at https://roebuckpca.com/vbs/.

#### **TODAY'S VOLUNTEERS:**

Greeter: David Busch Nursery AM: Libby Hughes, Nancy Fulmer Nursery PM: Alan & Marie Washburn Church cleaning: Alan & Marie Washburn (before May 27)

#### **NEXT WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS:**

Greeter: Alan Washburn Nursery AM: Phyllis Mauldin, Jennifer Lockman Nursery PM: Eddie & Mickey West Church cleaning: Alan & Marie Washburn (before June 3)

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING: \$1,564.00 (weekly budget: \$2,090.38).

#### **CONFESSIONAL THOUGHT**

How is the word to be read and heard, that it may become effectual to salvation? That the word may become effectual to salvation, we must attend thereunto with diligence, preparation and prayer; receive it with faith and love, lay it up in our hearts, and practice it in our lives.

Westminster Shorter Catechism 90

#### **ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**



2179 E. Blackstock Rd. (PO Box 284), Roebuck, SC 29376 Phone: 864.576.5717 Web: <u>www.roebuckpca.com</u> Sunday School, 9:00 AM Sunday Morning Worship, 10:00 AM Sunday Evening Worship and Youth Group, 6:00 PM Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 PM

#### The Doctrine of Our Church

We believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, as originally given, to be the inerrant Word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and life. We believe the doctrines of the Bible are best summarized by and contained in the <u>Westminster Confession of Faith</u> and <u>Shorter</u> and <u>Larger</u> Catechisms, which form the standards of the Reformed Faith to which we adhere. Roebuck Presbyterian Church is a member of the Presbyterian Church in America (<u>PCA</u>).

#### **Church Membership**

We believe that every Christian should be a member of a Bible-believing, gospelpreaching church. The only requirement for church membership is a credible testimony of faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. If you would like to join, please speak to the pastor or one of the officers. You may be received as a member by profession of faith, reaffirmation of faith, or transfer of membership.

#### **Church Officers and Staff**

Pastor: Richard Winston, 864-607-6165, <u>richard@roebuckpca.com</u> Elders: Rik Hollifield (Stated Clerk), Aaron Fulmer, Tom Lindsey, Donald McAbee, E. L. Outz Deacons: Wade Bruce (Chairman), Lee Amick, Jonathan McAbee, Phillip McArthur, Alan Washburn, Eddie West Music ministry: Joan McAbee (Choir director), Nancy Smith (Organist), Ava Hughes (Pianist)

#### Missionaries and Ministries We Support (quarterly)

Mr. & Mrs. Peter (Diane) Bakelaar (MTW, Japan) - \$208 Rev. & Mrs. Rick (Beth) Brawner (RUFI, Clemson) - \$100 Rev. & Mrs. David (Mary Beth) Ely (RUF, Furman) - \$100 Rev. and Mrs Andrew (Jennifer) Gretzinger (N. Ireland) - \$200 Mrs. Alice Hatch (MTW, International Counselor) - \$208 Rev. & Mrs. Clete (Karen) Hux (ARC, Birmingham, AL) - \$200 Mr. & Mrs. Marc (Aline) Mailloux (MTW, International) - \$208 Mr. & Mrs. Gerald (Debbie) May (TEAM, Japan) - \$100 Miss Becky White (MTW, Taiwan) - \$208 Mr. & Mrs. David (Robin) White (MTW, Atlanta) - \$208 Dr. & Mrs. Tom (Lucy) Wright (MTW, Africa) - \$208 Child Evangelism Fellowship - annual gift Gideons International - annual gift