



## ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

September 8, 2019

Blessed is the one who does not walk in step with the wicked or stand in the way that sinners take or sit in the company of mockers,

*but whose delight is in the law of the Lord, and who meditates on his law day and night.*

That person is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither—whatever they do prospers.

*Not so the wicked! They are like chaff that the wind blows away.*

Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the assembly of the righteous.

*For the Lord watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked leads to destruction.*

Psalm 1:1–6 (NIV)

## THE LORD'S DAY

*Morning Worship Service, 10:00 AM*

PRELUDE & INTROIT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

† GREETING THE FAMILY OF GOD

CALL TO WORSHIP & RESPONSIVE READING

Psalm 1:1–6—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.

† HYMN OF PRAISE

“And Can It Be?” Hymn 203

† CONFESSING OUR FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism 4 & 5; Westminster Confession of Faith 2.3

What is God? God is a spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in his being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness and truth.

Are there more Gods than one? There is but one only, the living and true God.

In the unity of the Godhead there be three persons, of one substance, power, and eternity: God the Father, God the Son, and

God the Holy Ghost: the Father is of none, neither begotten, nor proceeding; the Son is eternally begotten of the Father; the Holy Ghost eternally proceeding from the Father and the Son.

“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

† 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.

† PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

† HYMN OF THANKSGIVING

“There Is a Fountain,” 196

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Psalm 22:1–5 (NIV)

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? Why are you so far from saving me, so far from my cries of anguish? My God, I cry out by day, but you do not answer, by night, but I find no rest. Yet you are enthroned as the Holy One; you are the one Israel praises. In you our ancestors put their trust; they trusted and you delivered them. To you they cried out and were saved; in you they trusted and were not put to shame.

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 22:24 (NIV)

For he has not despised or scorned the suffering of the afflicted one; he has not hidden his face from him but has listened to his cry for help.

MUSICAL OFFERING—the Choir

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

THE READING AND PREACHING OF THE WORD

Rev. Andrew Gretzinger, [Philippians 1:1–11](#)

Response to the Word:

Minister: All Scripture is given by inspiration of God,  
**Congregation: And is profitable for doctrine, reproof, correction and instruction in righteousness.**

† HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Take My Life and Let It Be,” Hymn 379 (4, 5, 6)

† BENEDICTION

† *Congregation will stand*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Tonight's hymns:** Psalm 1, 399, 404

**Tonight's message:** Rev. Andrew Gretzinger, [2 Kings 5:1-8](#)

The ladies of the church are invited to participate in a Bible study beginning Monday, Sept 16. The study will cover *None Like Him: 10 Ways God Is Different From Us (and why that's a good thing)* by Jen Wilkin. Please sign up in the narthex if you would like to participate.

Youth Group resumes this evening at 6:00 PM. Wednesday Bible Study resumes this Wednesday at 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

Women in the Church (WIC) meet Monday, Sept 9 at 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

We will observe the Lord's Table next Sunday morning.

## TODAY'S VOLUNTEERS:

Greeter: Larry Hughes  
Nursery AM: Marie Washburn, Jennifer Lockman  
Nursery PM: Eddie & Mickey West  
Church cleaning: Aaron & Julie Fulmer (before Sep 15)

## NEXT WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS:

Greeter: E. L. Outz  
Nursery AM: Brenda McArthur, Kathleen Lindsey  
Nursery PM: Marie Washburn, Nancy Fulmer  
Church cleaning: Aaron & Julie Fulmer (before Sep 22)

**LAST MONTH'S OFFERING:** \$13,995.00 (monthly budget for 2019: \$9,708.33)

## CONFESSIONAL THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK

How could Christ suffer? Christ, the Son of God, became a man so that he could obey and suffer in our place.

*First Catechism 50*

How does Christ's resurrection benefit us? First, by His resurrection He has overcome death, so that He could make us share in the righteousness which He had obtained for us by His death. Second, by His power we too are raised up to a new life. Third, Christ's resurrection is to us a sure pledge of our glorious resurrection.

*Heidelberg Catechism 45*

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Phone: 864.576.5717 Web: [www.roebuckpca.com](http://www.roebuckpca.com)  
Sunday School, 9:00 AM  
Sunday Morning Worship, 10:00 AM  
Sunday Evening Worship, Youth Group, 6:00 PM  
Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall

### What does Roebuck Presbyterian Church believe?

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 [Westminster Confession of Faith](#) and [Shorter](#) and [Larger](#) 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 ([PCA](#)).

### Church Membership

We believe that every Christian should be a member of a Bible-believing, gospel-preaching 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.

### Church Officers and Staff

Pastor: Richard Winston, 864-607-6165, [richard@roebuckpca.com](mailto:richard@roebuckpca.com)  
Elders: Rik Hollifield (Stated Clerk), Wade Bruce, Aaron Fulmer, Tom Lindsey, Donald McAbee, E. L. Outz  
Deacons: Phillip McArthur (chairman), Lee Amick, Jonathan McAbee, 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)—\$215  
Rev. & Mrs. Rick (Beth) Brawner (RUF, Clemson)—\$105  
Rev. & Mrs. David (Mary Beth) Ely (RUF, Furman)—\$105  
Rev. and Mrs. Andrew (Jennifer) Gretzinger (N. Ireland)—\$210  
Mrs. Alice Hatch (MTW, International Counselor)—\$215  
Rev. & Mrs. Clete (Karen) Hux (ARC, Birmingham, AL)—\$210  
Mr. & Mrs. Marc (Aline) Mailloux (MTW, International)—\$215  
Mr. & Mrs. Gerald (Debbie) May (TEAM, Japan)—\$105  
Rev. & Mrs. Tony (Janice) Rogers (Metanoia, SC Prisons)—\$200  
Miss Becky White (MTW, Taiwan)—\$215  
Mr. & Mrs. David (Robin) White (MTW, Atlanta)—\$215  
Dr. & Mrs. Tom (Lucy) Wright (MTW, Africa)—\$215  
Child Evangelism Fellowship—annual gift  
Carolina Pregnancy Center—annual gift  
Gideons International—annual gift