



## ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 21, 2022

In you, LORD, I have taken refuge; let me never be put to shame.

*In your righteousness, rescue me and deliver me; turn your ear to me and save me.*

Be my rock of refuge, to which I can always go; give the command to save me, for you are my rock and my fortress.

*Deliver me, my God, from the hand of the wicked, from the grasp of those who are evil and cruel.*

For you have been my hope, Sovereign LORD, my confidence since my youth.

*From birth I have relied on you; you brought me forth from my mother's womb. I will ever praise you.*

Psalm 71:1–6 (NIV)

THE LORD'S DAY  
*Morning Worship Service, 10:00 AM*

### BELL RINGING

### PRELUDE

“The Way of the Cross Leads Home”

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CALL TO WORSHIP & RESPONSIVE READING

Psalm 71:1–6 (NIV)—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

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling,” Hymn 529

### † CONFESSING OUR FAITH

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for

our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. 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 & OFFERINGS**

“Surely the Presence of the Lord Is in This Place,”  
offertory

#### **† 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**

“O the Deep, Depp Love of Jesus!” Hymn 535

#### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Luke 22:25–27 (NIV)

The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those who exercise authority over them call themselves Benefactors. But you are not to be like that. Instead, the greatest among you should be like the youngest, and the one who rules like the one who serves. For who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one who is at the table? But I am among you as one who serves.

#### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Luke 22:29–30 (NIV)

I confer on you a kingdom, just as my Father conferred one on me, so that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom and sit on thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

#### **MUSICAL OFFERING—THE CHOIR**

#### **THE READING & PREACHING OF THE WORD**

“The Story God is Telling You,” [Romans 9:1–5](#)

#### **† HYMN OF RESPONSE**

“I Lay My Sins on Jesus,” Hymn 512

#### **THE LORD’S TABLE**

#### **† BENEDICTION**

Hebrews 13:20–21

*† Congregation will stand*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Evening message:** "Symbolic Confrontation," [Matthew 21:1–22](#)  
**Evening hymns:** 693, 650, 618

Missionary Rachel Bauserman (MTW Next, Nagoya, Japan) and intern Shori Sunagawa will speak during Sunday School next Sunday, Aug 28.

We will have a church fellowship dinner on Sun, Sept 4, at 6:30 PM.

Women in the Church (WIC) meets Monday, Sept 12 at 6PM.

### THIS WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS:

Nursery AM: Jennifer Brooks, Joyce Outz  
Bell ringer: Greta Fulmer

### NEXT WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS:

Nursery AM: Jennifer Amick, Lydia Thompson  
Bell ringer: Benjamin Winston

**LAST MONTH'S OFFERING** (July): \$15,617.00 (monthly budget for 2022: \$13,583.00).

**SERMON NOTES:** The story God is telling you.

1. You want to know God.
2. You should reflect God.
3. You can trust God.

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Sunday School, 9:00 AM  
Sunday Morning Worship, 10:00 AM  
Sunday Evening Worship and Youth Group, 6:00 PM

### What does Roebuck Presbyterian Church believe?

Our foundational belief is that the Bible is God's Word, the ultimate standard for what we believe and how we live. The Westminster Confession of Faith and the Westminster Shorter and Larger Catechisms define our beliefs in key areas of Christian faith and practice. Adherence to the gospel constitutes the most essential mark of a Christian and a Christian church (Rom 1:1–7, 16–17; 1 Cor 15:1–11).

### What is the mission of Roebuck Presbyterian Church?

Before Jesus ascended into heaven, he commissioned the church to "make disciples of all nations" (Mat 28:19). The ministry of the local church equips believers to fulfill this mission (Eph 4:7–16). Therefore, RPC exists to glorify God by strengthening believers and evangelizing unbelievers (mission). We strive to be a gospel-centered church that produces mature disciples for Roebuck, Spartanburg county, and beyond (vision). To accomplish this mission, we prioritize the Word and worship, shepherding and holy living, fellowship and relationships, and outreach and community service.

### Church Officers and Staff

Pastor: Richard Winston, 864-607-6165, [richard@roebuckpca.com](mailto:richard@roebuckpca.com)  
Elders: Wade Bruce (Stated Clerk), Aaron Fulmer, Rik Hollifield, Donald McAbee, E. L. Outz  
Deacons: David Hunter (chairman), Lee Amick, Graham Brooks, Jonathan McAbee, Phillip McArthur, Eddie West  
Music ministry: Joan McAbee (Choir director), Nancy Smith (Organist), Ava Hughes (Pianist)

### Missionaries and Ministries We Support (quarterly)

Peter & Diane Bakelaar (MTW, Japan)—\$250  
Brian & Missy Howard (RUF, Clemson)—\$125  
Tom & Chané Hart (RUF, Furman)—\$125  
Rachel Bauserman (MTW, Japan)—\$250  
Clete & Karen Hux (ARC, Birmingham, AL)—\$250  
Marc & Aline Mailloux (MTW, International)—\$250  
Brian & Megan Moore (MTW, Germany)—\$250  
Gerald & Debbie May (TEAM, Japan)—\$250  
Tony & Janice Rogers (Metanoia, SC Prisons)—\$250  
Becky White (MTW, Taiwan)—\$250  
David & Robin White (MTW, Atlanta)—\$250  
Tom & Lucy Wright (MTW, Africa)—\$250  
Child Evangelism Fellowship—annual gift  
Carolina Pregnancy Center—annual gift  
Gideons International—annual gift