



ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

September 3, 2023

For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb.

***I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made;
your works are wonderful, I know that full well.***

My frame was not hidden from you when I was made in the secret place, when I was woven together in the depths of the earth.

***Your eyes saw my unformed body; all the days ordained for me were
written in your book before one of them came to be.***

How precious to me are your thoughts, God! How vast is the sum of them!

***Were I to count them, they would outnumber the grains of sand—
when I awake, I am still with you.***

Psalm 139:13–16 (NIV)

THE LORD'S DAY – SEPTEMBER 3, 2023

Morning Worship Service, 10:00 AM

PRELUDE - CHIMING THE HOUR - ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP & RESPONSIVE READING

Psalm 139:13–16 (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:** “O Worship the King,” Hymn 2 (vs 1, 2 & 5)

† **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 & 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. Amen

† PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

† HYMN OF THANKSGIVING: “Take My Life and Let it Be,” Hymn 585 (vs. 1, 4, 5)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: PRAYER OF CONFESSION

1 John 1:8–9 (NIV)
If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: Psalm 103:8–10 (NIV)

The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. He will not always accuse, nor will he harbor his anger forever; he does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities.

MUSICAL OFFERING—THE CHOIR

THE READING & PREACHING OF THE WORD: Stuart Fowler

† HYMN OF RESPONSE: “I Am Thine, O Lord, I Have Heard Thy Voice,”
Hymn 533 (vs. 1, 2, 4)

† BENEDICTION: 2 Corinthians 13:11 (NIV)
Finally, brothers and sisters rejoice! Strive for full restoration, encourage one another, be of one mind, live in peace. And the God of love and peace will be with you.

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE – 6:00 PM

Call to Worship
† Hymn 572: “Onward Christian Soldiers” (vs. 1, 3, 5)
Prayer
Hymn 691: “It is Well with My Soul” (vs. 1 & 4)
Scripture and Message - Rev. Dale Hagwood, Reidville PCA
† Hymn 697: “Wonderful Words of Life” (vs. 1 & 3)
Benediction

† Congregation will stand

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

September 10: 4:30 pm Session Mtg.; 5 pm Deacons Mtg.

September 11 at 6:30 pm: WIC meeting the Fellowship Hall on. There will be a guest speaker from Hope Remains Ranch, and a taco dinner. Sign up in the Narthex.

Beginning September 12, 10 am: Women’s Bible Study, “Contending for the Faith,” continues on Tuesdays. Please sign up on the sheet in the Narthex if you’re interested.

THIS WEEK’S VOLUNTEERS:

Nursery AM: Jennifer Brooks, Nancy Fulmer
Stream team: Vivian Bruce (AM)/Graham Brooks (PM)

NEXT WEEK’S VOLUNTEERS:

Nursery Phyllis Mauldin, Vivian Bruce.....Stream Team: Jonathan McAbee

LAST MONTH’S OFFERING: August – Budget: \$12,634; Offering: \$12,598

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Sunday School, 9 AM/Sunday Morning Worship, 10 AM/Sunday Evening Worship and Youth Group, 6 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

Elders: Wade Bruce (Stated Clerk), Aaron Fulmer, Rik Hollifield, Donald McAbee, E. L. Outz
Deacons: Graham Brooks (chairman), Lee Amick, Jonathan McAbee, Phillip McArthur, Eddie West
Music ministry: Lorry Bruce (Choir director), Nancy Smith (Organist), Ava Hughes (Pianist)

Missionaries and Ministries We Support (quarterly)

Peter & Diane Bakelaar (MTW, Japan)—\$250.....Todd & Shannon Buchner (CTC)—\$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
Shori & Saki Sunagawa (MTW, Next)—\$250.....Becky White (MTW, Taiwan)—\$250
David & Robin White (MTW, Atlanta)—\$250.....Tom & Lucy Wright (MTW, Africa)—\$250
Annual Gifts: Child Evangelism Fellowship; Carolina Pregnancy Center; Gideons International