



ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

September 10, 2023

The LORD reigns forever; he has established his throne for judgment.

**He will judge the world in righteousness;
he will govern the peoples with justice.**

The LORD is a refuge for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble.

**Those who know your name will trust in you, for you, LoRD,
have never forsaken those who seek you.**

Sing praises to the LORD, enthroned in Zion;

proclaim among the nations what he has done.

PSALM 9:7-11

THE LORD'S DAY – SEPTEMBER 10, 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:** “How Firm a Foundation,” Hymn 94 (vs. 1, 3 & 4)

† **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: “Blessed Assurance,” Hymn 693

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: Psalm 51:1–2 (NIV)
Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions. Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: Proverbs 28:13 (NIV)
Whoever conceals their sins does not prosper, but the one who confesses and renounces them finds mercy.

MUSICAL OFFERING—THE CHOIR

THE READING & PREACHING OF THE WORD: Ben Smarzynski

† HYMN OF RESPONSE: “Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us,” Hymn 599 (1, 2, 3)

† BENEDICTION: 1 Thessalonians 5:23–24 (NIV)
May God himself, the God of peace, sanctify you through and through. May your whole spirit, soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. The one who calls you is faithful, and he will do it.

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE – 6:00 PM

Call to Worship

† Hymn 572: “Let Us Praise God Together,” Hymn 659

Prayer

Hymn 691: “Commit Now All Your Griefs,” Hymn 669 (vs. 1, 2 & 4)

Scripture and Message - Dale Hagwood, Reidville PCA

† Hymn 697: “Jesus is All the World to Me,” Hymn 653 (vs. 1, 2 & 4)

Benediction

† *Congregation will stand*

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

September 10: 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.

September 12, 10 am: Women’s Bible Study, “Contending for the Faith”

THIS WEEK’S VOLUNTEERS:
Nursery AM: Phyllis Mauldin, Vivian Bruce
Stream team: Jonathan McAbee

NEXT WEEK’S VOLUNTEERS:
Nursery: Brenda McArthur, Greta Fulmer.....Stream Team: Graham Brooks

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