



ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

October 29, 2023

Blessed is the one whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered.

Blessed is the one whose sin the LORD does not count against them and in whose spirit is no deceit.

When I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long.

For day and night your hand was heavy on me; my strength was sapped as in the heat of summer.

Then I acknowledged my sin to you and did not cover up my iniquity. I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD." And you forgave the guilt of my sin.

Therefore, let all the faithful pray to you while you may be found; surely the rising of the mighty waters will not reach them.

Psalm 32:1–6 (NIV)

THE LORD'S DAY – OCTOBER 29, 2023

Morning Worship Service, 10:00 AM

PRELUDE - ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP & RESPONSIVE READING

Psalm 32:1–6 (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:** "O Worship the King," Hymn 2 (vs. 1-4)

† **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:
“My Hope is Built on Nothing Less,” Hymn 521 (all verses)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: Psalm 32:8–10 (NIV)
I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you
with my loving eye on you. Do not be like the horse or the mule, which have no
understanding but must be controlled by bit and bridle or they will not come to
you. Many are the woes of the wicked, but the LORD’s unfailing love
surrounds the one who trusts in him.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: Lamentations 3:22–23 (NIV)
Because of the LORD’s great love we are not consumed, for his compassions
never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

MUSICAL OFFERING—THE CHOIR

THE READING & PREACHING OF THE WORD: Stuart Fowler

† HYMN OF RESPONSE:
“He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought!,” Hymn 600 (vs. 1 & 3)

† BENEDICTION

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING to vote on Pastoral Candidate

† *Congregation will stand*

ANNOUNCEMENTS:
November-December Prayer Bulletin/Church Calendar is available in the Narthex.
Oct. 29, close of service: **Congregational Meeting to vote on Pastoral Candidate**
Oct. 29, 6 pm: **5th Sunday night joint service** at Reidville PCA, Rev. Bruce Tjelta
speaking
Nov. 12: **Joint Session & Deacon’s Meeting**, 4:30 pm
Nov. 13: **WIC Meeting**, 6:30 pm, Fellowship Hall

THIS WEEK’S VOLUNTEERS:
Nursery: Brenda McArthur, Greta Fulmer
Stream team: Jonathan McAbee

NEXT WEEK’S VOLUNTEERS:
Nursery: Joyce Outz, Jennifer Amick
Stream Team: David Hyslop

LAST MONTH’S OFFERING: September – Budget: \$12,634; Offering: \$18,276

ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Strengthen the church, evangelize the world.

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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 (RUF1, 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