

ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH January 21, 2024

The LORD is my light and my salvation —whom shall I fear?

The LORD is the stronghold of my life—of whom shall I be afraid?

One thing I ask from the LORD, this only do I seek:

that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze on the beauty of the LORD and to seek him in his temple.

For in the day of trouble he will keep me safe in his dwelling; he will hide me in the shelter of his sacred tent and set me high upon a rock.

Then my head will be exalted above the enemies who surround me; at his sacred tent I will sacrifice with shouts of joy; I will sing and make music to the LORD.

Psalm 27:1, 4-6 (NIV)

THE LORD'S DAY – January 21, 2024

Morning Worship Service, 10:00 AM

CALL TO WORSHIP, RESPONSIVE READING

Psalm 27:1, 4–6 (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:

"Come, We That Love the Lord," Hymn 700 (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:

"Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It!," Hymn 701 (vs. 1 & 3)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: Psalm 6:1–4 (NIV)

LORD, do not rebuke me in your anger or discipline me in your wrath. Have mercy on me, LORD, for I am faint; heal me, LORD, for my bones are in agony. My soul is in deep anguish. How long, LORD, how long? Turn, LORD, and deliver me; save me because of your unfailing love.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: Hebrews 8:12 (NIV)

For I will forgive their wickedness and will remember their sins no more.

MUSICAL OFFERING—THE CHOIR

THE READING & PREACHING OF THE WORD:

Mr. Stuart Fowler

† HYMN OF RESPONSE:

"Be Thou My Vision," Hymn 642 (vs. 1, 3 & 5)

† **BENEDICTION** Psalm 121:7–8 (NIV)

The LORD will keep you from all harm—he will watch over your life; the LORD will watch over your coming and going both now and forevermore.

Evening worship service – 6:00 pm

Call to Worship

† **Hymn**: "O Father, You Are Sovereign," Hymn 75

(vs. 1 & 2)

Prayer

Hymn: "God, the Lord, a King Remaineth," (same tune as "Angels From the Realms of Glory")

Hymn 64 (vs. 1 & 2)

Scripture and Message – Rev. Bruce Tjelta

† **Hymn:** "Jesus, I Am Resting, Resting," Hymn 188 (vs. 1 & 4)

Benediction

† Congregation will stand

WELCOME back to Mr. Stuart Fowler, our morning speaker. And welcome back Rev. Bruce Tielta for our evening worship service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

(Note: There will be no WIC meeting in January)

VOLU NTEERS:

Date	Nursery	Stream Team
Jan. 21	Joyce Outz, Nancy Fulmer	Wade Bruce
Jan. 28	Sasha Cunningham,	Vivian Bruce
	Vivian Bruce	

LAST MONTH'S OFFERING:

December – Budget: \$15,792; Offering: \$18,834

SERMON NOTES:

ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

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 (RUFI, 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