



ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

March 4, 2018

For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

For it is written: "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise; the intelligence of the intelligent I will frustrate."

Where is the wise person? Where is the teacher of the law? Where is the philosopher of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world?

For since in the wisdom of God the world through its wisdom did not know him, God was pleased through the foolishness of what was preached to save those who believe.

We preach Christ crucified: a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles,

but to those whom God has called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God.

1 Corinthians 1:18–21, 23–24 (NIV)

THE LORD'S DAY

Morning Worship Service, 10:00 AM

PRELUDE & INTROIT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

† GREETING THE FAMILY OF GOD

CALL TO WORSHIP & RESPONSIVE READING

1 Corinthians 1:18–21, 23–24—see 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.

† WORSHIPING GOD IN SONG

"We Praise Thee, O God, Our Redeemer," Hymn 16

† 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 AND 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

† WORSHIPING GOD IN SONG

“My Song Is Love Unknown,” see insert

PASTORAL PRAYER

Psalm 143:3–7

The enemy pursues me, he crushes me to the ground; he makes me dwell in the darkness like those long dead. So my spirit grows faint within me; my heart within me is dismayed. I remember the days of long ago; I meditate on all your works and consider what your hands have done. I spread out my hands to you; I thirst for you like a parched land. Answer me quickly, Lord; my spirit fails. Do not hide your face from me or I will be like those who go down to the pit

WORSHIPING GOD IN SONG, the Choir

Children 3 yrs. to 1st grade dismissed to children’s church

THE READING AND PREACHING OF THE WORD

“Authentic Christian Ministry, Part 1” [Galatians 2:1–10](#)

† RESPONDING TO GOD’S GRACE

“The Church’s One Foundation,” Hymn 277 (1, 2)

† BENEDICTION

Tonight’s hymns: 502, 505, 517

Tonight’s message: Deuteronomy: The God Who Renews the Covenant, [Deuteronomy 6:1–9](#)

Confessional Thought for the Week

Which is the ninth commandment? The ninth commandment is, Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.

What is required in the ninth commandment? The ninth commandment requireth the maintaining and promoting of truth between man and man, and of our own and our neighbor's good name, especially in witness-bearing.

What is forbidden in the ninth commandment? The ninth commandment forbiddeth whatsoever is prejudicial to truth, or injurious to our own or our neighbor's good name.

Westminster Shorter Catechism 76–78

† *Congregation will stand*

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The session will meet next Sunday, March 11 at 4:30 PM. The deacons will meet that day at 5:00 PM.

WIC will meet next Monday, March 12, at 7:00 PM.

If you would like to list a name on the Easter Lily list, please give \$10 and the names to Marie Washburn by March 18.

Jamie Burkemper, missionary to Mexico (MTW) will speak during the Sunday School hour on March 18.

We will have an egg hunt and luncheon on Palm Sunday, March 25. Please bring a side dish and dessert (meat will be provided). Please also bring a dozen eggs filled with treats.

The Carolina Pregnancy Center banquet takes place Thursday, April 12 at 6:30 PM. If you would like to attend, please sign up on the list in the Narthex.

TODAY'S VOLUNTEERS:

Greeter: Alan Washburn (we lock the church doors at 10:00 but the greeter will admit you if you come afterwards)
Nursery AM: Brenda McArthur, Kathleen Lindsey
Nursery PM: Don & Joan McAbee
Church cleaning: Rik & Susan Hollifield (before Mar 11)

NEXT WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS:

Greeter: Larry Hughes
Nursery AM: Joyce Outz, Allyson Nelson
Nursery PM: Alan & Marie Washburn
Church cleaning: Eddie & Mickey West (before Mar 18)

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING: \$2,358.00 (weekly budget: \$2,090.38).

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2179 E. Blackstock Rd. (PO Box 284), Roebuck, SC 29376
Phone: 864.576.5717 Web: www.roebuckpca.com
Sunday School, 9:00 AM
Sunday Morning Worship, 10:00 AM
Sunday Evening Worship and Youth Group, 6:00 PM
Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 PM

The Doctrine of Our Church

We believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, as originally given, to be the inerrant Word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and life. We believe the doctrines of the Bible are best summarized by and contained in the [Westminster Confession of Faith](#) and [Shorter](#) and [Larger](#) Catechisms, which form the standards of the Reformed Faith to which we adhere. Roebuck Presbyterian Church is a member of the Presbyterian Church in America ([PCA](#)).

Church Membership

We believe that every Christian should be a member of a Bible-believing, gospel-preaching church. The only requirement for church membership is a credible testimony of faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. If you would like to join, please speak to the pastor or one of the officers. You may be received as a member by profession of faith, reaffirmation of faith, or transfer of membership.

Church Officers and Staff

Pastor: Richard Winston, 864-607-6165, richard.bbc@gmail.com
Elders: Rik Hollifield (Stated Clerk), Aaron Fulmer, Tom Lindsey, Donald McAbee, E. L. Outz
Deacons: Alan Washburn (Chairman), Lee Amick, Wade Bruce, Jonathan McAbee, Phillip McArthur, Tim Nelson, Eddie West
Music ministry: Joan McAbee (Choir director), Nancy Smith (Organist), Ava Hughes (Pianist)

Missionaries and Ministries We Support (quarterly)

Mr. & Mrs. Peter (Diane) Bakelaar (MTW, Japan)—\$208
Rev. & Mrs. Rick (Beth) Brawner (RUF, Clemson)—\$100
Rev. & Mrs. David (Mary Beth) Ely (RUF, Furman)—\$100
Rev. and Mrs Andrew (Jennifer) Gretzinger (N. Ireland)—\$200
Mrs. Alice Hatch (MTW, International Counselor)—\$208
Rev. & Mrs. Clete (Karen) Hux (ARC, Birmingham, AL)—\$200
Mr. & Mrs. Marc (Aline) Mailloux (MTW, International)—\$208
Mr. & Mrs. Gerald (Debbie) May (TEAM, Japan)—\$100
Miss Becky White (MTW, Taiwan)—\$208
Mr. & Mrs. David (Robin) White (MTW, Atlanta)—\$208
Dr. & Mrs. Tom (Lucy) Wright (MTW, Africa)—\$208
Child Evangelism Fellowship—annual gift
Carolina Pregnancy Center—annual gift
Gideons International—annual gift