



## ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

July 27, 2025

For we did not follow cleverly devised stories when we told you about the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ in power, but we were eyewitnesses of his majesty.

*He received honor and glory from God the Father when the voice came to him from the Majestic Glory, saying, “This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased.”*

We ourselves heard this voice that came from heaven when we were with him on the sacred mountain.

*We also have the prophetic message as something completely reliable, and you will do well to pay attention to it, as to a light shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts..*

2 Peter 1:16–19 (NIV)

## THE LORD’S DAY – JULY 27, 2025

*Morning Worship Service, 10:00 AM*

### PRELUDE – CHIMING THE HOUR

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CALL TO WORSHIP & RESPONSIVE READING

2 Peter 1:16–19 (NIV) - *front of the 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: *When We All Get to Heaven* (insert)

### † 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

Offertory: *Peace! Be Still!*

### † 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 Time to Be Holy*, Hymn 537

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION: 1 Corinthians 10:12–13 (NIV)

So, if you think you are standing firm, be careful that you don’t fall! No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it.

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON: 1 John 2:1b–2 (NIV)

Jesus Christ, the Righteous One, is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world.

### THE READING & PREACHING OF THE WORD:

Mr. Phillip Temple

### † HYMN OF RESPONSE: *I Know Whom I Have Believed* Hymn 705

### † BENEDICTION

† *Those able, please stand.*

SERMON NOTES:

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**WELCOME to our pulpit today:** Mr. Phillip Temple for the morning service, and Rev. Don Kirkwood for the evening service. Thank you both for bringing God’s word to us today.

**COMMUNION:** We will observe Communion on August 10<sup>th</sup> during the morning service. Let us all prepare our hearts.

VOLUNTEERS:

Date	Nursery	Stream Team
July 27	Jennifer Brooks Sasha Cunningham	Jonathan McAbee
August 3	Julie Fulmer Lorry Bruce	Grayson Fulmer
August 10	Phyllis Mauldin Terry Bennett	Brandon Johnson
August 17	Greta Bulmer Brenda McArthur	Wade Bruce

GIVING	Budget	Actual Tithes/Offerings
Month of June	\$15,480	\$16,050
Year to Date	\$80,500	\$85,741

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Our Nation & Leaders, local/state/national
- Church Officers and Ministries of the Church; Missionaries
- Church members, families, the sick, and the homebound

ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*Strengthen the church, evangelize the world.*

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Sundays: Sunday School, 9 AM; Morning Worship, 10 AM;  
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” (Matt. 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, Tom Lindsey (Emeritus), 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)

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE – 6:00 PM

CALL TO WORSHIP

† HYMN 616 *Leaning on The Everlasting Arms*

PRAYER

SCRIPTURE AND MESSAGE – Rev. Don Kirkwood

† HYMN 582 *Yield Not to Temptation*

BENEDICTION