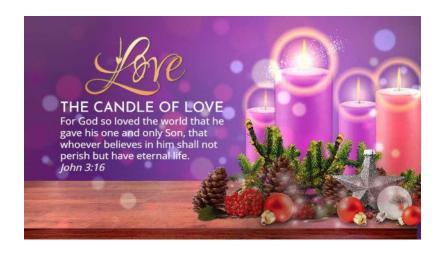


# ROEBUCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Founded 1891



Fourth Sunday of Advent December 21, 2025

## THE LORD'S DAY

## DECEMBER 21, 2025 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

## **MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE, 10:00 AM**

MUSICAL PRELUDE – CHIMING THE HOUR

ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### APPROACHING GOD

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP & SALUTATION**

† **HYMN:** The First Noel (insert) (vs. 1 & 5)

#### \* PRAYER OF 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.

<sup>†</sup> CONFESSION OF FAITH: Responsive Reading
Westminster Larger Catechism, Question 101
What do we pray for in the first petition?

In the first petition (which is, Hallowed be Thy name) we pray, that God would enable us and others to glorify Him in all that whereby He maketh Himself known; and that He would dispose all things to His own glory.

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.

PASTORAL PRAYER

Dr. Todd Buchner

#### BEING RECONCILED TO GOD

**GOD'S STANDARD OF RIGHTEOUSNESS** 

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**GOD'S PROMISE OF FORGIVENESS** 

<sup>†</sup> **HYMN:** Silent Night, Holy Night, Hymn 210 (vs. 1 & 4)

#### **RESPONDING TO GOD'S GOODNESS**

#### **WORSHIPING GOD WITH TITHES & OFFERINGS:**

Offertory: Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne

† 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

**MUSICAL OFFERING - THE CHOIR:** 

Come Adore the Humble King

## **HEARING GOD'S WORD**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**OLD TESTAMENT READING:** Jeremiah 3:11-20

**NEW TESTAMENT READING:** Matthew 6:7-9

SERMON: God's Standard...The Ten Words

Dr. Todd Buchner

PRAYER FOR BLESSING ON THE WORD

**† HYMN: There Is A Fountain**, Hymn 253 (vs. 1 - 3)

THE LORD'S TABLE

† **HYMN:** There Is A Fountain, Hymn 253 (vs. 4 - 5)

† BENEDICTION

#### **SERMON NOTES**

ALL ARE INVITED TO THE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER 6:00 PM IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER is tonight at 6:00 pm. Please bring dishes to share and join us in this time of celebration and fellowship.

#### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Each Sunday: 5:30 pm, Prayers for RPC, Sanctuary side area

VOLUNTEERS			
Date	Nursery	Stream Team	
December 21	Nancy Fulmer	Brandon Johnson	
	Terry Bennett		
December 28	Jennifer Brooks	David Hyslop	
	Vivian Bruce		
January 4	Sasha Cunningham		
	Brenda McArthur		

GIVING	Budget	Actual Tithes/Offerings
Month of November	\$15,480	\$14,206
Year to Date	\$148,615	\$157,502

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

- Our Nation & Leaders (local/state/national)
- Church Officers, Ministries of the Church, and Missionaries
- Our Church Family, the sick, and the homebound
- Those who may be struggling during the holidays

#### 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

Interim Supply Pastor: Dr. Todd Buchner
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Rik Hollifield, Tom Lindsey (Emeritus),
Donald McAbee, E. L. Outz
Deacons: Lee Amick, Jonathan McAbee,
Phillip McArthur, Eddie West
Music Ministry: Lorry Bruce (Choir Director),
Nancy Smith (Organist), Ava Hughes (Pianist)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> Those able, please stand.