

# Roseville

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Lord's Day

19 APRIL 2026

*To love God and to love his own;  
to know Christ and to make him known.*



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**Sing**

 Psalm 103

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**Sing**

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## Call to Worship

My soul, bless the Lord, and all that is within me, bless his holy name.  
My soul, bless the Lord, and do not forget all his benefits. As far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us. As a father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who fear him. (Psalm 103:1-2,12-13)

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# *Psalm 103:8-22*

## *(tune: Before the Throne)*

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The LORD is merciful and kind, To anger slow, and full of grace.  
He will not constantly reprove, Or in his anger hide his face.  
He does not punish our misdeeds, Or give our sins their just reward.  
How great his love—as high as heaven—  
Towards all those who fear the LORD!  
Towards all those who fear the LORD!

As far as east is from the west, So far his love has borne away  
Our many sins and trespasses And all the guilt that on us lay.  
Just as a father loves his child, So God loves those who fear his name.  
For he remembers we are dust,  
And well he knows our feeble frame.  
And well he knows our feeble frame.

Each human life is like the grass, And like a meadow flower it grows.  
Its place will never be recalled Once over it the tempest blows.  
But everlasting is God's love For those who fear him, and their seed—  
For those who keep his covenant,  
And carefully his precepts heed.  
And carefully his precepts heed.

God's kingly rule is over all; In heavèn he has set his throne.  
O you his angels, praise the LORD, Strong ones by whom his will is done.  
O praise the LORD, you heavenly hosts, His servants who perform his word.  
Praise God, his works throughout his realm,  
And you, my soul, O praise the LORD!  
And you, my soul, O praise the LORD!

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## Confession of sin

Almighty God, our Father, we have sinned against you and one another; in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us to correct what we are, and direct what we shall be; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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## Assurance of pardon

If we say, 'We have no sin,' we are deceiving ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.  
(1 John 1:8-9)

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## Offerings

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## Pastoral prayer

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# *My Hope is Built*

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My hope is built on nothing less  
than Jesus' blood and righteousness;  
no merit of my own I claim,  
but wholly trust in Jesus' Name.

## Chorus

On Christ, the solid rock, I stand;  
all other ground is sinking sand,  
all other ground is sinking sand.

When weary in this earthly race,  
I rest on His unchanging grace;  
in every wild and stormy gale  
my anchor holds within the veil.

His oath, His covenant and blood  
are my defence against the flood;  
when earthly hopes are swept away  
He will uphold me on that day.

When the last trumpet's voice shall sound,  
O may I still in Him be found!  
Clothed in His righteousness alone,  
faultless to stand before His throne.



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## *O for a Closer Walk with God*

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O for a closer walk with God,  
the calm of sins forgiv'n,  
a light to shine upon the road  
that leads at last to heaven.

O gentle Messenger return,  
return, O holy Dove;  
I hate the sins that made You mourn  
and grieved Your heart of love.

Restore the happiness I knew  
when first I saw the Lord;  
refresh me with the radiant view  
of Jesus and His Word!

From every idol I have known  
now set my spirit free;  
O make me worship You alone,  
and reign supreme in me.

So shall my walk be close with God.  
my wand'rings be forgiven;  
so shall His light mark out the road  
that leads at last to heaven.

*(William Cowper, 1731-1800)*

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# Catechism **Q17**

## Q17. What happened to us in the fall?

The fall brought all people into a condition of sin and misery.

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## The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be Your name,  
Your kingdom come,  
Your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Lead us not into temptation  
but deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are Yours  
now and for ever. Amen.

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## Benediction

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

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## Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise him all creatures here below.  
Praise him, above, ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

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## Evening Family Worship Guide - 5pm

**Opening:** Psalm 59. For discussion: What is the link between this Psalm and today's evening worship reading?



### Bible reading - 1 Samuel 19

*You are the blessed God, happy in Yourself, source of happiness in Your creatures, my maker, benefactor, proprietor, upholder. You have produced and sustained me, supported and indulged me, saved and kept me; You are in every situation able to meet my needs and miseries.*

*May I live by You, live for You, never be satisfied with my Christian progress but as I resemble Christ; and may conformity to His principles, temper, and conduct grow hourly in my life. Let Your unexampled love constrain me into holy obedience, and render my duty my delight. If others deem my faith folly, my meekness infirmity, my zeal madness, my hope delusion, my actions hypocrisy, may I rejoice to suffer for Your name.*

*Keep me walking steadfastly towards the country of everlasting delights, that paradise-land which is my true inheritance. Support me by the strength of heaven that I may never turn back, or desire false pleasures that will disappear into nothing. As I pursue my heavenly journey by Your grace let me be known as one with no aim but that of a burning desire for You, and the good and salvation of my fellow men.*



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