

Roseville Presbyterian Church

LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

Sunday, 8 November, 2026

To love God and to love His own;
to know Christ and to make Him known.

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WELCOME TO ROSEVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
You are warmly invited to join with the congregation at Roseville Presbyterian Church as we seek to worship the living God in all we do, and especially on the Lord's Day. This worship guide is offered to guide you through the service, as well as to serve as devotional material for your use throughout the week.

MORNING SERVICE OF WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

Members of the congregation are encouraged to be seated 15 minutes before the start of each service for private preparation of heart and mind. The following scripture meditation is provided to aid in that purpose.

Scripture Meditation – Psalm 119:9-16
How can a young man keep his way pure? By keeping your word. I have sought you with all my heart; don't let me wander from your commands. I have treasured your word in my heart so that I may not sin against you. Lord, may you be blessed; teach me your statutes. With my lips I proclaim all the judgements from your mouth. I rejoice in the way revealed by your decrees as much as in all riches. I will meditate on your precepts and think about your ways. I will delight in your statutes; I will not forget your word.

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship – Revelation 11:15

‘The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of his Christ, and he will reign forever and ever.’ Let us worship God.

Hymn of Praise – I Cannot Tell

Prayer of Approach

Corporate Confession of Sin

Leader: Almighty and most merciful God, without whom we can do no good thing; grant us your grace, that our prayers may be acceptable to you.

All: We humbly confess that we are not worthy to approach you, or to do anything in your Name. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed.

Leader: Forgive us, we pray, and cleanse us from all our sins through the merits of Jesus Christ, your Son, our Saviour and Lord.

All: Amen.

Assurance of Grace – from Psalm 32:1-2

Blessed is he whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered. Blessed is the man whose sin the Lord does not count against him and in whose spirit is no deceit.

Old Testament Scripture Reading – Exodus 19:20-20:20

Genesis	**Exodus**	Leviticus	Numbers	Deuteronomy

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Catechism Lesson

We are working through the Westminster Shorter Catechism, using the illustrated version published by Christian Focus Publications in 2022.

49: <u>What is the second commandment?</u>

The second commandment is, You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

New Testament Scripture Reading – Luke 11:33-36

Matthew	Mark	**Luke**	John	Acts

Pastoral Prayer

Congregational Song – Rock of Ages

Preaching of the Word – 1 Corinthians 9:1-18

USING OUR RIGHTS IN A CHRISTIAN WAY

Song of Response – This Life I Live

The Nicene Creed (2/3)

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ...
by whom all things were made:
Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven,
and was incarnated by the Holy Ghost of the virgin Mary,
and was made man,
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried,
and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,
and ascended into heaven,
and sits on the right hand of the Father.
And He shall come again with glory

to judge both the quick and the dead:
whose kingdom shall have no end.

Benediction

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

Doxology – Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

EVENING SERVICE OF WORSHIP

The evening worship service is when the whole congregation together meets for a second time on the Lord's Day. It is something which has been a normal way many churches have operated until more recent years. In a busy world, keeping the first day in the week as holy is the way to true rest.

Psalm 92:1-3
A psalm. A song for the Sabbath day.
It is good to give thanks to the Lord,
to sing praise to your name, Most High,
to declare your faithful love in the morning
and your faithfulness at night,
with a ten-stringed harp
and the music of a lyre.

MUSIC

I Cannot Tell

Words: W Fullerton, c.1920 / Arrangement: Emu Music, 2019
Intro & Interlude: G C Em C / Time: 4/4

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          G                          C
I cannot tell why He whom angels worship
               G                        D
Should set His love upon the sons of men
            Em                          C
Or why as Shepherd He should seek the wanderers
              G          D                G
To bring them back they know not how or when
          Em        C                  G
But this I know that He was born of Mary
                 Em      C             D
When Bethlehem's manger was His only home
             G       C              G          Em
And that He lived at Nazareth and laboured
             G                  D                G
And so the Saviour Saviour of the world is come


          G                          C
I cannot tell how silently He suffered
             G                                 D
As with His peace He graced this place of tears
             Em                         C
Or how His heart upon the cross was broken
               G      D                  G
The crown of pain to three and thirty years
          Em        C                   G
But this I know He heals the broken-hearted
               Em      C                    D
And stays our sin and calms our lurking fear
             G       C                  G         Em
And lifts the burden from the heavy-laden
             G                  D                G
For yet the Saviour Saviour of the world is here
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G C
I cannot tell how He will win the nations
G D
How He will claim His earthly heritage
Em C
How satisfy the needs and aspirations
G D G
Of east and west of sinner and of sage
Em C G
But this I know all flesh shall see His glory
Em C D
And He shall reap the harvest He has sown
G C G Em
And some glad day His sun shall shine in splendour
G D G
When He the Saviour Saviour of the world is known

G C
I cannot tell how all the lands shall worship
G D
When at His bidding every storm is stilled
Em C
Or who can say how great the jubilation
G D G
When all the hearts of men with love are filled
Em C G
But this I know the skies will thrill with rapture
Em C D
And myriad myriad human voices sing
G C G Em
And earth to heaven and heaven to earth will answer
G D G
At last the Saviour Saviour of the world is King

Rock of Ages

Words: A. Toplady, 1776 / Arrangement: Ruth Buchanan, 1998
Intro & interlude: G D G G / Time: 6/8

G G^{maj7} G G^{maj7} C Dsus4
Rock of Ages cleft for me
G G^{maj7} G G^{maj7} C Dsus4
Let me hide my self in Thee
Em D C
Let the water and the blood
Em D G C
From Thy wounded side which flowed
Em D G C
Be of sin the double cure
C D
Cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r

G G^{maj7} G G^{maj7} C Dsus4
Not the labour of my hands
G G^{maj7} G G^{maj7} C Dsus4
Can ful - fill Thy law's demands
Em D C
Could my zeal no respite know
Em D G C
Could my tears forever flow
Em D G C
All for sin could not atone
C D
Thou must save and Thou alone

G G^{maj7} G G^{maj7} C Dsus4
Nothing in my hand I bring
G G^{maj7} G G^{maj7} C Dsus4
Simply to the cross I cling
Em D C
Naked come to Thee for dress
Em D G C
Helpless look to Thee for grace
Em D G C
Foul I to the fountain fly
C D
Wash me Savior or I die

G G^{maj7} G G^{maj7} C Dsus4
While I draw this fleeting breath
G G^{maj7} G G^{maj7} C Dsus4
When mine eyes shall close in death
Em D C
When I soar to worlds unknown
Em D G C
See Thee on Thy judgment throne
Em D G C
Rock of Ages cleft for me
C D
Let me hide myself in Thee

This Life I live

Words and music: Michael Morrow (Emu Music), 2009
Intro & Interlude: C G F C / Time: 3/4

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              C                  Gsus
This life I live is not my own
               F          Gsus     C
For my Redeemer paid the price
              C              Gsus
He took it to be His alone
              F           Gsus     C
To be His treasure and His prize
                   Am     F          C
The things of earth I leave behind
              Am            F    Gsus
To live in worship of my King
              G                    Dm
His is the right to rule my life
               F        Gsus    C
Mine is the joy to live for Him

            C                 Gsus
I died to sin upon the cross
                 F       Gsus   C
I'm bound to Jesus in His death
              C                   Gsus
The old is gone and now I must
           F           Gsus  C
Rely on Him for ev'ry breath
              Am         F       C
With ev'ry footstep that I tread
               Am            F  Gsus
What mysteries He has in store
            G                   Dm
I cannot know what lies ahead
                  F          Gsus     C
But know that He has gone before
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              C                          Gsus
There is a voice that pierced the grave
                 F            Gsus   C
A power that rolled the stone away
               C                  Gsus
A sound of life I know I'm saved
                 F          Gsus       C
The voice of God has called my name
          Am       F       C
So I will rise and in the air
               Am       F   Gsus
Behold the glory of the King
            G                    Dm
I will not fear to meet Him there
               F      Gsus     C
I know my life is hid with Him
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Doxology – Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

Words: Thomas Ken, 1674

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G                  Em        G   D     G
Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
G               Em        C    G  D
Praise him all creatures here below;
Em    D                 C       D  G
Praise him a-bove, ye heav'n-ly host;
Bm    Em     Am        G D  G       C   G
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. A - men.
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‘Feast after feast thus comes and passes by,
Yet, passing points to the glad feast above,
Giving sweet foretaste of the festal joy,
The Lamb’s great bridal feast of bliss and love.’

Members of the congregation are invited to make regular tithes and offerings via online transfer using the following details for the church account.

Account name: *Presbyterian Church of Roseville-Lindfield-Killara*
BSB: *082 309;* ***Account number:*** *50941 6025*