

Round Oak Baptist Church Community Profile

Round Oak Baptist Church (ROBC) is located in Corbin, VA, in northern Caroline County, not far from Spotsylvania County and the city of Fredericksburg. ROBC maintains a small-town church feel while being nestled in a fast growing and diverse community. ROBC is a few hours' drive from the beach, mountains, and countless other historic and outdoor attractions. Many residents commute to Washington or Richmond, but rather than live in the big city, they prefer the quieter country life that Caroline County offers or the suburban conveniences of nearby Spotsylvania County.

Ethnicity

White: 68.3%

African American: 19.7%

Hispanic: 11.0% Other: <1%

Population

According to a recent church-sponsored demographic study, the population in ROBC's community is 125,015 (2020) and is estimated to grow to more than 134,000 by 2025. The majority of the local population ranges in age from 25-64, with the highest number of people falling in the age group of 25-34 years old. ROBC's congregation's age distribution is in line with the overall community.

Conveniences

- Shopping (<u>Central Park, Spotsylvania Towne Centre</u>, Cosner's Corner, <u>Southpoint</u>, and <u>downtown Fredericksburg</u>)
- ❖ Wide selection of restaurants within a 15-20 minute drive from church
- Grocery Stores (Aldi, Food Lion, Lidl, Publix, Target, Walmart, Wegmans, Weis, etc.)
- Virginia Railway Express stations and commuter van pickup spots
- Parks, fitness centers, and trails

Hospitals/Healthcare

- Mary Washington Healthcare and Spotsylvania Regional Medical Center are in the Fredericksburg region.
- Henrico Doctor's Hospital, VCU Medical Center, and Bon Secours (multiple locations) are in the Richmond Area.

Schools

Localities operate public school systems, and there are numerous private school options (e.g., <u>The Carmel School</u>, <u>Fredericksburg Academy</u>, <u>Fredericksburg Christian School</u>, and <u>Lighthouse Academy</u>). A number of parents choose to <u>homeschool</u>. Round Oak offers its own highly regarded half-day <u>preschool</u> program. The area is also home to a fast growing community college (<u>Germanna Community College</u>) and a public university with undergraduate and graduate programs (<u>University of Mary Washington</u>).



Things To Do

- History: The Fredericksburg region is rich in Civil War and Revolutionary War history, and attractions include George Washington's boyhood home, four major battlefields, and countless other historical landmarks. Many residents also find it convenient to visit the museums and historic landmarks in the nation's capital.
- Fort Walker: Private citizens can apply for permits to hunt and finish on the Army post in Caroline County.
- Day trips: The Fredericksburg area is a short drive from <u>Washington</u>, <u>Richmond</u>, the <u>Eastern Shore</u>, <u>Virginia Beach</u>, and the <u>Blue Ridge Mountains</u>.
- Rivers: Rappahannock, Potomac, and Mattaponi Rivers
- Outdoors and Sports Attractions: <u>Fredericksburg Nationals</u>, <u>Dominion Raceway</u>, <u>Caledon State Park</u>, <u>Lake Anna State Park</u>, <u>Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania National Military Park</u>, <u>State</u> Fair of Virginia
- ❖ Theme Parks: <u>Kings Dominion</u> and <u>Busch Gardens</u>
- Riverside Dinner Theater

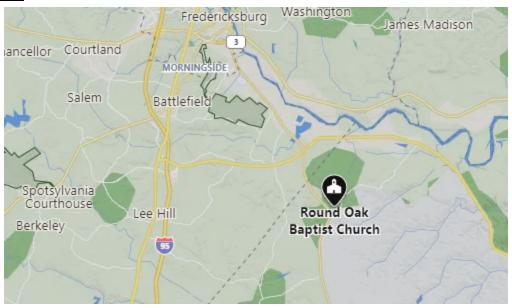
Housing/Real Estate

- Spotsylvania County: Spotsylvania County Overview
- Caroline County: <u>Caroline County Community Profile</u>
- Fredericksburg City: Fredericksburg City Demographics

Climate

ROBC's local climate is relatively moderate, but allows its residents to experience and enjoy all four seasons. Fall and spring boast breathtaking changes in the landscape and mild temperatures, while winter and summer provide enough snow and sun to enjoy all the fun those seasons have to offer. (Community Profile | Caroline County VA)

Map of Area



For more information on surrounding counties, please visit:

- Caroline County VA | Official Website
- Fredericksburg, VA I Official Website
- Spotsylvania County, VA | Official Website

Picture Sources

Artillery at Chancellor House Site from www.nps.gov
Fredericksburg Nationals | MiLB.com

Rappahannock River from Fredericksburgva.gov