



# Fairview Baptist Church

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### February 11, 2018

## Church Service Schedule:

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service	11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night Service	6:00 p.m.
Wed. Night Bible Study	7:00 p.m.
Conference 1 <sup>st</sup> Wed. night every quarter (January, April, July, and October)	7:00 p.m.

**Nursing Home:** Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>, July 8<sup>th</sup>, Aug. 12<sup>th</sup>, Sep. 2<sup>nd</sup>, Oct. 14<sup>th</sup>,  
Nov. 4<sup>th</sup>, Dec. 16<sup>th</sup>.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

✝ Join us on Wednesday night for Bible Study @ 7pm.  
We are covering the 18 articles of Faith.  
“WHAT WE BELIEVE”

✝ We will be singing at the Nursing Home February 18th @ 2:30pm.

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**Prayer Request:** Please pray for Libby Burrell, Kevin Hughes, David Johnson, Karen Gillispie, Chuck Gillispie, Darlene Hemphill, Don Hood, Heidi Sosebee, Colby Duffey, JC Totherow, Larry Stover, Dwain Potts, Jack Jones, Ella Mae Cook, Clara Adams, Continue to pray for Jimmy & Judy Thompson, Fred & Dessie Plott, WD Davis, Hattie Moon, Joe & Sara Dyer. Remember the families who have recently lost loved ones. **Remember our troops and our country's leaders.** Please pray for them. **Let's remember to pray for our church that we might be what the Lord would have us to be.** Please pray for the LOST, as well as those in the Nursing Homes and Hospitals.

# Hope

Monday, January 29, 2018

Titus 2:11-14 says, “For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, Teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world; Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Savior Jesus Christ; Who gave himself for us, that he might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto himself a peculiar people, zealous of good works.”

What does the word “hope” mean in the Bible? It doesn't mean “maybe.” We may use it that way in modern English, but that's not what the word “hope” means in the Bible. The word “hope” means certainty, but not just any certainty. It is rock-ribbed assurance based on the Word of God. But it means more than that. It means certainty with anticipation.

When I was a little boy, my dad use to take us out for a ride on Sunday afternoon. The kids would be in the back seat and mom and dad would be in the front seat. You know how kids are in the back seat - they get into squabbles and fusses. We would be riding around the countryside on Sunday afternoon and my brother and I would start to fight. My dad would turn around and say, “When you boys get home, I'm going to whip you.” Now folks, I knew my dad well enough to know that was not an idle threat. It was certainty, but there was no anticipation.

The second coming of Jesus Christ is a certainty - indeed, it is a blessed hope.