



Fairview Baptist Church

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Pastor - Rev. Tommy Jones

March 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 st Wed. night every quarter (January, April, July, and October)	7:00 p.m.

Nursing Home: July 8th, Aug. 12th, Sep. 2nd, Oct. 14th,
Nov. 4th, Dec. 16th.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- † Please bring candy to stuff Easter Eggs.
NO CHOCOLATE PLEASE
- † We will be doing the *Seven Sayings of the Cross* on Good Friday March 30th @ 6:30pm.
- † We will also have our Egg Hunt on March 31st @ 2pm. Please bring finger foods to eat after the egg hunt.
- † Join us on Wednesday night for Bible Study @ 7pm.
We are covering the 18 articles of Faith.
"WHAT WE BELIEVE"

Prayer Request: Please pray for Libby Burrell, Illa Bragg, Kevin Hughes, David Johnson, Pat Phillips, 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.

Facing Ridicule for God

Adrian Rogers - Monday, March 5, 2018

I didn't come from a household of preachers. I also didn't come from a particularly religious family. But God reached down and called me to preach. I told my folks and everybody I knew what He had done.

One night, I remember my father and a friend of our family sitting out on the patio talking. The friend was a man that I admired and respected very much. He said to my father, "What's Adrian going to do when he gets out of high school?" And my dad responded, "Well, he wants to go off to college and study to be a preacher."

That man just laughed and said, "He won't make it. He'll never stick it out. He'll quit." That went into my heart like a poisoned arrow. I almost felt like crying. The words reverberated in my ears, "He won't make it."

You know, that hurt. That's what the world says, "They won't stick it out. They won't make it." You see, the devil hasn't changed his tactics. Not at all! He's still mocking. He's still laughing. And if you do a work for God, you might as well get ready. You're going to face some ridicule.

Second Corinthians 4:7-10 encourages us, "But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellency of the power may be of God, and not of us. We are troubled on every side, yet not distressed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; Persecuted, but not forsaken; cast down, but not destroyed; Always bearing about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life also of Jesus might be made manifest in our body."