



# Fairview Baptist Church

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August 15, 2021

## Church Service Schedule:

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service	11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night Service	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 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.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

✝ Pray for our Nation and Leaders!

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**Prayer Request:** Please pray for Ann Spivia, Jack Jones, Betty Cook, Nancy Marlow, Robert Brown, Pat Phillips, Karen Gillispie, Colby Duffey, JC Tothorow, Ella Mae Cook, Clara Adams, Continue to pray for Jimmy & Judy Thompson, Dessie Plott, 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.

# The Battle Within You

Adrian Rogers - August 11, 2021

For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world. (1 John 2:16)

What is the lust of the flesh? What does that mean? That is Satan's appeal to your old nature. When the Bible says: "the flesh" here, it doesn't mean your hide, your hair, your skin, your nerves, your sinews, your bones. When the Bible says: "the flesh," that means your old nature that is from Adam. The flesh is what we received from our first birth. Spirit is what we receive from our second birth. Galatians 5:17 says: "For the flesh lusteth against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh: and these are contrary the one to the other: so that ye cannot do the things that ye would." When you get saved, a civil war begins on the inside. Have you felt it? There's your new nature that wants to serve God, but there's also your old nature that doesn't want to lie down and be dead, so you're going to have a battle on the inside. Jesus has promised to give us the power to fight this battle and the promise that His Spirit can overcome our flesh.