

# Welcome To Fairview Baptist Church

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### August 20, 2023 Church Service Schedule:

| Sunday School   | 10:00 a.m. |
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| 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> Sunday night every quarter | 7:00 p.m.  |
| (January, April, July, and October)                   | -          |

Nursing Home - 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday @ 2pm every month. ትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትትት

# ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Pray for our Nation, our Leaders, & our Military!

**Prayer Request:** Please pray for Travis Henry, Jessica Hughes, Alan Plott, Tina Rogers, Tammy Hardin, David Carroll, Allan Monkus, Betty Cook, Robert Brown, Pat Phillips, Karen Gillispie, Colby Duffey, Ella Mae Cook. Continue to pray for Jimmy & Judy Thompson, 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.

### What is True Freedom?

Adrian Rogers - August 15, 2023

While they promise them liberty, they themselves are the servants of corruption: for of whom a man is overcome, of the same is he brought in bondage. For if after they have escaped the pollutions of the world through the knowledge of the Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, they are again entangled therein, and overcome, the latter end is worse with them than the beginning.

### 2 PETER 2:19-20

Sin always promises freedom, but it brings bondage. And the deceitfulness of sin is such that those who are in the deepest bondage think they are free. As a matter of fact, the Lord Jesus said in John 8:36, "...If the Son makes you free, you shall be free indeed." Do you know the difference between the freedom Jesus gives and the freedom that liar the devil promises?

When the devil says he's going to give you freedom, it's freedom to do what you want. The freedom that Jesus gives is not freedom to do as you want, it is freedom to do as you ought. Those who do as they want are not free at all. They are actually servants of corruption. You may say, "I'm not going to be a Christian. I'm just going to be free to do my thing. I'm free to choose." You are free to choose, but you are not free to choose the consequences of your choice. But Jesus said if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed.