

Prayer Is the Christian's Business
Pray for me please!

I will be preaching this Sunday at 11 am at Southbridge Community Church - Savannah, GA.

Please pray that I will:

**PREACH THE SIMPLE TRUTH
TO PIERCE HEARTS
AND CHANGE LIVES**

It really helps if you pray when I preach.

Luther wrote:

"As it is the business of tailors to make clothes and cobblers to mend shoes, so it is the business of Christians to pray."

Prayer, then, is not an option with the Christian; it is an obligation. He does not have the right whether or not he will pray. He must pray. To be a Christian without praying is no more possible than to be alive without breathing.

Prayerlessness is sin. Samuel exclaimed: "God forbid that I should sin against the Lord in ceasing to pray for you. (1 Samuel 12:23)

Hooker, the famous Puritan, said: "Prayer is my chief work, and it is by means of it that I carry on the rest." It would be easier to conceive of a city without electricity, transportation, telephone service, water, and police protection than it would to conceive of a church without prayer. Yet the unhappy truth is that many churches have "supper rooms" for eating and drinking, but no "upper rooms" for prayer and waiting on God.

(Taken from "When You Pray?" by Harold Lindsell, p.13.)