

Salem Baptist Church

Date: 30/07/2017

Service: PM

Preacher: Pastor J Chell

Text: 1 Kings 19:1-18

Title: The place of God in the struggle

Outline:

1. God cares for his struggling servants
 - a. God's ministry is considerate
 - b. God's ministry is compassionate
 - c. God's ministry is confrontational
 - i. Challenge
 - ii. Command
 2. God is adequate for the struggle
 - a. Elijah confesses his doubts and fears
 - b. Elijah is shown the power of God
 - i. God shows Elijah his power over nature
 - ii. God shows Elijah his power over people
 3. God is above the struggle
 - a. God doesn't try, he achieves (*Eph 1:11; Matt 10:29; Acts 2:23*)
 - b. God doesn't worry, he laughs (*Psalm 2:4*)
 4. God expects obedience through the struggle
 - a. There is a job to be done
 - b. There is help to be had
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