## Preyed On or Prayed for! (Exodus 17:8-16)

**Key Truth:** Instead of complaining, pray.

## Seven areas to pray for your Pastor

- 1. Private life (Rest, renewal) Psalm 37:7; 23:2-3
- 2. Personal life (Health, spouse, children, etc.) I Samuel 12:23
- 3. Praise life (Worship/not to be negative) Psalm 63:3-4
- 4. Prayer life (Strong/Powerful) Acts 6:4
- 5. Professional life (Favor in City, etc.) Luke 2:52
- 6. Preaching life (Study/ever learning and applying) Acts 6:4
- Persevering life (Faithful to the end) I Timothy 6:12; II Timothy 4:7-8)

**Conclusion:** We need to build a guard rail (Praying), around the sharp turns of the ministry mountain rather than parking an ambulance at the bottom to catch those who fall (Preying). It is not whether you like the preacher or always agree with him, it's about honoring God by diligently praying for him (I Samuel 12:23).