

BIOGRAPHY

DR. RONNIE W. FLOYD Senior Pastor, Cross Church

Dr. Ronnie Floyd has been a pastor for 40+ years. His experience, wisdom, and passion for God make him a powerful proclaimer of God's Word. He teaches principles from the Bible that encourages and uplifts thousands of people all over the world via TV, the Internet, podcasts, radio, speaking engagements, and books.

Since 1986, Pastor Floyd has served as the Senior Pastor of Cross Church, Northwest Arkansas. In June 2016, he completed a two-year elected term as President of the Southern Baptist Convention. Dr. Floyd's ministry as a local church pastor has been one of commitment to evangelism, discipleship, and the advancement of the Gospel to America and around the world.

In 2001, Dr. Floyd founded The Summit, the businesspersons' luncheon of Northwest Arkansas, a weekly lunch seminar which hosts guest speakers from across the country. Each spring and fall, leaders share their insights on business, leadership, ethics, success, and life principles and values.

Dr. Floyd has been a strategic leader in the Southern Baptist Convention for decades, serving throughout the denomination he loves in keeping with his commitment to invest in others to win the world for Christ.

In addition to his leadership of Cross Church and the Southern Baptist Convention, Dr. Floyd is currently serving as one of eight Board of Directors for the highly influential Family Research Council in Washington, D.C. The FRC advances faith, family and freedom in public policy and the culture from a Christian worldview. He also is a strategic leader on the National Day of Prayer Task Force, which is evaluating and helping chart the future strategy of the National Day of Prayer. As well, he continues to lead in the advancement of racial unity in America and championing spiritual awakening in America.

Pastor Floyd has authored 20 books including *The Power of Prayer and Fasting*, *10 Things Every Minister Needs to Know*, *Our Last Great Hope: Awakening the Great Commission*, and *FORWARD: 7 Distinguishing Marks For Future Leaders*, released June 1, 2015.

Pastor Floyd's proudest accomplishments stem from his personal life. He and his wife, Jeana, have been married for 40 years. They have two sons, Josh and Nick. Josh is married to Kate, and they have three sons, Peyton, Parker, and Jack. Nick is married to Meredith, and they have a son, Beckham and three daughters, Reese, Norah and Maya Faith.