

Goodhope Baptist Church

Goodhope Baptist Church is located on Hwy. 189 13 miles north of Baker Florida and about 3 miles south of the Alabama state line. Goodhope was organized as a Southern Baptist Church in 1941. It had begun many years earlier as a brush arbor for a revival meeting, the meeting was held in a house and finally building on present site was accomplished. The first pastor of the Church was Rev. J. C. Kennedy and the first deacons were Mr. Winfred Youngblood, Mr. A. A. Steele, and Mr. Charlie Wadsworth. Other pastors were Rev. Luke Henderson, Rev. G. W. Lundy, Rev. Earl Thompson, Rev. **Dan Raley**, Rev.

Gary Winstead (interim) and Rev. Carson Judah our present pastor who came here in 1977. Goodhope is a small church with a big heart. Our love for the Lord is truly demonstrated in our love for one another.

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