## 1. The Source of Comfort

Father of Mercies

"But God, being rich in mercy..." (Ephesians 2:4)

"Have mercy on me, O God; according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions." (Psalm 51:1)

"But you, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abundant in lovingkindness and truth." (Psalm 86:15)

God of all comfort

"Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. Speak tenderly to Jerusalem." Isaiah 40:1

"As one whom his mother comforts, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem." Isaiah 66:13

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted." Matt 5:4.

## 2. The Supplier of Comfort

- The Comfort of Hope
- The Comfort of Sympathy

## 3. The Stewardship of Comfort

"But he said to me 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.' Therefore, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me." 2 Corinthians 12:9