Antioch Baptist Church North

Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor

February 20, 2011 • 7:45AM & 11AM **Sunday Worship Services**



And he took bread, and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave unto them, saying, This is my body which is given for you: this do in remembrance of me. Likewise also the cup after supper, saying, This cup is the new testament in my blood, which is shed for you.

Luke 22:19-20

BIBLE-BASED • CHRIST-CENTERED • HOLY SPIRIT-LED • MISSION-BOUND EVANGELISM • FELLOWSHIP • DOCTRINE • STEWARDSHIP

WORSHIP SERVICE

I like the silent church before the service begins.

By Emerson

The Call to Worship

The Devotion......Deacons Ministry

The Morning Hymn, #477.....Lift Every Voice and Sing......Congregation

The Lord's Prayer

The Scripture

The Gloria Patri

7:45 - Anthem/Acappella Choir and BWT Verse Speakers 11:00 - Anthem/Acappella Choir and Youth Orchestra

The Announcements & Recognition of Visitors

LITANY OF PRAISE

MINISTER: Let us stand for our Litany of Praise

MINISTER: We are...

CONGREGATION: Bible-based, Christ-centered, Holy Spirit-led,

and Mission-bound

MINISTER: We stand on...

CONGREGATION: The four pillars, Fellowship, Evangelism,

Doctrine, and Stewardship

MINISTER: So, let us...

ALL: Make a joyful noise unto the LORD, all ye lands. Serve the LORD with gladness: come before his presence with singing. Know ye that the LORD he is GOD: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name. For the LORD IS good; HIS mercy is everlasting; and HIS truth endureth to ALL generations.

Psalm 100

DOXOLOGY......Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

The Tithes & Offering......Deacons & Ushers' Ministries Music

The Sermon......Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor

The Invitation to Discipleship

(Please refrain from walking during the Invitation to Discipleship)

COMMUNION
Communion Hymn......Choir & Congregation
Tis Midnight, And On Olive's Brow (Words are printed in the bulletin)

Til We Meet Again



Our Church Covenant

I. INTRODUCTION

MINISTER: In what way, to be of service, do we enter into Spiritual fellowship and covenant relations with God and with one another?

PEOPLE: Having been led, as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord, Jesus Christ as our Savior, and on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now in the presence of God, angels, and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

II. MY DUTIES TO MY CHURCH

MINISTER: The great bond of our union with God and each other is this:

PEOPLE: We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit to walk together in Christian love.

MINISTER: What are our great privileges and duties in this our own church?

PEOPLE: To strive for the advancement of this church in knowledge, holiness, and comfort; to promote its prosperity and spirituality, to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines.

MINISTER: There are vows which we gladly made as stewards of that which God has entrusted to us, what are they?

PEOPLE: To contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church, the relief of the poor, and the spread of the Gospel throughout all nations.

III. MY PERSONAL LIFE AND HABITS

MINISTER: To safeguard our homes and our loved ones, what gracious tasks do we humbly assume?

PEOPLE: We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions, to religiously educate our children, to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances.

MINISTER: On behalf of the unsaved, for whom our Savior died, what manner of life and conversation are we solemnly pledged?

PEOPLE: To walk circumspectly in the world, to be just in our dealings, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our deportment, to avoid all tattling, backbiting, and excessive anger, to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drink as a beverage, and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the Kingdom of our Savior.

IV. MY DUTIES TO OTHERS

MINISTER: Seeing that one is our Master, even Christ, and all we are Brethren, by what fraternal ministries are we to strengthen each other and adorn the teachings of our Lord and Savior?

PEOPLE: We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love, to remember each other in prayer, to aid each other in sickness and distress, to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech, to be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation and mindful of the rules of our Savior to seek it without delay.

V. CONCLUSION

MINISTER: Upon moving from this city to another, what is our duty?

PEOPLE: We moreover engage that when we remove from this place, we will as soon as possible unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and principles of God's word.

MINISTER AND PEOPLE: Sorrowfully and with meekness of heart, we confess our past sins, as we pray for grace and strength to keep these, our Holy vows, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord and for His sake. AMEN.

BLACK HERITAGE FESTIVAL

The Black Heritage Festival will be held on **Saturday**, **February 26**, **10:00 a.m.** – **1:00 p.m.** Join us as we celebrate who we are and thank God for our journey! Celebrate with our youth as they showcase their talent in music, song, dance, drama, poetry, oratory, and creative African American historical displays and re-enactments. Youth who are interested in participating and displaying their gifts and talents may register in the Fellowship Hall and/or contact Sis. Homerzelle Gentry for additional information. Members and friends are encouraged to come share in the fellowship and learn about the uniqueness of our heritage in observance of Black History Month.

WE NEED YOUR PICTURES

If you have pictures or documents pertaining to historical events within your family, the Antioch family, or of Black History in general, please send them to the committee. They will be scanned and returned to you. We would like to decorate Fellowship Hall with our history so that our youth and others will share in the richness of our ancestry. For more information, please contact the Black Heritage Festival committee through the church office at 404-688-5679.

EMPLOYMENT RESOURCE

every 1st and 3rd Tuesday from 6:30pm-8:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. This ministry is here to assist those who are looking for employment with job leads, resume critiques, job readiness skills and other skills needed to source, secure and retain employment. Sessions will consist of speakers, group discussions, knowledge transfer and support, and prayer. Please see the announcement section on the church's website for more information. The next meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, March 1, 2011 at 6:30pm**. You

The Empowerment Outreach Employment Resources Ministry will meet

BLACK HISTORY TOUR

SUN, MAR 6

place on Saturday, March 12, 2011. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 8:30am and leave the church at 9am and return at 2:30pm. Your tour guide will provide interesting commentary throughout the tour which will include: The Herndon Home, Auburn Ave. Research Library and more. An elegant lunch at Benjamin's of East Point is included in the \$30.00 fee. Registration is held after both services in the Northex. The deadline is Sunday, March 6,

All sisters are invited to the Atlanta Black History Tour. This event will take

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

FEBRUARY/MARCH UPCOMING EVENTS

may also see Minister Rod Reese for additional details.

FRI, FEB 25 BIRTH MONTH FELLOWSHIP, FEBRUARY HOST, 7pm

SAT, FEB 26 BLACK HERITAGE FESTIVAL, 10am
SUN, FEB 27 NDI-BANYI, 7:45am & 11:00am Worship Services

AUMI RECOGNITION/WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

SUN, MAR 13 SCHOLARSHIP SUNDAY, 7:45am & 11:00am Worship Services

WED, MAR 16 BAPTISM/RIGHT HAND OF FELLOWSHIP, 7pm

SUN, MAR 20 COMMUNION, 7:45am & 11:00am FRI, MAR 25 BIRTH MONTH FELLOWSHIP, 7pm, 590 Bldg.

SUN, MAR 27 WOMEN'S DIVISION CULMINATION, 7:45am & 11am

WED, MAR 30 SIS. ALEXANDER'S BIRTHDAY

Serving the least of these...

TELEPHONE HOPE LINE MINISTRY offers prayer and confidential support. The phone number is 404-522-HOPE(4673).

HUMAN SERVICES MINISTRY

For the week ending February 12, 2011, 266 food boxes were distributed. The value of the groceries was \$7,055 (average cost per family estimated at \$48/box if purchased retail). A total of 8,680 pounds of food was distributed, 743 meals served to AUMI residents, and 409 community meals served.

CLOTHING BANK

Thirty-four (34) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.

TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday School Ministry requests your presence at Sunday School. Today's lesson is "True Leadership." The scripture comes from Mark 10:35-45. We have classes for every age group, so we look forward to seeing you in Sunday School at 10:00am today. All college students are encouraged to attend the College Student's class in room 4. The lesson for next Sunday will be "The Return," Mark 13:14-27.

TERRY WEST BIBLE CLASS

Wednesday mornings, from 10am to 12 Noon in Burden's Rest.

Tis Midnight, And On Olive's Brow

"Tis mid-night, and on Ol-ive's brow The star is dimmed that late-ly shone; "Tis midnight; in the gar-den now The suff'ring Saviour prays a-lone.

"Tis mid-night, and from all re-moved, Em-man-uel wres-tles lone with fears; E'ven the dis-ci-ple that He love Heeds not his Master's grief and tears.

"Tis mid-night, and for oth-ers' guilt The Man of Sor-rows weeps in blood; Yet He that hath in an-guish knelt Is not for-sak-en by His God.

Tis mid-night, and from heav'nly plains Is borne the song that an-gels know; Un-heard by mortals are the strains That sweetly soothe the Savior's woe.

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING AND BIBLE STUDY

Weekly Prayer Meeting and Bible Study is held at the Church every Wednesday evening. For your convenience, dinner is served at 5:00 pm and Bible classes begin at 6:00pm. These classes provide instructional and training opportunities for us to gain deeper insights into the teachings of Jesus Christ. At 7:15pm, Pastor Alexander will lead the Prayer Meeting and provide guidance and spiritual insights into meaningful ways in which we can strengthen our personal relationships with God.

Worship Service Coordinator

7:45am & 11am - Sis. Jean Jones

Security Chiefs on duty

7:45am - Bro. Aaron Totten, 11am - Dea. Randy Williams

Trustees on duty

7:45am - Rev. Edward London, 11am - Dea. Bob Jones

Health Professionals on duty

7:45am - Sis. Jennifer Stokes, 11am - Sis. Marie Thompson

Care & Comfort Ministry Sick & Shut-In List

Members in Hospitals

Sis. Beulah Davis – North Fulton Hospital, 3000 Hospital Dr, Rm 165, Roswell 30076

sis. Lisa Mobley - Gwinett Medical Center, ICU, Rm 208

Sis. Ruby Rhodes - Grady Memorial Hospital, 3rd Floor Burn Unit

Sis. Betty Tye - South Fulton Hospital, Rm 3514

Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Sis. Ozrie Canady – A.G. Rhodes/Wesley Woods Rehab Ctr., 1819 Clifton Rd., Rm 326 Atlanta 30329

Sis. Mary Carson – Carestone Assist. Living, 1345 Milford Church Rd. Rm. 102 Marietta 30008

Mother Nannie Daniel - 1000 Briarcliff Healthcare Rehab, Rm 304, Atlanta, 30306

Sis. Celestia Dallas - Reliable Health & Rehab, 3301 Lakewood Ave, Atl 30315 Mother Annie Harding – Sunbridge Nursing Home, 2850 Springdale Rd, Atl 30315

Sis. Bettye Harris – Nursecare of Buckhead, 2920 Pharr Court South, NW 30305

Sis. Billie Hartley – College Park Healthcare Center, Rm 215, 1765 E. Temple Ave. 30337

Mother Mary Hood – Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, 54 P'tree Pk. Dr. Rm 406, Atl 30309

Bro. James Hopkins - Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, 54 P'tree Pk Dr, Atl 30309

Mother Willie Mae Hunter – Arbor Terrace, 1001 Research Ctr., Apt. 213, 30331 Mother Louise Jelks - Nurse Care of Buckhead, 2920 Pharr Court South, Atl 30305

Mother Ella Mae Merritt - Sadie Mayes Nursing Home, 1821 Anderson Ave, Atl 30318

Sis. Emma Moye – Lake City Nursing Home, 2055 Rex Rd., Lake City, GA 30260

Bro. Franklin Robinson - Sadie Mayes Nursing Home, 1821 Anderson Ave, Atl 30318

Sis. Rosalie Thomas - Summerset Assisted Living, 3711 Benjamin E. Mays Dr. SW, 30331

Sis. Betty Tye – Lake City Nursing Rehab Center, 2055 Rex Rd, Rm 511A, Lake City 30260 Sis. Roselle Wright-Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, 54 P'tree Pk Dr. Rm 307, Atl 30309

Members Convalescing at Home

Bro. John Alexander - 417 Valley Hill Rd, SW, Riverdale 30274

Sis. Wanda Alexander - 2697 Morris St NW, Atlanta 30318

Bro. John Paul Blanton – 410 Hickory Fork Court, College Park 30349

Sis. Robertine Bryant – 2746 Claire Terrace, Decatur 30032

Sis. Margaret Buckholt – 1225 Fairburn Road, Apt. 3, Atlanta 30331

Dea. Nesby Cain - 27101 Plantation Dr. Atl 30324

Mother Mattie Chivers - 4020 Danford Rd SW, #125 Atlanta

Bro. Jesse Davis - 170 Cottsford Dr SW, Atlanta 30331

Sis. Essie Gant - 3188 Abbey Wood Dr, Decatur 30034

Sis. Minnie George – 603 Champions Drive, McDonough 30252

Bro. Collier Glover – 2395 Cove Lake Way, Lithonia 30058

Bro. Carlton Hendrix - 3069 Valleydale Rd. Atlanta 30311

Sis. Evelyn Hightower – 330 Windsor Way, Fairburn, 30213

Sis. Shante Holiday – 21 Bookout Loop, Powder Springs 30127 Sis. Gwendolyn Johnson - 1811 Fayetteville Ct, SE, Atlanta 30316

Sis. Georgia Jernigan – 2011 Bader Avenue, SW 30310

Bro. Joseph Johnson – 1811 Fayetteville Ct. SE, Atlanta 30316

Bro. Keith Jones - 7103 Cavalier Crossing, Lithonia 30038

Rev. Leroy Jordan – 3137 Country Lake Dr., Powder Springs, 30127

Bro. Phillip Lyde - 3460 Heritage Valley Rd SW, Atlanta 30331

Bro. David McCier - Big Bethel Village, 500 Richard Allen Blvd SW, Apt 140, Atl 30331

Sis. Sylvia McClain - 1793 Mary Lou Lane, Atlanta 30316

Sis. Jacqueline McCullough - 3965 Shandra Way, College Pk. 30349

Sis. Sheryl Nelson - 1451 Mecaslin St. Apt 8109, Atl 30309

Sis. Sallie O'Bryant - 2610 M. L. K. Drive, NW #716 30311

Sis. Mary Perkins – 2315 Carver Drive, NW 30314

Sis. Cynthia Price - 562 Meldrum St. Atlanta 30318

Sis. Jessie Ross – 7331 Bramble Oak Dr. Douglasville 30134

Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr. - 4050 Morgan Rd. Apt. 121, Union City, 30291

Sis. Candace Scott, 3294 Benthollow Ln, Duluth, GA 30096

Sis. Wilma Sherman - 2788 Summit Pkwv SW. Atl 30331

Sis. Janie Starks – 308 Verdon Place, Trotwood, OH 45426

Mother Grace Thomason - 3633 Howard Dr, College Park 30337

Sis. Betty Tolbert - 3092 Rollingwood Land, SE, Atl 30316

Bro. Leroy Walker – 267 Barfield Avenue SW, Atlanta 30310

Mother Dorothy Williams – 828 Alfred Rd., NW, Atlanta, 30331

Bro. James Williams - 1828 Windsor Dr. SW, Atlanta 30311

Sis. Joyce Zachery – 547 W. Lake Avenue NW, Atlanta 30318