

Antioch Baptist Church North

Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor • Rev. K. L. Alexander, Co-Pastor

September 16, 2018 • 7:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

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

“I CARE”

Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you

1 Peter 5:7

“Serving the Least, the Less, and the Lost...”

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

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W O R S H I P S E R V I C E

I like the silent church before the service begins.

By Emerson

The Call to Worship

The Devotion.....Deacons' Ministry

The Processional.....Pastor, Ministers, Deacons, Mothers, Deacon's Wives

The Morning Hymn, #93.....**He Will Remember Me**.....Congregation

The Covenant

7:45 a.m. - Anthem/Acappella Choir & BWT Verse Speakers

11:00 a.m. - CMA Male Chorus & Adult Handbell Choir

The Announcements and Recognition of Visitors

THE 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

The 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 Offertory Prayer

Lord Jesus, as we prepare to share our blessings, we pray that our offertory gifts, both our tithes and our offerings, will be a manifestation of that which is in our hearts. We are thankful, Dear Lord, that we have received and therefore, we will give. We pray this prayer in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen!

The Tithes & Offerings.....Deacons' & Ushers' Ministries

The Sermon Hymn.....Congregation

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

The Invitation to Discipleship

(Please refrain from walking during the Invitation to Discipleship)

COMMUNION

The 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.

TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

The lesson for today, September 16, 2018, is "**Creation is a Very Good Thing,**" and the scriptures are **Genesis 1:26-31; 2:4-7**. Next week's lesson is "**Relationships Are Important,**" and the scriptures are **Genesis 2:18-24; 4:1-2**. Please join us and be renewed by the teaching of God's Word.

YOUTH IN ACTION

Calling all Youth! If you are between the ages of 3 and 17 years old, you are invited to join the special Youth Choir for the Youth in Action Sunday, scheduled on September 23, 2018. Special music and songs are being prepared so that this special service will be a wonderful worship experience. Rehearsals will be held on each Saturday, from 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

POWERFUL YOUTH, BOYS BRUNCH & FELLOWSHIP

The Youth Ministry invites all young men of Antioch ages 5 – 18 and the MEN of Antioch to join us in a Powerful Youth Brunch and Fellowship on Saturday, September 29, 2018, from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon. During this Brunch, we will present and discuss various youth programs and activities available or needed for our young men. We will also fellowship and enjoy playing video games. All young men are encouraged to register today after each worship service in the narthex.

CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER BREAKFAST

Attention All Antioch Members! The Added Member Outreach Ministry will host a Church-wide Prayer Breakfast, from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 Noon on Saturday, October 6, 2018, in Fellowship Hall. The theme for the Meet and Greet Fellowship is "A Charge to Keep I Have, a God to Glorify – Learning God's Purpose for Our Lives," and the Scripture is "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future" Jeremiah 29:11 (Niv). All seasoned and added members will have the opportunity to know Antioch and each other just a little bit better. This is also an opportunity for added members to meet auxiliary and ministry leaders. A bus tour of the adjacent church property, along with some interesting historical facts, will be available. Come join us as we meet, greet and fellowship together. For more information, please contact Sis. Patricia Ellis, Sis. Elvetra Cossie and Bro. Russell Labitue through the church office at 404-688-5679.

ANNUAL CHURCH CONFERENCE

The **Deacon's Pre-Conference Meeting** will be held on Monday, October 8, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. All Deacons of Antioch are required to attend. The **Annual Church Conference** will be held on Tuesday, October 9, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. All Auxiliaries and Ministries are asked to submit the list of their proposed officers and reports to the Pastor's office for his approval by Sunday, September 16, 2018. Reports are to be electronically submitted to pastorproposal@aol.com or by fax to 404-527-5794.

Because Antioch Cares...

TELEPHONE HOPE LINE MINISTRY offers prayer and confidential support. The phone number is 404-527-5790.

HUMAN SERVICES MINISTRY

For the week ending September 8, 2018, 425 bags of food were distributed. A total of 7,582 pounds of food were distributed.

CLOTHING BANK

Forty-one (41) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

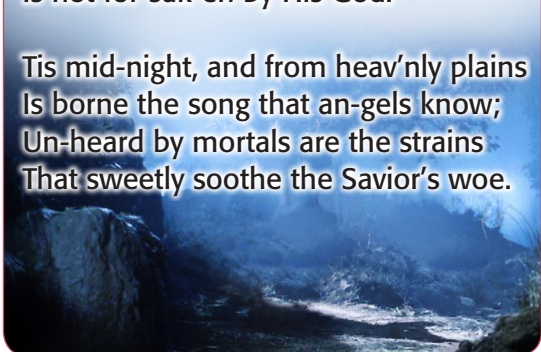
Antioch Members who have been given the Right Hand of Fellowship are asked to please update their membership profile information via Antioch's website at www.antiochnorth.org or call the church office. If you have changed your name, address, home or cell phone number(s), or email address, please submit your new information to the church office. If you are registered with on-line giving through **ACCESS ACS**, you may update your information on that site. For help on how to update your profile, verify your records, retrieve your envelope number or how to use Access ACS, contact Sis. Gwen Johnson or Dea. Benny Williams at the church office, 404.688.5679.

"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. Bible classes will begin at 6:15 p.m. These classes provide instructional and training opportunities to gain deeper insights into the teachings of Jesus Christ. At 7:00 p.m., 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

7:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. - Sis. Jean Jones

Security Chiefs on duty

7:45 a.m. - Bro. Aaron Totten, 11:00 a.m. - Dea. Randy Williams

Trustees on duty

7:45 a.m. - Bro. Lee Baker, 11:00 a.m. - Sis. Ollie Cooper

Health Professionals on duty

7:45 a.m. - Sis. Marie Thompson, 11:00 a.m. - Sis. Louanna Nix

Videographer on duty

Bro. Michael Williams

HOLY COMMUNION

Care & Comfort Ministry

Sick & Shut-In List

Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Bro. Daniel Michael Adams – Nursecare of Buckhead, Atlanta, Rm. 526

Sis. Robertine Bryant – PruittHealth of Decatur, Decatur, Rm. 216

Sis. Miriam Crawford – Bonterra Nursing Ctr, Atlanta, Rm. 126

Sis. Dora Dallas – Sadie G. Mays Health & Rehab Ctr, Atlanta, Rm. D-23

Sis. Ruth Dallas – Sadie G. Mays Health & Rehab Ctr, Atlanta, Rm. D-4

Mother Annie Harris – Douglasville Nursing & Rehab Ctr, Douglasville, Rm. 222

Mother Bettye Harris – Nursecare of Buckhead, Atlanta, Rm. 205

Mother Mary Hood – Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, Atlanta, Rm. B-408

Bro. Noah Respress – Virginia Gardens Assisted Living, Fort Valley, Rm. 7094

Bro. Dallas Tucker – Sadie G. Mays Health & Rehab Ctr, Atlanta, Rm. C-19

Members Convalescing at Home

Sis. Barbara J. Alexander

Sis. Zeporia Alexander

Sis. Evelyn Battle

Bro. Pleas Sonny Berry

Mother Emma Broomes

Bro. Lewis Brown

Bro. Henry Claybrook

Sis. Doris Dennis

Sis. Catherine George

Sis. Minnie George

Bro. Randall Griffin

Sis. Debra Hodge

Sis. Pearla Holmes

Bro. Roy Houston

Sis. Elizabeth Johnson

Mother Gwendolyn Johnson

Sis. Denise Jones

Bro. Rufus Kelly

Bro. Phillip Lyde

Sis. Sylvia McClain

Sis. Lillie Mungin

Sis. Cynthia Price

Sis. Sharonda Price

Bro. Richard Raglin

Dea. Mark Roberts

Sis. Marian Russell

Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr.

Sis. Candace Scott

Sis. Rebecca Thedford

Mother Willie "Cookie" Tuggle

Sis. Vivian Walker

Bro. Thomas Ware

Sis. Mae Weaver

Sis. Annette Webb

Sis. Annie Wideman

Sis. Sallie Williams

Sis. Lillie Willis

Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth.

3 John 1:2

