

# Antioch Baptist Church North

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

October 21, 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  
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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, #94.....**Near the Cross**.....Congregation

The Covenant

**7:45 a.m. - Adult Choir & Youth Orchestra**

**11:00 a.m. - CMA Ensemble & BWT Verse Speakers**

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**

*O Heavenly Father, we thank you for your many blessings. We pray that our tithes and our offerings will be accepted in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! Touch our hearts, O Lord, and help us to give in joy and thanksgiving. It's in the blessed name of Jesus, we pray. 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*

## **TOGETHER:**

Having been led, as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour; and on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. 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.

## **LEADER:**

What do we engage to do?

## **CONGREGATION:**

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church in knowledge and holiness; to give it a place in our affections, prayers and services above every organization of human origin; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrine; to contribute cheerfully and regularly, as God has prospered us, towards its expenses, for the support of a faithful and evangelical ministry among us, the relief of the poor and the spread of the Gospel throughout the world.

## **LEADER:**

In case of disagreement within our church, what do we covenant to do?

## **CONGREGATION:**

In case of difference of opinion in the church, we will strive to avoid a contentious spirit, and if we cannot unanimously agree, we will cheerfully recognize the right of the majority to govern.

## **LEADER:**

How shall we strive to be living witnesses for Jesus Christ?

## **CONGREGATION:**

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotion; to study diligently the word of God; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintance; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be kind and just to those in our employ, and faithful in the service we promise others; endeavoring in the purity of heart and good will towards all men to exemplify and commend our holy faith.

## **LEADER:**

What do we covenant to do in relation to one another?

## **CONGREGATION:**

We further engage to watch over, to pray for, to exhort and stir up each other unto every good word and work; to guard each other's reputation, not needlessly exposing the infirmities of others; to participate in each other's joys, and with tender sympathy bear one another's burdens and sorrows; to cultivate Christian courtesy; to be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation, being mindful of the rules of the Saviour in the eighteenth chapter of Matthew, to secure it without delay; and through life, amid evil report, and good report, to seek to live to the glory of God, who hath called us out of darkness into his marvelous light.

## **TOGETHER:**

When we remove from this place, we engage as soon as possible to unite with some other church where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's word.

### **ACE PRAYER BRUNCH**

Members and friends are invited to join us on Saturday, October 27, 2018, from 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall for the **2nd Annual Ace Prayer Brunch**. Come meet and support Antioch's business owners, who will be exhibiting their products and services. You will also hear from our very own member, Reverend Herman Cain, who will speak on the subject "**Faith and Business**."

### **TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL**

The lesson for today, October 21, 2018, is "**Promises Give Hope**," and the scriptures are **Genesis 18:9-15; 21:1-7**. Next week's lesson is "**Make a Decision**," and the scriptures are **Genesis 24:12-21, 61-67**. Please join us and be renewed by the teaching of God's Word.

### **FALL REVIVAL CONCERT**

The Music Ministry will present the **Annual Fall Revival Concert** on Sunday, October 28, at 3:00 p.m. This will be an especially exciting presentation as our combined music ministry will present a special tribute to "**The Queen, Mrs. Aretha Franklin!**" Come share in the fellowship and experience this awesome journey as we go back down memory lane with some of the great gospel arrangements from the "**QUEEN OF SOUL!**"

# Fall Revival

Coming Soon!  
More to Come



### **CHURCH ANNIVERSARY**

**Attention Antioch!** We are preparing to celebrate our **Church's 141st Birthday** on Sunday, November 11, 2018. The Anniversary Theme is "**We're on the Battlefield for Our Lord**" (Ephesians 6:11-13). Only one service will be held at 10:00 a.m. Breakfast will be served at 8:00 a.m. and Sunday School will be held at 9:00 a.m. On Sunday, November 4, 2018, the Pioneers' Recognition Sunday will be observed during the 11:00 a.m. service. All Pioneers who have 30+, 40+, 50+, 60+ or more years of service with Antioch are asked to register in the narthex after each service. All Veterans of Antioch are asked to sign up in the narthex or see an Anniversary committee member. Members who would like to volunteer and work with the Pioneer's Praise Brunch, Pioneer's Day and the Church Anniversary Celebration are also encouraged to sign up in the narthex.



## *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 October 13, 2018, 430 bags of food were distributed. A total of 13,758 pounds of food was distributed.

### **CLOTHING BANK**

Fifty-three (53) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.

### **YOUR VALUABLES**

For security reasons, members and friends are asked to not leave personal items on car seats. If nothing of value is seen through the car windows, persons may not be enticed to vandalize. Please help the **Security Ministry** keep your cars **SAFE!**

### **DEBIT/CREDIT CARD READER**

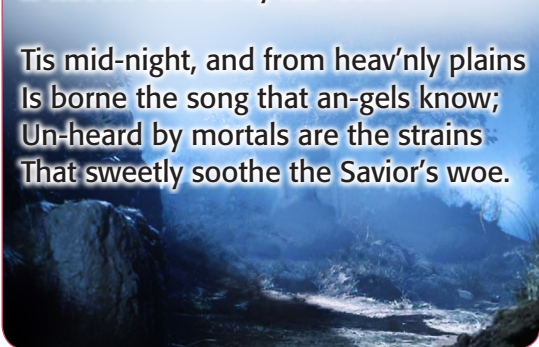
For the convenience of members and friends, Antioch now offers a Debit Card Reader for giving your tithes & offerings. This service is available on Sundays after each service and is located just outside the door next to the elevator.

"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. Michael Williams, 11:00 a.m. - Sis. Gloria Parham

### **Health Professionals on duty**

7:45 a.m. - Sis. Marie Thompson

### **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. Fred Jones, Jr – A. G. Rhodes Health & Rehab Ctr, Atlanta, Taylor Wing, Rm. G  
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	Bro. Roy Houston	Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr.
Sis. Zeporia Alexander	Sis. Elizabeth Johnson	Sis. Candace Scott
Sis. Evelyn Battle	Mother Gwendolyn Johnson	Sis. Rebecca Thedford
Bro. Pleas Sonny Berry	Sis. Denise Jones	Mother Willie "Cookie" Tuggle
Mother Emma Broomes	Bro. Rufus Kelly	Sis. Vivian Walker
Bro. Lewis Brown	Bro. Phillip Lyde	Bro. Thomas Ware
Bro. Henry Claybrook	Sis. Sylvia McClain	Sis. Margaret Watts
Sis. Doris Dennis	Sis. Lillie Mungin	Sis. Mae Weaver
Sis. Catherine George	Sis. Cynthia Price	Sis. Annette Webb
Sis. Minnie George	Sis. Sharonda Price	Sis. Annie Wideman
Bro. Randall Griffin	Bro. Richard Raglin	Sis. Aris Williams
Sis. Debra Hodge	Dea. Mark Roberts	Sis. Sallie Williams
Sis. Pearla Holmes	Sis. Marian Russell	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

