Antioch Baptist Church North

Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor

134th Church Anniversary Celebration *"Many generations continue to praise thy works"* Psalm 145:4

November 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

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WORSHIP SERVICE

I like the silent church before the service begins.

By Emerson The Call to Worship The Devotion......Deacons Ministry The Processional.....Pastor, Ministers, Deacons The Morning Hymn, #411.....Lift Him Up.....Congregation The Lord's Prayer The Scripture The Covenant The Gloria Patri 7:45am - Anthem/Acappella Choir (Dwell In The House of The Lord) and B.W.T. Verse Speakers 11:00am - Anthem/Acappella Choir (I've Been Buked) and Youth Orchestra The Announcements & Recognition of Visitors 134th Anniversary Presentation 7:45am - "I Am Antioch" 11:00am - "I Am Antioch" 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 Tithes & Offering......Deacons & Ushers' Ministries The Sermon Hymn...... Amazing Grace......... Congregation

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 \sim

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.



ANNUAL COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The Annual Community Thanksgiving Service will be held on Thursday, November 24, 8:00 a.m. at the Lindsay Street Baptist Church, Rev. A. A. Motley, Pastor. The Adult Choir will represent Antioch. Members and friends are encouraged to attend as we praise and thank God for all that he has done.

FLAKES 50TH PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY

On Sunday, November 27, the Antioch Family will worship with the 4th Street Baptist Church, (Columbus, GA) Rev. Johnny Flakes, Pastor, in the celebration of the 50th Pastoral Anniversary of Rev. Dr. J. H. Flakes, Jr. The Adult Choir, Bell Choir, Vessels of Praise Dance Ministry, Ushers, Deacons and Mothers are asked to accompany the Pastor. Buses will be going and directions will also be available. Members and friends are encouraged to attend and celebrate this momentous occasion.

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

The Thanksgiving season is upon us. We can see that we have been truly blessed. Let us share those blessings with those less fortunate by donating canned goods and other non-perishable items in preparation for our Thanksgiving baskets. Barrels have been placed throughout the church for your convenience. The deadline is Monday, November 21. Thank you for caring and sharing.

CHRISTMAS TREE EXTRAVAGANZA

The 8th Annual Christmas Tree Extravaganza and the December Churchwide Birthmonth Fellowship will be held on **Friday, December 2nd, at 7pm.** Ministry participation forms are in the Northex, and the deadline for completion is **TODAY!**

> UCAN Christmas The U.C.A.N. Ministry cordially invites all married couples to the United Couples of Antioch Christmas Gathering: An evening of Fun, Food and Fellowship." This event will take place at the Guilford Forest Clubhouse on Friday, December 16, at 7:00 p.m. Registration is 60.00 per couple and can be made after both services today in the Northex. The deadline to register is December 11, 2011. The attire for this fellowship is Holiday Casual!

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 November 12, 2011, 393 food boxes were distributed. The value of the groceries was \$8,480. A total of 1,120 pounds of food was distributed, 668 meals served to AUMI residents, and 432 community meals served.

CLOTHING BANK

Thirty-three (33) 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 *"Valuing the Inner and Outer Actions."* The scripture comes from *Matthew 6:5-15.* We have classes for every age group, so we look forward to seeing you in Sunday School at 10:00am today. Next Sunday's lesson will be *"Putting Worry In Its Place"* from *Matthew 6:25-34.*

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 vour 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 - Sis. B. J. Walker, 11am - Dea. Bob Jones Health Professionals on duty 7:45am - Sis. Robin Dennis, 11am - Sis. Danielle Hewson

Care & Comfort Ministry Sick & Shut-In List

Members in Hospitals

Sis. Essie Gant – Emory Univ. Midtown Hospital, Rm 5221 Sis Stephanie Johnson – Emory Univ Hospital, Rm E722

Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Sis. Ozrie Canady – AG Rhodes/Wesley Wood Rehab Ctr., 1819 Clifton Rd., Rm. 410, Atlanta 30329 Sis. Mary Carson – Emeritus Assisted Living, 4375 Beech Haven Trail SE, Rm. 20 Smyrna 30080 Sis. Celestia Dallas - Reliable Health & Rehab, 3301 Lakewood Ave, Atl 30315 Sis. Frances Harden – Triad of Parkview Nursing 460 Auburn Ave NE Atlanta 30312 Sis. Bettye Harris – Nursecare of Buckhead, 2920 Pharr Court South, NW 30305, Rm 205 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 Ella Mae Merritt - Sadie G. Mays Nursing Home, 1821 Anderson Ave, Atlanta 30318 Bro. Franklin Robinson - Sadie G. Mays Nursing Home, 1821 Anderson Ave, Atlanta 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 Mother Lula West – Traditions Health and Rehab 2816 Evans Mill Rd, Lithonia 30058 Sis. Roselle Wright-Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, 54 P'tree Pk Dr. Rm 307, Atl 30309

Members Convalescing at Home

Sis. Zeporia Alexander - 707 Caron Circle NW, Atlanta 30318 Sis. Bernice Brown - 2240 Peachtree Rd, Apt 415, Atlanta 30309 Bro. Tim Brown - 7532 Stonebridge Bay Court, Stone Mtn 30087 Sis. Robertine Bryant - 2746 Claire Terrace, Decatur 30032 Mother Mattie Chivers - 2040 Danforth Rd # 215, Atlanta 30331 Sis. Barbara Cochran – 4788 Terrace Green Trace. Stone Mountain 30088 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. Shante Holiday - 21 Bookout Loop, Powder Springs 30127 Sis. Georgia Jernigan – 2011 Bader Avenue, SW 30310 Sis. Gwendolyn Johnson - 1811 Fayetteville Ct. SE, Atlanta 303116 Bro. Joseph Johnson - 1811 Fayetteville Ct. SE, Atlanta 30316 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, SE Atlanta 30316 Sis. Ramona Moore - 195 Evergreen Terrace, Apt 405, Stockbridge, GA 30281 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. Ruby Rhodes - 388 Legacy Dr. Apt 911, Atlanta 30310 Bro. Jesse Rosser - 219 Mead Rd, Decatur 30030 Sis Julia Scott - 1957 Lois Place, Atlanta 30318 Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr. - 4050 Morgan Rd. Apt. 121, Union City, 30291 Sis. Janie Starks - 308 Verdon Place, Trotwood, OH 45426 Bro. Leroy Walker – 267 Barfield Avenue SW, Atlanta 30310 Sis. Myrna White - 110 Chess Chase, Fayetteville 30215 Bro. Walter Wilcher - 507 Summer Walk Pkwy, Tucker 30084 Sis Bonita Williams – 3170 Highgreen Trail College Park 30349 Mother Dorothy Williams - 209 Lee St, #2-11, Calhoun, SC 29628 Sis. Ida Williams - 3954 Rocking Way, Conley 30288 Bro. James Williams - 1828 Windsor Dr. SW, Atlanta 30311