

REV. KENNETH L. ALEXANDER

Pastor of Antioch Baptist Church North | Chairman of Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc.

CONSECRATION

Brunch

“Serving Through The Power of God”

Joshua 1:1-9

Saturday, April 13, 2019, Noon

Antioch Baptist Church North
Fellowship Hall



AUMI
Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc.

Serving the least of these...

A Message from the Chairman

Greetings in the Name of Jesus Christ!



I first shared the desire God had placed on my heart of starting a program to address the ravages of alcohol and drug addiction with my father and our late pastor, Rev. Cameron Alexander, in 1988. What is now Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc. was birthed from that vision. It has expanded far beyond the initial program that Rev. Rodney K. Turner, currently pastor of Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, and I designed because the needs are so great.

As I drive through the city of Atlanta, and especially through the neighborhood where Antioch Baptist Church North is located, Jesus's statement about the poor is readily visible. Tomorrow is Palm Sunday, and three gospels record the account of the woman washing Jesus's feet with her tears, wiping them with her hair, and then applying expensive perfume to them as occurring during what we now call Holy Week. In response to comments about the costliness of the perfume with which the woman anoints his feet, he tells the disciples that the poor will always be among them, but the time of his earthly presence is short. The account in Mark 14:7 includes the reason AUMI continues to help those who are in need. 7 The poor you will always have with you, and you can help them any time you want. But you will not always have me (NIV).

"The poor" certainly means those who are lacking basic necessities, and that is why we continue our Food and Clothing Banks. But we must interpret the words of Jesus in light of other scripture. In the Beatitudes, he says, "blessed are the poor in spirit" (Matthew 5:3). Each of us has been spiritually poor, sinners who could not save ourselves. Some of us realized early in our lives that the only way to end our spiritual destitution was to put our faith and trust in Jesus Christ. Others tried to fill the void in destructive ways before coming to the end of themselves. AUMI has stood in the gap as a bridge between the end of self and the beginning with Jesus. All of our programs provide a spiritual foundation into which other services and therapies are woven to address the individual needs of our participants.

As we celebrate my consecration as pastor, I continue to dedicate myself to reach out to the least, the less and the loss. The time I want to help alleviate hurt and pain in whatever form it takes is always now. I thank my Antioch family for continuing to support my vision.

Let's Go to Heaven Together,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kenneth Alexander". The ink is dark and the signature is fluid and personal.

Reverend Kenneth L. Alexander

First Lady Lisa Kathleen Gilbert Alexander



In the precious name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, it is my heartfelt pleasure to welcome the friends and family of Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc. (AUMI) and Antioch Baptist Church North. While this day is indeed set aside to celebrate our newly consecrated Pastor and Chairman of AUMI, at the heart of it all, this occasion represents Antioch's commitment to continue to be about our Father's business. As the body of believers at Antioch, we are called to the purpose of serving the least of these and we are committed to service through the power of God.

The history of AUMI began when our Pastor shared his thoughts and hopes for a substance abuse recovery ministry with his father, Rev. Cameron M. Alexander. Nurtured by the Holy Spirit-led vision of our former Pastor, driven by Rev. Kenny's insightful leadership and the unwavering financial support of the Antioch Baptist Church North family, AUMI grew to be one of the most prominent programs of its kind in the metro-Atlanta area and beyond. Now more than 26 years later, as the needs of our community continue to grow, so does our commitment and responsibility to meet those needs through AUMI. In Matthew 25:40, Jesus said, "Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." As a result of the purposeful efforts at Luke's Place, Ruth's Place, Matthew's Place, Malachi's Ministry, the Food and Clothing Banks and all that AUMI does, AUMI plays a critical role in caring and advocating for one of Atlanta's most underserved and under-resourced communities.

Thank you to the church family and friends for your ceaseless commitment to feeding the hungry, giving drink to the thirsty, clothing the naked, taking in strangers, visiting the imprisoned and attending to the sick. As we continue to be resolute and intentional in our commitment to glorifying God by serving those in need through AUMI, I must also acknowledge that I am ever grateful to each of you for the many ways that you show your genuine love for our Pastor and the entire Alexander family. In honor of our Pastor and my beloved husband, Rev. Kenneth Lamont Alexander, I ask for your continued prayers of support of our Pastor as he carries out his servant-leader assignment that God has given him. It is my prayer is that you will be blessed by the love of Christ and strengthened by the fellowship of today's celebration.

*Your sister in Christ,
Sis. Lisa K. Alexander*



About the Chairman

The Reverend Kenneth Lamont Alexander, a resolute man of God, serves as the Pastor of the historic Antioch Baptist Church North. He is the son of the Reverend Dr. Cameron M. Alexander who served as pastor for more than 49 years, and Dr. Barbara J. Alexander who anchored their family and was a dynamic source of inspiration for the entire Antioch Congregation.

Reverend Alexander, affectionately known at Antioch as Reverend Kenny, is a third-generation Baptist preacher and was licensed and ordained at the Antioch Baptist Church North. His powerful voice and servant leadership skills were cultivated, honed and nurtured at Antioch where he has served as the President of the Minister's Alliance, Presiding Minister of the Antioch Lakewood Mission for more than 20 years and the Assistant to the Pastor.

With strength, courage and transparency, Reverend Alexander is steadfast in his commitment to addressing some of life's most pressing challenges. Through his preaching, teaching and counseling, he offers God's message of hope, encouragement and redemption to all of God's people. Pivotal to his discipleship is uplifting those who are all too often counted among the least, the less and the lost. He demonstrates his conviction to God's calling through his perseverance, tenacity and zeal with which he carries out God's directives given in the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20).

Reverend Alexander is the Chairman of the Board of Directors of Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc. (AUMI). AUMI serves as an advocacy agent providing essential supports to families in need and comprehensive substance abuse recovery services. The AUMI Food Bank provides for over 300 families each week through collaboration with the Atlanta Community Food Bank. The Clothing Bank distributes donated apparel, toiletries, shoes and other necessities to men, women and children. Annual Back-to-School and Christmas outreach efforts support the needs of hundreds of Atlanta children.

For over 25 years, Reverend Alexander has ensured that AUMI provides holistic support for the needs of those living with the complex and chronic conditions of alcohol and drug addictions. He is fiercely committed to maintaining a full complement of ministries that foster sustained substance abuse recovery with efficacy, respect and dignity. The AUMI recovery ministries include the Ananias House; Luke's Place; Billups' and Job's Place (for men in recovery); Ruth's Place and Lydia's House (for women in recovery); Matthew's Place (for persons living with HIV) and the Land of Promise Christian Home (an affiliate of the General Missionary Baptist Convention of Georgia, Inc).

Through his dedication to these supportive ministries, Reverend Alexander has helped more than 7,000 men and women to rebuild family relationships, become self-sufficient and sustain their sobriety.

Reverend Alexander's efforts, outcomes and accomplishments have not gone unnoticed. He has received recognition and accolades from a multitude of esteemed organizations, including the Concerned Black Clergy's Man of the Year Award. The Rainbow PUSH Coalition presented him with its God's Trombone Award for Excellent Service and Outstanding Achievement. He also received an Award from the Argosy University for Outstanding Leadership and Scholastic Ability. Atlanta Metropolitan State College acknowledged Reverend Alexander's outstanding community leadership with its Celebration of Leadership Award. He has served the National Baptist Convention USA, Inc. as a member of the Presidential Qualifications Committee and has been a Devotional Speaker during the Convention's Annual Session. He currently serves on the Boards of Directors for the Morehouse School of Religion and the Westside Future Funds. As a testament to Reverend Alexander's continuous efforts to support and assist the least of these in Atlanta's historic Westside neighborhoods, AUMI became a part of the Beloved Community sponsored, in part, by the Chick Fil-A Foundation.

An inherent leader and proficient scholar, Reverend Alexander is a graduate of the Atlanta Public School System where he was president of his senior class at Southwest High School. He attended Florida A&M University where he pledged Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity and served as the organization's Fund-Raising Chair. Reverend Alexander graduated from Morehouse College with a Bachelor's degree in Psychology and from Argosy University with a Master's degree in Industrial Organizational Psychology.

However, for Reverend Alexander, his most noteworthy achievement happened on a Thursday night during a Revival meeting at Antioch Baptist Church North when he accepted Jesus Christ as his personal Savior.

Reverend Alexander has been married to Lisa Kathleen Gilbert since 1985. God blessed them with two wonderful daughters, Kathleen Nicole (deceased) and Ashley Lauren, and three cherished grandsons—DeMario, Deigo, and Daylin.



REV. K. L. ALEXANDER FAMILY





Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc.

CONSECRATION *Brunch*

Saturday, April 13, 2019, Noon

Presiding - Rev. Bryan Mitchell

Antioch Baptist Church North, Atlanta Metropolitan State College

Greetings..... Rev. Lester & Maria Duncan
Malachi Ministry

Scripture..... Rev. Derrick Jackson
Antioch Baptist Church North

Selection..... Sis. Nivek Anderson

Prayer/Grace..... Rev. Edward London
Vice Chairman of Antioch Urban Ministries Inc.

BRUNCH

Selection..... Sis. Nivek Anderson

Acknowledgements/Presentations..... Ministries and others

Remarks..... Chairpersons

Bro. Tom Jennings and Sis. Karen McKinney-Holley

Remarks..... Sis. Lisa Kathleen Gilbert Alexander
First Lady of Antioch Baptist Church North

Closing Remarks..... Rev. Kenneth L. Alexander
Chairman of Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc.



All proceeds benefit Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc.

Our Father's Business

THE HISTORY OF ANTIOCH URBAN MINISTRIES, INC.

This afternoon, the Board of Directors and the members of Antioch Baptist Church North gather to celebrate Rev. Kenneth L. Alexander and the remarkable leadership that he will provide in serving as Pastor of Antioch Baptist Church North and current Chairman of Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc., otherwise known as AUMI.

AUMI was incorporated in 1992 as a non-profit charitable organization to serve as an advocacy agent to address the social needs of the poor, the under-served and the disadvantaged in neighborhoods surrounding the Antioch Church campus. The outreach and systemic work of AUMI, especially its housing programs for the homeless and the working poor, have endeared AUMI as a "best in class" social service organization addressing the immediate needs of impoverished people within the city of Atlanta.

The seed for AUMI was first planted in 1988 by Reverend Kenneth Alexander when he shared with his father, Dr. Cameron M. Alexander, his personal dream of Antioch providing a "safe haven" ministry to address the holistic needs of persons suffering from drug and alcohol addictions. Realizing the havoc and devastating impact that drug abuse was having within the black community, and especially upon the neighborhoods that immediately surrounded the Antioch Church campus, Dr. Alexander challenged Rev. Kenneth Alexander and Rev. Rodney K. Turner, who were both Antioch staff members at that time, to design a Christian-based substance abuse recovery program with measurable metrics to define participant success.

The initial program established by Rev. Kenneth Alexander and Rev. Rodney Turner was called FREAD (Free to Recover from the Evils of Alcohol and Drugs). The central component of the early program was a dedicated telephone number where persons suffering from drug addiction could call anytime (day or night) to discuss the perils of their addiction. The telephone line staff offered confidential counseling, prayer, and referrals for support. That hope-line ministry quickly informed the two novice leaders that a definite need existed for the FREAD Ministry and a place was also needed where addicts from the community could come for help and group counseling.

Dr. Alexander established Ananias' House, under the watchful eye of the Church's Human Resources Department, as a 24-hour residential treatment center for men recovering from chemical dependencies. It was located next to the church in a very modest house that had been acquired as a part of the Antioch acquisitions program for a new worship center. Dr. Alexander was in a unique position to interact and gain firsthand experience of the acute needs of men with alcohol and drug addictions as they came to the Ananias House for help.

During the late 1980s, the City of Atlanta found itself challenged by an avalanche of problems surrounding housing and services for its working homeless population. There existed a very strained and uncomfortable relationship between the homeless advocates and the Mayor's Office, which resulted in the takeover of the downtown Imperial Hotel. To remedy the problem, Mayor Maynard Jackson asked Rev. C. M. Alexander to serve as mediator between the homeless people, the homeless advocates and the Mayor's Administration. Rev. Alexander directed Joe Beasley, who served as the Church's Human Resources Director, to engage all parties involved to help find solutions to the problem.

Months of very vocal, sensitive meetings with civic and political leaders and the faith community were conducted to negotiate a remedy for the growing tensions of the downtown homeless issue. A major partnership was forged between Progressive Redevelopment, Inc. and the City of Atlanta, with Antioch serving as the peace broker, leading to the purchase of the Walton Hotel. It was envisioned that the Walton would be converted into a single-room occupancy facility to provide much needed housing for the City's homeless and working poor.

Dr. Alexander convened a group of church members with diverse backgrounds and professional experiences to develop a program that would serve the homeless, special-needs populations, and the working poor. This newly formed group was subsequently named and incorporated as Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc. (AUMI) in April 1992. Joe Beasley was appointed to serve as AUMI's first Executive Director, a position he held for more than ten years.

The founding board members were: Rev. Cameron M. Alexander, William Harding, Joseph Beasley, Naomi Floyd, Linda Harper, Nathaniel Johnson, III, Bob Jones, Ed London, James McTerry, Evelyn Roberts, Shirley McCrary-Simmons, Don Speaks, Margaret Weaver, Elyria Mackie, Timothy Bowie, James Dixon, Curtis Hines, and Garry Mott. The group elected the following officers: Rev. Cameron M. Alexander, Chair; William Harding, Vice Chair; Evelyn Roberts, Secretary; Gary Mott, Treasurer; Elyria Mackie, Financial Secretary; and Naomi Floyd, Assistant Financial Secretary.

Shortly after the establishment of Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc. (AUMI), some of the human service activities and programs of Antioch Baptist Church North were reprogrammed and transferred under the AUMI umbrella. In addition to its meaningful work with the Madison House, AUMI has provided other housing opportunities and a variety of supportive social services to more than 20,000 individuals and families through the following programs:

Ruth's Place

A transitional housing facility for women in recovery, Ruth's Place provides housing and meals. The women focus on understanding themselves by participating in support groups, life skills training, community service through the AUMI Food Bank, financial literacy and other spiritual enrichment opportunities. After residency, they are prepared to re-enter the work force, reconnect with their families and begin a productive lifestyle free from substance abuse based on the skill sets provided during their tenure within the program.

Luke's Place

A 10- bed Christian substance abuse recovery home, Luke's Place provides housing, meals, support groups, spiritual enrichment opportunities, and other supportive services for men in recovery. These life skill experiences, coupled with vocational training, prepare participants for re-entry into the work place, reconnection with their families and a productive lifestyle free from substance abuse based on the skill sets provided during their tenure within the program.

Malachi Ministry

A youth-at-risk program that provides life-skills training for youth ages 7 – 17 years of age. Malachi specifically serves young men within the 5th Ward area. This area includes English Avenue, Joseph E. Boone Boulevard, and Hollowell Parkway. The program offers a rewarding path to effective and manageable service to children at risk.

Matthew's Place

A program that provides housing and supportive services for persons living with HIV and/or AIDS, Matthew's Place participants enjoy comfortable living in a single-room occupancy environment and have the benefit of supportive services offered by AUMI. Through a strong partnership and funding from the City of Atlanta, Matthew's Place continues to transform the lives of disenfranchised people.

AUMI Food/Clothing Bank

Individuals within the Atlanta metropolitan area are provided food on weekly basis. Currently, we provide food for more than 350 families per week, 100 seniors on a monthly basis and distribute 10,000 lbs. of produce on a weekly basis for persons over 55. In addition to providing food to those in need within our community, AUMI provides food for more than 35 students attending Atlanta Metropolitan State College on a bi-weekly basis. We continue to provide basic essentials such as clothing and other household goods to members of the community on a weekly basis as well.

AUMI manages an extraordinary Human Services Outreach component which includes a Prison Ministry, a Recovery Support Group, membership in the THOR Directory for the State of Georgia's Department of Community Services, and an HIV/AIDS Prevention Education Program. Through its dynamic network of viable collaborations, the work of AUMI has been maximized by partnerships with the Atlanta Workforce Development Corporation, Northyards Business Park, West End Medical Services, Georgia Department of Community Services, General Missionary Baptist Convention of Georgia, Land of Promise Christian Recovery Home, Atlanta Metropolitan State College Work Study Program, Westside Momentum, Atlanta Community Food Bank, Westside Future Fund, and as a recipient of the Beacon Award from the Beloved Community, a part of the Beloved Benefit in conjunction with the Chick Fil A Foundation

Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc. continues to play a vital role in the City of Atlanta, especially in the English Avenue Community. Today, AUMI substance abuse and AIDS ministries provide housing and support services (i.e. housing, including food and clothing) to more than 50 persons annually. The AUMI Food Bank provided more than one million pounds of food in 2018. AUMI continues to provide assistance for victims of natural disasters, like the hurricanes that devastated parts of Texas, Florida, Savannah and Atlanta. These efforts included our participation in sending a truckload of disaster relief items for those affected by the storms within the southeast region, specifically Louisiana and Texas. During the Federal Government Shutdown, AUMI, along with Antioch Baptist Church, provided food and other necessities for those employees affected by the shutdown.

The AUMI mission to those in need remains the embodiment of its illustrious Chairman, whose "servant heart and leadership" lives and teaches the mandates prescribed in Matthew 25:35-40. Dr. Cameron M. Alexander's visionary leadership was coupled with the resilience, transparency, passion and intelligence of our new Chairman, the Rev. Kenneth L. Alexander. He maintains the integrity and core values of AUMI as he seeks to bring the ministries prescribed in the Matthew passage to fruition by transforming the lives of those who seek and secure the services of Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc. (AUMI).

A Message from the Pastor

March 31, 2019

Greetings in the Name of Jesus Christ!



As we begin a new chapter in the history of our church, I am blessed to call Antioch Baptist Church North my church home for almost fifty years. I am beyond humbled at the memory of my family relocating to Atlanta when my father, Rev. Dr. Cameron Madison Alexander, was called to the pastorate of this great church. My childhood years are filled with fond memories and reflections of the Antioch congregation—vibrant, energetic and full of the Holy Ghost. Extending beyond our Spirit-filled worship services from devotion to the benediction, I was privileged to witness the legacy of my Father and our pastor unfold. Growing up, I witnessed Pastor Alexander preach the Word on Sundays, teach the Word on Wednesdays and drive the Blue Bird Bus to pick up the youth on Saturdays. Over the years, I have observed Pastor Alexander’s visionary leadership as unique programs and auxiliaries were introduced to our congregation: The Birth Month Club, Wedding of Roses, M.A.D.D. for Christ, and Antioch Urban Ministries, Inc.—just to name a few.

Our church is grounded in sound doctrine and principles because Pastor Alexander continuously built upon the spiritual growth of our congregation through Baptist Training Union and our long-standing involvement in Convention at the National and State levels and the Mt. Hermon Association. Our pastor also had a willingness to share his pastoral teachings, and as a result, there are more than 150 pastoring Sons across the Country.

Never forgetting the least of these, our pastor taught our congregation to fulfill the mandate set by our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in Matthew 25. Antioch is well known for feeding the hungry, giving water to the thirsty, clothing the naked, taking in strangers and visiting the sick and imprisoned. Our religious affiliations reach far and wide because Dr. Cameron M. Alexander exposed our congregation to the great preachers of the day: Dr. C.A.W. Clark, Dr. E.V. Hill, Dr. A. Louis Patterson, and so many others.

Our influence in the community extends beyond Fifth Ward community. Antioch Baptist Church North is recognized as a champion for social justice. Our congregation was impacted by Civil Rights legends such Dr. Ralph Abernathy, Ambassador Andrew Young, Dr. C. T. Vivian, Congressman John Lewis, Dr. Joseph Lowery, Xerona Clayton, Coretta Scott King, Juanita Abernathy, Rev. Jesse Jackson, Nelson Mandela and Bishop Desmond Tutu—just to name a few.

In Mark 6:4, Jesus said, “A prophet is not without honor except in his own town, among his relatives and in his own home.” I am grateful that this scripture is not reflective of my testimony. From singing in choirs two and three to the youth usher board to the security ministry—to president of the Minister’s Alliance, Antioch raised me. At this church, I accepted Jesus Christ, married my wife Lisa, dedicated my daughters, reclaimed my life and accepted my call to preach the Gospel.

Our church history and pastoral legacy is rich and sanctioned by the Holy Spirit. I share these historical insights in honor and appreciation of the shoulders for which I now stand. For many years, I was apprehensive about preaching and accepting my call. I did as others have done, I ran from my calling—as fast as I could for as long as I could. Thanks be to God, He had another plan.

As your pastor, I am thankful that the Holy Spirit has never left us without a vision or roadmap for the future. In the line of distinguished pastors in our church’s history and the second pastor to succeed his father, I stand on the shoulders of giants and firmly believe that with your prayers, I am well-equipped to build upon the legacies of Pastors Timothy Saine, T. H. George, D. T. George, Marcus Williams and Cameron M. Alexander. Antioch is and will continue to be one family, with one God, one faith, one Baptism and ties that bind our hearts in Christian love.

As I share with you, my beloved congregation of Antioch, in this service of consecration, I am reminded of Paul’s words in Ephesians 3:7-8, “To me, the very least of all saints, this grace was given, to preach to the Gentiles the unfathomable riches of Christ.” It is my honor and privilege to continue the legacy of leadership and heartfelt service to this church as your Pastor. I solicit your fervent prayers as I answer the call, “To serve this present age, my calling to fulfill, O, may it all my powers engage to do my Master’s will.” As we embark on this part of the journey, my prayer is that our church family will continue to move forward in faith, hope, love and patience. I am also praying that we will continue to grow as the Holy Spirit continues to have His way with us. In closing, I am reminded of the late Deacon Ronald Smith’s favorite scripture from Ephesians 2:19, “Now therefore ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints, and of the household of God.”

Let’s Go to Heaven Together



Reverend Kenneth L. Alexander



First Lady Sister Lisa Kathleen Gilbert Alexander

March 31, 2019

Steelmaking is the process of creating high-strength metal by forging iron ore in the brutal heat of a furnace. Rusty iron rocks get mined, crushed and incinerated to remove their impurities and yield hardened steel. The God I serve is in the steel-making business. It is through the furnace of our tribulations, storms and suffering that God gives us strength and edifies our foundation. "But the God of all grace, who hath called us unto his eternal glory by Christ Jesus, after that ye have suffered a while, make you perfect, stablish, strengthen, settle you" (1 Peter 5:10). Through the tests and trials of life, God has forged a steadfast man of steel both for me and for such a church as Antioch Baptist Church North—my husband and our pastor, Rev. Kenneth Lamont Alexander.

It is because of our faith in God, diligent study of the Word, ceaseless prayers of the righteous and loving support from friends, family and Antioch that my family has been able to endure so many fiery challenges and emerge with renewed strength and clarity of purpose. Prayer is at the core of every testimony and it is through prayer that I will manifest my loving support of Kenny.

I thank God Almighty for my husband and our perfectly imperfect union of thirty-three years. Lord, let my heart always be filled with thankfulness and love for my God, who transcends all seasons, circumstances and situations. Let our marriage remain strong and a source of comfort and peace for my husband. Let me make and be his earthly home. Give him a fruitful walk with you, Lord. Let his heart be filled with Your fullness so that it overflows in his ministry to Your precious flock. I pray that You will grant him wisdom through the Word and the humility to receive instruction from those who walk alongside him. Gracious Father, build a loving hedge of protection around him to safeguard him from the schemes, isolation and distraction of the enemy. Sustain his mind, body and soul with rest and nourishment. Help him to flourish, thrive and prosper with encouragement and support from good friends and those who love him. Grant him grace to shoulder the responsibility of caring for Your people. Lord, fill him with the Holy Spirit and soak him with the Gospel.

Lord, continue to bless the body of believers at Antioch Baptist Church North according to Your Word—"Endeavouring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace" (Ephesians 4:3). Let us be guided by the message of the Gospel knowing that God alone builds His church and keeps His people united. Help us to always walk in Your light and live in Your truth so that all who worship with us find peace, love, comfort and strength. Forge in us, a steely faith in You.

All this I ask, in the precious name of Jesus. Amen.

*In Memory of
Kathleen Nicole Alexander*



Sunrise - July 10, 1986 • Sunset - September 10, 2017



In Memoriam

Rev. C. M. Alexander & Mrs. Barbara J. Alexander



“Together Again”

*In Memory of
Gregory Madison Alexander*



Sunrise - July 10, 1956 • Sunset - September 8, 2018

Consecration Committee

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CONSECRATION WORSHIP SERVICE

March 31, 2019 • 10:00 a.m.

Reverend Darrell Arnold, Presiding

The Entrance of the Word

The Call to Worship

The Devotion..... Deacons' Ministry

The Morning Hymn #329..... *I Am Thine, O Lord*..... Choir & Congregation

Selection..... The Combined Choirs

The Occasion..... Sis. Rosa Jean Tomlinson and Sis. Angel Taylor

Greetings and Welcome..... Sis. Janae Baker
Bro. Nathan Speed

Selection..... The Combined Choir

The Announcements & 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.

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 and Ushers Ministries

The Introduction of Preacher..... Rev. Lester Duncan

The Sermon Hymn..... *Amazing Grace*..... Congregation

The Sermon..... Rev. Rodney Turner
Pastor, Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA

The Invitation to Discipleship

(Please refrain from walking during the Invitation to Discipleship)

The Late Tithes and Offerings..... Deacons and Ushers Ministries

Till We Meet Again



Reverend Dr. Rodney K. Turner



Reverend Rodney Kirk Turner was born in Atlanta, Georgia. He is the son of Rufus and Betty Turner. He is a product of the Atlanta Public School system and a graduate of the Frederick Douglas High School class of 1975. Rev. Turner obtained his college education at the Historic Morehouse College as a sociology and criminology major. While pursuing his education at Morehouse, Rev. Turner became a member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity and served as president for two years. He furthered his biblical education at Carver and Beulah Heights Bible Colleges. In May 2015, Rev. Turner received an Honorary Doctorate of Divinity from Carver College for his twenty-nine years of service work in the field of substance abuse and outreach ministry throughout the State of Georgia and across the country. For nine plus years, Rev. Turner served as Pastor of Canaan Missionary Baptist Church in Roanoke, Alabama and is presently entering his sixteenth year as Pastor and undershepherd of the Mount Vernon Baptist Church in Atlanta, Georgia. He is a proud father and a loving husband to former State Representative LaNett L. Stanley of Atlanta, GA.

Rev. Turner was licensed to preach in February 1990 and ordained in January 1995 at the Antioch Baptist Church North in Atlanta, Georgia by the Rev. Dr. C. M. Alexander, Pastor of the Antioch Baptist Church North and President Emeritus of the General Missionary Baptist Convention of Georgia, Inc. While attending Antioch, Rev. Turner served as an associate minister and worked on the staff of Antioch for over seventeen plus years as Antioch's Substance Abuse, AIDS, Prison Ministry and Outreach Coordinator. He was the director of Antioch's first recovery residence for men, the Ananias House and Antioch's first recovery residence for women, Ruth's Place. Rev. Turner is the Founder of one of the nation's most successful recovery ministries, Product of the Power Ministry, a Christian-based recovery ministry that addresses the needs of those suffering with substance abuse issues and other spiritual behavioral disorders. He has authored six books that address how to overcome sin and addiction from a biblical perspective. Many churches across denominational lines and other Christian organizations around the nation seeking to start a Christian-based recovery ministry or program use Rev. Turner's seven-step model and materials from his books on Christian recovery as their model for recovery ministry.

Rev. Turner has served on the Governor's AIDS Task force, the SCLC Wings of Hope Anti-Drug Taskforce, the Fulton County Street Team and was chosen by Armac to participate in a one-year internship at Atlanta West Drug and Alcohol Treatment Center and Methadone Clinic. Rev. Turner has taught recovery classes in the urban ministries department at Beulah Heights Bible College and has served as a faculty member of the National Baptist Congress of Christian Education, Auxiliary to the National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc. Rev. Turner served for twenty-four years as a faculty member of the General Missionary Baptist Convention of Georgia, Congress of Christian Education, where he taught and lectured on Christian based recovery. He has served as lead columnist for the nationally published magazine Recovery Solutions.

Rev. Turner was a consultant and life skills counselor for twenty-four years with Clark Atlanta University and the Fulton County Judicial system as the senior counselor for Project Redirection, a special program designed to provide alternatives to incarceration for Fulton County non-violent offenders. In addition, he has worked with Juvenile offenders in DeKalb, Cobb and Fulton Counties through Project Redirection's youth initiatives. He has served as a chaplain for the Fulton County Jail Division for over twenty years and is a member of the Georgia Sheriff Association Chaplain's Division.

Rev. Turner was a 2017 Inductee into the Morehouse College Martin Luther King Jr. Board of Preachers. He currently serves as a board member for Antioch Urban Ministries. Rev. Turner has received several awards including the 2000 Atlanta Dairy Association's Movers and Shakers Award, the 2002 Antioch Baptist Church North's Man of The Year and Community Service Award, the 2004 Antioch Urban Ministries Mighty Faith Award, the 2005 Concerned Black Clergy's Community Service Award, the 2006 Gospel Choice Chosen Award and the 2012 God's Trombone Award from Rainbow PUSH. In 2015, Rev. Turner was recognized by the Apex Museum for his work in the field of recovery and outreach ministry. In 2017, he received the President Barack Obama's Lifetime Achievement Award for National and Community Service.

With over thirty years of Christ-centered recovery work and outreach initiatives, Rev. Turner has helped countless men and women turn their lives around through a right functioning relationship with Jesus Christ. He is a leader and advocate for the disadvantaged, the hungry and the homeless in the community, always sharing the good news of Jesus Christ. Rev. Turner's motto is, "Therefore, if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature, old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new," 2nd Corinthians 5:17.

CONSECRATION WORSHIP SERVICE

March 31, 2019 • 3:00 p.m.
Reverend Sean Smith, Presiding
Pastor, New Horizon Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA

Ringling of the Bell	
The Entrance of the Word	
The Call to Worship	
The Devotion.....	Deacons' Ministry
The Consecration Processional.....	Pastor and Family, Ministers, Ministers' Wives, Deacons, Deaconesses, Mothers' Ministry, Special Guests, Pastoral Consecration Commit- tee and Program Participants
Prayer.....	Rev. Dr. James C. Walker <i>Pastor, Live Oak Baptist Church, Ailey, GA • Pastor, Mt. Nebo Baptist Church, Tarry Town, GA</i>
Selection.....	The Combined Choir
Old Testament.....	Rev. Phillip Spann <i>Pastor, Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA</i>
New Testament.....	Rev. Eddie L. Bright <i>Pastor, Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA</i>
Welcome.....	Amari Ford, Makailah Gause, Joshua Johnson, Elijah Lewis
The Occasion.....	BWT Verse Speakers
Selection.....	Combined Choir & Dance Ministry
Greetings: Mayor Keisha Lance Bottoms Councilman Michael Bond and Councilman Andre Dickens	
Solo.....	Rev. Eric Jackson <i>Pastor, Life's Hope Ministries</i>
Greetings: Rev. Carl Moncrieff - Pastor, Bethlehem Baptist Church Bro. John Ahmann - President & CEO of Westside Future Funds	
Selection.....	The Combined Choir
Introduction of Preacher.....	Rev. Dr. William Terry Ladd, III <i>Pastor, First Baptist Church, Chattanooga, TN</i>
Hymn of Preparation.....	Rev. Eddie L. Jones <i>Pastor, First Corinth Missionary Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA</i>
The Consecration Sermon.....	Rev. Dr. Johnny Flakes, III <i>Pastor, Fourth Street Missionary Baptist Church, Columbus, GA</i>

The Invitation to Discipleship

(Please refrain from walking during the Invitation to Discipleship)

Words of Encouragement to the Church.....	Rev. Dr. Benjamin Lett <i>Pastor, Hill Chapel Baptist Church, Athens, GA</i>
Words of Encouragement to the Pastor.....	Rev. Dr. Jerry Black <i>Pastor, Beulah Missionary Baptist Church, Decatur, GA</i>
Prayer of Encouragement.....	Rev. Tracy B. Wheeler, Sr. <i>Pastor, Greater Springfield Missionary Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA</i>
Offertory Appeal.....	Rev. Dr. W. J. Lawson <i>Pastor, Cornerstone Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA</i>
Consecration Offering.....	Deacons & Ushers Ministries (Instrumental Tribute..... The Antioch Band)
Presentations of Love.....	Antioch Ministries and Individuals
Remarks.....	Rev. Kenneth L. Alexander, Pastor
Benediction.....	Rev. Dr. Johnny Flakes, III



Reverend Dr. Johnny H. Flakes, III

Rev. Dr. J.H. Flakes III is the second child of three siblings, born to the late Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J.H. Flakes, Jr. He is married to the lovely Jacqueline Denise Flakes; and they are the parents of two children; a daughter Braya and son Kevin.



Educationally, Rev. Flakes received his Doctor of Ministry from Mercer University, McAfee School of Theology, Atlanta, GA. Master degree from the University of Iowa, Iowa City, His Master of Divinity degree from the Interdenominational Theological Center, Morehouse School of Religion. He earned his Bachelor of Science degree from Tuskegee University, Tuskegee, Ala., and elementary and high school education from Muscogee County School System.

Rev. Flakes earned distinction of being one of twenty one (21) students chosen by the Interdenominational Theological center, Morehouse School of Religion, for inclusion in Who's Who among Students in American Universities across the United States. In 2011, Rev. Flakes was inducted into the Tuskegee University Athletic Hall of Fame. Prior to becoming Senior Pastor of the Fourth Street Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Flakes served as Pastor of the Mount Gilead Missionary Baptist Church (S.E.) Atlanta, GA.; additionally, he served as Co-Pastor of both Fourth Street Missionary Baptist Church of Columbus, GA. and Good hope Missionary Baptist Church of Phenix City, AL.

Rev. Flakes' Ministerial and Civic affiliations:

- Served as executive board member of the Metro-Atlanta Baptist Minister's Union Served as First Vice President of the Fifth District of the Congress of Christian Education
- Served as Executive board member of the Atlanta Chapter NAACP
- Served as Columbus Regional Foundation Board
- Served as President of the Muscogee County Clergy Association
- Served as a member of the "Concern Black Clergy" of Atlanta, Ga
- Served as the Chairman of the publicity committee for the 2005 National Baptist convention U.S.A., Inc., GMBC host committee, Atlanta, GA.
- A member of the John B. Amos Cancer Center Advisory Board
- He serves as First Vice President of the Congress of Christian Education State of Georgia
- He serves as Moderator of the Mount Calvary Association
- He serves as Faculty member of the National Baptist Congress of Christian Education
- He serves as Faculty Member of the Sunday School Publishing Board, National Baptist Convention USA, INC.
- He serves as Chair of Social Action Committee of the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance
- He serves as a member of the Turner Ministry Resource Center Advisory Board of the Pastoral Institute, Columbus, GA.
- Serves as the Senior Pastor of the Fourth Street Missionary Baptist Church, where his father the late Rev. Dr. J. J. Flakes, Jr. served as pastor for fifty (50) years.
- Rev. Dr. J. H. Flakes, III is a sound teacher and preacher of the Gospel of Jesus the Christ.

A Servant of God!

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CONSECRATION

THE MEANING

The Old Testament records different types of sacrifices made by the Israelites as God's people. The best animal or first fruit of the field a person had was given to be sacrificed as an offering to God. These were dead sacrifices. Christ made the ultimate sacrifice on the cross, giving his life for all who would believe in him as Messiah. His death and resurrection meant there was no longer a need to offer sacrifices on altars or burnt offerings. Instead, we are to offer ourselves as disciples, following Christ's example.

Like Abraham, who was ready to offer up his long-awaited son Isaac, we are called to give our all to Jesus Christ. Romans 12:1 is the basis for consecration. "I exhort you therefore, brothers, through the compassions of God to present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, well pleasing to God, which is your reasonable service." When we consecrate ourselves unto the Lord, we totally submit ourselves to Him by giving up our desires and living totally in His will. We live to glorify God.

Consecration is the public recognition and affirmation of God's calling of a pastor to a lifetime of service as shepherd of a congregation. Like Joshua, he is an instrument of God and says to the people, "Consecrate yourselves: for tomorrow the LORD will do amazing things among you" (Joshua 3:5 NIV).

The consecrated pastor is devoted to God and sanctified in Christ. The God-given call of the pastor is empowered by the Holy Spirit, who replenishes and strengthens him. He is dedicated to preaching biblical truth for the purpose of reconciling people to God and equipping God's people to fulfill the Great Commission in Matthew 28:16-20.

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*Pastor Kenny and First Lady Lisa,
Thank you for this Awesome Blessing to Serve
on the Consecration Committee.*

*God has Divinely placed you to lead His Flock
at Our Beloved Antioch Baptist Church North.
It's No secret what God can do.
To God be the Glory...Great things He has done
and will do!*

Tommy C. Jennings

*God did ordain;
Christ came to maintain;
The Holy Spirit will sustain.*

*God has called you by name, anointed you, and holds
your right hand, Pastor Kenneth L. Alexander.
(Isaiah 45:1-5)*

Thank you for the privilege of serving on the Consecration Committee.

May God continuously bless you.

*Love, joy, and peace,
Karen McKinney Holley*

*Congratulations
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**Rev. Kenneth L. Alexander, Pastor
Antioch Baptist Church North**



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Rev. Dr. Kenneth B. Martin



March 13, 2019

Greetings Rev. Kenneth L. Alexander,

....Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy path. Proverbs 3:5, 6

I am pleased to extend my warmest regards and congratulations to Rev. Kenneth Alexander, who has been called to "Serve Through the Power of God, as the Pastor of Antioch Baptist Church North, Atlanta, GA. You have been commissioned to do a mighty work.

The General Missionary Baptist Convention of Georgia, Inc. will remain in prayer for your successful ministry. I encourage you to continue to stay united with our great convention as we work to build on the foundation of the strong leaders that have gone on before us.

As President of the General Missionary Baptist Convention of Georgia, I pray that you will continue pressing toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.

As you go forth in your ministry, stay focused on Jesus, rely on the Holy Spirit and keep complete faith in God.

We pray God's blessings on this union of Pastor and people as you begin this journey together.

Yours in God's service,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. B. Martin".

Kenneth B. Martin, D.D.
President



Fulton County Sheriff's Office

Theodore Jackson
Sheriff

March 31, 2019

*To Rev. Kenneth L. Alexander, Pastor and Congregation
Antioch Baptist Church North*

As you embark on your next era of leadership, we offer our heartfelt congratulations and support on the occasion of your Consecration Observance.

Antioch Baptist Church North is in good hands! Due to your lifelong commitment, dedication, involvement and service, your stride to continue serving through the power of God, goes un-interrupted.

The men and women of the Fulton County Sheriff's Office have shared a long and powerful relationship with Antioch Baptist Church North and as public servants, look forward to our continued partnership in providing outreach to the community, especially alongside AUMI.

Congratulations on this milestone and best wishes for continued peace and prosperity in growth and strength.

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.

Romans 12:1

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ted".

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***God Bless You,
Pastor Kenneth L. & Lady Lisa K. G. Alexander***



***"No matter life's difficulties, you
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JESUS' NAME?"***

Rev. K. L. Alexander



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with thee whithersoever thou goest."***

Joshua 1:9

Pastor

KENNETH LAMONT ALEXANDER

Thank you for choosing to follow His path by serving in His name. We appreciate your willingness to give of yourself and to be used where God has placed you, here at Antioch Baptist Church North. We know that you are faithfully committed to serving the Lord with genuine compassion for His flock. We also thank you for celebrating with us in our greatest joys and comforting us during our deepest sorrows. We pray that you will continue to instruct us with wisdom, tend to us with gentleness and speak what the Holy Spirit puts in your heart.



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- 7:45 am Morning of Praise
9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Experience

Sunday Evening

- 5:00 pm Deep Sea Fishing/Bible Study

Monday

- 11:00 am Spiritual Brunch Bible Study
6:00 pm Youth Ministry
6:00 pm Visual of Praise Ministry/Tutoring Lab
6:00-7:00 pm Step Rehearsal

Tuesday

- 5:00 pm Prayer Warriors

Wednesday Mid-Week

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- ◇ Sunday Children's Church - 10:45 a.m.
- ◇ Wednesday Noon Prayer - 11:45 a.m.
- ◇ Wednesday Midday Bible Study & Lunch - 12 p.m.
- ◇ Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
- ◇ Wednesday Night Worship Service - 7:00 p.m.



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Youth Church.....10:30 a.m.

Wednesday

Lunch Time Bible Study12 Noon

Prayer Meeting & Bible Study..6:00 p.m.

Saturday

Bible Study.....11:00 a.m.



*Rev. Dr. M. Davis and
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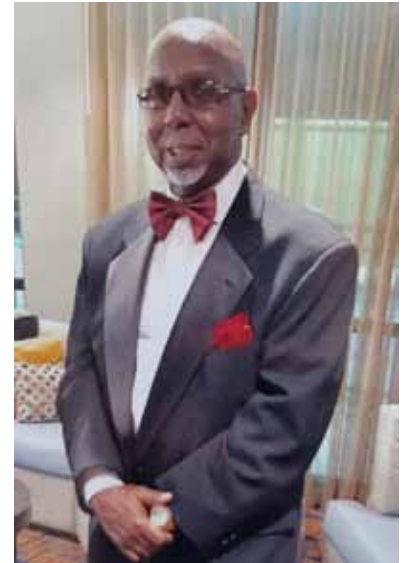


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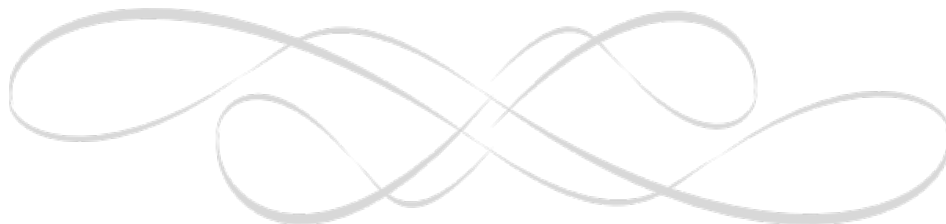


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TO: PASTOR KENNETH L. ALEXANDER



*From: Ollie C. Nelson
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*We are so immensely proud
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As we give celebratory thanks to God for your acceptance by Him and the great people of Antioch Baptist Church North of Atlanta, Georgia, I began to reflect on the "...steps of a good man, ordered by the Lord" Psalms 37:23



Reflection #1

I hear the words of Paul to Timothy as he tells his young protégé, "I am reminded of our sincere faith, which first lived in your grandmother...and in your mother and now lives in you also." Pastor Kenneth Lamont Alexander, I see that same abiding faith in Sis. Barbara Alexander's Son, the Rev. Kenneth Lamont Alexander, Pastor of the Antioch Baptist Church North

Reflection #2

I hear the words of God in Joshua 1:5, that says, "No one will be able to stand against you all the days of your life. As I was with Moses, so I will be with you; I will never leave you nor forsake you." You learned from your earthly father, Rev. Cameron Alexander that just as God was with him, so would he be with his son, Rev. Kenneth Lamont Alexander, Pastor of the Antioch Baptist Church North

Like Peter, you, Rev. Kenneth Lamont Alexander began to take tiny steps of faith towards a big calling. As you walk this journey, know that you, Sister Lisa and your entire family, including your church family, are constantly covered in prayer. Remember the words of Jeremiah 1:8, If any come against you, "...Be not afraid of their faces; for I am with you to deliver you saith the Lord"

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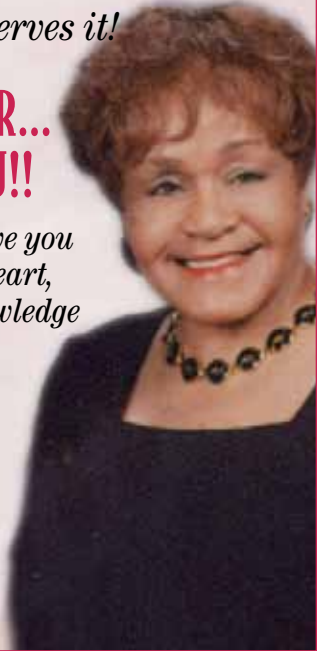
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THAT PERSON IS YOU!!**

Jeremiah 3:15 - And I will give you pastors according to mine heart, which shall feed you with knowledge and understanding.

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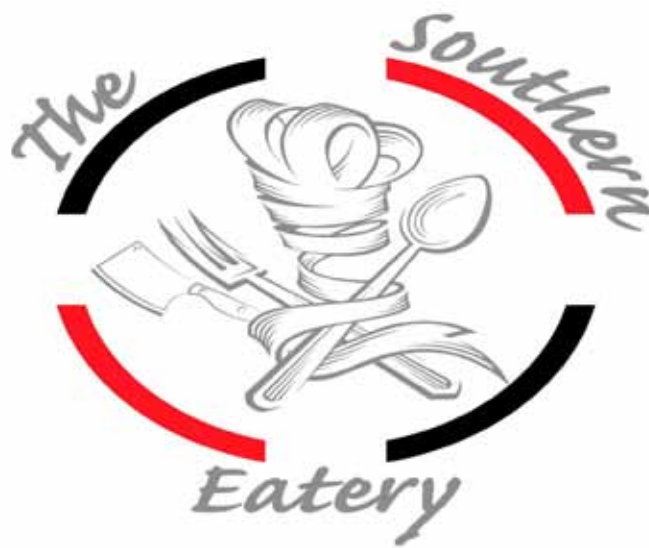
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Thank you, Reverend Kenny

*for being God-called through God's guidance
while continuing to grow in God's grace.
Grace and Blessings on your path.*



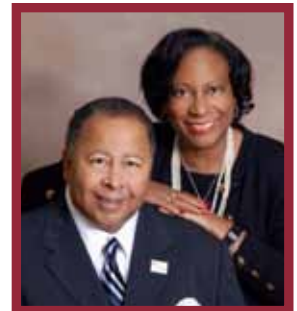
Love you, Rosalyn & Shellee

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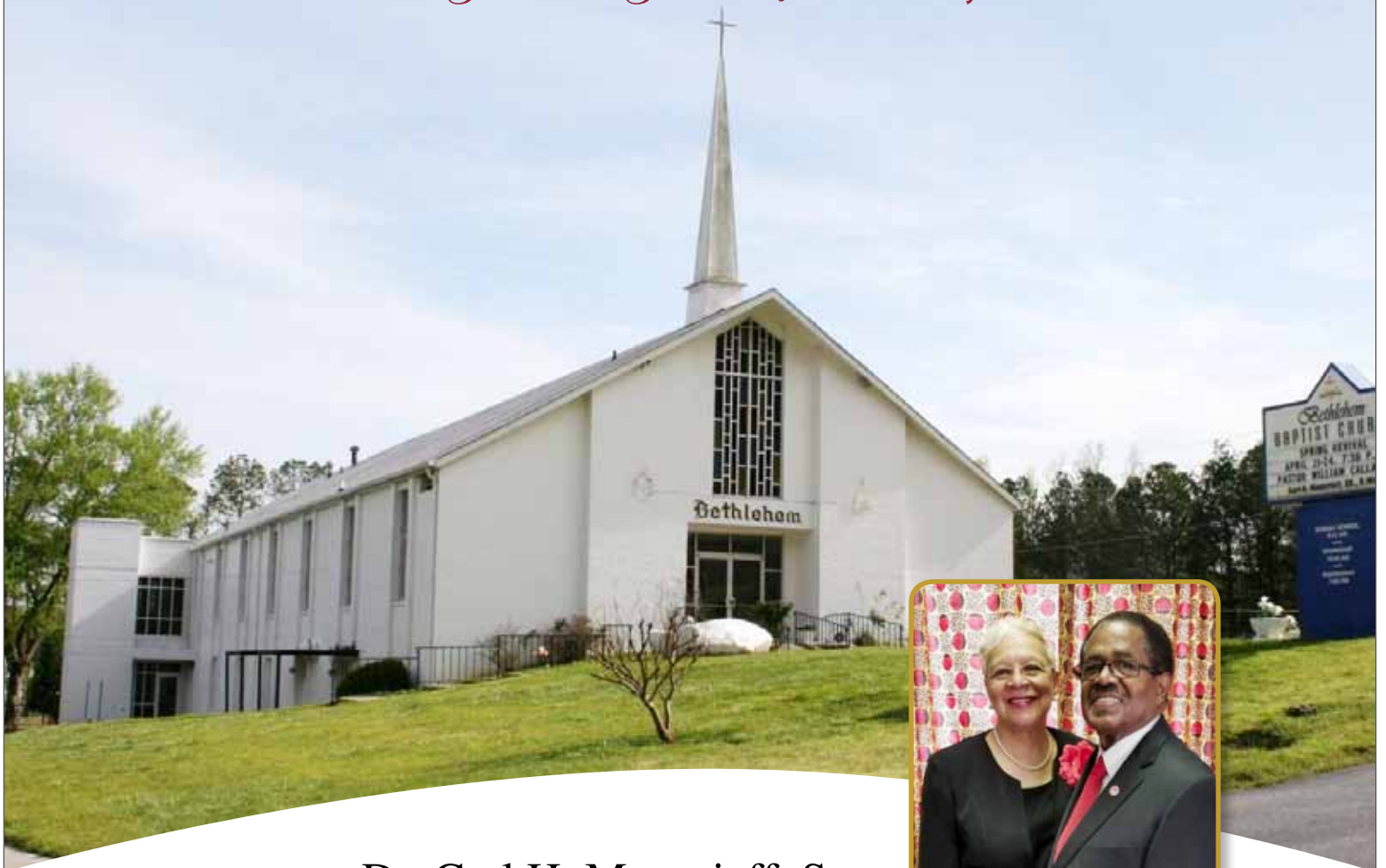
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