

Antioch Baptist Church North

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

April 23, 2017 • 7:45 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service



“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 Morning Hymn #191.....**Glory to His Name**.....Congregation

7:45 a.m. - Adult Choir and Note Singers

The Recognition of Visitors

The Baby Dedication - (7:45 a.m. Worship Service)

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, deliver us from vanity, selfishness, and conceit. Touch our hearts, and help us to exercise the grace of sharing through giving. Lead and guide us, O God, as we offer our gifts. It's in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, 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)

Til We Meet Again



Welcome Visitors!

Our Pastor, Reverend C. M. Alexander, and our Antioch Church Family welcome each of you to our Sunday morning worship service. From your visit with us today, we hope you will feel the love of Christ and the sweet fellowship that comes from our love for Him. This is our special way of providing for you a rewarding and memorable worship experience. God bless you, and we thank you for your visit.

TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

The lesson for next Sunday, April 23rd, is *"Together Forever,"* and the scriptures are **Romans 5:6-11; 8:31-39**. Next week's lesson is *"True Love"*, and the scripture is **John 10:1-15**. Please join us and be renewed by the teaching of God's Word.

BABY DEDICATION

Baby: Malia Adriana Godette
Parent: Sis. Kristen Godette

*"Recently arrived
from Heaven..."*

Today at 7:45 AM!

JOB FAIR

Congressman David Scott's 14th Annual 13th Congressional District Jobs Fair will be held on Friday, April 28th, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., at the Georgia International Convention Center in College Park, Georgia 30337.

ATTENTION CHURCHES!

A Community Alert – There will be a Smart Fair & Restorative Justice for Fulton's Families sponsored by Keith Gammage, Solicitor-General of Fulton County, on Saturday, April 29, 2017, from 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., at the Martin Luther King Community Resources Complex, 101 Jackson St., NE, Atlanta, GA 30312.

LAW DAY!

Law Day will be observed on Sunday, May 7, 2017. This is a day where members of the legal community worship together at Antioch. On this day, a group of law professionals will serve as witnesses to the youth and the rest of the congregation as to their faith in God and commitment to preserve the rights guaranteed to all citizens under the U.S. Constitution.

ATTENTION WOMEN OF ANTIOCH!

The Christian Education Ministry is offering a group study on the book *Fervent* by Priscilla Shier. The sessions will be held Saturdays May 13th, 20th and June 3rd, from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. Ladies, please mark your calendar for this wonderful opportunity to gain strategies that will empower and equip you in your development of an effective prayer life. Registration for the sessions will be held today following both worship services in the Narthex. Please contact Sis. Benecia Ponder for further information through the church office at (404) 688-5679.

TASTE OF ANTIOCH

The Men of Antioch would like to invite all members to a Taste of Antioch, a night of fun, fellowship and food on Friday, May 19th. The Men of Antioch will be your hosts and cooks for the Night, so bring your appetite. All men who want to cook or bring a dish are asked to please contact Brothers Dwayne Price or Al McGuire through the church office at 404-688-5679.

GRADUATING/RETIRING??

The Antioch Church Family would like to honor graduating and retiring members on Sunday, May 28, 2017. All graduates (kindergarten, elementary, middle, high school, college or graduate school) and retirees should meet with the Scholarship Ministry to complete registration forms and get scholarship applications. Please contact Sis. Wendolyn Harding for more information at the church office.

SISTERS BY CHOICE PINK RIBBON WALK

The Sisters by Choice 13th Annual Pink Ribbon Walk will be held on Saturday, July 15, 2017, in Piedmont Park. Sisters provide over 800 annual mammograms and breast exams for uninsured, unemployed and homeless women. Your \$30.00 early bird registration fee for the 5k will help insure that all women have access to care. This 5k Walk event is for the entire family! The Womanhood Ministry will kick off registration with a Pink Ribbon reception on the plaza on Sunday, June 4th, and will be available for registration in the Narthex after each service throughout the month of June.

WOMANHOOD LLC MINISTRY

The Womanhood LLC Ministry is pleased to announce our ***Annual Sundress and Sandals Soirée Fellowship Event*** to be held at Brawner Event Hall located at 3180 Atlanta Road, Smyrna, Georgia, on Friday, June 9, 2017, at 7:00 p.m. Women of Antioch, please make plans to wear your favorite summer dress and sandals as we fellowship with one another and learn more about the Womanhood Ministry. The donation for this event is only \$15.00 and you are encourage to RSVP with your donation after each worship service beginning Sunday, April 30th.

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 April 15, 2017, 612 bags of food were distributed. A total of 13,960 pounds of food was distributed, and 138 meals were served to AUMI residents.

CLOTHING BANK

Twenty-seven (27) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.

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.

LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

The Leadership Conference II scheduled for Saturday, May 6, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. has been rescheduled for a later date. Please contact the church office for more details.

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING & BIBLE STUDY

Weekly Prayer Meeting and Bible Study is held at the Church every Wednesday evening. Bible classes 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.

TERRY WEST BIBLE CLASS

Members and friends are encouraged to join the Terry West Bible Class every Wednesday morning, from 10:00 a.m. to noon, in Burden's Rest. Come share in the fellowship and study the Bible from Genesis to Revelation. We are currently studying the Book of Psalms. You are also invited to remain for the Noonday Worship Service.

Worship Service Coordinator

7:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. - Bro. Lindsey Cottingham

Security Chiefs on duty

7:45 a.m. - Bro. Lee Baker, 11:00 a.m. - Bro. Keith Jones

Trustees on duty

7:45 a.m. - Bro. Jeff Reeves, 11:00 a.m. - Bro. Julius Simmons

Health Professionals on duty

7:45 a.m. - Dr. Dorothy Wiggins

Videographer on duty

Bro. Michael Williams

EVANGELISM

Care & Comfort Ministry

Sick & Shut-In List

Members in Hospitals

Bro. Joshua Williams – Grady Memorial Hospital, 9A-Rm. 18

Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

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

Sis. Alice Arline – Brightmoo Senior Living, Griffin, Rm. 310

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

Mother Virginia Hall – Christian City Rehab Ctr, Union City, Rm 412-A

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. 406

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

Mother Earnestine Shaw – Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, Atlanta, Rm.406

Sis. Catherine Smith – Brightmoo Senior Living Rehab, Griffin, Rm. 204

Bro. Dallas Tucker – Sadie G. Mays Rehab Ctr, Atlanta, Rm. C-9

Members Convalescing at Home

Sis. Barbara J. Alexander

Sis. Zeporia Alexander

Sis. Evelyn Battle

Mother Emma Broomes

Bro. Robert Brown

Bro. Henry Claybrook

Sis. Miriam Crawford

Sis. Doris Dennis

Sis. Margaret Edinburgh

Sis. Catherine George

Sis. Minnie George

Sis. Niaciene George

Bro. Randall Griffin

Bro. Melvin Harris

Sis. Pearla Holmes

Bro. Roy Houston

Bro. Donald Hutson

Sis. Diane Johnson

Sis. Elizabeth Johnson

Mother Gwendolyn Johnson

Bro. Rufus Kelly

Bro. Phillip Lyde

Sis. Sylvia McClain

Bro. Henri McTerry

Mother Effie Nalls

Bro. Keith Nelson

Sis. Cynthia Price

Bro. Richard Raglin

Dea. Mark Roberts

Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr.

Sis. Candace Scott

Sis. Lucille Spears

Sis. Jessie Stafford

Mother Willie "Cookie" Tuggle

Sis. Vivian Walker

Sis. Mae Weaver

Sis. Annette Webb

Sis. Phyllis West

Mother Lenora 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

