

Antioch Baptist Church North

Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor

June 24, 2012 • 7:45AM & 11AM Services

EVANGELISM



CULMINATION & TORCH PASSING

About Our Father's Business... Faithful Over a Few Things"

Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: For I was an hungred, and ye gave me meat: I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink: I was a stranger, and ye took me in: Naked, and ye clothed me: I was sick, and ye visited me: I was in prison, and ye came unto me.

Matthew 25: 34-36

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

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A Message from the Pastor

My Brothers and Sisters,



During the past three months, the Men of Antioch under the very capable leadership of Deacon Calvin Booker, Deacon Milton Dodson and Brother Darryl Speed have worked aggressively to glorify God by spreading the “Good News” about Jesus Christ. With a focus on **EVANGELISM**, which has been the Second Quarter concentration for **Vision 2012**, the men have led a variety of well-planned programs and activities designed to share with others what they know and value about Jesus, hoping to transform the lives of others through personal conversions. As pastor, I want to thank our brothers for a job well done.

During our Worship Service this morning, the Torch of Service and Leadership will be passed from the Men’s Division to the Youth Division. At this time, I want to challenge our young people to find opportunities where we as a Church Family can strengthen our fellowship with each other and with other Christian believers. Our fellowship with God must become an authentic and a deliberate expression of our faith and our love for God.

This morning I am calling upon every adult member of Antioch to make a special sacrificial offering above your usual tithes and offerings to support the mission of the church. Our sacrificial gifts will be welcomed during these economically challenging times when so many of God’s people continue to have special needs and look to the Church for help. The principle of sacrifice is illuminated in Hebrews 13:16...”But to do good and to communicate forget not: for with such sacrifices God is well pleased.”

It is my prayer that all of us will let joy, a fruit of the Spirit, flourish in our lives so that joy can help us all be a blessing to others as we are guided by the theme for today’s celebration: **Men of Antioch North: About Our Father’s Business...Faithful Over A Few Things!**

Yours in God’s Service,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Cameron M. Alexander'.

Rev. Cameron M. Alexander
Pastor

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, Men Division Leaders, Choir

The Gloria Patri

The Morning Hymn, #248.....*Hold To God's Unchanging Hand*.....Congregation

The Announcements & Recognition of Visitors

The Men's Division Leadership Demonstration

In Memoriam.....*A Charge to Keep*.....Men's Division

7:45am - Men's Division Choir, 11:00am - Men's Division Choir

The Passing of the Torch Ceremony

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

Dear Lord, we pray this morning, that you will instill within our hearts, the understanding that giving requires Love, Obedience, and Commitment. Help us, Lord Jesus, to give back as generously as we have received. Amen!

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

Music

The Introduction of the Speaker

The Sermon Hymn.....Congregation

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

The Invitation to Discipleship

(Please refrain from walking during the Invitation to Discipleship)

Recessional

Til We Meet Again



APRIL-JUNE

Scripture Focus: EVANGELISM
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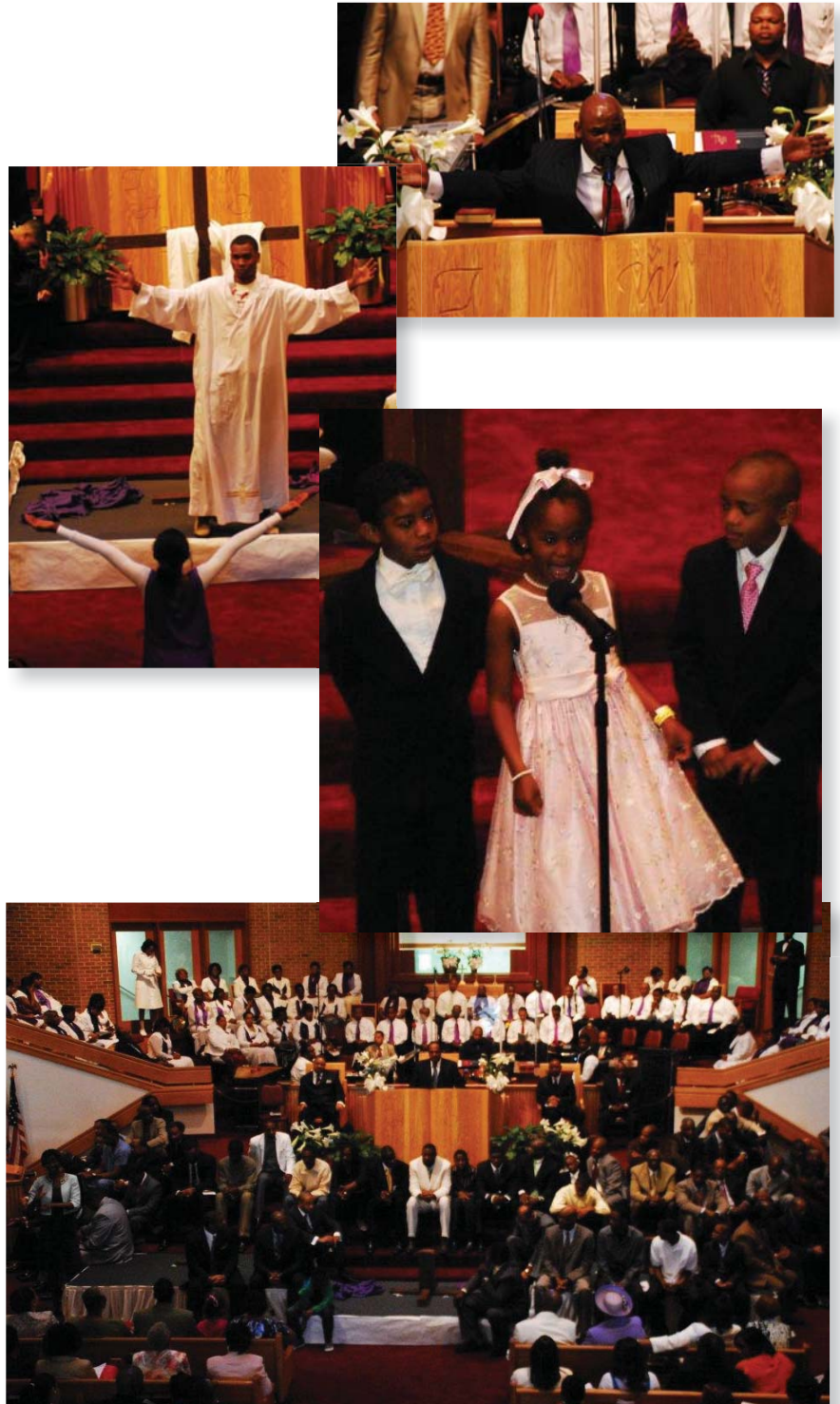
Today, the men of Antioch will pass the leadership for Vision 2012 to our Youth Division. It has been an honor and a blessing to have led the membership in the celebration of Vision 2012 with an emphasis on Evangelism. While we will provide support and assistance to our youth, the men recognize that this is their quarter for leadership. This is their time to be about our "Father's business." As we prepare to assist our youth in their demonstration of our four pillars with an emphasis on Fellowship, we thank Pastor Alexander for giving us the opportunity to serve God in such a tremendous capacity.

*About Our Father's Business...
Faithful Over a Few Things"*

Second Quarter Activities

Easter/Passion Week

(Seven Last Words, Easter Egg Hunt, Street Corner Preaching, Easter Sunday Worship Services)



Pentecost

Seven Last Words

Ascension Sunday

Mother's Day Observance

A Taste of Antioch

Spring Revival

Law Day

Scholarship Sunday

Pastor's Barbeque



Youth Achievement Banquet



BIRMINGHAM, HERE WE COME!!!

The **Youth Division** is sponsoring a trip to Birmingham, Alabama, the hot bed of the Civil Rights Movement. The trip is **Saturday, July 28, 2012**. We will leave the church **at 8:00am** and return around 7:00pm. All youth are invited to participate. However, children under the age of 8 years must be accompanied by an adult. The **total cost of the trip is \$35.00**. During the trip youth will have the opportunity to visit the 16th Street Baptist Church, Civil Rights Museum, Miles College and Kelly Ingram Park. You do not want to miss this wonderful opportunity. If you would like to attend, **please plan to sign up after service in the northex**. The **deadline for registration is July 15, 2012**.

UPCOMING

YOUTH DIVISION



FELLOWSHIP • July-September

CARE & COMFORT BRUNCH

On Saturday, June 30, 10:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall, the Care & Comfort Ministry will host its 2nd Annual Brunch Fellowship. The following topics will be discussed: Caring for our loved ones who are sick, Alzeimers, and Senior Care Services. Persons interested in serving in this ministry or who would like to learn more about caring for a loved one, please contact Rev. Scott Copeland or Sis. Redelee Doyle in the church office at 404-522-4673.

TERRY WEST BIBLE CLASS

Members and friends are encouraged to join the Terry West Bible Class every Wednesday morning, from 10am to 12 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 Judges.

EMPOWERMENT OUTREACH

The Empowerment Outreach Employment Ministry (EOEM) meetings are held every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month in Room 2 of Fellowship Hall at 6:30 PM.

TEACHER CERTIFICATION CLASSES - Every Tuesday, 7pm

Members interested in becoming a Sunday School Teacher, working with the Youth Vacation Bible School or other Christian Education classes are asked to attend the Teacher's Certification Classes held **every Tuesday, at 7pm**. For more information, please contact Sis. Princeanna Walker or Sis. Brigette Hill through the church office.

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING AND BIBLE STUDY

Weekly Prayer Meeting and Bible Study is held at the Church every Wednesday evening. For your 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 relationship with God.



5TH ANNUAL CMA GOLF CLASSIC - August 18

The 4th Annual CMA Golf Classic will be held on **Saturday, August 18th, 9am**, in Stockbridge, Georgia at the Eagles Landing Country Club, 100 Eagle's Landing Way. Each year, the event benefits the Antioch Urban Ministries. **Register Early and Save!** If you are interested in participating or need additional information, please contact Dea. Benny Williams at 404-527-5786.

JULY 2012 SPECIAL EVENTS

**State Congress of Christian Ed. (Dublin, GA)
M-F, July 16-20**

**Birmingham Trip
Sat, July 28**

More dates to come...

Care & Comfort Ministry

Sick & Shut-In List

Members in Hospitals

Bro. Joseph Johnson, Dekalb Medical Center
Bro. William Anthony Green, Dekalb Medical Center

Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Sis. Ozrie Canady – AG Rhodes/Wesley Wood Rehab Ctr.
Sis. Mary Carson – Emeritus Assisted Living
Sis. Celestia Dallas - Reliable Health & Rehab
Sis. Lillian Edinburgh – Riverdale Place Healthcare
Sis. Frances Harden - Triad of Parkview Nursing Home
Sis. Bettye Harris – Nursecare of Buckhead
Sis. Billie Hartley – College Park Healthcare Center
Mother Mary Hood – Signature Healthcare of Buckhead
Bro. James Hopkins - Signature Healthcare of Buckhead
Mother Ella Mae Merritt - Sadie G. Mays Nursing Home
Sis. Rosalie Thomas - Summerset Assisted Living
Sis. Betty Tye – Lake City Nursing Rehab Center
Mother Lula West – Traditions Health and Rehab
Sis. Eva Williams – AG Rhodes/Wesley Woods Rehab Ctr.
Sis. Roselle Wright-Signature Healthcare of Buckhead

Members Convalescing at Home

Sis. Bernice Brown	Sis. Sylvia McClain
Sis. Robertine Bryant	Sis. Ramona Moore
Mother Mattie Chivers	Sis. Sallie O'Bryant
Sis. Dianne Culberson	Sis. Mary Perkins
Sis. Rosalyn Curington	Sis. Cynthia Price
Bro. Jesse Davis	Sis. Ruby Rhodes
Sis. Essie Gant	Bro. Jesse Rosser
Sis. Minnie George	Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr.
Sis. Bonita Hammond	Dea. Ronald Smith
Sis. Dianne Harris	Sis. Janie Starks
Bro. Carlton Hendrix	Bro. Claude Thomas
Sis. Shante Holiday	Bro. Leroy Walker
Sis. Gwendolyn Johnson	Mother Dorothy Williams
Bro. Joseph Johnson	Sis. Ida Williams
Bro. Millard Johnson	Bro. James Williams
Sis. Stephanie Johnson	Bro. Randal Wilson
Bro. Phillip Lyde	
Bro. David McCier	

*Blessed are they that
mourn: for they shall
be comforted.*

Matthew 5:4



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 June 16, 2012, 395 food boxes were distributed. The value of the groceries was \$9,720 (average cost per family estimated at \$48/box if purchased retail). A total of 10,475 pounds of food was distributed, 653 meals served to AUMI residents, and 258 community meals were served.

CLOTHING BANK

Thirty-eight (38) families received clothing through the Clothing Bank.

TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday School Ministry requests your presence at Sunday School. Today's lesson is **"Loving As We Are Loved"** and the Scripture comes from **Deuteronomy 10:12-22; 16:18-20**. We have classes for every age group so we look forward to seeing you in Sunday School at 10am today. All college students are encouraged to attend the College Student's class in room 4. The lesson for next Sunday will be **"Rescued", Samuel 7:3-11, 15-17**.

Worship Service Coordinator

7:45am & 11am - Bro. Lindsay Cottingham

Security Chiefs on duty

7:45am-Bro. Lee Baker

11am-Bro. Wilbert Robinson

Trustees on duty

7:45am-Bro. Barney Simms

11am- Sis. Ollie Cooper

Health Professionals on duty

7:45am-Sis. Robin Dennis

11am-Sis. Felicia Jackson