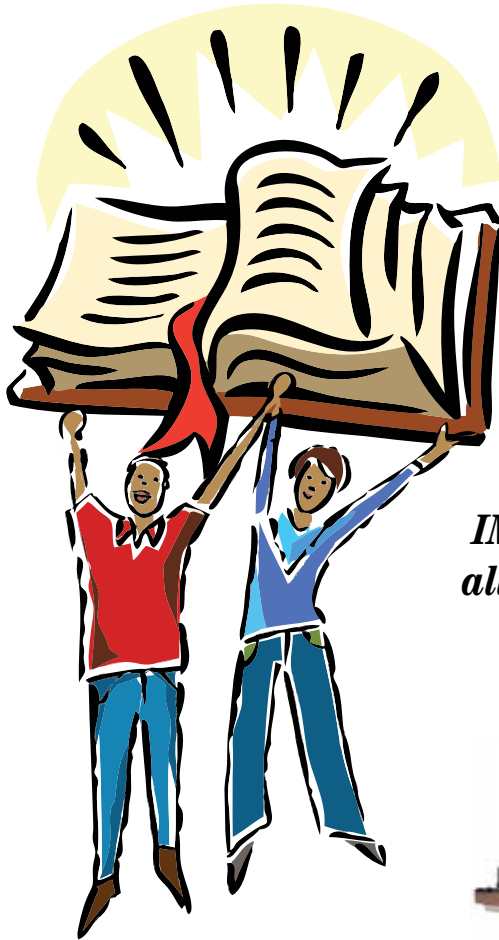


Antioch Baptist Church North

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

September 23, 2018 • 7:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship Services



YOUTH IN ACTION

*IMAGINE with all your Mind, BELIEVE with
all your Heart in Christ Jesus, ACHIEVE with
all your Might*

Philippians 4:13



“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...”

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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 #465.....**Jesus Loves Me**.....Congregation

**7:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. - Youth MADD for Christ Choir, Sun Beam Choir, Youth Orchestra
& Youth Dance Ministry**

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

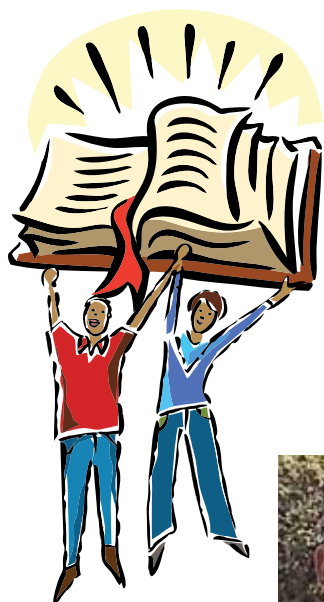
The Sermon.....Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor

The Invitation to Discipleship

(Please refrain from walking during the Invitation to Discipleship)

Till We Meet Again





YOUTH IN ACTION

Speakers

IMAGINE with all your Mind, BELIEVE with all your Heart in Christ Jesus, ACHIEVE with all your Might
Philippians 4:13



BAKER

Olubade Nathaniel Baker is the son of Olumuyiwa and Nancy Baker. He is a high school sophomore attending the Greater Atlanta Christian Academy. At the Academy, Olu is active with the Varsity Soccer team, Jazz Band, and Basketball team. Olu enjoys editing videos and fitness training. At Antioch he faithfully attends Sunday School and participates in the Youth MADD for Christ drama presentations. Olu attended the GMBC Congress of Christian Education as one of Antioch's

Youth delegates where he attended classes and participated in the Youth Rally. He also travelled with Antioch's Youth on the trip to Washington, DC to visit the National Museum of African American History and Culture. He is the older brother to Ola and Seguin Baker. Olu's favorite scripture is Psalm 62:5 – I must calm down and turn to God; He is my only hope.



FORD

Amari McKinley Ford is the daughter of Richard and Franmicka Ford. She is a 4th grade student at Dekalb Elementary School of the Arts, where she majors in Drama and Art. Amari enjoys cheerleading for Central Dekalb Jaguars and watching sports with her parents, always rooting for the opposite team. Amari is filled with drama and very creative, having started her own YouTube channel where she enjoys providing information for her peers. She is a member of KAST (Kidding Around on

Stage) and she has performed in several of her school productions. Amari enjoys dancing, acting and spending time with her family and friends. She has been a member of Antioch Baptist Church North since 2012, where she was baptized at the age of three years old. Amari's favorite scripture is the 23rd Psalm.



GAUSE

Makailah Gause is the daughter of Ms. Sylvia S. Gause. She is a high school senior attending North Atlanta High School. Makailah's school activities include Girls Varsity Basketball, Students of Excellence, Future Business Leaders of America and Fashion Club. She enjoys cooking and spending time with her mother. Makailah currently provides student assistance in Antioch's Nursery for our youth ages 3-5 and participates in Youth MADD drama productions. After graduation, she plans to attend

college, then medical school to become a doctor, which is why she is diligently working to receive an academic scholarship. Makailah's favorite scripture is Philippians 4:13 – I can do all things through Christ who gives me strength.



LEWIS

Elijah James Lewis is the first-born son of Dana and Autumn Lewis. As an 8th grade student at Factory Shoals Middle School, Elijah has been recognized for his outstanding achievement in Spanish, Accelerated Math, Science and Social Studies. He has been on the all A honor roll throughout middle school while taking all gifted coursework. Awarded a 3rd place finish at the Douglas County Science Fair in 2018. Elijah is also a member of the Beta Club and the FSMC Soccer Team. As an aspiring Robotics Engineer or Statistician,

it is no surprise that Elijah's favorite subject is math. During his spare time, Elijah enjoys playing soccer, video games and basketball. The highlight of his summer was a week spent at the US Space and Rocket Center for the Robotics Program. On Sundays, you will find Elijah serving with the Jr. Usher Board or in any capacity he is asked. He is also actively attends Sunday School. Elijah's favorite scripture is Philippians 4:13.



SPEED

Darryl Nathan Speed II was born to Mr. and Mrs. Darryl and Holly Speed on April 5, 2003 in Atlanta, GA. Affectionately called Nathan, he is a loving and caring young man who is a sophomore at New Manchester High School, where he plays football. Nathan gave his life to Christ at the age of 6 and has been an active youth member at Antioch Baptist Church North ever since. He currently participates in the Junior Usher Ministry and various leadership roles within the Youth Ministry. Nathan participated in the 2017 GMBC

Congress of Christian Education Youth Oratorical Contest, where he placed third overall. After high school, Nathan plans to attend college and study Aerospace Engineering.

Nathan's hobbies are playing football, talking about football and watching football. He loves to spend time with his family and is a supportive older brother to Chelsea and Chandler Speed.

Nathan's favorite scripture is John 3:16 – For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.



WOODS

Cameron Isaiah Woods is the son of Deacon and Mrs. Vernon Woods. He has been a member of Antioch Baptist church since he was 6 years old. Cameron is in the 8th grade at M. D. Roberts Performing Arts Middle School in Jonesboro, Georgia, where he is active in the orchestra, Science Olympiad, The Ram TV Station, and swim team. Cameron is a member of the Intermediate Sunday School class at Antioch, where he has grown spiritually each year. He is also a member of Antioch's Youth Ushers Ministry.

Cameron's hobbies include playing the violin and piano as well as photography and filmmaking. He hopes to attend Georgia Tech University where he would like to become an electrical engineer.

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 today, September 23, 2018, is "**Relationships Are Important,**" and the scriptures are **Genesis 2:18-24; 4:1-2**. Next week's lesson is "**Passing the Buck,**" and the scriptures are **Genesis 3:8-17, 20:24**. Please join us and be renewed by the teaching of God's Word.

CONGRATULATIONS!

CONGRATULATIONS to our Co-Pastor, Rev. Kenneth Alexander. He will be honored on Thursday, September 27, 2018, with a **Celebration of Leadership Award** from the Atlanta Metropolitan State College. Members and friends are invited to support our Co-Pastor by purchasing a ticket. The cost is \$150.00. We hope to have a great turnout from the church. For more information, please see Dr. Bryan Mitchell or call the college at 404-756-4666.

POWERFUL YOUTH, BOYS BRUNCH & FELLOWSHIP

The Youth Ministry invites all young men of Antioch ages 5 – 18 and the MEN of Antioch to join us in a Powerful Youth Brunch and Fellowship on Saturday, September 29, 2018, from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon. During this Brunch, we will present and discuss various youth programs and activities available or needed for our young men. We will also fellowship and enjoy playing video games. All young men are encouraged to register today after each worship service in the narthex.

CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER BREAKFAST

Attention All Antioch Members! The Added Member Outreach Ministry will host a Church-wide Prayer Breakfast, from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 Noon on Saturday, October 6, 2018, in Fellowship Hall. The theme for the Meet and Greet Fellowship is "**A Charge to Keep I have, a God to Glorify – Learning God's Purpose for Our Lives**" and the Scripture is "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future" Jeremiah 29:11 All seasoned and added members will have the opportunity to know Antioch and each other just a little bit better. This is also an opportunity for added members to meet auxiliary and ministry leaders. A bus tour of the adjacent church property along with some interesting historical facts will be available. Come join us as we meet, greet and fellowship together. For more information, please contact Sis. Patricia Ellis, Sis. Elvetra Cossie and Bro. Russell Labitue through the church office at 404-688-5679.

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 September 15, 2018, 324 bags of food were distributed. A total of 10,593 pounds of food was distributed.

CLOTHING BANK

Forty-one (41) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.

ANNUAL CHURCH CONFERENCE

The **Deacon's Pre-Conference Meeting** will be held on Monday, October 8, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. The **Annual Church Conference** will be held on Tuesday, October 9, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. All Auxiliaries and Ministries are asked to submit the list of their proposed officers and reports to the Pastor's office for his approval by Sunday, September 30, 2018. Reports are to be electronically submitted to pastorproposal@aol.com or by fax to 404-527-5794.

MEMORIAL GARDEN

As part of our legacy here at Antioch, we have established a Memorial Garden program which recognizes those members who are now deceased, but who served in any capacity within the church and contributed to her lasting foundation.

If you have recently lost a loved one who was a member of Antioch for 25 continuous years and who served in one or more of the numerous auxiliaries here at the church, you are invited to provide a lasting memorial for that loved one to recognize his or her service. We offer you a one-time opportunity to purchase a Bronze Memorial Plaque that will be mounted in the Antioch Memorial Garden in his or her memory. The cost is a nominal \$100 charge, which will cover the plaque and its mounting.

The Memorial Recognition service will be held on the fourth Sunday in November. The deadline for submitting a request to purchase a plaque is Sunday, October 14th. You may contact a member of the Memorial Garden Committee or contact the Church office for assistance. No requests will be accepted after the October 14th deadline due to the turnaround time needed for ordering.



BAPTISM AND THE RIGHT HAND OF FELLOWSHIP

Baptism and the Right Hand of Fellowship will be observed on Sunday, September 30, 2018, during the 11:00 a.m. Worship Service. Candidates for Baptism and persons receiving the Right Hand of Fellowship are asked to meet downstairs in Rooms 11 & 12 at 10:00 a.m. to prepare for the special services.

BABY DEDICATIONS

Baby Dedications are held on the 4th Sunday of each month at the 11:00 a.m. Worship Service. The Baby Dedications are for infants from birth to six months of age. To schedule a date, please telephone Sister Lenora Williams in the church office at 404-527-5144.

WOMANHOOD MINISTRY

Attention Women of Antioch! If you are interested in attending the Women's Retreat, but you are not able to stay for the weekend, there is a one-day retreat option available. Please stop by the registration table in the Narthex after both services for more information. The 2018 Women's Fall Retreat will be held October 12th-14th at The Ridges Resort on Lake Chatuge. The resort is nestled in North Georgia's scenic Blue Ridge Mountains. Unplug from the demands of everyday life, and enjoy inspiration from this mountain experience for "A Closer Walk with Thee." If you have already registered, final payments are due by Sunday, September 30th. Womanhood Ministry t-shirts are now available! Show your ministry pride with this custom-designed ministry t-shirt. Purchases can be made on after both services in the narthex or on Wednesday nights. T-shirts are available while supplies last for \$12.50.

EDUCATION READY

Youth Tutoring Program: Tutoring is very important in the world of academics. It helps students strengthen subject comprehension, boost confidence and build important learning skills. We are inviting adults, college students and high school students to volunteer as tutors, or to help in the development and administration of the Antioch's **EDUCATION READY**, Youth Tutoring Program. Members who are interested should sign-up today after each service in the narthex.

WEAR PINK SUNDAY

The entire Antioch family is encouraged to wear Pink Sunday, October 7th, for our Worship in Pink Breast Cancer Awareness Observance service. We will have lifesaving breast health information available. A special recognition of Antioch's survivors and current warriors and a remembrance of those members who had breast cancer and have passed will be observed. Additionally, we are asking that Antioch support the Womanhood Ministry by donating new wigs in the boxes located in the Narthex and Fellowship Hall for patients in treatment in the Atlanta area. Please contact the church office for details at 404.688.5679.

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!**

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION TEACHER'S CERTIFICATION

Members who would like to be certified in teaching at Antioch are encouraged to attend the teacher's certification classes every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. in room 9. Instructions on how to apply the Word of God in teaching others is being taught by our very own Deacon Clarence Anderson. For more detailed information, please contact Sis. Lenora Williams in the church office at 404-527-5144.

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. William Clement, 11:00 a.m. - Sis. Barbara Stanford

Health Professionals on duty

7:45 a.m. - Bro. Quintero Moore

Videographer on duty

Bro. Michael Williams

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.

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. 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	Sis. Elizabeth Johnson	Sis. Rebecca Thedford
Sis. Zeporia Alexander	Mother Gwendolyn Johnson	Mother Willie "Cookie" Tuggle
Sis. Evelyn Battle	Sis. Denise Jones	Sis. Vivian Walker
Bro. Pleas Sonny Berry	Bro. Rufus Kelly	Bro. Thomas Ware
Mother Emma Broomes	Bro. Phillip Lyde	Sis. Mae Weaver
Bro. Lewis Brown	Sis. Sylvia McClain	Sis. Annette Webb
Bro. Henry Claybrook	Bro. Reginald Nelson	Sis. Annie Wideman
Sis. Doris Dennis	Sis. Cynthia Price	Sis. Aris Williams
Sis. Catherine George	Sis. Sharonda Price	Sis. Sallie Williams
Sis. Minnie George	Bro. Richard Raglin	Sis. Lillie Willis
Bro. Randall Griffin	Dea. Mark Roberts	
Sis. Debra Hodge	Sis. Marian Russell	
Sis. Pearla Holmes	Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr.	
Bro. Roy Houston	Sis. Candace Scott	

*Beloved, I wish above all things
that thou mayest prosper and be in
health, even as thy soul prospereth.*

3 John 1:2

