

# Antioch Baptist Church North

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

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

## Sunday Worship Services



# Happy New Year!



## “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 #38.....**Count Your Blessings**.....Congregation

**7:45 a.m. - Adult Choir & CMA Male Choir**

**11:00 a.m. - Anthem/Acappella Choir & BWT Verse Speakers**

The Announcements and Recognition of Visitors

Wedding Anniversary Recognition (**8:00 a.m. only**)

The AUMI Observance

## **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**

*Lord Jesus, help us to remember Your blessings to us as we cheerfully share them this morning for the building of thy kingdom on earth. It's in the blessed name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior, we do pray and ask it all. 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 today, January 7, 2018, is **"Living Your Convictions,"** and the scripture is **Daniel 1:8-21.** Next week's lesson is **"No Matter the Cost,"** and the scripture is **Daniel 3:19-23, 26-28.** Please join us and be renewed by the teaching of God's Word.



## WOMANHOOD MINISTRY

Women of Antioch! Please join us every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Antioch's Womanhood Ministry invites you to come out each week for spiritual growth, social connections and service opportunities. On Tuesday, January 9, we'll kick off the New Year by creating purpose boards to help each of us focus on discovering what God has planned for us. Supplies will be available, and light refreshments will also be served. Please check your email for more information on whether you would like to bring extra supplies so you can personalize your purpose board. We'll see you on Tuesday!

## AUMI/CARE & COMFORT MINISTRY

AUMI/CARE & Comfort Ministry will host a Volunteer Breakfast on January 27, 2018. More information is forthcoming.

## LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

Attention All Ministry Leaders! Antioch's Leadership Workshop and Installation of Officers will be held on Saturday, January 13, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon. Breakfast will be served at 9:30 a.m. All newly elected and incumbent ministry leaders are required to attend. Please remember to bring your \$20.00 for your ministry.



# HONORING THE LEGACY OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

When reflecting on the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., certain words come to mind - leadership, courage, strength, integrity, sacrifice, all character traits of a humanitarian serving humankind. From his pastorate of the Dexter Avenue Baptist Church in Montgomery, AL to his successful effort to desegregate buses in Montgomery, AL, and the founding and serving as first president of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, to his death in 1968, Dr. King led a life of service and sacrifice to his death on April 4, 1968. In challenging the institutionalized system of inequality, he challenged all of us to live up to a higher standard – one of love, compassion, fairness, and integrity.

*“Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that.”*

*“The Stone Of Hope” memorial by master sculptor Lei Yixin was opened to the public in West Potomac Park, Washington DC, on August 22, 2011.*

## MLK DAY OF SERVICE

Preaching from Ebenezer’s pulpit on February 4th 1968, Dr. King stated, “If you want to be great, wonderful, but recognize that he who is greatest among you will be a servant... You don’t have to have a college degree to serve... You only need a heart full of grace and a soul generated by love. You can be that servant.”

On **Monday, January 15, 2018**, we will celebrate the life and achievements of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. with a day of service. Antioch has identified a few opportunities for our church family to serve in the very communities where Dr. King fought for civil rights and racial equality. You can serve at AUMI’s Food and Clothing Banks right next door from 9:00 a.m. until Noon, and you also have the opportunity to join Westside Works in three different service efforts in the community:

- Sorting and packaging school supplies at Washington High from 9:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.
- Helping to revitalize the interior and exterior of the Bellwood Boys and Girls Club from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.
- Packing over 1000 meals for children in need across the city of Atlanta at the Arthur Blank YMCA from 12:00 noon until 2:00 p.m.

To volunteer, please register in the Narthex after both Sunday Worship Services or in the rear of Fellowship Hall after Wednesday Night Service.



## **BABY DEDICATIONS**

Baby Dedications are held every 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at the 11:00 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.

## **ORIENTATION CLASSES!**

Members that have joined Antioch in the past month(s) and have not completed the required orientation classes are asked to attend an orientation class on Sundays after the 7:45 a.m. Worship Service in the Sanctuary. Adults are asked to attend three classes, and youth are asked to attend one class. This is a part of your membership process. Please contact Sis. Gwen Johnson for further details at 404-527-5784.

## **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.

## **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!**

## **MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

Antioch Members who have been given the Right Hand of Fellowship are asked to please update their membership profile information via Antioch's website at [www.antiochnorth.org](http://www.antiochnorth.org) or call the church office. If you have changed your name, address, home or cell phone number(s), or email address, please submit your new information to the church office. If you are registered with online giving through **ACCESS ACS** you may update your information on that site. For help on how to update your profile, verify your records, retrieve your envelope number or how to use Access ACS, contact Sis. Gwen Johnson or Dea. Benny Williams at the church office, 404.688.5679.

### **Worship Service Coordinator**

7:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. - Bro. Rodney Thompson

### **Security Chiefs on duty**

7:45 a.m. - Bro. Larry Parks, 11:00 a.m. - Bro. Julius Simmons

### **Trustees on duty**

7:45 a.m. - Sis. Gloria Parham, 11:00 a.m. - Sis. Ollie Cooper

### **Health Professionals on duty**

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

### **Videographer on duty**

Bro. Michael Williams

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

# Care & Comfort Ministry

## Sick & Shut-In List

### Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Bro. Daniel Michael Adams – Nursecare of Buckhead, Atlanta, Rm. 526  
Sis. Alice Arline – Brightmoor Senior Living, Griffin, Rm. 310  
Bro. Lewis Brown – PruittHealth of Lilburn, Lilburn, Rm. 115  
Sis. Robertine Bryant – PruittHealth of Decatur, Decatur, Rm. 216  
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. 408-B  
Sis. Bessie Jones – Gardens of Fayetteville, Fayetteville, Rm 311  
Bro. Noah Respress – Virginia Gardens Assisted Living, Fort Valley, Rm 7094  
Bro. Dallas Tucker – Sadie G. Mays Rehab Ctr, Atlanta, Rm. C-19  
Sis. Annie Wideman – Budd Terrace Rehab, Clifton Rd, Rm. 230

### Members Convalescing at Home

Sis. Barbara J. Alexander	Sis. Pearla Holmes	Sis. Lucille Spears
Sis. Zeporia Alexander	Bro. Roy Houston	Bro. McKenzie Thomas
Sis. Evelyn Battle	Bro. Donald Hutson	Mother Willie "Cookie" Tuggle
Bro. Pleas Berry	Sis. Elizabeth Johnson	Sis. Vivian Walker
Mother Emma Broomes	Mother Gwendolyn Johnson	Sis. Mae Weaver
Bro. Robert Brown	Sis. Denise Jones	Sis. Annette Webb
Bro. Henry Claybrook	Bro. Rufus Kelly	Bro. Joshua Williams
Sis. Miriam Crawford	Bro. Phillip Lyde	Sis. Sallie Williams
Sis. Doris Dennis	Sis. Sylvia McClain	Sis. Lillie Willis
Sis. Catherine George	Bro. Henri McTerry	
Sis. Minnie George	Mother Effie Nalls	
Sis. Niaciene George	Sis. Cynthia Price	
Bro. Randall Griffin	Bro. Richard Raglin	
Dea. Charles Harden	Dea. Mark Roberts	
Sis. Debra Hodge	Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr.	

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

3 John 1:2

