# Antioch Baptist Church North

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

# January 28, 2018 • 7:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Sunday Worship Services



"Serving the Least, the Less, and the Lost..."

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# WORSHIP SERVICE

I like the silent church before the service begins. By Emerson

The Call to Worship The Devotion......Deacons Ministry The Morning Hymn #19..*O God, Our Help in Ages Past*..Congregation **7:45 a.m. - Adult Choir and Vessels of Praise Dance Ministry 11:00 a.m. - MADD for Christ Youth Choir and CMA Male Quartet** 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**

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' & 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



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 28, 2018, is **"Strength When You Need It Most**," and the scripture is **Daniel 10:10-19**. Next week's lesson is **"Actions Speak Louder than Words**," and the scripture is **James 2:14-26**. Please join us and be renewed by the teaching of God's Word.

# **PASTOR'S BIRTHDAY PRAYER BRUNCH**

Proverbs 9:11 reads, "For by me thy days shall be multiplied, and the years of thy life shall be increased." On Saturday, February 10, 2018, from 10:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., Antioch will celebrate the best Pastor, **OUR PASTOR**, **Reverend Cameron M. Alexander's Birthday Prayer Brunch!** The entire Antioch Family is cordially invited to a morning of prayer, fellowship, praise and celebration. We'll have a spirit-filled devotion, a dynamic speaker and delicious cuisine. A gift table will be available to receive your cards, gifts and other expressions of love in recognition of our Pastor's Birthday. To RSVP for the Pastor's Birthday Prayer Brunch, please register in the narthex after each Sunday service. For more information, please contact the church office at 404-688-5679.

#### 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. For more information on the ministry, please contact Sis. Johnnie Thomas through the church office at 404-688-5679, and we'll see you on Tuesday!

#### **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.

# **AUXILIARY LEADERS**

Auxiliary Leaders are asked to pick up their ministry mail from the mail slots located at the bottom of the steps in the Music Room area. New labels will be placed on the mail slots for your convenience. For more detailed information, please contact Sister Gwen Johnson in the church office.

#### **BAPTISM AND THE RIGHT HAND OF FELLOWSHIP**

Baptism and the Right Hand of Fellowship will be observed on Sunday, February 11, 2018, during the 11:00 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.

# **MUSIC FOR THE GMBC**

The Choir of the Fifth District of the General Missionary Baptist Convention of Georgia, Inc. (GMBC) is rehearsing every Monday, January 29th-February 12th, 2018, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, 815 Lynhurst Drive, Atlanta, GA, Rev. Rodney K. Turner, Pastor. The Choir will present the Musical for the GMBC Adjourned Session on Monday, February 19, 2018.

# **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION TEACHER'S CERTIFICATION**

Members who would like be certified in teaching at Antioch are encouraged to attend the teacher's certification classes every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. 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.

Gear's Pray

Lord, You make all things new You bring hope alive in our hearts And cause our Spirits to be born again.

Thank you for this new year For all the potential it holds. Come and kindle in us A mighty flame So that in our time, many will see the wonders of God And live forever to praise Your glorious name.

# Amen

# 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 January 20, 2018, 315 bags of food were distributed. A total of 5,000 pounds of food was distributed. **CLOTHING BANK** 

Forty-seven (47) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.

# **BABY DEDICATIONS**

Baby Dedications are held on the 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.

# **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 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. Lindsay 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. - Sis. Judy Carroll, 11:00 a.m. - Sis. Ollie Cooper Health Professionals on duty 7:45 a.m. - Sis. Felicia Jackson Videographer on duty Bro. Michael Williams

# Care & Comfort Ministry Sick & Shut-In List

# **Members in Hospitals**

Sis. Niaciene George – Emory Hospital Midtown, Rm. 5204 Bro. Charles Harden – Grady Hospital, Rm. 5J-10 Bro. Thomas Ware – Emory Hospital Midtown, Rm. 3135

# **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 Sis. Dora Dallas – Crestview Health & Rehab Ctr, Rm. 117-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. 408-B Sis. Bessie Jones – Gardens of Fayetteville, Fayetteville, Rm 311 Bro. Henri McTerry – PruittHealth of Decatur, Decatur, Rm. Bro. Noah Respress – Virginia Gardens Assisted Living, Fort Valley, Rm 7094 Bro. Dallas Tucker – Sadie G. Mays Rehab Ctr, Atlanta, Rm. 230

# **Members Convalescing at Home**

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