Antioch Baptist Church North Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor

April 21, 2013 • 7:45AM & 11AM Sunday Worship Services



And he took bread, and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave unto them, saying, This is my body which is given for you: this do in remembrance of me. Likewise also the cup after supper, saying, This cup is the new testament in my blood, which is shed for you.

Luke 22:19-20



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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 Processional.....Pastor, Ministers, Mothers, Deacons The Morning Hymn #89.....Jesus Paid It All....Congregation The Covenant The Gloria Patri **7:45am - Anthem/Acappella Choir and Youth Orchestra 11:00am - Anthem/Acappella Choir and B.W.T. Verse Speakers**

The Announcements & Recognition of Visitors Black History 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

O Heavenly Father, we gather this morning to thank you for your goodness, your mercy and your grace. We pray, O Lord, that as we give, you will touch our hearts, re-new our minds and our spirits. Help us, Lord Jesus, to give cheerfully for the building of your kingdom on earth. Amen!

The Tithes & Offering......Deacons & Ushers' Ministries The Sermon Hymn......Amazing Grace.....Congregation The Sermon.....Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor

The Invitation to Discipleship (Please refrain from walking during the Invitation to Discipleship)

COMMUNION

Communion Hymn.....Choir & Congregation *Tis Midnight, And On Olive's Brow* (Words are printed in the bulletin)

Til We Meet Again

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Our Church Covenant

I. INTRODUCTION

MINISTER: In what way, to be of service, do we enter into Spiritual fellowship and covenant relations with God and with one another?

PEOPLE: Having been led, as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord, Jesus Christ as our Savior, and on the profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now in the presence of God, angels, and this assembly, most solemnly and joyfully enter into covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

II. MY DUTIES TO MY CHURCH

MINISTER: The great bond of our union with God and each other is this:

PEOPLE: We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit to walk together in Christian love.

MINISTER: What are our great privileges and duties in this our own church?

PEOPLE: To strive for the advancement of this church in knowledge, holiness, and comfort; to promote its prosperity and spirituality, to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines.

MINISTER: There are vows which we gladly made as stewards of that which God has entrusted to us, what are they?

PEOPLE: To contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church, the relief of the poor, and the spread of the Gospel throughout all nations.

III. MY PERSONAL LIFE AND HABITS

MINISTER: To safeguard our homes and our loved ones, what gracious tasks do we humbly assume?

PEOPLE: We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions, to religiously educate our children, to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances.

MINISTER: On behalf of the unsaved, for whom our Savior died, what manner of life and conversation are we solemnly pledged?

PEOPLE: To walk circumspectly in the world, to be just in our dealings, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our deportment, to avoid all tattling, backbiting, and excessive anger, to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drink as a beverage, and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the Kingdom of our Savior.

IV. MY DUTIES TO OTHERS

MINISTER: Seeing that one is our Master, even Christ, and all we are Brethren, by what fraternal ministries are we to strengthen each other and adorn the teachings of our Lord and Savior?

PEOPLE: We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love, to remember each other in prayer, to aid each other in sickness and distress, to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech, to be slow to take offense, but always ready for reconciliation and mindful of the rules of our Savior to seek it without delay.

V. CONCLUSION

MINISTER: Upon moving from this city to another, what is our duty?

PEOPLE: We moreover engage that when we remove from this place, we will as soon as possible unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and principles of God's word.

MINISTER AND PEOPLE: Sorrowfully and with meekness of heart, we confess our past sins, as we pray for grace and strength to keep these, our Holy vows, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord and for His sake. AMEN.

REV. FLAKES' 1ST PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY

TODAY, at 4:00 p.m., the Antioch Family will worship with the Fourth Street Baptist Church, Rev. J. H. Flakes, III, Pastor, (Columbus, Georgia). They will be celebrating their Pastor's 1st Pastoral Anniversary. All Choirs, Ushers, Deacons, and Mothers are asked to be on duty. Members and friends are also encouraged to attend this **GREAT EVENT**!

Spring Revival Mon - Wed, April 28-May 1

IT'S REVIVAL TIME AT ANTIOCH!

On Sunday, April 28, at 5:00 p.m., the Choirs of Antioch will kick off our Spring Revival with a Musical. The Choirs will lift up the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in song and in praise. During the week of April 29-May 1, Noonday services will be held daily at 12:00. The Ministers of Antioch will be preaching the Word of God. Classes will be held at 6:00 p.m. with Devotion beginning at 7:00 p.m. Each member is asked for a donation of not less than \$20.00 to support the revival.

Annual Youth Achievement Banquet

On **Thursday, May 30, 2013 at 6:30 p.m.**, the Youth Ministry will host the Annual Youth Achievement Banquet to recognize our youth accomplishments through the 2012-2013 academic year. Antioch will also recognize our graduates, retirees and college students. This year's event will provide an avenue to support funding for the Scholarship Ministry. Our youngest students will have the opportunity to contribute to the education of our older students by securing advertisement for the souvenir booklet.

Banquet registration forms are available at www.antiochnorth. org. Parents can complete the forms online and upload photos. Forms are also available in the Northex and downstairs in Fellowship Hall. Boxes will be located in the Northex and at the entrance of Fellowship Hall to collect forms and headshot photographs. Photos are being accepted. Please include each child's name on the back of all photos. **All forms and photographs MUST be submitted by April 29, 2013.**

Antioch businesses and member are encouraged to purchase congratulatory ads for the booklet. **Ad forms are also available and due by April 29.** This year, family portraits can be taken and purchased at the banquet as well as a DVD of the event. If you have questions, please call Sis. Olivia Rencher through the church office at 404-688-5679.

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 March 30, 2013, 344 food boxes were distributed. The value of the groceries was \$8,370. A total of 6,645 pounds of food was received for distribution, 519 meals served to AUMI residents, and 331 community meals served.

CLOTHING BANK

Forty-three (43) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.

TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School will be held today at 10 a.m. in the Sanctuary. The lesson is *"Great Expectations"* and the scripture comes from *1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; 5:1-11*. Please join us and be renewed by the teaching of God's Word. The lesson for next Sunday will be *"Source of Hope", 2 Thessalonians 2;1-3, 9-17*.

TERRY WEST BIBLE CLASS

Wednesday mornings, from 10am to 12 Noon in Burden's Rest.

Tis Midnight, And On Olive's Brow

"Tis mid-night, and on Ol-ive's brow The star is dimmed that late-ly shone; "Tis midnight; in the gar-den now The suff'ring Saviour prays a-lone.

"Tis mid-night, and from all re-moved, Em-man-uel wres-tles lone with fears; E'ven the dis-ci-ple that He love Heeds not his Master's grief and tears.

"Tis mid-night, and for oth-ers' guilt The Man of Sor-rows weeps in blood; Yet He that hath in an-guish knelt Is not for-sak-en by His God.

Tis mid-night, and from heav'nly plains Is borne the song that an-gels know; Un-heard by mortals are the strains That sweetly soothe the Savior's woe.

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 relationships with God.

Worship Service Coordinator

7:45am & 11am - Sis. Jean Jones Security Chiefs on duty 7:45am - Bro. Aaron Totten, 11am - Dea. Randy Williams Trustees on duty 7:45am - Rev. Ed London, 11am - Dea. Garry Mott Health Professionals on duty 7:45am - Sis. Diane Griggs, 11am - Sis. Carol Thomas

Care & Comfort Ministry Sick & Shut-In List

Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Sis. Bernice Burks – The Palms at Spivey Home, Jonesboro GA Sis. Mary Carson – Emeritus Assisted Living Sis. Lillian Edinburgh – Riverdale Place Healthcare Sis. Frances Harden – Triad of Parkview Nursing Sis. Bettye Harris – Nursecare of Buckhead Sis. Billie Hartley – College Park Healthcare Center Mother Mary Hood – Signature Healthcare of Buckhead Sis. Rosalie Thomas - Summerset Assisted Living Bro. Dallas Tucker – Sadie G. Mays Health & Rehabilitation Center Mother Marie Walker – Bonterra Nursing Center Mother Lula West – Traditions Health and Rehab Sis. Roselle Wright-Signature Healthcare of Buckhead

Members Convalescing at Home

Sis. Rosa Ashe Sis Bernice Brown Bro. Samuel A. Brown Sis. Robertine Bryant Bro. Henry Claybrook Mother Mattie Chivers Sis. Vera Conner Sis. Doris Dennis Sis. Gloria Futch Sis. Minnie George Sis. Pearla Holmes Bro. Mike Irby Mother Willie Mae James Mother Elizabeth Johnson Sis. Gwendolyn Johnson Bro. Joseph Johnson Sis. Stephanie Johnson Sis. Ina Lewis Bro. Phillip Lyde Bro. David McCier Sis. Sylvia McClain Sis. Ramona Moore Sis. Sallie O'Bryant Sis. Betty Lois Phillips Sis. Cynthia Price

Sis. Ruby Rhodes Sis. Algernon Roberts Bro. Jesse Rosser Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr. Sis Candace Scott Mother Ernestein Shaw Mother Rosa Smith Sis. Janie Starks Sis Deborah Taylor Bro. James Williams Little Micheal Williams

Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth. 3 John 1:2

