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

### May 18, 2014 • 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, Deacons, Mothers The Morning Hymn #79.....At the Cross.....Congregation The Covenant The Gloria Patri 7:45am - Adult Choir and BWT Verse Speakers 11:00am - CMA Singers and Youth Orchestra

The Announcements & 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. Amen!

The Tithes & Offerings......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)

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

Til We Meet Again



## **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.



## Be a part of our church album PORTRAIT SIGN-UP

### **ANTIOCH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY**

The *Church Anniversary Committee* encourages every member of Antioch to make an individual or family appointment to be photographed by Life Touch formerly Olan Mills for inclusion in the new edition of the *Antioch Pictorial Directory*. Appointment dates & times are *FREE OF CHARGE* and can be scheduled between May 13 and June 11. All participants will receive one free 8x10 photograph and one free directory. Additional photographs can be purchased at a 20% discount. The Pastor is encouraging every church member to be a part of this historic undertaking that will chronicle Antioch at this junction of our 136 year history.

## YOUTH ACHIEVEMENT BANQUET

On May 29, 2014 at 6:30 p.m., the Youth Ministry will host its annual Youth Achievement Banquet, "*Time to Turn Up for Jesus*." The banquet provides an opportunity to recognize our youth for their accomplishments during the 2013-2014 academic year. The church will also recognize our graduates, retirees and college students. For additional information, please contact Sis. Olivia Rencher through the church office at 404-688-5679.

### **UCAN ANNUAL BRUNCH**

The United Couples of Antioch North Ministry will host its **4th Annual UCAN Brunch**, "**Cooking with Love**," on Saturday, May 31, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. All married couples are asked to participate by registering to bring food items to support the brunch. Registration will be held every Sunday after the 7:45 and 11:00 Worship Services in the narthex. The dress for the fellowship is casual and the registration deadline is Sunday, May 25, 2014.

### 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 May 10, 2014, 510 food boxes were distributed. The value of the groceries was \$12,265 (average cost per family estimated at \$48/box if purchased retail). A total of 6,100 pounds of food was distributed, and 489 meals served to AUMI residents. **CLOTHING BANK** 

Twenty-four (24) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.

### **TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Sunday School will be held today at 10am in the Sanctuary. The lesson is *"Get It Right"* and the scripture comes from *Matthew 15:1-11*. Please join us and be renewed by the teaching of God's Word. Next Sunday's lesson will be *"First Things First"*, *Leviticus 19:18; Deuteronomy 6:4-9; Mark 12:28-34.* 

### **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 5pm and Bible classes begin at 6:15pm. These classes provide instructional and training opportunities to gain deeper insights into the teachings of Jesus Christ. At 7pm, 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 - Bro. Vincent Ingram, 11am - Sis. Barbara Barnes Health Professionals on duty 7:45am - Sis. Robin Dennis, 11am - Sis. Carol Thomas

### Care & Comfort Ministry Sick & Shut-In List

#### **Members in Hospitals**

Bro. Randall Griffin – Southern Regional Medical Center, Rm 269 Bro. Joseph Johnson – Dekalb Medical Center, Rm 3207

#### **Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers**

Bro. Thirius Brinkley - Manor Care of Decatur, Decatur, Rm 149 Sis Robertine Bryant – UniHealth Post-Acute Care, Decatur, Rm 216 Sis. Bernice Burks – Dogwood Forrest Assisted Living, Stock Bridge Mother Mattie Chivers - Summerset Assisted Living, Atlanta Rm 1C Sis. Miriam Crawford – Bonterra Nursing Home, Atlanta Sis. Lillian Edinburgh – Genesis Healthcare, Rm W16 Bro. Collier Glover – Dekalb Medical Long Term Acute Care, Rm 402 Sis. Frances Harden – Triad of Parkview Nursing, Atlanta Sis. Bettye Harris – Nursecare of Buckhead, Atlanta Rm 205 Sis. Billie Hartley – College Park Healthcare Center, Rm 215 Mother Mary Hood - Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, Rm 406 Mother Mildred Simmons - Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, Rm 221 Sis. Rosalie Thomas – Summerset Assisted Living, Atlanta Bro. Dallas Tucker - Sadie G. Mays Health & Rehabilitation Center, Atlanta Mother Lula West – Traditions Health and Rehab Bro. James Williams - Nursecare of Buckhead Rehab, Rm 410 Sis. Roselle Wright – UniHealth Post-Acute Care, Fairburn, Rm 211

### **Members Convalescing at Home**

Sis. Zeporia Alexander Sis. Rosa Ashe Bro. Lewis Brown Dea. Nesby Cain Bro. Henry Claybrook Sis. Doris Dennis Bro. Louis Durald Sis. Minnie George Bro. Paul Graham Sis. Marion Hall Mother Eunice Harrison Sis. Pearla Holmes Sis. Irene Hudgins Mother Elizabeth Johnson Sis. Gwendolyn Johnson Bro. Millard Johnson Bro. Rufus Kelly Bro. Phillip Lyde Sis. Sylvia McClain Sis. Sandra M. Milligan Sis. Ramona Moore Dea. Garry Mott

Sis. Cynthia Price Sis. Francine Reeves Sis. Ruby Rhodes Dea. Mark Roberts Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr. Sis. Candace Scott Sis. Catherine Smith Mother Rosa Smith Mother Marie Walker Sis. Mae Weaver Mother 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

