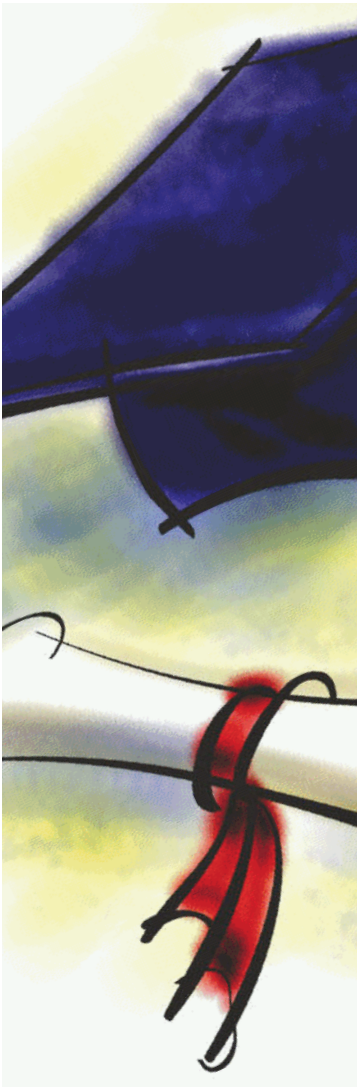


# SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

MAY 22, 2011, 7:45AM & 11:00AM



## Graduates & Retirees RECOGNITION

*This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.*

*Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.*

*Joshua 1:8-9*

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

**BIBLE-BASED • CHRIST-CENTERED • HOLY SPIRIT-LED • MISSION-BOUND  
FELLOWSHIP • EVANGELISM • DOCTRINE • STEWARDSHIP**

## *A message from the Pastor*



*Dear Brothers and Sisters,*

*As pastor, I am delighted to offer my warmest congratulations to all of our 2011 Graduates and Retirees. These exemplary life changing milestones that you have achieved are certainly worthy of praise.*

*To our kindergarten and elementary school graduates, we certainly want to encourage you to stretch your imagination with a genuine thirst for knowledge. In so doing, you will lay a solid foundation for all of your future endeavors.*

*To our middle school graduates who are about to embark upon a path filled with new challenges and new opportunities for personal growth and development, we pray that you will view each challenge and each opportunity as a necessary turn in life's journey that must be maneuvered successfully if you are to complete the journey.*

*To our high school graduates who have arrived at an important fork in the road to success, it is my prayer that each of you will make a careful and deliberate decision about the direction in which you will take your life. A wrong turn could spell disaster! However, I have confidence that each of you will hold true to your faith and to the teachings of Jesus Christ. As you go forward, know that your Antioch Family is here to support you, counsel you, and to offer you our best advice. However, it is incumbent upon you to make the "right" turn so your dreams and your aspirations will become a reality.*

*To our college graduates, we salute you for your tenaciousness and your accomplishments. You are prepared and ready to enter the workforce and become significant change agents in our society. Congratulations! Your accomplishments are awesome!*

*To our retirees, we acknowledge your many years of dedicated service in the workplace. Your retirement is a well deserved reward for jobs well done. While your co-workers will surely miss you, Antioch welcomes the time that you now have to support the work of the Church. Your unique skills and knowledge, combined with your faith and commitment to build God's kingdom, will surely strengthen Antioch's outreach and services to the least, the less and the lost.*

*Congratulations and best wishes to all of our honorees. It is my prayer that God will continue to shower each of you with His continued rich blessings.*

*Yours in God's service,*

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Williams', written in a cursive style.

W O R S H I P S E R V I C E S  
GRADUATES/RETIRES RECOGNITION

The Call to Worship

Devotion.....Deacons' Ministry

The Processional.....Pomp & Circumstance  
Pastor, Ministers, Graduates, Retirees, Scholarship Ministry, Scholarship Advisory Board

Morning Hymn #27.....*Blessed Assurance*.....Choir & Congregation

The Lord's Prayer  
The Scripture  
The Gloria Patri

7:45AM - C. M. A. Male Chorus and Vessels of Praise Dance Ministry  
11AM - Adult Choir

The Announcements & Recognition of Visitors

11AM - GRADUATION/RETIRES RECOGNITION

Introduction of Scholarship Advisory Board and Scholarship Ministry  
Thank You to the Church and Pastor Alexander  
Special Presentation to Pastor Alexander  
Introduction of Honorees

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

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 Tithes & Offerings.....Deacons' & Ushers' Ministries  
Music

Sermon Hymn.....Amazing Grace.....Choir & Congregation

Sermon.....Rev. C. M. Alexander

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

*Till We Meet Again*  
Recessional

# GRADUATION & RETIREE RECOGNITION

## Kindergarten

John Wesley Calvin, III  
Lailah Madison Hunter  
Olivia Marie Richardson

Jeffery Noah Copeland  
Nahri Y. Marks  
Chelsea Speed

Ishmael Nasir Williams  
Cameron Isaiah Woods

## Elementary School

Nicholas Stone Brown  
Edwin Howard Hammond, III  
Michael Herrington Price

Kare Khalil Greene  
Jayla Denise Parker  
James Tartena Rencher

Torria Jamari Rollins  
\*Stasha Thompson

## Middle School

Talor D. Anderson  
\*William Callaway  
Joshua Isaiah Carpenter  
\*Destiny Lemons

Micah Joshua Arnold  
Tyler Alexander Campbell  
Kareem Alexander Davis  
Derrick Deon Moses

Autumn Faith Riley  
Paul Stanley Scott, III  
TeSharrie Swift  
Edward Harris Thompson

## High School

Khari Jordan Arnold  
Collis Lamar Clark, II  
Amira Sakile Davis  
Devin Jamal Hunter  
Morgan Nicole Jones  
Nadja C'ne Marks

Ryan T. Bright  
Kristofer Arnold Curtis  
Brittney Jamice Hall  
Whitney Sade Jackson  
Erica Marie Mansfield  
Dennis Avery Morton

Corey Lamar Redwine  
Brandis Olivia Rencher  
Joncel LaNese Stephens  
\*Sharrod Milton Stovall  
\*Shuree Golden Stovall  
Courtney Marie Yarbough

## College

\*Janae Rachelle Crittenden  
\*Jennay Christy  
Autumn Javonne Glencamp  
Joy Analyssia Hall  
Allison Elizabeth Jones  
Whitnee McCormick  
Colette Lynell Ray  
Jacquelyn Nicole Ross  
Jeremy Vinson Spikes  
Jamila Felder Staples

Middle GA Colege  
University of Utah  
So. Carolina State University  
Auburn University  
Morris Brown College  
Valdosta State University  
Bauder College  
Howard University  
Middle Georgia College  
University of Georgia

B.S. Logistics, B.S. Airport Management  
B.A. Social Work  
B.S. Biology  
B. A. English  
B.A. Business  
B.A. Political Science  
B.S. Criminal Justice  
B.A. Journalism  
B.S. Flight Management  
B.S. Family & Consumer Science

## Post College

Rev. Eddie L. Bright  
Phaedra Elizabeth Brown  
Debra Harsfield  
Sharon M. Mott  
Stephanie Denise Scott  
Rev. Sean B. Smith  
Jermaine Tyler

International Theological Ctr.  
Albany State University  
Mercer University  
Central Michigan Univ.  
Keller Graduate School  
Mercer University  
Mercer University

M.A. Divinity  
M.A. School Counseling  
M.A. Chrisitan Ministries  
M.A. Education  
M.A. Network & Communications Mgmt.  
M.A. Divinity  
M.A. Teaching

## Retirees

Paulette J. Devaughn  
Patricia Ellis  
Vanessa D. English  
Rodney Duane Thompson

32 years Clayton County School System  
34 years Koch Business Solutions  
30 years DeKalb County School System  
35 years United States Postal Service

Assistant Principal  
Adm. Assistant  
Spec. Education Teacher  
Letter Carrier

## LEGEND

\* Members of Antioch Lakewood Mission, Rev. Kenneth L. Alexander, Presiding Minister

# The Vision-In Times Like These

"A wise man will hear, and will increase learning . . ." Proverbs. 1:5

In 1971, Pastor Alexander established the Antioch Baptist Church North Scholarship Ministry to support the post secondary educational dreams and aspirations of students within the Antioch Church Family. Under our pastor's watchful eye, today the Scholarship Ministry celebrates 40 years of outstanding leadership and Christian Service in providing academic guidance and financial support for students within our congregation.

Since its inception, the Scholarship Ministry has awarded more than 1.2 million dollars in scholarships, all given to defray the costs of tuition, room and board, books and supplies, and other expenses to support a wide variety of post secondary dreams and learning opportunities. Our pastor has long recognized education as the great equalizer and he has worked aggressively to instill among our students the benefits of a sound college education. For four decades, Pastor Alexander has "preached" that the best reason to go to college is to learn more about the world that one lives in and he reminds us often that a college degree is a career necessity in today's Information world. Statistics from the United States Census Bureau reminds us that college graduates earn nearly twice as much during their working years as high school graduates.

Despite the economic downturns currently plaguing our nation which includes cut-backs and the cut-outs of important programs that benefit "the least of these," our pastor and congregation remain committed to all of our outreach ministries; including scholarships for deserving and needing Antioch students. This year all of our seventeen (17) high school graduates will receive scholarships from their beloved Antioch Baptist Church North. In addition, all of the graduates have committed to and have been accepted to colleges and universities of their choice.

Last year, more than 60 Antioch members were awarded scholarships totaling \$45,000. Nineteen high school seniors and 44 college upperclassmen and graduate students received 2010 scholarships. All of our scholarship recipients have had a variety of diverse college experiences. This year one of our male scholarship awardees will graduate from Middle Georgia College with a Bachelor of Science degree in Flight Management. What's remarkable about this young man is that he finished a 4 year designed program in 3 years. He now has aspirations to attend the United States Air Force and Navel Officers Candidates School. Another of our students will start an internship program with the Federal Government in September of this year. Still another student was a first year Dean's List student. You will be able learn more about the accomplishments of our graduates and scholarship recipients in our church newsletter, The Church at Antioch. We thank God for His continued blessings and goodness. We also thank each of you for your gracious generosity of financial support, mentoring, coaching and guiding our students.

Twice a year, the ministry awards scholarships: first in May to high school seniors and again in the fall to upper classmen. Interested students are asked to complete the necessary application by the deadlines which are announced and publicized in the church newsletter and in the church bulletin. Any Antioch member enrolled in an accredited college, university or technical school may apply.

Memorial Scholarships are awarded annually in the fall and/or winter. Our Memorial Scholarships include the Spann Memorial Scholarship for students pursuing careers in public service; the Wright/Willis and the Jones Memorial Scholarships for teaching and education; the Deacon P. D. Harris Memorial Scholarships for careers in Music; the William Harding and the Herman H. Cain Memorial Scholarships for students pursuing education and training beyond high school. The Book Scholarships supported specifically by members of Antioch, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Smith-Greene Family, and most recently, the B. W. Terrell Verse Speakers are blessed additions to the financial assistance offered to Antioch students.

In October of this year, with the aid of concerned Antioch professionals in the field of education, the Scholarship Ministry and the Scholarship Advisory Board held its first seminar for parents and scholarship candidates. The groups came together with a single pur-

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pose of how we might better equip our children to be academically successful in high school and better prepared for post secondary educational opportunities; especially since the Scholarship Ministry knows that this motivation must begin at an early age. The facilitators provided the parents with helpful tips on things to look for and areas of help available within local school systems. The Ministry was overwhelmed by the responses of parents and facilitators.

Because our church is Bible-based, Christ-centered, Holy Spirit-led, and Mission-bound and supported by the four pillars of Fellowship, Evangelism, Doctrine, and Stewardship, Antioch is committed to the spiritual, emotional and career development of our youth. We see it as one of our major responsibilities to make certain that our youth are anchored in the Word of God as they prepare to meet the challenges of the secular world. "And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus." ( 2 Timothy 3:15) Therefore, as God continues to financially bless us to assist with the education of our youth, let us continue to nurture and encourage all of our students in the Scriptures as they go forth.

The Antioch Scholarship Ministry and Scholarship Advisory Board will be forever grateful for the long standing stellar leadership that Sister Roselle Wright has provided to our ministry for the past 40 years. While she is only able to be with us on a limited schedule, her profound influence is felt by all who serve and support the Scholarship Ministry. We thank Pastor Alexander and our entire Church Family for their continued and generous giving on Scholarship Sunday (2nd Sunday in March) and throughout the year. Your care and concern enable the Ministry to support every high school graduate who is a member of Antioch or one of our mission churches in a very tangible way as they pursue their post secondary education and training. It is because of very special people like Sister Wright and Pastor Alexander that the members of the Scholarship Ministry are able to do what we love to do in a manner that is exceptionally pleasing to God. THANK YOU Antioch Baptist Church North. We give the PRAISE and the GLORY to God for all that He has done!

The Scholarship Advisory Board  
The Scholarship Ministry

## THE SCHOLARSHIP FUND THE SCHOLARSHIP MINISTRY



# SCHOLARSHIP RECOGNITION SUNDAY

### SCHOLARSHIP ADVISORY BOARD

Dea. B. Jerome Trimble – Chairperson  
Dr. Stephanie R. Smith-Greene – Co-Chairperson  
Sis. Cheryl Tomlinson Twyman – Secretary  
Sis. Geraldine Peek – Treasurer

### MEMBERS

Bro. Charles C. Allen	Rev. Herman Cain	Sis. Redelle Doyle
Sis. Joyie Gibson	Bro. Barney Simms	Dea. Vernon C. Woods

### SCHOLARSHIP MINISTRY

Sis. Roselle S. Wright – Chairperson  
Sis. Wendolyn Harding – Co-Chairperson  
Sis. Catherine Huirt-Johnson – Secretary

### MEMBERS

Sis. Barbara Cardell	Sis. Ora Dee Gilmore	Sis. Vernistine B. Murphy
Dea. Ronald Smith	Sis. Angel Taylor	Dea. Vernon C. Woods

## ASK WEEKEND TRIP

The ASK Ministry volunteers are hosting a weekend trip to Savannah, GA departing from Antioch Baptist Church North on Friday, September 23, 7am and returning Sunday evening, September 25, by 5pm. All persons interested in making the trip should contact Sister Tommie Nash or Sister Sandra Petty through the church office at 404-688-5679. The cost of the trip is \$288 for two nights stay, breakfast daily, a riverboat dinner cruise and a Black historical tour of Savannah. **A deposit of \$100 is due by May 31.**

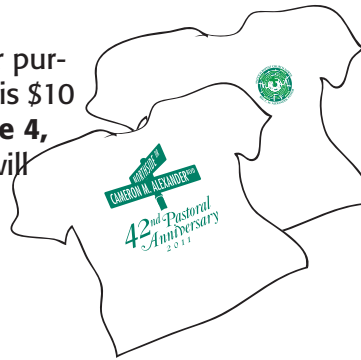
## ANNUAL YOUTH ACHIEVEMENT BANQUET

On **Thursday, June 2, at 6:30pm** the Youth Ministry will host the Annual Youth Achievement Banquet. Antioch's youth will be recognized for their many accomplishments. Graduates and retirees will also be recognized. Registration forms are available on our web-site and in the Northex of the church. Parents are asked to submit headshot photographs and place them in the boxes located in the Northex and Fellowship Hall. In addition, Antioch businesses and members can purchase ads for the booklet to congratulate our participants.

## PASTOR'S BARBEQUE OUTING

### *42nd Pastoral Anniversary*

The Men's Division has T-shirts available today for purchase for the Pastor's Barbeque Outing! The cost is \$10 per shirt. All sizes are available. On **Saturday, June 4, 2011, 11am at the Bessie Branham Park** – we will have GREAT food - hot dogs, chicken, hamburgers, fish, and more - an AWESOME fellowship. Keep Cool - Bring your lawn chairs, blankets, umbrellas and coolers. **Your t-shirt is your meal ticket.**



## ACE DIRECTORY

The 2011-2012 ACE Business Directory goes into production beginning **TODAY**. If you are a member of Antioch, and own a business or service, you are invited to advertise in the new ACE Business Directory. The new directory features reduced ad prices! Please see an ACE representative at the table in the Northex at the end of each worship service to reserve your ad space.

## LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

On **Tuesday, May 24, 2011 at 6:30pm** there will be a Leadership Workshop in the Fellowship Hall. All leaders for 2011 are required to attend.

## ADDED MEMBERS ORIENTATION

New and Added Members Orientation is held each Sunday morning in the Main Sanctuary during the Sunday School hour immediately following the 7:45am service. Class ends at 10:55am. Please contact the Church if you have questions.

## 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.

## JUNE 2011 UPCOMING EVENTS

1	Wed	6pm	Wednesday Night Prayer Service
2	Thur	7pm	Youth Achievement Banquet
4	Sat	10am	Pastor's 42nd Anniversary Barbeque
5	Sun	7:45/11am	Sunday Worship Service - Ascension 10am - Joint Sunday School
6-10	Sat	11am	Vacation Bible School

### Worship Service Coordinator:

7:45am & 11am - Bro. Lindsay Cottingham

### Security Chiefs on duty:

7:45am-Bro. Lee Baker, 11am-Bro. Wilbert Robinson

### Trustees on duty:

7:45am-Sis. Gloria Parham, 11am-Dea. Garry Mott

### Health Professionals on duty:

7:45am-Sis. Marie Thompson, 11am-Sis. Tiffany Burges

# Care & Comfort Ministry

## Sick & Shut-In Lists

### Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Sis. Ozrie Canady – A.G. Rhodes/Wesley Woods Rehab Ctr., 1819 Clifton Rd., Rm 410, Atlanta 30329  
Sis. Mary Carson – Carestone Assist. Living, 1345 Milford Church Rd. Rm. 102 Marietta 30008  
Mother Nannie Daniel - 1000 Briarcliff Healthcare Rehab, Rm 304, Atlanta, 30306  
Sis. Celestia Dallas - Reliable Health & Rehab, 3301 Lakewood Ave, Atl 30315  
Mother Annie Harding – Sunbridge Nursing Home, 2850 Springdale Rd, Atl 30315  
Sis. Bettye Harris – Nursecare of Buckhead, 2920 Pharr Court South, NW 30305  
Sis. Billie Hartley – College Park Healthcare Center, Rm 215, 1765 E. Temple Ave. 30337  
Mother Mary Hood – Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, 54 P'tree Pk. Dr. Rm 406, Atl 30309  
Bro. James Hopkins - Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, 54 P'tree Pk Dr, Atl 30309  
Mother Willie Mae Hunter – Arbor Terrace, 1001 Research Ctr., Apt. 213, 30331  
Mother Louise Jelks - Nurse Care of Buckhead, 2920 Pharr Court South, Atl 30305  
Mother Ella Mae Merritt - Sadie Mayes Nursing Home, 1821 Anderson Ave, Atl 30318  
Sis. Emma Moye – Lake City Nursing Home, 2055 Rex Rd., Lake City, GA 30260  
Sis. Ruby Rhodes - Heritage Healthcare, 2645 Whiting St, NW Atlanta 30318  
Bro. Franklin Robinson - Sadie Mayes Nursing Home, 1821 Anderson Ave, Atl 30318  
Sis. Rosalie Thomas - Summerset Assisted Living, 3711 Benjamin E. Mays Dr. SW, 30331  
Sis. Betty Tye – Lake City Nursing Rehab Center, 2055 Rex Rd, Rm 511A, Lake City 30260  
Sis. Roselle Wright-Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, 54 P'tree Pk Dr. Rm 307, Atl 30309

### Members Convalescing at Home

Sis. Wanda Alexander - 2697 Morris St NW, Atlanta 30318  
Sis. Zeporia Alexander - 707 Caron Circle NW, Atlanta 30318  
Sis. Barbara Barnes - 3485 Finesse Dr, Decatur 30032  
Sis. Bernice Brown - 2240 Peachtree St. NW, #415, Atl, GA 30309  
Sis. Robertine Bryant – 2746 Claire Terrace, Decatur 30032  
Bro. Jesse Davis - 170 Cottisford Dr SW, Atlanta 30331  
Sis. Essie Gant - 3188 Abbey Wood Dr, Decatur 30034  
Dea. Donald George - 603 Champions Drive, McDonough 30252  
Sis. Minnie George – 603 Champions Drive, McDonough 30252  
Bro. Collier Glover – 2395 Cove Lake Way, Lithonia 30058  
Bro. Carlton Hendrix - 3069 Valleydale Rd. Atlanta 30311  
Sis. Evelyn Hightower – 330 Windsor Way, Fairburn, 30213  
Sis. Shante Holiday – 21 Bookout Loop, Powder Springs 30127  
Sis. Georgia Jernigan – 2011 Bader Avenue, SW 30310  
Sis. Gwendolyn Johnson - 1811 Fayetteville Ct. SE, Atlanta 303116  
Bro. Joseph Johnson – 1811 Fayetteville Ct. SE, Atlanta 30316  
Bro. Phillip Lyde - 3460 Heritage Valley Rd SW, Atlanta 30331  
Bro. David McCier - Big Bethel Village, 500 Richard Allen Blvd SW, Apt 140, Atl 30331  
Sis. Sylvia McClain - 1793 Mary Lou Lane, Atlanta 30316  
Sis. Jacqueline McCullough - 3965 Shandra Way, College Pk. 30349  
Sis. Lisa Mobley - 108 Belmont Lane, Lawrenceville, GA 30046  
Sis. Ramona Moore - 195 Evergreen Terrace, Stockbridge, Apt. 405, GA 30281  
Sis. Sheryl Nelson - 1451 Mecaslin St. Apt 8109, Atl 30309  
Sis. Sallie O'Bryant – 2610 M. L. K. Drive, NW #716 30311  
Sis. Mary Perkins – 2315 Carver Drive, NW 30314  
Sis. Cynthia Price - 562 Meldrum St. Atlanta 30318  
Sis. Jessie Ross – 7331 Bramble Oak Dr. Douglasville 30134  
Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr. - 4050 Morgan Rd. Apt. 121, Union City, 30291  
Sis. Wilma Sherman - 2788 Summit Pkwy SW, Atl 30331  
Sis. Janie Starks – 308 Verdon Place, Trotwood, OH 45426  
Bro. Leroy Walker – 267 Barfield Avenue SW, Atlanta 30310  
Mother Dorothy Williams – 828 Alfred Rd., NW, Atlanta, 30331  
Bro. James Williams - 1828 Windsor Dr. SW, Atlanta 30311



### In Memory

*The flowers displayed on the Baptistry are given in memory of the birthday of the late Deacon P. D. Harris, Sr. Excellent! His warmth, positive and continued demand for excellence serves as an ever-present inspiration to his wife, Sister B. J. Harris, children, grandchildren and great-granddaughter, Kanaiya Colvin.*

### TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday School Ministry requests your presence at Sunday School. Today's lesson is **"New Beginnings"** and the Scripture comes from **Revelations 21:1-8**. We have classes for every age group so we look forward to seeing you in Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. today. All college students are encouraged to attend the College Student's class in room 4. The lesson for next Sunday will be **"Appreciating Abundance"**, **Revelations 22:1-9**.

### SERVING THE LEAST OF THESE HUMAN SERVICES MINISTRY

For the week ending May 14, 2011, 206 food boxes were distributed. The value of the groceries was \$7,090 (average cost per family estimated at \$48/box if purchased retail). A total of 8,005 pounds of food was distributed, 695 meals served to AUMI residents, and 503 community meals served.

### CLOTHING BANK

Twenty-nine (29) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.