Antioch Baptist Church North

Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor

July 31, 2011 • 7:45AM & 11AM Sunday Worship Services



Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keepeth the law, happy is he. Proverbs 29:18



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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, #211.....*What a Fellowship*.....Congregation The Lord's Prayer The Scripture The Gloria Patri **7:45 - M.A.D.D. for Christ Choir and Note Singers**

11:00 - Male Chorus and Youth Verse Speakers

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

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



PASTOR'S 42ND ANNIVERSARY OBSERVANCE

Sunday, August 7, 2011

7:45am & 11:00am Worship Services

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As we prepare for the awesome observance of our pastor's 42nd Anniversary scheduled for Sunday, August 7, every member of the Antioch Congregational Family is asked to be engaged in collective daily prayers during this upcoming week. Members of our Anniversary Committee will be distributing reminder cards today that list the daily prayer themes and the scripture references. Our collective prayers as a church family will serve to uplift and bolster our pastor's charge for directing the flock that God has called him to lead. James 5:16 reminds us that the prayers of the righteous availeth much...

The **Reverend Dr. Cameron Madison Alexander** is an Atlanta hero! For the past 42 years, he has been a man of relentless courage...a fearless fighter... in addressing the holistic needs of so many of our city's disenfranchised people who are too often counted among the least, the less, and the lost.

Unlike most modern heroes idolized because of position and status, Reverend Alexander is revered for his extra-ordinary courage, leadership and commitment in responding to the needs and to the sufferings of God's people, regardless of their status or position.

As a nurturing pastor and charitable community leader, Reverend Alexander has a tender heart when responding to crises impacting our city or struggles that impact our city's people. Throughout his long and distinguished ministry at the Antioch Baptist Church North, Reverend Alexander has worked zealously to empower people and to heal the brokenness of society.

As Antioch celebrates Pastor Alexander's 42nd Pastoral Anniversary, we commemorate and laud our pastor for using the wonderful gifts, unique talents, and countless opportunities that God has given him for the benefit and the uplifting of others. When considering others, it is evident that Reverend Alexander sees with his heart as well as with his eyes.

Congratulations Pastor and thanks for making a difference in our lives as individuals and as members of the body of Jesus Christ.

YOUTH VISION FELLOWSHIP

BACK TO SCHOOL FESTIVAL

On **Saturday, August 6, 10am-2pm, at the 590 Building**, the Youth Division will sponsor the Annual Back to School Festival. You are asked to please donate school supplies which are listed on posters around the church and on Antioch's website. Collection bins are available. Please register your child today after both services in the Northex or downstairs outside Fellow-ship Hall.

FROM TRASH TO TREASURE

Get ready...it's back..."From Trash to Treasure" Saturday, August 27, 12:00 Noon at the 590 Building

Start gathering your items, bag'em and place them in the designated receptacles around the church—those new/nearly new small household items. Even jewelry is acceptable. Items for the kitchen, bedroom, bathroom, and outdoors are needed, as well!!! Empty those shelves and closets and bring them in support of this church wide effort. Any questions? Please call Sis. Rosalyn Currington at the church office, 404-688-5679.

THE 4TH ANNUAL CMA GOLF CLASSIC

The 4th Annual CMA Golf Classic will be held on **Friday, August 26th, 9am,** in Villa Rica, Georgia at the Canongate Golf Course, 1000 Canongate Parkway. This event will benefit the Antioch Urban Ministries.

Register Early and Save! If you are interested in participating or need additional information, please contact Dea. Benny Williams at 404-527-5786.

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2011 UPCOMING EVENTS

Aug 6	Sat	Back to School Fellowship
Aug 7	Sun	Pastor's 42nd Anniv. Worship Services
Aug 26	Fri	4th Annual CMA Golf Classic
Aug 27	Sat	From Trash to Treasure
Sept 4	Sun	Joint Sunday School
Sept 5-9	Mon-Fri	131st Nat'l Baptist Convention –Orlando, FL
Sept 10	Sat	Sanctuary Wedding - 5pm
Sept 13	Tue	Bethursday Board Meeting
Sept 14	Wed	Baptism/RHF
Sept 17	Sat	Youth Brunch w/Pastor
Sept 18	Sun	Communion
Sept 20-21	Tue-Wed	Youth Revival
Sept 23-25	Fri-Sun	ASK Trip
Sept 23-24	Fri-Sat	Youth Lock-In
Sept 25	Sun	Youth Culmination & Torch Passing
Sept 30	Fri	Churchwide Birth Month Celebration

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 July 23, 2011, 385 food boxes were distributed. The value of the groceries was \$9,050 (average cost per family estimated at \$48/box if purchased retail). A total of 8,030 pounds of food was distributed, 745 meals served to AUMI residents, and 236 community meals served.

CLOTHING BANK

Forty-two (42) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.

TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Sunday School Ministry requests your presence at Sunday School. Today's lesson is *"Improving Communities."* The scripture comes from *Judges 10:10-18*. We have classes for every age group, so we look forward to seeing you in Sunday School at 10:00am today. Next Sunday's lesson will be *"Preparing for Leadership"* from *Judges 13:1-8, 24-25.*

EMPOWERMENT OUTREACH

The Empowerment Outreach Employment Ministry (EOEM) meetings are held every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month in Room 2 of the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 PM.

ADDED MEMBERS ORIENTATION

New and Added Members Orientation is held each Sunday morning in the 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 relationship with God.

TERRY WEST BIBLE CLASS

Members and friends are encouraged to join the Terry West Bible Class every Wednesday morning, from 10am to 12 Noon in Burden's Rest. Come share in the fellowship and study the Bible from Genesis to Revelation. We are currently studying the Book of Judges.

Worship Service Coordinator

7:45am & 11am - Bro. Lindsay Cottingham Security Chiefs on duty 7:45am - Bro. James Gibson, 11am - Bro. Calvin Favors Trustees on duty 7:45am - Sis. Barbara Alexander, 11am - Sis. Gloria Parham Health Professionals on duty 7:45am - Sis. Marie Thompson, 11am - Sis. Joycelyn Curry

Care & Comfort Ministry Sick & Shut-In List

Members in Hospitals

Sis. Jaqueline McCullough – South Fulton Hospital, Rm 4514 Sis. Julia Scott - Atlanta Medical, ICU Sis. Lisa Alexander - Atlanta Medical, Rm 543

Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Sis. Ozrie Canady – AG Rhodes/Wesley Wood Rehab Ctr., 1819 Clifton Rd., Rm. 410, Atlanta 30329 Sis. Mary Carson – Carestone Assist. Living, 1345 Milford Church Rd, Rm 102, Marietta 30008 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, Rm 205 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 Ella Mae Merritt - Sadie Mayes Nursing Home, 1821 Anderson Ave, Atl 30318 Sis. Ruby Rhodes - Heritage Helthcare, 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 Bro. Patrick Bell - 3041 Landrum Dr SW, Atlanta 30311 Sis. Bernice Brown - 2240 Peachtree Rd, Apt 415, Atlanta 30309 Sis. Robertine Bryant - 2746 Claire Terrace, Decatur 30032 Bro. Jesse Davis - 170 Cottsford Dr SW, Atlanta 30331 Sis. Essie Gant - 3188 Abbey Wood Dr, Decatur 30034 Sis. Minnie George – 603 Champions Drive, McDonough 30252 Bro. Collier Glover – 2395 Cove Lake Way, Lithonia 30058 Mother Virginia Hall - 2820 Peachtree Rd NW #803, Atlanta 30305 Bro. Carlton Hendrix - 3069 Valleydale Rd. Atlanta 30311 Sis. Shante Holiday - 21 Bookout Loop, Powder Springs 30127 Sis. Irene Hudgins - 2730 Valante Terrace, East Point 30344 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 Sis. Stephanie Johnson - 13382 Harpley Court, Alpharetta 30004 Sis. Wilma Johnson - 3364 Raes Creek Rd, Marietta, GA 30008 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, SE Atlanta 30316 Sis. Ramona Moore - 195 Evergreen Terrace, Apt 405, Stockbridge, GA 30281 Sis. Sallie O'Bryant - 2610 M. L. K. Drive, NW #716 30311 Sis. Mary Perkins - 2315 Carver Drive, NW 30314 Sis. Cvnthia 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. Jessie Stafford - 1298 Lockhaven Cir., Atl 30311 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