

Antioch Baptist Church North

Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor

October 21, 2012 • 7:45AM & 11AM

Sunday Worship Services

COMMUNION



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

DOCTRINE



OCTOBER-DECEMBER • Ephesians 4:1-6

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

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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 #137.....*There Is Power In The Blood*.....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

135th Church Anniversary Presentation - *I Have A Testimony*

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 God, our Father, we gather this morning to thank you for being the center of our lives. We come before your Throne of Mercy seeking your guidance as we offer our gifts. Help us, Lord Jesus, to give back as generously as we have received. 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



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.



135th Church Anniversary

*"Celebrating 135 years! He's been with us from the beginning...
 We've Got a Testimony!..."*

John 15: 27

- **Commemorative Church Anniversary Souvenir Booklet**
- **Toiletry/Shoebox Drive**
 - Members are invited to bring donated Toiletry items and Shoeboxes.
- **Survivor Sundays – Awareness Sundays**
 - October 28 - Breast Cancer Awareness "Survivor Sunday"
- **Pioneer Sunday** - Sunday, Nov. 4, 2012, 11:00am
- **Homecoming Dinner** - Saturday, Nov. 10, 2012, 12pm
- **135th Church Anniv. Observance** - Sunday, Nov. 11, 2012, Both Services
- **Survivor Sundays – Awareness Sundays**
 - November 30 - Diabetes Awareness "Survivor Sunday"
- **"Shut In Sunday"** - Sunday, Dec. 9, 2012 - Care & Comfort Ministry
- **Fireside Chat with Pastor** - TBD

2012 FALL REVIVAL

IT'S REVIVAL TIME!! On **Sunday, October 28, at 5pm**, the Choirs of Antioch will be presented in our **Annual Fall Revival Musical**. Members and friends are encouraged to attend. The Revival will be held Mon-Wed, October 29-31. Noonday Services will be held daily at 12noon. Our Bible Study Classes will be held at 6pm and Devotion will begin at 7pm. The Revivalist is one of our very own, **Rev. Jermaine Simmons**, Pastor of the Jacob Chapel Baptist Church in Tallahassee, Florida. Members are asked to give not less than \$20 in support of the Revival. Everyone is invited and encouraged to share in the fellowship, be renewed and revived by the preaching and hearing of God's Holy Word!

OCTOBER BIRTH MONTH - Friday, October 26

The **October Birth Month Ministry** will host their Church-wide Fellowship combined with the Youth Hallelujah Fest on Friday, Oct 26, 7pm at the 590 Building. The theme is **"Serving the Lord...is a Treat and Definitely Not a Trick."** All are encouraged to attend and dress in fun costumes, because we will be "trunk or treating." There will be sweet treats for **ALL!** Members born in the month of October are asked to please meet today with your coordinator, Sis. Dana Price in the rear of the church after both services.

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 October 13, 2012, 428 food boxes were distributed. The value of the groceries was \$9,670. A total of 8,443 pounds of food was received for distribution, 658 meals served to AUMI residents, and 344 community meals served.

CLOTHING BANK

Fifty (50) 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 **"Power Brokers"** The scripture comes from **Acts 8:9-24**. We have classes for every age group, so we look forward to seeing you in Sunday School at 10:00am today. All college students are encouraged to attend the College Student's class in room 4. The lesson for next Sunday will be **"Erasing the Boundary Lines", Acts 8:26-39**.

TERRY WEST BIBLE CLASS

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

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.

Tis Midnight, And On Olive's Brow

"Tis mid-night, and on Olive'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.

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 Ingrams, 11am - Sis. Barbara Barnes

Health Professionals on duty

7:45am - Sis. Robin Dennis, 11am - Sis. Felicia Jackson

HOLY COMMUNION

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

Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Sis. Ozrie Canady – AG Rhodes/Wesley Wood Rehab Ctr.
Sis. Mary Carson – Emeritus Assisted Living
Sis. Lillian Edinburgh – Riverdale Place Healthcare
Sis. Bettye Harris – Nursecare of Buckhead
Sis. Eunice Harrison – Manor Care Health Service
Sis. Billie Hartley – College Park Healthcare Center
Mother Mary Hood – Signature Healthcare of Buckhead
Sis. Rosalie Thomas - Summerset Assisted Living
Mother Lula West – Traditions Health and Rehab
Sis. Roselle Wright-Signature Healthcare of Buckhead

Members Convalescing at Home

Bro. John Alexander	Sis. Gwendolyn Johnson	Sis. Ruby Rhodes
Sis. Rosa Ashe	Bro. Joseph Johnson	Bro. Jesse Rosser
Sis. Bernice Brown	Sis. Stephanie Johnson	Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr.
Sis. Bertha Way Bryant	Bro. Phillip Lyde	Sis. Janie Starks
Sis. Robertine Bryant	Sis Cara Malbrough	Bro. Walter Wilcher
Mother Mattie Chivers	Bro. David McCier	Sis. Anne Williams
Bro. Jesse Davis	Sis. Sylvia McClain	Mother Dorothy Williams
Sis. Minnie George	Sis. Ramona Moore	Sis. Ida Williams
Bro. Carlton Hendrix	Sis. Sallie O'Bryant	Bro. James Williams
Sis. Shante Holiday	Sis. Mary Perkins	
Sis. Pearla Holmes	Sis. Cynthia Price	
Mother Elizabeth Johnson	Bro. Richard Raglin	

*Beloved, I wish above
all things that thou
mayest prosper and be
in health, even as thy
soul prospereth.*

3 John 1:2

