Antioch Baptist Church North

Rev. C. M. Alexander, Pastor • Rev. K. L. Alexander, Co-Pastor

December 11, 2016 • 7:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Sunday Worship Services



Added Members' Recognition Sunday



"I CARE"

Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you 1 Peter 5:7

"Serving The Least, the Less, and the Lost..."

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....(11:00 a.m. Service)....Pastor, Ministers, Deacons, Mothers, Added Members & Added Members Committee

The Morning Hymn, #56......Silent Night......Congregation

7:45 a.m. - MADD for Christ Choir and Teen Dance Ministry
11:00 a.m. - Anthem/Acappella Choir and Sunbeam Choir

The Recognition of Visitors

The Right Hand of Fellowship......(11:00 a.m. Service)

The Addd Members Recognition - 11:00 a.m. Service

The Tribute to Added Members

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 thank you for your many blessings. We pray, Dear Lord, that our tithes and our offerings will be accepted in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! Touch our hearts, O Lord, and help us to give in joy and thanksgiving. It's in the name of our Jesus, we pray. Amen!

The Invitation to Discipleship

(Please refrain from walking during the Invitation to Discipleship)

Til We Meet Again



Tribute to Antioch's Added Members

This morning, our Antioch Church Family is filled with joy as we acknowledge the treasures God has blessed us with by guiding each of you to join our fellowship.

The Spirit of our Fellowship is engrained in the love and in the practices of Jesus Christ. All of us at Antioch consider it a rich blessing that you—our added members—have chosen this glory train that we call Antioch to be your desired mode of transportation for your journey to heaven.

The conductor of the glory train is the Holy Spirit. He sets the schedule, and our engineer, our illustrious pastor, the Reverend Cameron M. Alexander, and our assistant engineer, our Co-Pastor, the Reverend Kenneth L. Alexander, keep the Antioch North Glory Train operating smoothly. They deliver messages from the conductor and enlist other personnel, including our deacons and trustees, to serve the passengers. We are overjoyed that you—our added members—have boarded this glory train.

Your ticket to ride this Antioch North Glory Train is free to you, but it was purchased at a tremendous cost. Your eternal salvation ticket was purchased by the blood of Jesus Christ. Thanks be to God, your ticket comes with two extremely valuable amenities: GRACE and MERCY!

As added members, you will be pleased to know that our fellowship was organized in 1877, and this body of believers has had a long and lasting legacy of charitable Christian Service. For 139 years, this fellowship has been about the business of saving souls and serving God's people.... especially those who have been left on the side of the tracks among the least, the less, and the lost.

You have not boarded the Antioch North Glory Train by accident. God has brought you here to add your gifts, skill sets, and talents to increase our service to others. We have a place waiting just for you. Find a ministry, auxiliary, or service entity within our fellowship where you will be comfortable rendering Christian Service. It is our aspiration to have our Antioch North Glory Train filled with willing and excited workers for Jesus Christ. Your engaged and active participation will strengthen your bond with Christ and will add an unparalleled dimension and depth to your spiritual journey.

Again, we thank each of our added members for coming to Antioch, accepting our pastor's invitation to discipleship, and having a desire to journey to heaven from this sacred place that we call Antioch Baptist Church North. We are delighted that you are coming along for the ride. You will enjoy the journey, and you will find great joy in your heavenly destination.

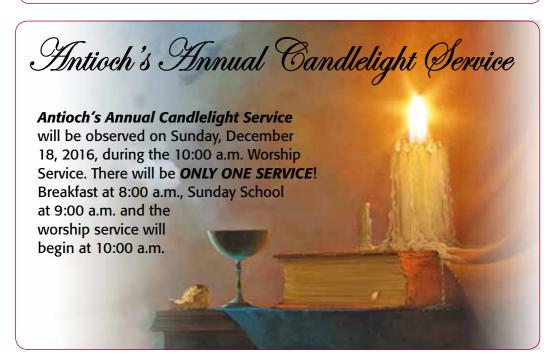


TODAY IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School will be held today at 10:00 a.m. The lesson is "*Expect Great Blessings!*" The scripture is *Luke 1:39-56*. Please join us and be renewed by the teaching of God's Word.

TIS THE SEASON OF GIVING!

The Toy distribution will be held on Saturday, December 17, 2016, from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon. As we enter the Christmas season, let us not forget the children. Members and friends are asked to bring toys for boys and girls (infants to 16 years of age) by Thursday, December 15.



WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Starting January 2017, the Wedding Anniversary Recognitions will only be acknowledged on the 1st Sunday of each month during the 7:45 a.m. worship service. Please save the date and time in your special month to be recognized. For more information, please contact the church office at 404-688-5679.

ORIENTATION CLASSES!

Members that have joined Antioch in the past month(s) and have not completed the required orientation classes are asked to attend an orientation class on Sundays after the 7:45 a.m. Worship Service in the Sanctuary. Adults are asked to attend three classes, and youth are asked to attend one class. Contact Sis. Gwen Johnson for further details at 404-527-5784.

BABY DEDICATION

Baby Dedications are held on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at the 11:00 a.m. Worship Service. The Baby Dedications are for infants from birth to six months of age. To schedule a date, please telephone Sister Lenora Williams in the church office at 404-527-5144.

Because Antioch Cares...

TELEPHONE HOPE LINE MINISTRY offers prayer and confidential support. The phone number is 404-527-5790.

HUMAN SERVICES MINISTRY

For the week ending December 3, 2016, 497 bags of food were distributed. A total of 25,426 pounds of food was distributed, and 137 meals served to AUMI residents.

CLOTHING BANK

Forty-nine (49) families received goods through the Clothing Bank.

DEBIT/CREDIT CARD READER

For the convenience of members and friends, Antioch now offers a Debit Card Reader for giving your tithes & offerings. This service is available on Sundays after each service and is located just outside the door next to the elevator.

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING & BIBLE STUDY

Weekly Prayer Meeting and Bible Study is held at the Church every Wednesday evening. Bible classes begin at 6:15 p.m. These classes provide instructional and training opportunities to gain deeper insights into the teachings of Jesus Christ. At 7:00 p.m., 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.

YOUR VALUABLES

To avoid potential theft from vandalism, please do not leave personal items on car seats. It will help the Security Ministry keep you and your car safe.

TERRY WEST BIBLE CLASS

Members and friends are encouraged to join the Terry West Bible Class every Wednesday morning, from 10:00 a.m. to 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 Psalms. You are also invited to remain for the Noonday Worship Service.

Worship Service Coordinator

7:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. - Sis. Regina Fuller

Security Chiefs on duty

7:45 a.m. - Bro. Edward Gilmore, 11:00 a.m. - Bro. Charlie Williams **Trustees on duty** 7:45 a.m. - Sis. Gloria Parham, 11:00 a.m. - Sis. Ollie Cooper

Health Professional

7:45 a.m. - Sis. Jennifer Stokes

Videographer on duty

Bro. Michael Williams

SEASON

Care & Comfort Ministry Sick & Shut-In List

Members in Hospitals

Sis. Regina Tyrene Stone - Indiana University Hospital, Indianapolis, IN, Rm. 4412

Members in Nursing Homes & Rehabilitation Centers

Bro. Daniel Michael Adams - Nursecare of Buckhead, Atlanta, Rm. 526

Sis. Alice Arline – Brightmoor Senior Living, Griffin, Rm. 310

Sis Robertine Bryant - UniHealth Post-Acute Care, Decatur, Rm. 216

Mother Mattie Chivers - Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, Rm. 401

Mother Virginia Hall - Christian City Rehab Ctr, Union City, Rm 412-A

Mother Annie Harris – Douglasville Nursing & Rehab Ctr, Douglasville, Rm. 222

Mother Bettye Harris - Nursecare of Buckhead, Atlanta, Rm. 205

Sis. Billie Hartley - College Park Healthcare Center, Atlanta, Rm. 205-D

Mother Mary Hood - Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, Atlanta, Rm. 406

Bro. Noah Respress - Virginia Gardens Assisted Living, Fort Valley, Rm. 7094 Mother Earnestine Shaw - Signature Healthcare of Buckhead, Atlanta, Rm. 205

Bro. Dallas Tucker - Sadie G. Mays Rehab Ctr, Atlanta, Rm. C-9

Sis. Lula West - Traditions Health and Rehab, Lithonia, Rm. G-11

Members Convalescing at Home

Sis. Barbara J. Alexander

Bro. Donald Hutson Sis. Zeporia Alexander

Sis. Evelyn Battle Sis. Diane Johnson

Mother Emma Broomes Sis. Elizabeth Johnson

Bro. Millard Johnson Bro. Robert Brown

Bro. Henry Claybrook Sis. Denise Jones

Sis. Deborah Cleveland

Sis. Miriam Crawford Sis. Debra Lowe

Sis. Doris Dennis

Sis. Margaret Edinburgh

Sis. Catherine George

Sis. Minnie George

Sis. Niaciene George

Bro. Randall Griffin

Bro. Melvin Harris

Sis. Pearla Holmes

Bro. Rufus Kelly

Bro. Phillip Lyde

Sis. Sylvia McClain

Rev. Mumin Muhammad

Mother Effie Nalls

Sis. Shameia Petty

Sis. Cynthia Price

Bro. Richard Raglin

Dea. Mark Roberts

Bro. Fred Samuels, Jr.

Sis. Candace Scott

Mother Rosa Smith Sis. Lucille Spears

Sis. Jessie Stafford

Mother Willie "Cookie" Tuggle

Sis. Vivian Walker

Sis. Mae Weaver

Sis. Annette Webb

Sis. Lillie Willis

