

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE
August 1, 2010

Preparation for Worship

Call to Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Greeting One Another

*Hymn # 4 *How Great Thou Art* Congregation

Children's Sermon

Following the children's sermon, "children's church" (for ages three through first grade), will meet in our educational building. A.C.T.S., for age 2nd grade to 8th grade, also meets following the children's sermon in the youth room.

*Hymn # 47 *God Will Take Care of You* Congregation

Prayer for the Offering Mebane Durham

Offering

Reading of Scripture *2 Corinthians 12:1-10* Mark Lloyd

Special Music Choir

Message "The Most Neglected Aspect of Discipleship" Pastor Atwater

*Hymn of Commitment # 342 *Just As I Am* Congregation

*Closing Prayer Pastor Atwater

* Please Stand

Thoughts to Ponder

"I also know that there is only one place where that angry, reactive, overwhelmed self can be transformed – the same place that Mary chose – the feet of Jesus...When I get into His presence, the whole world looks different. When I draw close to His heart, I find mercy when I know I deserve judgment; I find forgiveness for all my petty, selfish ways; I find grace for all my inadequacies; I find peace for my troubled heart; I find perspective for my distorted views. In Him, I find an eye in the midst of the storm. Oh the storm around me may not immediately subside; but the storm *within* me is made calm." – Nancy Leigh DeMoss

"God doesn't love us because of our worth, we are of worth because God loves us." – Martin Luther

Deacon of the week: Mebane Durham

UPCOMING EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

Monday
Deacon Nominations End
Building and Grounds Meeting 12:00 p.m.
Will meet right after church to discuss vendor air conditioning repair options.

Wednesday
Fellowship Meal 6:00 - 6:40 p.m.
Please join us by making reservations through the church office at 929-2230 (Monday morning), or by filling out a reservation form on your bulletin.
RA, GA, Mission Friends & Adult Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Choir Practice 8:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 8
Homecoming
Rev. Stan Welch will be our 2010 Homecoming Speaker
NO Children's Church during Homecoming, but there will be nursery and toddler coverage.

Wednesday, August 11
Supper @ 6:00 p.m.
RA, GA, Mission Friends, Youth, Adult Bible Study @ 7:00 p.m.
Choir @ 8:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 15
Business Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.

Monday, August 16
Deacons' Meeting @ 7:00 p.m.

FYI: Date Change
The November Country Breakfast, Craft Sale, and Bake Sale will be on Saturday, November 13, 2010 (instead of November 20) to avoid conflict with Thanksgiving. You may want to put it on your calendar.
We hope you are thinking about and working on crafts to donate.
The Country Breakfast Steering Committee

Tractor Pull and Volunteers

White Cross Recreation Center is having their annual Tractor Pull on Friday, August 13th and Saturday, August 14th. Volunteers are needed for the kitchen, as well as dessert donations. Please contact Tina Sturdivant at 336-376-6383 or Dawn Ward at 919-967-7617 to sign-up.

Although each day has brought a different challenge, and we have faced so many unknowns, we have not had to go alone. We have had God's guidance and loving care from all of you. Keep us close in prayer, as we go into the next phase of our treatment. Thanks to each of you. Love,
Doug and Lynn

Help!

Mission Friends needs a leader to rotate on Wednesday nights from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. See Robin Farrell for more details.

Also, volunteers are needed to assist Tommy Cecil with the RAs on Wednesday night from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. See Tommy or Robin.

Operation Christmas Child

For the past several years, our church has participated in the "Samaritan's Purse" ministry known as "Operation Christmas Child." This ministry fills shoe boxes with Christmas gifts for children who would otherwise never receive a gift, and literally sends them all over the world. After our members gather items for the boxes, a group of women volunteers then travels to Boone, NC to assist volunteers from around the country in preparing the boxes for shipment. This year, that preparation is scheduled to take place from November 23rd through December 11th. Ladies, if you would like to join your sisters in spreading the joy (and the message) of Christmas, while enjoying some great fellowship in the process, please notify Sandy Jefferson either in person or by phone (933-4080) no later than August 1st. Need more information? Just ask Sandy or one of the other ladies who have attended previously. You'll be glad you did.

Wednesday Night Supper 6:00-6:40 p.m.

Please sign up by indicating on this form the number of meals you will need and placing it in today's collection plate or call the church office on Monday.

Adults- \$3.00
Ages 4-12- \$2.00
Ages 3 & under-free;
Maximum per family \$10.00

Menu for 8/4/10

T.B.A.

How Many Meals?

_____ Adult

_____ Children

Name _____



Nursery for Sunday August 1st

Babies:
Sherry Webster

Toddlers:
Arielle Webster

Children's Church:
Darla Stokely
Allison Stokely

"When you leave the church property today, you automatically enter 'the mission field'"

Welcome

Date: _____

Mr./Mrs./Ms. _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Is this your:

1st time?

2nd time?

3rd time?

I'm interested in:

Knowing how to commit my life to Christ.

Growing in my relationship with Christ.

Information on joining this church family.

A small group.

Activities:

Children

Junior High

Single Adults

Young Couples

Young Adults

Adults

Seniors

Music

Bible Studies

NEXT WEEK

August 8

NURSERY: Keti Harr, Laura Lloyd

USHERS: TIM UPCHURCH, Ray Thompson, David Hackney, Keith Webster, Terry Ward, Greg Tilley

SUNDAY SCHOOL HOST:
Lamont Durham

PRAYER CONCERNS HOST:
Gordon Neville

DEACON OF THE WEEK:
Pam Durham

SCRIPTURE READER
Pam Durham

Attendance 7/25/10

Sunday School	80
Morning Worship	125

Financial Report for 7/25/10

Weekly Budget Needs	\$ 5,349.00
Offerings Received	\$ 4,840.00
Budget Needs YTD	\$ 160,470.00
Budget Receipts YTD	\$ 145,692.78
Building Fund MTD	\$ 804.00
Building Fund YTD	\$ 6,479.32
Building Loan Balance	\$ 21,271.15
Payments Remaining	10

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During the Hymn of Commitment, we encourage you to respond if you are considering becoming a Christian, church membership, or any other spiritual decision. A minister will be located in the welcome center at the conclusion of the service. We will gladly answer any questions you may have.

THE ABC'S OF SALVATION

ADMIT

Admit to God that you are a sinner. All persons need salvation. Each of us has a problem the Bible calls sin. Sin is a refusal to acknowledge God's authority over our lives. Everyone who does not live a life of perfect obedience to the Lord is guilty of sin. "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23). Since none of us is perfect, all of us are sinners (Romans 3:10-18).

The result of sin is spiritual death (Romans 6:23). Spiritual death means eternal separation from God. By God's perfect standard we are guilty of sin and therefore subject to the punishment for sin, which is separation from God. Admitting that you are a sinner and separated from God is the first step of repentance, which is turning from sin and self and turning toward God.

BELIEVE

Believe in Jesus Christ as God's Son and receive Jesus' gift of forgiveness from sin. God loves each of us. God offers us salvation. Although we have done nothing to deserve His love and salvation, God wants to save us. In the death of Jesus on the cross, God provided salvation for all who would repent of their sins and believe in Jesus. "For God loved the world in this way: He gave His One and Only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him will not perish but have eternal life" (John 3:16).

CONFESS

Confess your faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord to others. After you have received Jesus Christ into your life, share your decision with another person. Tell your pastor or a Christian friend about your decision. Following Christ's example, ask for baptism by immersion in your local church as a public expression of your faith. "If you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. With the heart one believes, resulting in righteousness, and with the mouth one confesses, resulting in salvation" (Romans 10:9-10).

Prayer:

Dear God, I believe you sent your son, Jesus, to die for my sins so I can be forgiven. I'm sorry for my sins and I want to live the rest of my life the way you want me to. Please put your Spirit in my life to direct me. Amen.



Sunday, August 1, 2010

**But he said to me,
"My grace is sufficient for you,
for my power is made perfect in
weakness."**



2 Corinthians 12:9

WELCOME

It is our desire that everyone present will reach out with friendly and welcoming hands to one another. Welcome, worshippers.

If you are a guest with us today, we want to extend a warm welcome to you. You'll find that Antioch Baptist Church is full of friendly people just like you. It is our hope that everything you see and hear this morning will draw you to want to know God in a genuine personal relationship. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to let us know. We are glad you're here!

OUR MISSION:
LOVE GOD. EXALT CHRIST. SEEK HIS WILL. SERVE HIS PURPOSE.