

**Welcome Visitors**

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

**How did you learn about Antioch?**

Church Website

YouTube/Live Streaming

Social Media

Outreach - Invited / Recommended

Location - Drive by

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**NEXT WEEK: March 29th**

**NURSERY:** Lisa Upchurch, Keri Carwile

**USHERS:** Tommy Cecil, James Parrott, Sammy Parrott, Josh Cecil

**DEACON OF THE WEEK:** Byron Tripp

**Attendance 03/15/2026**

Sunday School	52
Morning Worship	68
Awana	7
Youth Activities	no activities
Youth (03/18)	(11)youth / (2)adults
Missions Journey: Kids	(3)kids / (2)adults

<b>WEEKLY</b>
<i><b>Sunday Morning Prayer Rally: each Sunday at 9:20 a.m. in the library</b></i>
<b>Sunday School Classes for all ages.</b> Classes meet at 9:45 a.m. before the 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service.

**Financial Information:**  
Information is provided monthly, appearing in the first or second Sunday's bulletin.  
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**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS OF OPERATION**  
Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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 available at the conclusion of the service to 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).

By God's perfect standard we are guilty of sin and therefore subject to the punishment for sin, which is Spiritual death and separation from God (Romans 6:23). 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**

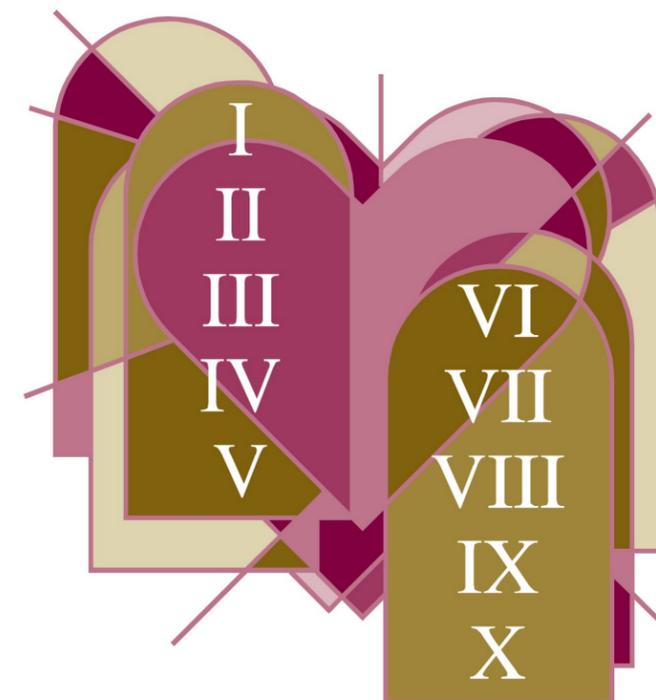
Believe in Jesus Christ as God's Son and receive Jesus' gift of forgiveness from sin. God loves each of us. God offers us salvation. Although we have done nothing to deserve His love and salvation, God wants to save us. In the death of Jesus on the cross, God provided salvation for all who would repent 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.



**I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts.**

Jeremiah 31:33

**WELCOME!**

We extend the hand of friendship to all who have come to worship. We rejoice in your presence and invite you to spend time after the service to get acquainted with those who are near you.

If you are new to our church or community, we realize that you likely have questions – about what we believe, about what you see and hear in our services, about our ministries, or perhaps just about our facilities. Please ask. Many of us came here as strangers, ... and found a community of shared faith that we now call home. Even if you are here for just a short while, our prayer is that you will leave refreshed and renewed for the journey ahead. May God bless you as you seek to worship Him.

**OUR MISSION:**

**LOVE GOD. EXALT CHRIST. SEEK HIS WILL. SERVE HIS PURPOSE.**

**UPCOMING EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES**

**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**  
*March 22, 2026*

<b>Preparation for Worship</b>		
<b>Video</b>	<b>Annie Armstrong Easter Offering</b>	
<b>Welcome and Announcements</b>		Pastor Atwater
<b>*Call to Worship #446</b>	<b>“I Will Serve Thee”</b>	Choir/Congregation
<b>Children’s Sermon</b>		Robin Farrell
<b>*Offertory Hymn #435 (all)</b>	<b>“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”</b>	Choir/Congregation
<b>Offertory Prayer</b>		Mark Lloyd
<b>Offering</b>		
<b>Offertory Music</b>		--
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	<b>Matthew 6:1-8</b>	Crawford Dameron
<b>Special Music #436 (all)</b>	<b>“Whiter Than Snow”</b>	Choir
	<b>Children’s Church</b>	
	Ages five through third grade, may exit to the Educational Building.	
<b>Pastoral Prayer</b>		Pastor Atwater
<b>Message</b>	<i>“Secrets Within”</i>	Pastor Atwater
<b>*Hymn of Response #451 (all)</b>		Congregation
	<b>“O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee”</b>	
<b>Benediction</b>		Pastor Atwater
<b>Depart to Serve</b>		

\* Please Stand

**Thoughts to Ponder**

“See that your chief study be about your heart, that there God’s image may be planted, and His interest advanced, and the interest of the world and flesh subdued, and the love of every sin cast out, and the love of holiness succeed.” – Richard Baxter

“The heart must be the principal point to which we attend in all the relations between God and our souls. What is the first thing we need, in order to be Christians? A new heart. What is the sacrifice God asks us to bring to him? A broken and a contrite heart. What is the true circumcision? The circumcision of the heart. What is genuine obedience? To obey from the heart. What is saving faith? To believe with the heart. Where ought Christ to dwell? To dwell in our hearts by faith. What is the chief request that Wisdom makes to every one? “My son, give me your heart.” – J. C. Ryle

“The word “heart” is used over 700 times in Scripture. It refers to our inner man, the core of our being, our mission control center. The heart is the composite of thoughts, desires, emotions and beliefs that guide our daily choices. That is why Solomon urged his son, “Guard your heart above all else, for it is the source of life” (Pr. 4:23). We use our heart to worship something – whether the God of heaven and earth or something else we believe will bring us comfort, joy and satisfaction.” – Steve Viars

**Deacon of the week: Mark Lloyd**

*“When you leave the church property today, you automatically enter ‘the mission field.’”*

<u>Today:</u>	
<b>Sunday Lunch</b>	<b>noon</b>
<b>Awana</b>	<b>4-5:30 p.m.</b>

<u>Tuesday</u>	
<b>Women’s Bible Study</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>
<u>Wednesday</u>	
<b>Wed. Night Supper</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>
<i>Reservations are required: Either by calling or emailing the church office Monday morning, or by filling out the form attached on your bulletin.</i>	
<b>Youth Group</b>	<b>6:45 p.m.</b>
<b>Adult Bible Study</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Adult BASICs Class</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Missions Journey: Kids</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Choir</b>	<b>8:00 p.m.</b>

**Thursday**  
**Ronald McDonald House Meal**

**“Sunday Lunch”**  
Covered-dish lunch following morning worship  
**EACH SUNDAY in MARCH.**

	<b>“At The Cross”</b> March 29th: 11:00 a.m. Easter Cantata
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**Awana Sponsored:**  
**Easter Egg Hunt & Hotdog Supper**  
**Community Event ~ Open to All!**  
Sunday, March 29th / 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.  
Come out with the kids, for lots of fun and laughter as they search for those hidden eggs. After the eggs are all gathered, families are invited to enjoy a hotdog supper on the grounds.  
Donations of any type of candy for this event is greatly appreciated! Please place items in the kitchen “clearly” labeled Awana

**Annie Armstrong Easter Offering**  
The 2026 theme is  
**“YOUR GENEROSITY IS more than a gift”.**  
**ONE HUNDRED PERCENT OF GIFTS** given to the AAEO offering goes directly to the missionaries for their use in the field in North America and Canada.  
*“What a glorious thing it is to be a co-worker with GOD in winning the world for Christ.”*  
quote by Annie Armstrong  
**Antioch's Goal: \$3,500.00**

**Youth and Children’s Programs:**  
Please inquire about the opportunities we offer!

<u>Coming Events!</u>	
<b>Mar. 29th: “At The Cross” Easter Cantata</b>	<b>11:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Mar. 29th: Sunday Lunch</b>	<b>noon</b>
<b>Mar. 29th: Awana Sponsored:</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>
<i>Easter Egg Hunt &amp; Hotdog Supper</i>	
<b>Mar. 31st: Women’s Bible Study</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Apr. 3rd: Good Friday Prayer Service</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Apr. 5th: Easter Sunrise Service &amp; Continental Breakfast</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Apr. 5th: The Lord’s Supper</b>	<b>11:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Apr. 6th: Church Office Closed</b>	
<b>Apr. 7th: Church Council Meeting</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Apr. 7th: Cemetery Committee Mtg.</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Apr. 7 - 15th: Accepting closet donations.</b>	

**Orange County Schools Special Olympics**  
Angie Dameron is collecting donations in support of funding events for the April 24th Olympics. Pick-up a **designated** envelope from the Welcome Center, place it in the offering plate or hand deliver to Angie.  
**Collecting through March 29th.**

**You Are Invited!**  
**6:00 p.m. April 3rd**  
**Good Friday Prayer Service**  
*A service of reflection and inspiration.*

	<b>JOIN US FOR OUR</b> <b>EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE</b> <b>on April 5th</b> Sunrise Service at 7:00 a.m., followed by a brief Continental Breakfast. <i>Regular morning services will begin with the 9:20 a.m. Prayer Rally.</i>
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**SAVE THE DATE**  
“It is time for Spring cleaning and our Antioch Free Community Closet could use your donations. We need donations of clean and gently used clothes, shoes, housewares and children’s toys.  
*Antioch FREE Community Closet Event.*  
*April 18th ~ 8:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m.*  
**Donations will be accepted starting**  
**April 07 - April 15 / 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**  
Donations will be placed in the Parlor Classroom. Please contact Kim Dunn or Branah Hackney if you would like to volunteer.

**Women’s Bible Study: Jesus In Me**  
Tuesday mornings March - April  
10:00 a.m.– noon ~ *Leader: Virginia Ferguson*

<b>Wednesday Night Supper</b> <b>6:00 - 6:35 p.m.</b> Please sign up by indicating on this form the number of meals you will need and placing it in the offering plate today. You may also call or email the church office on Monday no later than 3:00 p.m. Adults - \$5.00 Ages 10 & under - \$3.00 <b>Menu for 03/25</b> Hearty Soup w/meat, side dish & sourdough bread How many meals? Adults _____ Children _____ Name: _____
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<b>Today</b> <b>March 22nd</b>  Nursery Servants <b>Lisa Upchurch</b> <b>Keri Carwile</b> <b>Children’s Church</b> <b>Pat Tayloe</b> <b>Kim Dunn</b> <u>Nursery Guidelines</u> A parent or guardian is required to sign in each child and sign out the child every Sunday. One contact information sheet completed by the parent or guardian for each child must be on file. All information is located in the nursery. A nursery servant will assist you with any questions or needs. The safety and security of the children at Antioch is the number one priority of the Nursery Committee.
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