

Sunday Gathering Liturgy

Seek the Lord and Live,
Amos 5:1-27 - Bradley Bell

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The Gospel and Race

Call to Worship - Psalm 34:1-10

Good morning! Happy Father's Day, and welcome to Antioch! It is SO good to be with you, my church, in this building in the presence of God!

A couple quick reminders before we get started. We have packets over there for kids to use during our gathering. Also, the nursing mother's room and the nursery are available for parents that may need to take their kids out during the service. We have speakers in both of those rooms, so you won't miss anything.

We have much to be thankful for today. God has carried us throughout the quarantine, and we are able to worship Him in one place again! Hear this word from Psalm 34 and let's bless his name as we read it:

I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.
My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad.
Oh, magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together!
I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.
Those who look to him are radiant, and their faces shall never be ashamed.
This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him and saved him out of all his troubles.
The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him, and delivers them.
Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!
Oh, fear the Lord, you his saints, for those who fear him have no lack!
The young lions suffer want and hunger; but those who seek the Lord lack no good thing. Psalm 34:1-10

Let The Nations Be Glad

Confession - Matthew 22:37-40

In Matthew, Jesus responds to a lawyer who asked him which is the greatest commandment. He said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets." Matthew 22:37-40

Church, this is what we're called to do. Love God. Love people. Let's confess our hard hearts to God this morning, and ask for love and grace.

Cornerstone

Come Ye Souls By Sin Afflicted (Look To Jesus)

Sermon - Seek the Lord and Live, Amos 5:1-27

Let Justice Roll Like A River

Announcements & Benediction - 1 Thessalonians 3:12-13

Thank you for joining us today! As we always say, this is only a small part of the life of Antioch. We would love to have you in one of our Family Groups, where we seek to live out the Christian life together. If you would like to join in one of them, simply message us and we'll get you connected.

Just a few announcements as we go, which serve as important next steps in response to the good news we've heard today:

1) Mowing Volunteers - We need people to help with mowing and taking care of the grounds. If you are interested in joining this team please let Jason Cox know. Or if you just want to work on your tan while driving a cool lawn mower.

2) Giving & Asa Need - Since we're not able to pass our giving baskets in our gathering at this time, we have placed one on the back on the table and you may give there as you exit or through GivApp. Also as we mentioned last week, we have an opportunity as a church to bless one of our Asa families who has been hit by COVID and unemployment and needs help covering their bills. You can give online (use the subaccount Khadga Biswa) or by check with Asa designated on the memo.

If you are a visitor with us this morning we are glad you're here! Please if you would like to find out more about Antioch or have a pastor contact you, feel free to fill out a visitor card also located in the basket on the back table. You may use the Antioch pens and keep one as our gift to you.

3) Men's Formation Patches - Men, if you participated in the men's formation training then you should receive a patch. Those are available for you to pick up today. They are in a basket located by the exit doors.

At the end of the gathering feel free to fellowship together in social-distanced small groups, but please do not block the exit. Families with small children, you may want to consider moving outside to our backyard area for such fellowship so that your children have space to move and interact (weather permitting).

We begin each gathering with a call to worship and end with a benediction, which is simply a reminder that we are blessed to be a blessing.

Church, may the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, so that he may establish your hearts blameless in holiness before our God and Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints. 1 Thessalonians 3:12-13

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Congregation: We are sent
