Antioch Baptist Church celebrates 100th Church Anniversary
From Rice Street in the Wheeler Hill community of Columbia to Korn Road in Harlem Heights, the 100-year historical journey of Antioch Baptist Church is celebrated on Sunday, September 28, 2014. From the message of Dr. Albert Alan Neal, Pastor, we have reasons to rejoice. Rejoicing on the past, serving the present, and striving toward the future.

Leading up to the Anniversary, the church will hold Constitutional Prize and Worship Services every Thursday, September 25th – September 26th at 7:00PM nightly. Rev. Dr. David Talley Jackson, 3rd of Selmon’s Temple will be the service on Thursday, September 25th, followed by Rev. Thurman A. Graham, President of Fellowship Baptist Church of Saint Matthews, SC on Wednesday, September 24th, and Rev. Dr. Ridgley V. Kent, Pastor of First Nazarene (Columbia) and Mount Moriah (Hopkins) Baptist Churches on Thursday, September 25th.

Dr. Albert Alan Neal will present an introduction. The Neal family and friends will meet for fun and fellowship in the Antioch Community Park from 9:00AM – 1:00PM on Saturday, September 27th.

On Sunday, September 28th, the 11:00AM worship service will be held with Rev. Edward M. Newsom, Jr. as guest speaker. At 2:00PM, the church bell will chime calling all worshipers to the 2:00PM worship service. For those who wish to attend in person, this service is scheduled to begin at 3:00PM. The Rev. John C. Williams, Pastor, MacIncua Baptist Church, Ridgeway, SC will bring the Anniversary message.

Dr. Albert Alan Neal, Pastor, and 3rd generation ofNeal’s family have dedicated their lives to the church's vision, to remind the congregation, because we are living in times of social transition, we must hold to God’s Unchanging Hand.

Round Top Baptist Church
September events
Round Top Baptist Church, located at 120 Round Top Court in Blythewood, SC invites the community to attend several events in September.

VESTIARY CHORUSBIRTHDAY
The Round Top Baptist Church Youth Choir will celebrate its 4th Anniversary on Sunday, September 21st at 5:00 PM – FALL REVIVAL.

Round Top Baptist Church will have its Annual Fall Revival Thursday, September 25th – Thursday, September 26th at 7:00PM nightly. The Guest Speaker for Tuo, night—Rev. Douglas Hudson, New Covenant Baptist Church, Columbia Wed—night—Rev. Charles Epps, Hukill Heights Progressive Baptist Church, Columbia Thurs—night—Rev. Adam China, Adam Northeast A.M.E., Columbia, MI.

MINSTREL CHOIR
The Round Top Baptist Church Men’s Choir will celebrate its 4th Anniversary on Sunday, September 28th at 3:00PM. The service will be led by Founder and Director, Rev. Thurmond O. Merchison, Pastor of Friendship Baptist Church, Blythewood, SC. For Information, call (803) 769-1694 or e-mbblw@gmail.com. Experiences is permitted.

Peace Day at the State House
Festival event marking International Day of Peace to feature music, activities, speakers
“Peace Day at the Statehouse” takes place the afternoon of Sunday, September 21st from 3pm to 7pm on the South Carolina State House North grounds, 1100 Gervais Street, Lansing Main and Garners.

The festival style event will feature music, speakers and activities for all ages, including making dooms for peace and peace cranes, face-painting, a “hippie” theme photo booth and dooms prayer sign for peace request. Local organizations working for peace will be tabling at the event. Free open to the public.

Sunday, September 21st was selected as the International Day of Peace by the UN in 1981 and first observed in 1982. In South Carolina, the International Day of Peace has been celebrated annually by various civic groups across the state. School children in dozens of South Carolina schools make “peacelines” for peace each year.

This event is sponsored by the Carolina Peace Resource Center. More information is available at www.carolinapeace.org.

The Carolina Peace Resource Center is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit founded in 1981 in Columbia, SC to promote peace through education, action and advocacy.

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Columbia Branch NAACP to host Annual Membership Celebration
The Columbia Branch of the NAACP (National Association of the Advancement of Colored People) will host its 28th Annual Membership Appreciation Celebration on Thursday, September 18, 2014 at 7:30 p.m. The annual fund-raiser, to be held at Brookland Baptist and Conference Center, shows appreciation for those members who share the organization's message of equality.

The Columbia Branch NAACP led by Dr. Lorna Randolph, Jr., continues to make great strides in advocating for justice and equality locally and throughout the state.

The theme for this year’s celebration is Continuing to Stand for Justice and Equality. Mrs. Vij Alexander-Lyke, a native of Columbia and C.A. Johnson High School graduate, will be the keynote speaker. She is an At-Large representative on Charleston, North Carolina City Council.

The public is invited to attend. The cost is $50.00. For more information and tickets, please contact Camilla Sampson at 803- 875-4514 or Dorothy Cunningham at 803-315-6621.

All Gardeners and yard sale enthusiasts. The Lexington County Master Gardeners are having our ANNUAL PLANT SALE & General Store, “Everything Under The Sun” on September 26 – 28, 2014. September 26 & 27th 8 a.m. – 6 p.m.; Sunday 12 noon – 5 p.m. at Midlands Fall Plant & Flower, SC State Farmers Market, 3463 Charleston Hwy in West Columbia. Hope to see you there!