

Sunday, October 9, 2011

Sunday • 10:00 am

Welcome and Announcements
A Moment to Feel God's Presence

Call to Worship Psalm 106 (NIV)

One: Praise the Lord! O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
for his steadfast love endures forever.

**All: Who can utter the mighty doings of the Lord, or declare
all his praise?**

One: Happy are those who observe justice, who do
righteousness at all times.

**All: Remember me, O Lord, when you show favor to your
people; help me when you deliver them; that I may see the
prosperity of your chosen ones, that I may rejoice in the
gladness of your people, that I may glory in your heritage.**

Opening Song * "Lord, You Are Good"

Prayers of Gratitude

Collection of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory: *
**To God be the glory, to God be the glory
To God be the glory for the things You have done.**

Invitation to Prayer "Sanctuary"

Community/Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Reading Joshua 2:12-24

Preparatory Praise "Take It Away from Me, Lord"

Message Rev. Phil Mathews
"By Any Means Necessary: Part 2"

An Invitation
(* Please rise as you are able.)

Holy Communion

*At Imani MCC, and at MCCs throughout the world, we serve an
open communion. Everyone is welcome at the Table of God.*

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is truly right and our greatest joy ...

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices ...

Holy! Holy! Holy! Lord, God of power and might!

Heaven and earth are full of your glory!

Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest!

The Mystery of Faith:

Christ has died. Christ has risen.

Christ will come again.

The Consecration (Blessing of the Elements)

Invitation to the Table

Distribution of the Elements

We use a small wafer & grape juice.

Please respect those around you and engage in silent meditation.

-- Thank You --

If you would like someone to pray with you following the
service, please let your server know at the time of communion.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Parting Song * "Guide My Feet"

Closing Blessing *

"We now go forth in faith with this intention:

- To **Worship** wherever we are
- By being **God's Word** made flesh,
- Living the **Oneness** that we are,
- Celebrating **Wonder** everywhere,
- And bearing **Witness** through love.

And so it is. And so it shall be. Amen."

"Lord, You Are Good" (Opening Song)

Lord, You are Good And your mercy endureth forever.
Lord, You are good And your mercy endureth forever.
(Repeats)

From every nation and every tongue,
From generation to generation
We worship you, Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
We worship you for who you are.
We worship you, Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
We worship you for who you are
And You are Good.

You are good all the time and all the time, You are good.
(Repeats)

"Sanctuary" (Invitation to Prayer)

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary
Pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living
Sanctuary for you.

"Take It Away from Me, Lord" (Preparatory Praise)

If You find anything that's not like You,
I ask You Lord, You know what to do;
Wash me Lord, cleanse me through and through...

Chorus: Take it away from me Lord,
Take it away from me.

Take it away, take it away Lord.
Take it away, take it away Lord.
Take it away, take it away Lord.
Chorus

Take it away from me Lord.

Take it away (I don't want it).
Take it away (I don't need it)
Chorus

“Guide My Feet” (Parting Song)

Guide my feet while I run this race. (3 times)
For I don't want to run this race in vain!

Hold my hand while I run this race. (3 times)
For I don't want to run this race in vain!

Stand by me while I run this race. (3 times)
For I don't want to run this race in vain!

I'm your child while I run this race. (3 times)
For I don't want to run this race in vain!

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Progress at C-View Ministry Center!



Let's remember to “keep first things first” this week!

*“Do not worry then, saying, ‘What will we eat?’ or
‘What will we drink?’ or ‘What will we wear for clothing?’
But seek first [God's] kingdom and [God's] righteousness, and all
these things will be added to you.”
Matthew 6:31, 33 (NASB)*

	Needed	Actual	Var. +/-
Oct 2, 2011 Offering:	\$1,636.58	\$2,470.77	\$834.19
Year to date:	\$65,463.05	\$64,403.42	(\$ -1,059.63)
	Offering	Yr to Date	Total Given
Building Fund Giving	\$128.00	\$3,775.00	\$160,416.93
Expenditures	80,837.08	Balance	\$76,331.16
Attendance: 33	Updated Weekly		

*“Now faith is the substance of things hoped for,
the evidence of things not seen.” - Hebrews 11:1 (KJV)*

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WEEKLY EVENTS

- Sunday: 11:45am-12:45pm - Choir rehearsal
- 304 E. Trinity Ave.
- Wednesday: 7:00pm-8:30pm - Bible Study
- 304 E. Trinity Ave.
- Thursday: 7:30pm-9:00pm - Bible Study – Hillsborough
- 610 Red Fox Trail (Call Annette or Melissa - 643-2284)
- Thursday: 7:00pm-8:30pm – Healing Circle
- 304 E. Trinity Ave.
- Saturday: 10am-11:00am – Prayer Service - 3602 C-View

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worship, word, oneness, wonder and witness.

Imani, a church where, through faith, all can experience and express God's irresistible love through

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**WE WELCOME YOU TO IMANI MCC.
YOU MAY BE NEW TO US, BUT
YOU ARE KNOWN AND LOVED BY GOD.**