Sunday, August 19, 2018Sunday • 10:00 amWorship CoordinatorRenéeHospitality CoordinatorNitaSound EngineerLisa

Welcome Lisa

A Moment to Feel God's Presence

Opening Prayer Michael

Praise & Worship

Praise Reports and Prayer Requests Deacon Marcus

Community/Pastoral Prayer Rev. Annie Ross

Announcements Charisse

Passing of the Peace

Collection of Tithes & Offerings Victoria

Offertory: *

We lift our voices, we lift our hands, We lift our lives up to You, We are an offering. Lord use our voices, Lord use our hands Lord use our lives, they are Yours. We are an offering.

All that we have, all that we are, All that we hope to be We give to You, we give to You.
We lift our voices, we lift our hands
We lift our lives up to You.
We are an offering, we are an offering.

Scripture Reading Hope

Song of Preparation

Sermon Rev. Marilyn Bowens

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! 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

BJ, acolyte

We use a small wafer & grape juice.
Please respect those around you and engage in silent meditation.

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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

Rev. Annie Ross

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. "

Parting Song *

"Lord, I Love You"

Program Subject to Change

* Please rise as you are able.

"Bless His Holy Name" Congregational Song

Bless the Lord, O my soul, And all that is within me, bless his holy name! Bless the Lord, O my soul, And all that is within me, bless his holy name!

He has done great things, He has done great things, He has done great things: Bless his holy name!

New Closing Song.....

"Mighty Wind"

Like the rushing of a mighty wind Like the rushing of a mighty wind Come and fill our hearts again Like the rushing of a mighty wind.

Like the river that has overflowed Like the river that has overflowed Come and fill our hearts once more Like the river that has overflowed.

Let it overflow, let it overflow Let it overflow, let it overflow... (repeat 2 times) "Lord, I Love You" Parting Song

Lord, I love You! Lord, I love You! Lord, I love, yes, Lord I love You!

Lord, I thank You! Lord, I thank You! Lord, I thank, yes, Lord I thank You! (Sing each stanza twice.)

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Sermon Notes

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)

		Worship	PayPal	PayPal	Total
	Attendance	Offering	App no fee	Regular	Offering
Aug 12 2018	25	\$786.00	\$260.00	\$25.00	\$1,071.00
Now Needed Weekly to meet 2018 Budget					\$928.15

"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

- Wednesday: 7:00pm-8:15pm Bible Study
- Thursday: 6:30pm-8:30pm Voices of Imani rehearsal

Please check your email for the latest *Focusing Our Faith*.



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through

God's irresistible love

a church where, through faith, all can experience and express

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