

Focus Verse and Scripture: July 7- 21, 2025

Topic: The Believer's Conduct

Focus Thought: As holy people directed and disciplined by God's Word and Spirit, we are responsible to walk in the light and blessing of the Lord as we wait and watch for His coming.

Focus Verse: I Thessalonians 5:23

And the very God of peace sanctify you wholly; and I pray God your whole spirit and soul and body be preserved blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

The Week Scripture Reading: Matthew 24; 25:1-13 and Luke 19:13; 21

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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)

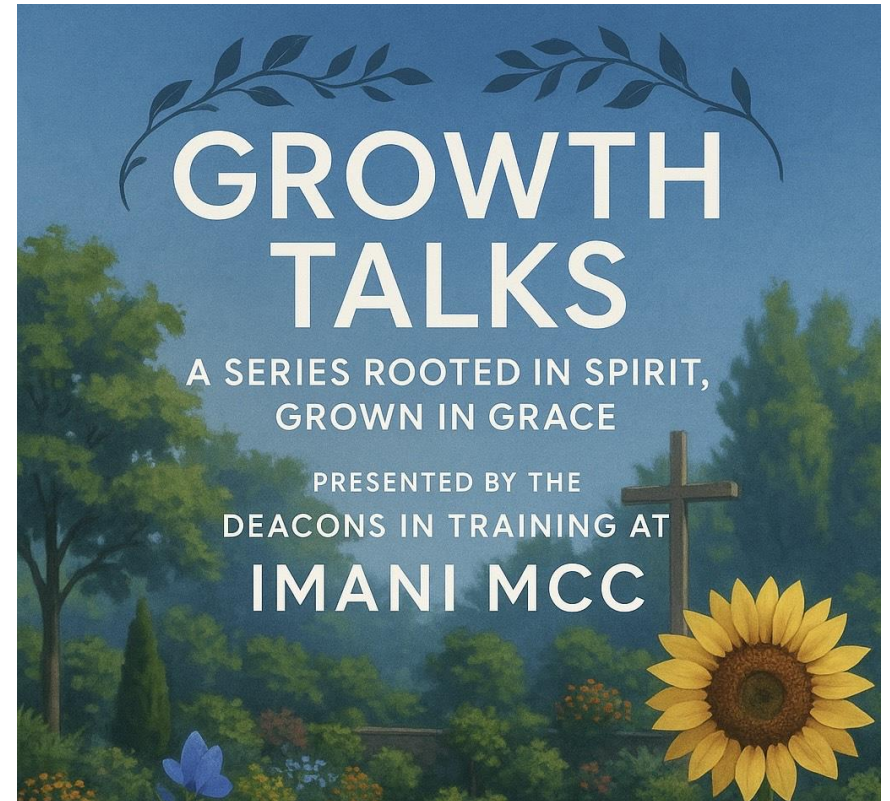
"Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen." - Hebrews 11:1 (KJV)

	Attendance		Giving				
	In-Person	Online	In-Person	Cash App	PayPal	Total Reg. Offering	Other
July 6	23	17	\$112.00	\$160.00	\$100.00	\$372.00	\$350.00
July 13	33	27	\$205.00	\$151.00	\$0.00	\$356.00	\$125.00
Required Weekly to meet the 2025 Austerity Budget						\$756.32	
Required Monthly to meet the 2025 Austerity Budget						\$3,007.20	



Imani MCC

Metropolitan Community Church



July 20, 2025
Sunday Morning
10:00 am

Imani Metropolitan Community Church
Ministry Center: 3602 C-View Street • Durham NC
Mailing Address: PO Box 13172 • Durham NC 27709-3172

Church Announcements

- Please sign up for Worship Participation on the clipboard located on the Usher's Table in the back. There are slots open for the month of Aug/Sept that need to be filled. Thank you.
- Join our Bi-Weekly In-Person Bible Study on Wednesday, July 23rd at 7:00 pm at the Church or on Imani's Facebook page, focusing on Worldshifter Principle #7 "The Power of Gratitude."
- The Imani Praise Team will rehearse on Thursday, July 24th at 7:00 PM. All are welcome to come, participate and fellowship.
- The Pack a Pew Fundraiser is next Sunday! Now is the time to shine and donate to Dee's "Sunflower" Team or Del's "The Bluez" horns Team!! Please be sure to Cash App \$ImaniMCCofNC or donate via PayPal and reference the team's name you are donating to. Each team has a GOAL of \$250. Please help them meet or surpass that goal. Donate TODAY!!
- Come with a testimony in your heart!! Anthony's Team Testimony is asking individuals to please plan to give a testimony on Sunday July 27, 2025. We will be reading some that were submitted as well. A generous donor has agreed to make a monetary donation for EACH testimony!! So let's get ready to testify!!!
- There will be a volunteer church appreciation outing soon sponsored by Pastor Annie and First Lady Priscilla to THANK YOU for an outstanding first 6 months!! Let's finish the year out strong, and we do that with gratitude and fun!!! Stay tuned for more details!!!
- Our New Members class was rescheduled!! There will be a "Virtual" class on Sunday, August 3 at 5:00 pm and a "In Person" class on Saturday, August 9 at 10:00 AM. In trying to work with individuals' availability, we are offering two sessions. Please sign up on the clipboard on the Ushers table.
- If you are interested in joining the Planning committee for our first Women's Weekend, please see First Lady Priscilla after service. Together we will create a weekend of sisterhood, empowerment, and growth!! Come with your ideas and let's brainstorm together.

STAFF

Senior Pastor – Rev. Annie Ross - PastorAnnie@ImaniMCC.org
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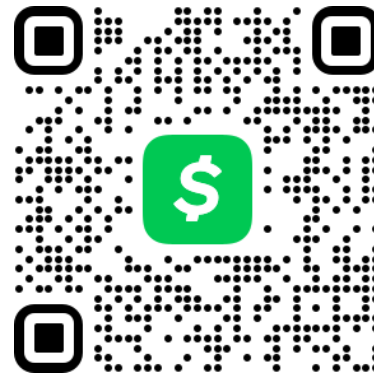
Deacon In Training Program begins in June 2025

CHURCH INFORMATION

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EVENTS

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Praise Team Rehearsal – Every Thursday @ 7:00 pm



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