Sunday, November 8, 2015

Worship Coordinator Sound Engineer

Sunday • 10:00 am

Renée Toka

Lift up your hearts.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

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

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

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 *

"Bind Us Together"

Program Subject to Change

* Please rise as you are able.

"Ancient of Days"(Praise & Worship)

Blessing and honor, glory and power Be unto the Ancient of Days From every nation, all of creation Bow before the Ancient of Days

Every tongue in heaven and earth, shall declare your glory Every knee shall bow at your throne, in worship You will be exalted Oh God, and your kingdom, shall not pass

O Ancient of Days.

My Lord, Your Kingdom Your kingdom shall reign over all the earth Sing unto the Ancient of Days For none can compare to your matchless worth, sing church sing Sing to the Ancient of Days.

Lord we just continue to celebrate you, We worship not only with our mouths But with our hands clapping and feet dancing But Lord we, we even worship you on our instruments tonight.

Your kingdom shall reign over all the earth, over all the earth Sing to the ancient of days, sing, sing church sing For none can compare to your matchless worth, sing church sing, Sing to the Ancient of Days.

"Withholding Nothing"

I surrender all to you, Everything I give to you Withholding nothing, withholding nothing....

I give you all of me...

King Jesus, My Savior, Forever I give you all of me, I give you all of me.

A Moment to Feel God's Presence

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Praise & Worship

Praise Reports and Prayer Requests

Community/Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Marilyn Bowens

Announcements

Passing of the Peace

Collection of Tithes & Offerings

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

Rev. Marilyn Bowens Message

Holy Communion

Rev. Marilyn Bowens

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

"Bind Us Together"(Closing Song)

Bind us together, Lord, bind us together, With chords that cannot be broken. Bind us together, Lord, bind us together, Lord, bind us together with love.

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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)

	Attendance	Offering
November 1 2015	15	\$633.00

"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: 1:00pm-5:00 pm Open Office Hours
- Saturday: 12:00pm-2:00pm Voices of Imani rehearsal

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



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and express God's irresistible love

a church where, through faith, all can experience

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