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TANA RIVER CHRONICLES

At the beginning of the year while in pursuit of growth and expansion of Imani Radio and TV Ministries and after praying and fasting, we went ahead and applied for new radio frequencies.

Not only did we receive one frequency, but three frequencies. One for Mt. Elgon, one for Baringo and one for Tana River.

Tana River project is a strategic gateway to the Muslim community whose population is 81.5% of the total population in the county.

The journey to Tana River begun with sourcing for the ideal location to raise an alter to broadcast the good news to the communities in this region.

We trusted God for a land which we were blessed to finalize the acquisition and paperwork before the journey to source materials and ground breaking, Excavation works, construction of a store and fencing followed, soon after the studio foundation and fabrication of tower started.

THE TANA RIVER CHRONICLES

By day 5 we were running short of resources to accomplish this project and if there's a big lesson learned in the process, it was walking by Faith not by Sight.

.<u>"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight." Proverbs 3:5.</u> An anonymous donor blessed us with nearly half of the funds needed to complete this project.



[Beautiful sunset at the Tana Campus]



[Rev.Dr.Ptallah helping out with the construction]



[Rev. Dr. Ptallah and Risper Butaki After construction of the new studio]

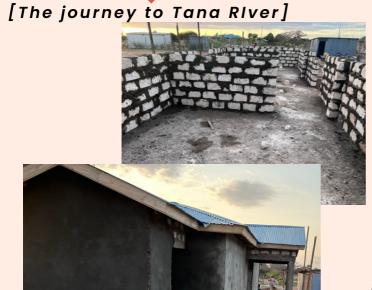
After days and some nights, we finally went on air in Tana River on our 13th day. Even though we used the generator for a while, paved the way for Electricity connection; we thank everyone the Lord used to be a blessing to this project through and supporting prayer financially particularly our long time partners, The Faith Radio through Scott and Brenda. May the Almighty God bless each one of you according to his riches in glory.

GLORY TO GOD!

TANA RIVER STUDIO CAMPUS



[Arrival to the locality]



[construction process]





[The construction of the foundation]



[The Generator Keeping us on air] [Complete studio set up in TANA RIVER]

COMMISSIONING AND DEDICATION OF CHURCH LEADERS

Church leadership is about serving others in following Christ's footsteps so that they can see and accomplish God's purpose for themselves in the world.



[Leaders getting annointed before commissioning]

(1st peter 10:11 Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. If anyone speaks, they should do so as one who speaks the very words of God. If anyone serves, they should do so with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen.)



[Dedication of pastors]



[Dedication of Deacons]



[Leaders from different church department]

On 12th June at the Faith Interdenominational Church, an affiliate of Imani Ministries, we had a dedication where leaders from different ranks in the church were commissioned in anointing to serve with wisdom and God's will. One by one they were called to the altar where they were anointed and given the grace to work in church to ensure the work of God runs smoothly under their leadership. The included the Pastors, Deacons, Leaders of different departments in the church.

At the end of the service 4 people from the congregation asked to be prayed for to serve in their identified gifts. 2 People gave their lives to Christ this service.



[Congregants joining in faith for dedication]

FAITH INTERDINOMINATIONAL CHURCH



[Congregants led in worship]



[congregants listening keenly]



[Total surrender to God]



[Imani Praise Team leading the worship]

Imani media ministries together with the faith

Interdenominational Church (FIC) held this month's Kesha on 8th July, 2022 .The turnout was amazing with over 100 people attending.

The theme of the kasha night was knowledge is power which was from the book of

<u>Hosea 4:6 'my people are</u> <u>destroyed for lack of knowledge'</u>

which was well taught by our guest speaker who was pastor Hosea Bandi from Jesus Glory Center. His message on knowledge was very inspirational to many both who were watching and also listening on our Imaniradio.

From his message on knowledge is power seven people from our congregation got saved and were able to give their lives to Christ. We were also blessed to have a guest singer, Apostle Calvins Sidandi together with our Imani choir team, which made our Kesha night lively and successful.

Also some members from the congregation had to testify what the good lord had done in their lives.



Hosea 4:6

My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge.

COMMISIONING OF A NEW CHURCH ELDER

After accepting the calling to serve Christ and going for a two year training in theology and

successfully graduating with a diploma in theology, one of the active church member was officially commissioned to serve the Lord. Helen Hanson was commissioned before the Lord in

order to serve under the Church ministry and we trust that the Lord will continue to give her

wisdom and knowledge as she serves Jesus through the Church.



[Rev.Dr.Ptallah Butaki
Commissioning The New
Minister]



GAIN IN HEAVEN, LOSS ON EARTH



Imani family and fraternity at large mourn the death of Damaris Njeri Gichia, who was a partner and a great fan of the Imani media ministries.

As the saying goes Life always remains a mystery and a great secrete hidden in the hands of Almighty God. Α state of mourning was spread in St. Luke's Cathedral church Kitale where Mrs. Damaris Nieri Gichia's funeral was conducted. She died a sudden death as she collapsed and passed away after she making and partaking her supper.

She was a Christian mother who loved her profession, loved her family, and treated everyone Well. she worked to the best of their abilities, this was according to retired teachers who knew and worked with her.

FIC and Imani media Pastor Meshack Juma was saddened by her death and he took the opportunity to praise her as she never misses any Kesha conducted in Imani despite that she faced some challenges including lack of eyesight.

Damaris Njeri Gichia worked as manager house an Canadian expatriate couple running the children's welfare association under the Tutelage of Ms. Pamela Mboya wife to the late Tom Mboya, before serving as a teacher for a long time and she taught in various schools including in Milimani primary school, before being promoted by the ministry of Education to TAC tutor.

She will be remembered for many things including her words of encouragement and not only spreading the word of God but also supporting it. She married her husband Dr. Richard Gichia in 1975 and they were blessed with five children.

Rev.George Kabira opportunity to encourage Christians to put their faith in Jesus Christ and to be able to follow her example emphasize that the church of a has lost mother dedicated to serve God and who invested heavily in the kingdom of God. Rev.Paul Otuoma said that partnership has lost a dedicated member invested in the kingdom of God.

She was buried at her Home in Milimani Kitale and as Imani family and fraternity at large we continue to pray for her family may God strengthen them at this time of grief.

TESTIMONIES

Zachariah

Just a day after we hit the airwaves in Baringo, During our evening prayer session one resident of

Baringo, Barwesa area known as
Zachariah tuned to Imani radio
and was convicted to confess
Christ as his Lord and Savior and
asked the pastor on duty to guide
him through salvation. He
was prayed for and was advised to
find a church to fellowship with so
that he can be spiritually
nurtured.

Yusuf

After listening to the sermon on generational curses by Rev. Butaki, I have done a historical check and I realized that it has been running in my bloodline. I was once a Christian then I converted to Islam religion but then through the trials of life I have the realized there's a true God. I have married 7 women they have all left me, I have lost a lot of wealth and after reflecting it has been happening in my family as well. I am choosing Christ and I want to serve the Lord and sing his Glory the rest of my days.

Michael

After searching for a Christian station to be nourished spiritually, I finally found Imani Media and I am so happy that I can listen to Christian music and teachings that have built my faith immensely. I thank God for Imani Ministries.

Mercyline when the son shall set you free you become free indeed. I was born a Christian, but went astray and married a Muslim. Life has not been easy. I have been praying for my husband and God did it for me. We are both back to renewing our salvation in Christ and we have both decided to join in the church to serve the true living

God.

Eliya Wafula
I have been going through a lot
of hardships in my life, I've
struggled getting employment
and even after getting it they
never last. Going through the
challenges prompted me to
look for solutions to my
problems.

I went to a witch doctor that conned me a lot of money, each time I went, he asked for money and I'd go look for it and bring it to him and nothing changed. I decided to come to Imani Media campus to seek help when I started getting bad dreams of snakes appearing and a shadow asking me why I stopped seeking help from them.

After prayer from the servants of God in Imani, I am now free and no longer have bad dreams.

After all the suffering I have decided to give my life to Christ.

PRAYER NEEDS

- 1.Backup generators for Mt. Elgon and Lodwar stations.
- 2. Batteries to replace the old ones that act as back up power for solar in our transmission site in kapenguria and Lodwar.
- 3. Frequency fees for both Kenya and Uganda.
- 4. Pray for continued health for staff in our different stations.
- 5.Pray for wisdom for Rev. Butaki as he oversees the operations of the Christian media ministry.











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