

## Gathering & Preparation for Worship

### Words of Welcome & News

*(Acknowledgement of guests, birthdays, and anniversaries)*

**Call to Worship:** Psalm 133:1

**Hymn\***

**Sharing Joys & Concerns**

**Congregational Prayer**

**Worship with Our Gifts**

**Songs of Praise\***

**Scripture:** Acts 8:9-25

**Time with the Children**

**Prayer for the Congregation and the Messenger**

**Message** “Check Yourself”

**Reflections**

**Hymn\* #553** “I Am Weak and I Need Thy Strength”

**Benediction\***

*\* Indicates to please stand, if able.*

## Something I want to remember:

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### STEWARDSHIP REPORT for September 23<sup>rd</sup>

Attendance: 26 Offering: \$429

Team Shalom: \$129

### LOOKING FORWARD

<b>Today</b>	Sunday Café Discussion at 10:25 am <i>Please donate a mug to be kept at the church!</i>
<b>October 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	Bible Study
<b>October 13<sup>th</sup></b>	Race for the Cure at 6:30 am Bayfront Park, 301 Biscayne Blvd, 33132 Donate to <b>Team Shalom!</b>
<b>October 17<sup>th</sup></b>	Bible Study
<b>October 21<sup>st</sup></b>	The Loop Youth Gathering 9:30 am
<b>October</b>	Budget meeting <i>All committees: Please send copies of your budget to the church treasurer.</i>
<b>November 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	District Conference, Ft. Myers, FL
<b>November 4<sup>th</sup></b>	The Loop Youth Gathering 9:30 am Youth Sunday
<b>November</b>	Council Meeting Love Feast



**Greetings to our visitors and guests!**

Thank you for joining us in worship today! Please fill out the guest book before you leave. Your presence is a blessing to us!

**Donate to Team Shalom!**

We know people who have been affected directly and indirectly by breast cancer. For that reason, our church made an initial donation of \$104 to support research and education to fight against breast cancer. Will you join us? Please donate to Team Shalom at [komenmiaftl.org/donate/](http://komenmiaftl.org/donate/). You can text "Shalom" to 305-492-5807 for a direct link to our donation page. Last day for donations: October 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Safe Travels, SueZann!**

SueZann leaves for Uganda on October 2<sup>nd</sup>. Her trip is with Journey of Hope, an organization led by murder victim family members that conducts public education speaking tours and addresses alternatives to the death penalty. SueZann will focus on speaking about the Death Penalty and visiting the Dream School. Please pray for safe travels for SueZann and for all those traveling with her.

**Something to Think About**

"He will bring to light what is hidden in darkness and will expose the motives of the heart." - 1 Corinthians 4:5  
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**About us:**

**We are followers of Jesus Christ.**

*(John 7:68-69, 1 John 3:23)*

**We are a peace church.**

*(Romans 12:18-21, 2 Corinthians 5:18-21)*

**We are a dedicated community.**

*(Acts 2:42-47, Colossians 3:12-17)*



**Miami First  
Church of the Brethren**

15000 North Miami Avenue, Miami, FL, 33168

**September 30, 2018**

Gathering & Fellowship - 10:30 AM

Worship Service - 10:45 AM



**MINISTERS**

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**Our vision:** "...and there before me was a great multitude from every nation, tribe, people, and language, standing before the throne and in front of the Lamb." (Revelation 7:9)