



JESUS IN THE CITY FELLOWSHIP

information and news update

Celebrating 17 years of Ministry in South Minneapolis

Fulfilling the great commission through outreach and spiritual restoration one soul at a time.

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It has been 3 months since you last heard from me regarding JICF and its ministry plans. Last month we moved into the Oliver Ministry Center, and on July 29th we held our first service there. We have not purchased the building yet, (we are still working towards that goal), but we are ministering from that location full time.

The opportunities before us are vast and exciting. There is no limit to the

amount of ministry and needs in the immediate vicinity of the building. We have held six Sunday services to date as of this writing and each service we see new people. During the week there are many differing service happenings going on, from medical assistance to daily youth ministry. All of this lends itself to bringing Christ to the nations. There are now 160 languages within 6 blocks in any direction of our building.

The immediate neighborhood is as if it's a Little Somalia with many immigrants residing here from Mogadishu.

The call of Jesus in the City comes out of Isaiah 58:6-12. In verses 10 through 12 the emphasis is on what can happen when we assert ourselves with Christ and bringing Him to the nations in the city...10 and if you spend yourselves on behalf of the hungry and satisfy the needs of the oppressed, then your light will rise in the darkness, and your night will become like the noonday. 11 The LORD will guide you always; he will satisfy your needs in a sun-scorched land and will strengthen your frame. You will be like a well-watered garden, like a spring whose waters never fail, 12 Your people will rebuild the ancient ruins and will raise up the age-old foundations; you will be called Repairer of Broken Walls, Restorer of Streets with Dwellings.

If you have been supporting us, we thank you very much. If you have not, would you please prayerfully consider doing so this fall as we rely completely on outside support. Also on Sunday Oct. 7th you are invited to attend a special celebration service with the Spanish Congregation that meets at the Oliver Ministry Center. It will be a bilingual service at 10:30 am.

Thanking you in advance for your support,
I remain your servant in Christ,
Rev. Michael A Pilla
michaelangelo@pclink.com





The JICF ministry team, picture taken on moving day.



Nathaniel Harris leading worship at a JICF outreach meeting.



Rev. Van Dickerson, the Mentoring Minister at JICF sharing his personal testimony while preaching at a JICF Sunday morning service.





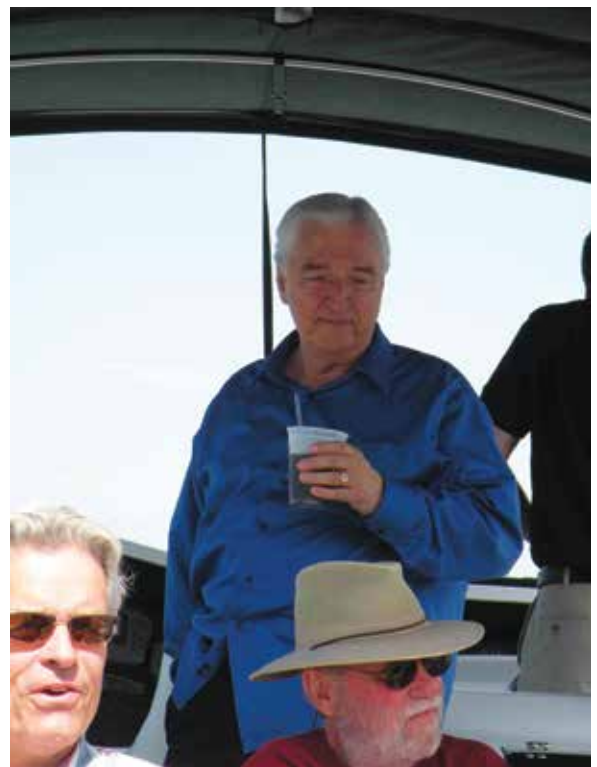
Pastor Michael speaking at a vision luncheon meeting at the Oliver Ministry Center.



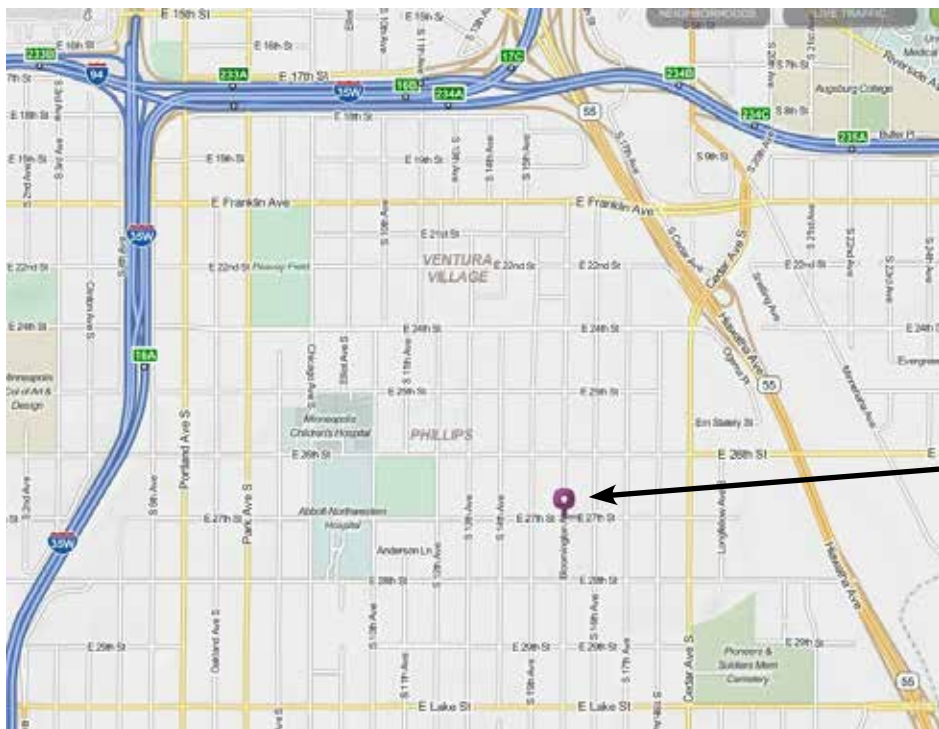
Carol Blair teaching a bible study at Denny's.



Rev. Norton Lewellyn leading worship at JICF.



Rev. Frank Masserano the General Secretary of International Ministerial Fellowship speaking at a time of fellowship.



Many of you have asked where this building is located, it is in the heart of the Phillips neighborhood, (the most demographically diverse neighborhood in the U.S., 160 different languages according to the U.S. census.)

OLIVER BUILDING UPDATE

We are presently working on our fund raising and capital campaign to raise the necessary funding to purchase this property.

JESUS IN THE CITY RELIES 100% ON OUTSIDE SUPPORT

SPECIAL BI LINGUAL CELEBRATION SERVICE ON OCT 7 SUNDAY MORNING AT 10:30 AM. PLEASE COME AND JOIN US.

DONATE ONLINE You can donate on line to Jesus In The City at our web site, www.jitcfellowship.org. Thanks so much again for all your support.

Would you like your newsletter emailed to you? Contact me at: Michaelangelo@pclink.com

LOCATION We are now holding services at Oliver Ministry Center at 2647 Bloomington Ave. So., Mpls., MN 55407. Come and join us for great music in South Minneapolis at 10:30 am. Go to our website for directions.

Thank you so much for your support! Pastor Michael Pilla <><

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