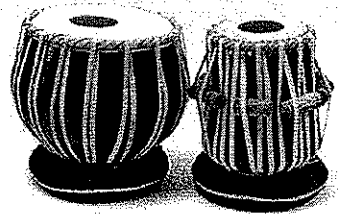
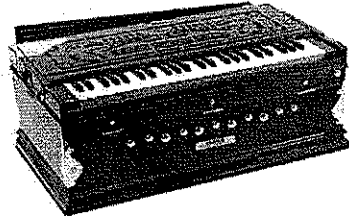
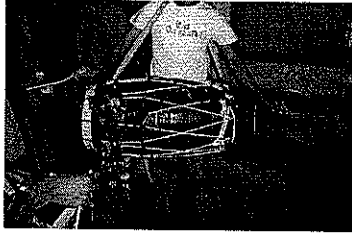


TEHILLIM SCHOOL OF CHURCH MUSIC & WORSHIP

Karachi-Pakistan



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This vision was born only a few years ago. A student with a gift of music studying at Gujranwala Theological Seminary saw that the church was singing theologically light-weight songs. Worship leaders and musicians were untrained and biblically illiterate themselves. Literary material on worship and music did not exist, there was no centre for training and church bodies where not involved in

guidance and encouragement in this field. After further research it was concluded that would essential for the church in Pakistan to produce first class literary material on music and worship and to establish a School of Church Music

Start of the school

In August 2002 an experimental group of Christian musicians and theologians began to meet regularly in a borrowed school build-



Students are practicing their lessons.

ing in the evening to teach Music and Theology' to 26 students from various churches around Karachi .

Special points of interest:

- Affiliated with RSCM (UK).
- Preserving and promoting great heritage of Indo-Pak Punjabi Zubor (Psalms)
- Children ministry leaders
- Rebuilding a life of worship music in Islamic context

Traditional Tunes of Punjabi Zubor (Psalm)

The book of psalms is an inspired word of God and Punjabi Zubor is the common heritage of the indo-pak church more than 100 years. It is the " Bible of illiterates" and the cord of unity in all denominations. To preserve and promote this heritage for coming generations. TSCM organized annual com-

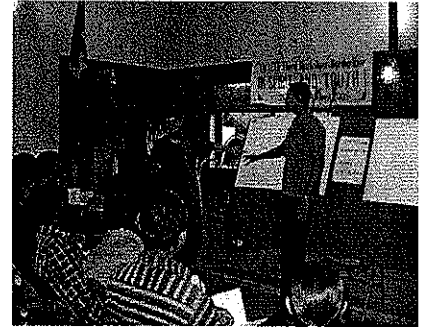
petition of Punjabi Zubor every year in Karachi.

By the Grace of our Lord TSCM organizing 6th annual Punjabi Zubor competition and teaching seminar on the "Importance of psalms in Christian worship" on 28-29 Nov, 2008 in Karachi.



Vision & Objectives

- TSCM exists to serve the churches in Pakistan in facilitating worship music that is both artistically and culturally relevant.
- TSCM committed to train , equipped and promote persons for contextually effective ministry of church music .
- Children Ministry : To provide material of the basic Christian education for future church in Pakistan.
- Audio Visual Ministry: Prepare & produce audio visual material for illiterate people.
- Literature Ministry : Providing literary material in their native language for the pastors, worship leaders and church musicians
- Education: Arranging teaching seminars , conferences & concerts for the promotion and awareness of church music because we believe "Study Leads to Practice"



Courses in TSCM



After nation wide success of our first volume of children songs this year we have produced second volume of songs for children and distributed to remote and village churches from Sialkot at 106th Annual Sialkot Convention on Friday Sep 26 '08 at 2:00 p.m. Rev. Dr . Maqsood

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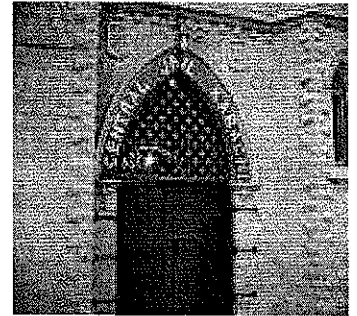
Joy to jail

With the burden and vision for children in prisons Rev. Eric contacted to superintended of children prison for Christian children in jail. At first they refused but then he called after one week and asked that if he come to jail and start classes for all children then he can allow us, he agreed to talk with him and when i met him he asked me that Central jail SSP is also interested in music classes for adults also, And when we discussed about that,

they agreed and grant him permission to go inside the walls to meet prisoners.

This door was never ever opened in the history of this country to share the love of God and to reach these un-reached prisoners to fulfill the Great Commission of our Lord to all nation. Now TSCM had 33 students in children and 35 in adults prison. I have given the name "Joy to Jail" to this project

Kindly pray for our urgent need of music instruments, stationary, chairs and small van to visit twice a week. In Karachi there are three jails and all over the province Sind are 96 jails. God has opened two and we are praying for all 96 and then whole country.



Children workers network

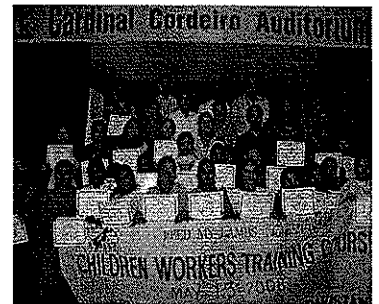
Teaching children and children workers is an important part of disciplining the generation. The great danger facing our churches today is second and third generation Christianity in our country. Children needs strong leaders who will stand up for them. The importance of children's ministry is huge, the future well being church

lies with children ministry leaders.

In March 2008 TSCM directors established nation wide network with in Sunday school teachers and struggling to form a platform for children workers and organized training workshops and preparing curriculum for Sunday schools in Is-

lamic context.

With in this year CWN trained more then 100 Sunday school teachers in different areas of Pakistan and demand is growing after every training.



"Feed My Lambs" training workshop for Sunday school teachers.

Founder & Director

Rev. Eric Sarwar graduated from Gujranwala Theological seminary, Pakistan and ordained minister of the Presbyterian Church of Pakistan, Karachi Presbytery, ministering in

small village congregation since 2002. He is an Ethnomusicologist, singer, composer, writer and lecturer on Worship Music & Old Testament. He has written two books "

Worship Music" and "Musician God" in Urdu language. He is serving as Vice Principal at Samuel Bible Institute since 2004.



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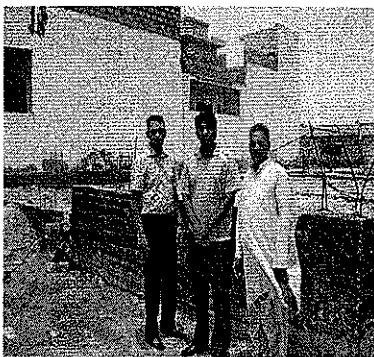
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Add your voice to fill the nation with the songs of salvation. "MUSIC SPEAKS LOUDER THEN WORDS"

Worship is the heart of Christian living. Glorifying God with words and music that comes from the heart should be possible for every believer in this world. The name 'Tehillim' is a Hebrew for psalms.

Tehillim school of Church Music & Worship (TSCM) established to nurture and promote ecumenical spirit in the churches by providing training workshop, teaching seminars, consultations and camps reflecting issues on church music & worship across the Pakistan. By accomplishing these programs the ultimate goal of the TSCM is to achieve unity and understand a biblical position of music in worship, discipleship and evangelism.

Looking Ahead

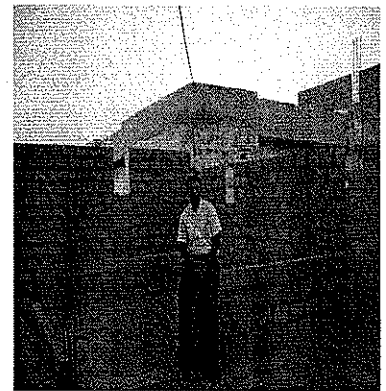


Small piece of land donated by Presbyterian Church Ireland (P C I) to construct school of church music in Pakistan.

Currently, the Tehillim School of Church Music and Worship is planning the construction of a residential building to contain four classrooms, a small auditorium, and, eventually, a basic recording studio. Already the school has been given a suitable piece of land in a strategic location in Karachi. As soon as funds have been raised the initial phase, cost-

ing Rupees 22, 00,000 (\$40,000), will be commenced.

Meanwhile the school hopes to develop a short course that can be taught in churches throughout Pakistan to develop church music as a means to enhancing the spirit of worship in congregational life.



TEHILLIM SCHOOL OF CURCH MUSIC & WORSHIP (TSCM)

Pakistan (News letter 2009)

"Nothing is impossible with God"

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

The advent of the Christmas and New Year is ahead and I do take the privilege to congratulate you all on these great events. May the glory of the Incarnate Word of God sign in your hearts and your circles and let the New year bring you many good tidings.

In the midst of Persecution, Terrorism, Suicide bomb blasts and *impossible* economic turmoil in Pakistan we thank God for this extraordinary year of ministry

We always thank God and friends like you who made it possible for TSCM teams to work with Theological institutions, Worship leaders, Church Musicians, Children workers ,Youth Pastors & Artists in Pakistan in which God led TSCM to new level of effectiveness.

Children Festival:



We also estimate that our work with children workers in local churches impacted over 1000's children in Karachi city and across the Pakistan through our two albums of Children songs. This is a small number compared to billions boys and girls who need Jesus Christ .TSCM is committed to working with local churches in Pakistan to share God's love with children & Youth also so they too can experience a transformed life with Christ.

Youth album "AWAKE!" (Songs for Youth) (Dedicated to Persecuted Christians in Pakistan).



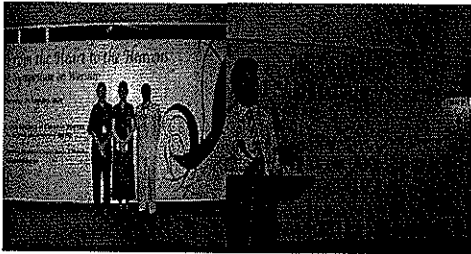
One of our mega event of 2009 was Youth album's launching in Karachi on Friday, Dec 4 .2009. Believed that this album will touch many young hearts in Pakistan and beyond boundaries as we have testimonies from Christian artists who worked in this album during recordings that how God touched their lives through these songs .Only in Karachi launching we had more than 500 young representatives from churches across the city as more than 40 young boys and girls performed live on stage with singers. "We never seen such kind of performances on Christian songs" said one Pastor, A Christian Scholar & teacher of Biblical languages commented "This is a new experience in Church Music in Pakistan" . Holding launching & Awards distribution ceremony , We distributed awards to Lyricists, Composer, Music arranger, singers, Rhythmist , Set designer, videographer and Art Designer of AWAKE for launching day

to encourage their ministry of Performing Arts in Worship. Album been distributed to churches ,Youth ministries and seminary students across the Pakistan.

Evangelism through Mass Media:

Received very strong testimonies about songs even from Muslim singers and musician friends who visited studio time to time during recordings .Two songs been sent to FM radio for play on launching day as one song from children album already aired from national radio station which is a big achievement for any Church ministry. Here's is brief summary of TSCM ministry in 2009.

- With the partnership of Calvin Institute of Christian Worship, USA two symposiums been organized in Gujranwala Theological Seminary & Christ the King Seminary in Karachi .Rev. Eric's second book "Musician God"(Urdu Language) been published and inaugurated in Karachi.



- Rev. Eric & Shumaila Eric visited Ireland invited by Presbyterian Church Ireland in March/April as presenter at Celebration of Global Mission Conference .Rev. Eric been invited to speak on special Punjabi Psalm evening at Manchester & interviewed on BBC Manchester, Morning show on Church Music at Venus T.V. London, Sunrise Radio at Bradford & specially visit to RSCM, UK to renew affiliation during his brief visit to England.
- Rev. Eric Sarwar & Dixon Wilson (Director of Audio Visual Deptt of TSCM) attended SAGC 2009 (South Asian Global Connection) at Singapore
- Facilitated on two youth rallies with Universal Gospel Assemblies Intl & Graduates Christian Fellowship in Karachi .TSCM assisted Karachi Children Festival as presenter with partnership of six other children ministries.Symposium on "The Role of Psalms in Backdrop of Persecution In Pakistan" been organized on Oct 17,2009 qt Karachi.
- TSCM formed a network with Worship leaders, Church Musicians, Youth ministries & Artists for up-coming Youth album "AWAKE " at Lahore, Gujranwalla & Islamabad and attended 107 th session of Sialkot Convention as speaker at Sialkot.

the story just posted this week on the web:

- www.calvin.edu/worship/stories/pakistan.php?source=news
- Rev. Eric Sarwar Interviewed by Assist News International USA correspondence for TSCM vision & ministry in Pakistan .Published on Tuesday, Nov 17, 2009 . (ASSIST News Service (ANS) - PO Box 609, Lake, Forest,CA ,92609-0609,USA.Visit web site at: <http://www.assistnews.net/> .

I cannot thank you enough for your ongoing prayers and support during this year-end as we continue to refine our mission and vision for 2010.

**Shalom!
In His Service,
TSCM Team**



Presbyterian Church of Pakistan

Prayer Request for Under-construction Church Building

Village Church Planted in 2001

Presbyterian Church of Pakistan has established Karachi Presbytery in 1999 and first Church been planted out skirts of Karachi city in small village.

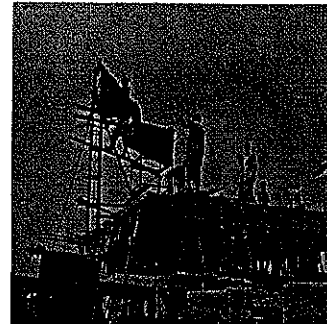
Rev. Eric Sarwar started congregation in 2001 consists 30 families .Mostly members are very poor, illiterate and less privileged but Adult Basic Literacy program been started for women, 7 days a week Sunday school started for more then 40 un educated children along with regular Sunday service.

Sunday Service shifted at homes of congregation

With the course of time church level got down from street level and mostly it was very difficult for old peoples and young kids to enter church and even few of them injured. In Oct 2008 at first the ground was filled till street level& standing walls with out any roof covering.

Due to broken temporary roof people sit under the direct sun heat. With this worst condition of Church building Sunday service been shifted to congregation homes from 2002-2006.

July 2009



Construction work of 1st Presbyterian Church in Karachi.

Condition Before Starting



Appeal for funds to complete construction work.



Under-construction structure of ground floor roof .

Presbyterian Church Ireland (PCI) granted funds to start initial phase and in May 2009 according to plan small community hall on ground floor, church building on first floor, Sunday school room and pastors office on second floor's roof been started on small piece of land in village. The total cost of church building structure without any furnishing work is (PKR. 8,00,000 = US\$.10,000). We have already paid (PKR. 4, 00, 000 = US\$ 5, 000).

According to contract we need to pay the rest of amount till August 5, 2009. If we stop the construction work right now in the middle, then the work which have been done will no use and the building blocks will spoil with out plaster and color paint in this weather

We request you to help & support us for remaining construction work and share our burden in prayer to pay in due time the amount of (PKR.4, 00, 000 = US\$. 5, 000.)
Shalom!

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