

SMALL GROUPS in Belgium

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History

In Pyung Yang Rev. Moon established a **house-church group** and began teaching the Divine Principle.



Inspired by True Mother's direction "I want all of you to learn from the Brazilian (and Philippine) situation and take it with you back to your home. ...If you are willing to change, miracles can happen. —Paraphrase by G. Kazakos of words by True Mother, addressing the national and international leadership" my wife and I decided to start a small group in our village in April.

We were checking on many websites and in many books how to do it and, of course, were very inspired by our movement in Philippines and Brazil, which were reporting about it.

If we see the history of Christianity, they also started with small groups and even True father started in the same way.

So far we have met 3 times already and our group counts about 9 members. Some members are neighbours or friends. We always choose a topic to discuss and send invitation letters by mail. We start with some icebreaker's questions and sometimes have a lot of fun and discover the nature or character of each of the members. Then, one by one, we start reading some text or quotes from sacred books, philosophers, or True Father, and everyone can give comment. It's often very deep and animated and giving the opportunity to each one of us to open our hearts.



Before concluding the meeting, each of the members takes an internal goal for the week. We try to meet every week. People are really inspired and so happy to come, some take notes and share so deeply. We feel that some of the group members are ready to receive the Divine Principle. This is a very good way for witnessing and to introduce Father's words.

Our goal is to multiply the small groups in different parts of Belgium.