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Global Leaders Call for Peace on the Korean Peninsula - Dr Michael Balcomb

The World Summit 2022 for Peace on the Korean Peninsula was held in Seoul, Korea, on Feb. 11-13. Some 160 nations were represented, including 157 nations with diplomatic ties to one or both of the Koreas. The Summit was sponsored by the Universal Peace Federation (UPF), an NGO in General Consultative status with the United Nations and the Royal Government of Cambodia, and hosted by UPF Co-Founder Dr. Hak Ja Han Moon, H.E. Hun Sen, Prime Minister of Cambodia and H.E. Ban Ki-moon, former Secretary-General of the United Nations.

Summit sessions featured heads of state, government ministers, parliamentarians, scholars, and media representatives from each region of the world who addressed the many

challenges to peace on the Korean Peninsula, such as resistance to denuclearization, strained Korea-Japan relations, tensions between China and the US and core differences between North and South. At the same time, they offered a range of solutions, such as encouraging new friendships with the North Korean people through trade, tourism, sports, music, and cultural exchanges.

The Sunhak Peace Prize Award Ceremony honoured Dame Prof. Sarah Catherine Gilbert of Oxford University for her role in developing the Astra Zeneca vaccine and Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance, for its achievement in dealing with the Covid pandemic throughout the world as well as its ongoing work to provide vaccines to over 800m of the world's most needy children. Founded by Dr. Moon in 2013, the Sunhak Peace Prize selects laureates for their service to global peace in the areas of sustainable human development, conflict resolution or ecological conservation.

Dr Moon closed the Summit with a moving speech thanking world leaders for their contributions in support of peace on the Peninsula. She expressed her concern for the multiple challenges to peace in the world, notably in Eastern Europe and Northeast Asia, and for the damages caused to the environment by the lack human responsibility. "These challenges cannot be met by human effort alone," she said "Building one family under God is the only way to bring about a world filled with freedom, equality and peace.", In an emotional conclusion, she asked the citizens of North and South Korea and all nations present to join with her to achieve unification on the Korean Peninsula and true peace throughout the world.

HJ CheonBo Great Works -Registration Deadline Extension

The deadline for registering for this weekend's Winter Special Great Works has been extended to Thursday 24th February (tomorrow), however please note that the deadline for registering for HJ Offering Papers has not been extended.

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True Mother's Recent Speeches

The transcripts for the speeches given by True Mother during the CIG Gyeongbae Ceremony on 6th February, the Summit for Peace on 13th February and the Victory Celebration on 15th February are now available.

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Make the Most of Marriage

Having the same fight with your spouse over and over again?

Join Daniel L. on Thursday evening as he shares about the topic: *Understanding the Essence of Your Spouse*, followed by a group discussion. Watch the promo here...

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Principles of Successful Family Relationships

Starting this Friday, Josef Gundacker will be hosting three weekly sessions on the principles of successful family relationships.

Topics will include "The Importance of a Vision for the Ideal Family" and "The Roadmap - Living for the Sake of Others and Restoring My Relationships".

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FFWPU Children's Summer Camp

This year's children's summer camp for ages 8-11 will be held at Cleeve House from Saturday 30th July to Thursday 4th August. Registration and further details to be provided later.

For initial enquiries, please contact Chris Le Bas: chris.lebas@ffwpu,org,uk



Upcoming Events

Please click on the title of the event(s) that you are interested in for further details:

<u>National Worship Service</u> Sunday 27th February

WEEKLY

UK Weekly Devotion

Early Morning Devotion via Zoom

FEBRUARY

II Shim Program

Saturday 5th February to Saturday 19th

Matching & Blessing Workshop: Internal and Practical Guidance Saturday 19th, Sunday 20th and Saturday 26th February

Make the Most of Marriage: <u>Understanding the Essence of Your</u> <u>Spouse</u> Thursday 24th February

Principles of Successful Family **Relationships**

Friday 25th February, Friday 4th and 11th March

Winter Special Great Works Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th February

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