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The weather brightened; there were no rail strikes, but it was still very cold. It was a real spiritual battle to start the meeting, but with great teamwork, unity, and some miracles, we pulled through, and the Heavenly Hosts descended, uplifting and inspiring all. One sister saw Jesus looking happy and grateful for all the participants.

The presence and warmth of our President, Dr. Michael Balcomb, and Mrs. Fumiko Balcomb gave great dignity to the occasion. They made the presentation of the Ambassador for Peace Awards to our 12 very wonderful Pastors who are all involved in serving their communities very special. Dr. Balcombe gave an excellent and fascinating explanation of the origin and development of the Awards by Rev. Dr. Sun Myung Moon. Dr. David Hanna gave a brilliant talk about the 3 Blessings God gave to man and how they relate to the completion of God's Providence in the Last Days.

Rev. Isaac Ayani introduced the Seminar with much spirit. Queen Esther George lifted the spirit higher with her dynamic singing before the Blessing of all present. Dr. Hanna showed an exciting video of Mother Moon officiating the Blessings of thousands in Stadiums around Africa before he and Mrs. Kungja Hanna graciously guided the Blessing program.

John O'Neill excelled by bringing so many guests, and the sisters - Anne Kobayashi, Anne Cotter, and Rita O'Neill- worked hard preparing refreshments. Our MC, Jennie Thompson, inspired us with her contribution. And we are always grateful to our technician, Joseph Cotter, for screening the event. Also, I am very thankful to Joyce Suda and Joanna da Souza for managing the articles used in the Blessing. And Bishop Robert Asare ended the programme by offering a powerful prayer.

I want to express my appreciation for the encouragement and inspiration given to us by Dr. Mrs. Hak Ja Han Moon, our Mother of Peace