# Peace Starts With Me Nassau Coliseum, November 12, 2018

# Advisory

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### Times and Program

Doors open at 2 p.m. on Monday, November 12. The main program starts at 3 p.m. and is expected to conclude around 5:30 p.m.

Nassau Coliseum Address, Parking, and Entrance

Nassau Veterans Memorial Coliseum is located at 1255 Hempstead Turnpike, Uniondale, NY 11553.

There are several parking lots surrounding the Coliseum. The main entrance is the one in front of the Marriott hotel. Please see diagram below.



If you're planning to drive and park, you can get a \$20 pre-paid parking in this link: <a href="http://www.ticketmaster.com/event/0000552BA6F75B9C">www.ticketmaster.com/event/0000552BA6F75B9C</a>

Onsite, the parking fee is \$30.

Buses can park in lots 3 and 4. Bus parking fee is \$50 onsite.

# <u>Security</u>

According to the Coliseum's instructions, everyone entering the venue, without exception, will be going through airport-style security before entering the ticket area. Please allow additional time for screening.

As much as possible, do not bring bags, luggage, etc. to make for a smoother entrance. No outside food or drink are permitted to be brought into the venue.

## <u>Seating</u>

Seating is assigned by ticket. You need the Coliseum's printed ticket or a printed version of the PDF ticket, if you bought it online, to enter and get to your seat. No digital tickets accepted.

If you haven't yet got your ticket, please connect with your local pastor, as he or she may have tickets for you.

You can also still get tickets online at: Peace Starts with Me on Ticketmaster

There will also be a 'Will Call' table at the information tent.

If you need special seating for wheel chair, the Coliseum's staff will meet you at the box office and provide you with those specific tickets.

#### Translation

Translation will be provided by using a <u>cell phone conference system</u>. In addition, there will be subtitles on the screen, as Mr. Suh translates True Mother's speech.

Please bring a fully charged cellphone (it does not have to be a smart phone) and personal headsets. Additional earbuds will be available at the door, or with the ushers, if needed. If some in your party do not have phones (such as children), we recommend a headphone splitter and additional headset to allow another person to listen from the same phone. Another option is to get a cheap pre-paid phone.

To access translation, you will call a toll-free number and be connected directly to the English translation. For other languages, you will also enter an access code (PIN NUMBER). Different dial-in and PIN numbers will access the different language translations. Numbers will be provided before and during the event.

Translation will be available from English to Japanese and Spanish, and True Mother's speech will be translated from Korean to English, Japanese, and Spanish.

<u>ADDITIONAL NOTE for INTERNATIONAL VISITORS</u>: we strongly recommend to make <u>prior</u> <u>arrangements</u> to be able to make cheap phone calls in the USA, either through your cellular provider or through an app that provides WIFI calling. There will be WIFI in the venue, but this may be overloaded if too many people try to access it at once.

## Food and Beverages

No outside food or beverage are allowed in the venue. We recommend eating lunch before entering the venue. However, the concession stands will be open and snacks can be purchased inside.

### Young Children

We welcome families with children of all ages. We do, however, ask to please be considerate to others in your area, and be responsible for your children if they are noisy. It may not seem so, but sounds of crying or even loud talking travel throughout the main hall. Especially during the main speech, we ask that if your young child or baby is crying, please take them to the hallway until they calm down.

#### Dress Code

Please dress with your Sunday attire. Bright and cheerful to meet True Parents!

## Video and Photography

This event will be filmed with video and still cameras, and will be broadcast live through the Internet. By participating in this event, you give your consent for your image to be used, including your minor children.

#### Nassau Coliseum/ NYCB Live Website

For more venue information, please visit <u>www,nycblive,com/</u>

# **Accommodation and Transportation**

Please be sure to arrange your own accommodations and transportation to and from the Nassau Veterans Memorial Coliseum at 1255 Hempstead Turnpike, Uniondale, NY 11553.

Please also ask your pastor if he or she had already made any transportation or accommodations plans for your group.

#### Suggested Accommodations

The closest hotel to the Nassau Coliseum is the <u>Long Island Marriott</u>. It is just across the court from the Nassau Coliseum and is about 25 minutes' drive from JFK, and 30 minutes from LGA.

There is also the <u>Red Roof PLUS+</u>, which is a 5 minute drive from the Coliseum and a 35 minute drive from for JFK and LGA. There are other hotels around the Coliseum that can fit various budgets. These are within a 5-10 minutes' drive from the Coliseum.

Another option is the New Yorker hotel, which is right near Penn Station for trains to Long Island. There is a discounted rate at the New Yorker through this link: <u>Family Federation at the New Yorker -</u><u>Nov. 10-13</u>

# **Transportation**

The Nassau Coliseum website includes detailed driving instructions for the Tri-State area: <u>https://www.nycblive.com/getting-here/directions</u>

If you're driving, please see above for parking information. Here are some suggestions for public transportation:

The closest train station to the Coliseum is Hempstead, NY. However, trains from Penn Station to Hempstead run on a holiday about once an hour.

If you get the train to Hempstead, the bus terminal is a block away. You can take the N70 or N71 for about 10 minutes (9 stops). The bus will drop you off at Hempstead Turnpike and Glenn Curtiss Blvd. just opposite the Coliseum. From there it's about a 6-minute walk.

Other train stations close to the Coliseum are Mineola and Westbury (on the train to Port Jefferson). Trains to these stations are more frequent, but it is recommended to take a taxi to the Coliseum.

Another option from Penn Station is taking the train to Freeport, NY (on the train to Babylon). These trains are about every 30 minutes. From Freeport station, you can walk 2 minutes to N Main St. and Broadway and take the N43 for about 25 minutes, until Earle Ovington at the Coliseum Parking L, which is a 4-minute walk to the Coliseum.

Fares from Penn Station in NYC to any of the above mentioned stations are less than \$10 on the off peak trains. Long Island bus rides are \$2.75 and they take the MTA MetroCard.

If you're coming from JFK airport on public transportation, you can connect to any of these trains in Jamaica station directly from the airport air-train.

If you're arriving to LGA airport, you will need a bus (Q70) to Woodside to connect with the Long Island Rail Road. It makes the trip more complicated and lengthy.