FFWPU Bromley Community Newsletter 2019.12.19

Matthew Huish December 19, 2019



Vision Statement:

FFWPU Bromley seeks to foster joy and happiness by building a dynamic and caring community, establish and support loving families, extend the blessing and become a relevant force for good in the wider society.

Mission Statement: To Reach Up, Reach out, and Reach In

Bromley Worship Services

Upcoming Sunday Services:

December:

- **22nd December** Christmas Carol service with sermon by Rev David Hanna. There will be a pot luck lunch afterwards (more info below)
- **29th December** no Sunday Service but a Prayer Walk in Lullingstone Park at 10:30am (more info below)

January:

• 5th January - Sunday Service with sermon by Matthew Huish

If anyone would like to prepare some lunch, pies, cakes, etc. for our community after any service - please contact Irina: <u>irinamobaserjane@_gmail.com</u>

THIS SUNDAY: Bromley Community Christmas Service



For the kids:

All children are invited to prepare their own decoration for a Christmas tree in Livingstone House. Please bring along your decoration on Sunday 22nd December and add it to the tree. Make sure your name is on your decoration!

There will be prizes awarded for "Most Christmas Spirit", "Most Creative" and "Funniest"!

Buffet Lunch:

We want to prepare a beautiful festive day with a pot luck Christmas lunch in the service room after service. Please let Matthew & Natasha know what dish you would like to offer and they will coordinate the whole meal!

Prayer Walk on Sunday 29th December



WHEN: Sunday 29th December at 10:30am

WHERE: Lullingstone Country Park

The meeting point for the prayer walk is the picnic area in front of the information/cafe building. The pay and display parking costs £2.50 per day.



Address:

Lullingstone Country Park Castle Road Eynsford Kent DA4 0JF

Everyone is welcome to head to Livingstone House after the prayer walk for a cup of tea/coffee, a warm atmosphere and fellowship.

Report from WFWP Charity Event



Women's Federation Bromley chapter held a "Crafts, Cakes and Christmas" charity event on 8th December, with the help of the Bromley community.

The aim of the event was to raise funds in aid of refugee children's educational projects that are provided by WFWP Jordan volunteers, and to celebrate Christmas with the community. We had a very rich, entertaining program with amazing music, songs, a Christmas quiz and magic show, which was enjoyed by all.

Dr. Zoe Bennett and Mrs.Sonja Read were the main guests speakers. They talked about WFWP Jordan activities held in Rusaifa and Wadiseer educational centres for children and women, and about the general tough humanitarian situation of refugees in Jordan where the state doesn't provide any help and refugees rely heavily on NGO's help.

The event's programme was concluded with the distribution of exciting raffle prizes, refreshments, and splendid cakes and crafts that were available for sale. Many participants mentioned that it was a wonderful, spirit-filled gathering and they really enjoyed it.

We are so grateful to all who actively supported this event, especially to our talented artists, and to many members for their generous donations and help. With our united efforts, we could raise £350 that will support programmes for character education and training skills for underprivileged children in Jordan, and will give them better opportunities in the future.

Thank you very much from Ala Zubovskis, WFWP Bromley and Fusayo Irikura, WFWP Jordan.





December Birthday Wishes



A very warm HAPPY BIRTHDAY to all those born in December:

Philip Deocares Philip Withers Tanya Fisher Nicholas Fisher Eva Davidova Catherine Simpson Lucas Santos Carmela Lim Mark Hanna Brenda Hodgson

Home Group Meetings

Sister's Meetings:

The sisters' meetings will continue **twice a month on a Tuesday**. Please contact Dawn for details: <u>dawnmpollitt@ gmail.com</u>

Livingstone House Home Group:

The Livingstone House home group will continue to meet every Wednesday at 7pm, first to join the European Prayer and then to study together from 7:30pm. Everyone is very welcome!

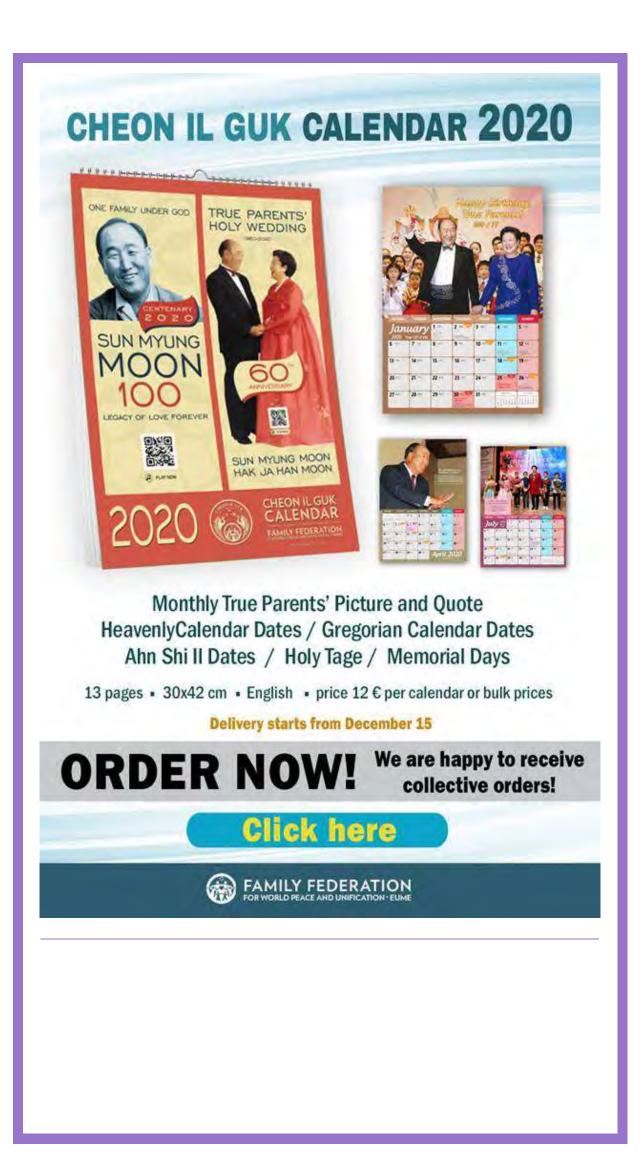
Let's Prepare to Celebrate True Heavenly Parent's Day on 26th January!

PREPARED On 25th January 2020, the world will be celebrating True Heavenly Parent's Day. We plan to celebrate it as we did this year, with a concert, quizzes and other activities. If you feel that you wish to take a more active part in the celebrations, you may want to begin to think about what your performance would be, and then let Nadia know so that you can be entered into the celebration programme.

Cheon II Guk Calendar 2020

Bromley have ordered some Cheon II Guk calendars for 2020. They will be available from 5th January and cost about £12 each.

If you would like to reserve one, please email David Franklin: dmmefranklin@gmail.com



Bromley Children's Ministry News

Sunday School Teachers Rota:



- 1st December - HDH Service Boulders (ages 4-6) – Dawn Pollitt Mountains (ages 7-11) – Matthew Huish

- 8th December - Regular Service Boulders & Mountains – Dawn Pollitt

- 15th December - Testimony Service (no Children's Ministry)

- 22nd December - Christmas Carol Service with short lesson and lots of activities for children

- 29th December - No Sunday Service



National Prayer Points

International & National Leadership

- Good, spirit-filled and principled leadership of our Unificationist communities
 - Michael & Fumiko Balcomb (Europe & Middle East Region)
 - David & Kyung Ja Hanna (North Europe Region)
 - Matthew & Natasha Huish (UK)
- Boris Johnson and his government to negotiate the best departure from the European Union without tearing apart the country
- Queen Elizabeth II and Prime Minister, Boris Johnson, can perform the John the Baptist role on behalf of the nation

The FFWPU Mission – Blessing, Home Groups & Education

- The success of local Family Festivals and Marriage Blessing events
- The success of transformational workshops
- The success of transformational training programmes:
 - DONE
 - STF
- The growth of home groups in every community, in quality and in quantity

Additional Points

- Find the most suitable replacements for key HQ roles:
 - Trustees
 - Business Support Officer

Bank Details for Tithing - Bromley Community

Account name : The Family Federation for World Peace and Unification Account Sort Code: 20-14-33 Account No: 90301574 SWIFTBIC: BUKBGB22 IBAN: GB04 BUKB 2014 3390 3015 74

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Useful Websites:

Unification Movement UK

European Unificationist Community

European Second Generation Department

European Blessed Family Department