

Bay Area Family Church: Reach out to others and make sure they are doing well

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Greetings, brothers and sisters

I hope you are well physically and spiritually. Let us continue to pray for each other and be in touch with each other as best as we can. Please reach out to others and make sure they are doing well.

True Mother is asking us to pray for the reunification of North and South Korea. From God's view Korea should never have been a divided nation. Instead it should have been the nation which accepted the 2nd Coming Messiah and became a model of a heavenly nation. God has not given up on that idea at all and neither should we. Things are quite strained between North and South, between South Korea and Japan and between North Korea and USA at the moment. This has great cause for concern for True Mother at this time and as we know she is making strong Jeongseong conditions, along with our Korean family. We can pray and support God's plans to be accomplished in the Fatherland.

Report from Dr [Ki Hoon] Kim (my notes)

Former Congressman Dan Burton and Bishop Noel Jones each gave recent strong testimonies to True Parents to Korean media. They spoke about who True Parents are and also about Summit 2020.

Dan Burton: I have never met anyone who is promoting world peace like True Mother.

Noel Jones: True Mother came to my church one week after a rap star was killed near the church. So, even though it was a dangerous place, True Mother still came and brought so much hope and healing to his church through her message of peace. She really is Mother of Peace. Bishop Jones predicts that FFWPU will grow rapidly and that this is our time. Sometimes church members don't see ourselves correctly. We need to see ourself as God sees us. He never met True Father. He met our members first and was inspired by our members and how serious they were. This made him want to meet True Mother. He went to Korea and saw the Blessing ceremony -- Blessing of God in which all world's people were invited. It isn't just a ceremony for church members but had representatives of the whole world.

The ACLC foundation launched KCLC and then WCLC.

FFWPU is building a new order of God. "Who are True Parents?" They are called by God for the sake of mankind. True Mother is not only Mother of Peace she is Mother of the Universe. Read her memoir. There is a story of when she went to Bolivia. A ventilator was prepared behind the stage because of the high altitude. But True Mother had the attitude, "I cannot stop now, I must bless the people of Bolivia." She is truly sent by God. A powerful woman of God.

When he was asked about dealing with such a cult he said, 'I have seen and heard from God so nothing anyone says can get me off track.' He said that our members must respect ourselves for who we are and what we are doing.

FOOD IS LOVE. Rev. YOU JIN Moon and other young Korean members provided free lunch to community members in a drive-through style at church last week. They wanted to show love to members and surely everyone who received such lunches felt that love.

Markus von Euw and Mike Kellet have organized a prayer meeting every night at San Leandro Marina and invite anyone who can make it.

UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR (please keep watching e-mails from the church for details.)

JULY 23rd SR5 UPF event. This coming Thursday our sub-region will host the third follow up event from Summit 2020.

July 26th National Parents Day (1pm) event will be broadcast live from Washington DC

August 1st USA Virtual Rally for Peace. Bishop Noel Jones who is totally united in heart with True Mother will speak and we have some major music artists signed up.

August 9th True Mother's 1 million people Rally of Hope will take place. This was postponed from July 19th to give more time to gather the testimonies of heads and state and other major leaders.

August 16th Peace Road will come to San Francisco as part of the nationwide tour. Theme: Peace Starts with Me: Reconciliation for all People

CAUSA 2.0. DR THOMAS WARD of UTS will teach an online course of CAUSA 2.0 which will look at cultural issues which we are facing and a Principled counterproposal. Look for details to follow.

God bless you. Please look after your health. Our brother Rob had bypass surgery on Thursday and is currently in recovery. Pray for him. Also pray for Peter who is recovering from stroke.

Pastor Thompson