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Korea Blessing Experience: All You Need To Know

Participants must register by March 13th, book travel for April 10th-14th, complete Blessing qualifications, obtain attire, and join the required online preparation workshop on March 29th-30th.

The Blessing in Korea is a multi-day experience spanning from April 10th to April 14th, 2025. The Korean Blessing experience includes Blessing preparation, the Blessing Ceremony, and the Blessing Celebration. In 2025, this experience is going to be extended one more day to participate in the Opening of the Cheon Won Gun Palace (God's Final Temple) from the Cheongshin Peace World Center. Please share this information with those who plan on attending the upcoming Blessing in South Korea.



WHAT DO YOU NEED TO DO?

1. Complete your Blessing Registration

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Register for the Blessing HERE before March 13th.

All EUME Blessing Candidates, as well as each family member planning to attend the Blessing programme (10th-14th) should register individually. Candidates don't need to have fulfilled all Blessing qualifications before registering. Join the Cosmic Blessing 2025 Group on the Blessed Family Network to stay up to date with all the Blessing updates. Family members who want to join the EUME Pilgrimage programme (not the Blessing programme) do not need to fill out the BFD EUME registration form. All EUME Pilgrimage participants will attend the Cosmic Blessing Ceremony. Couples who cannot travel to Korea should reach out to BFD EUME (bfdeume@gmail.com) for other options.

2. Buy your tickets to Korea

When purchasing your ticket to Korea, we ask that you arrive on April 10th, ideally during the day, to ensure you are ready for the start of the event. You should also plan to leave in the afternoon (or later) on April 14th to accommodate the full Blessing experience.

For those wishing to tour the Cheon Won Gun after the event, we highly recommend staying a little longer and joining the EUME Pilgrimage for an additional cost. Blessing Candidates and their guests can register for the EUME Pilgrimage via the BFD EUME Travel Form (more on this in point 5).

3. Get your Blessing Attire

The official Blessing Attire and rings are the Cheon II Guk Attire & Accessories designed by True Mother. You can find them in the online shop HERE. It is expected but not required that all participants wear the Cheon II Guk Attire for the Blessing.

A full Packing List for you and your guests will be sent to you later on.

4. Complete your Blessing Qualifications

Please submit your Blessing qualifications as soon as you are able. You will receive your Blessing fee payment information once all of your documents have been submitted and your application for the Blessing is cleared. The deadline for submitting is March 17th.

There is a great deal of administrative work that goes into preparing for the Blessing. Therefore, those who submit after the deadline will be charged a late fee of 30 euro.

2nd+ Gen can submit to www.blessingapplication.eu

1st Gen and married couples can submit to

europe.cosmic.blessing@gmail.com

(your matching supporter or BFD Leader can also do this for you) For more information on the qualifications: For 2nd+ Gen: <u>Qualifications</u>; For 1st Gen: <u>Qualifications</u>, and please contact your Matching Supporter; For married couples: please speak with your BFD leader;

Payments: The deadline to pay your Blessing fee is March 20th.

5. Fill out the Travel Form

All EUME Blessing candidates and their family members who have filled out the Blessing Registration Form and are preparing to attend the Cosmic Blessing Ceremony in Korea, will receive a Travel Form to fill out. Via this form, they also have the chance to join the EUME Pilgrimage from April 14th until April 17th, for 1, 2 or 3 days.

More information on the EUME Pilgrimage can be found HERE. All registered participants will also receive a Travel Guide closer to departure.

6. Join the Level 3 Online Blessing Preparation Workshop

Save the Date: March 29th and 30th.

This workshop is a requirement for all 1st and 2nd+ Gen EUME candidates who wish to attend the upcoming Blessing Ceremony – partners from other regions are welcome too. It provides the opportunity to: receive additional education, discuss important topics with your future spouse, meet other couples, hear the latest information on the Blessing ceremony and to ask your guestions.

MEANING OF THE BLESSING OFFERING

The Blessing Offering holds profound internal significance beyond its practical purpose of supporting the expenses of the Blessing Ceremony and the development of programs to care for Blessed members. True Parents established this tradition to help couples connect deeply to the value of the Blessing. For every Blessing Ceremony they have officiated, True Parents have requested couples to make a financial offering as a sincere expression of gratitude. This act represents the "5% human portion of responsibility" described by True Father, emphasizing the role of human effort in a process where Heavenly Parent and True Parents take on 95% of the work. By contributing to the Blessing Offering, couples take responsibility for their portion and offer back to Heavenly Parent, rather than merely receiving.

The Blessing Offering also serves as a bridge, connecting material investments to the spiritual realm. According to the Cheon Seong Gyeong, "If after offering devotions you receive a special blessing, you should always offer a donation of gratitude to God." This contribution must be made with heart and devotion, creating a foundation for God's blessings to flow to the family and descendants. Importantly, this donation is not for God's benefit—CSG explains that God does not need money, but uses it as a condition to save humanity. Through such offerings, we form a relationship with Heavenly Parent and contribute to the salvation of others, fulfilling a higher purpose that extends beyond ourselves.

The heart behind the Blessing Offering underscores the cosmic significance of the Blessing itself. True Father reminds us that "Indemnity comes before blessing," and the offering reflects gratitude for the immense price Heavenly Parent has paid throughout history. From Jesus' sacrifice to the suffering of countless individuals in the Old Testament era, the Blessing represents the culmination of efforts to restore humanity. True Father stated, "Even if you dedicate an entire nation to God for the blessing, or your own family and relatives, can you pay for the blessing? No. The value of the perfect family, world, and cosmos are contained in the blessing." When we reflect on the Blessing's significance and its transformative power for individuals, families, and the world, the Blessing Offering becomes a deeply meaningful and heartfelt gesture of acknowledgment and devotion.

For more information and information about the dress code, view and download the booklet below.



Here's a video of the highlights from last year's event. Watch below or directly on YouTube.



If you have any questions, please contact the EUME Blessed Family Department at: bfdeume@gmail.com

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Attend High Noon's Radiant Programme For Blessed Couples!

Sign up by 23rd of February to take part in the first Radiant Cycle of the year! 🔅 Hey everyone! 🍍 We're excited to kick off

