

FFWPU Europe and Middle East HARP Summer Workshop in the Czech Republic

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From July 4th to 12th, Czech and Slovak HARP held a joint summer workshop attended by 40 young members aged 11 - 19.

The theme, "FLY HIGH: Great heights begin with a single leap of faith," guided the entire week and was also reflected in a special workshop song, created by Martin S., Vera L., and Seana G., which was sung daily to inspire and unite everyone throughout the event.



The program combined spiritual and personal growth, creativity, fun, and bonding. Participants attended lectures and testimonies on topics such as faith, identity, love, purity, and self-worth, with open discussions that encouraged honest reflection and deeper connection.

Throughout the week, they could also deepen their relationship with Heavenly Parent through Vigil prayer, and enjoy fun activities including sports, games, a team-building program, and various creative groups such as baking, arts and crafts, gold panning, Just Dance, songwriting, and prayer practice.

Despite frequent rain, participants kept a positive spirit, especially during Challenge Day, which focused on teamwork, unity, and perseverance. Alongside many challenges, participants also worked together to keep a bonfire burning in the rain - a symbolic act reminding them to nurture the fire of faith and connection even through difficult circumstances.



One of the highlights of the workshop was Brothers' and Sisters' Day, during which participants were able to receive guidance, connect, and share on a deeper level - separately, sisters with sisters and brothers with brothers.

Between structured activities, there was plenty of time for laughter, games, and growing friendships. The workshop created a space of warmth, growth, and inspiration, helping each participant take their own leap of faith.

