

7th Annual Rod of Iron Freedom Festival

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God's TURNING POINT in America!



Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever. **Psalm 23:4-6**

I want you to know that I am a very lonely person. I began a one-man crusade thirty years ago, when absolutely nobody understood me. I stood up without fear at a time when the world was crumbling in darkness. I have traveled from the distant mountainsides of Korea, through many difficult years and have finally arrived in America, trying to install God's movement here. Imagine how far I have traveled!

From the very first day I undertook my mission I dreamed of America because far before you were born God had a master plan and the United States of America was its target. If God is concerned about fulfilling His plan then He has to bring young people like you to the Unification Church. We did not meet in the Unification Church just to save ourselves; we have the much greater purpose and mission of liberating God, heaven and earth, and all mankind. Since God sent you to me, I have the responsibility of transforming you into champions of God, and after being disciplined and trained you will become historical persons.

SMM, Men of Justice, Rise Up, May 21, 1977



Hello,

As the first speaker at the festival, Gen. Michael Flynn expressed his joy to attend the 7th Rod of Iron Freedom Festival. He said it's better not to complain, but to think about how you can serve now in the place that you are. It's a battle between a unipolar world led by the U.S. versus a multipolar world of despotic states. The media is a tool or weapon used by the Left. Their "isms" are belief systems based on tyranny.

President Trump is disliked because he was not invited by those who came into power after World War 2. We have to stop telling lies. We have to be honest with each other. We are not just one generation away from losing our country. We're one president away.



[Gen. Michael Flynn's Keynote Address](#)

Think about the direction our country is going. Had Trump lost the 2024 election, he would in prison right now. He's working hard not just for the USA, but for the entire world. He's probably the most transparent president we've ever had. Gen. Flynn likes to stay up to see the latest blunt tweet from Pres. Trump.

The greatest threat is not another country, it's right here. In the towns and counties we live in. As Gen. Flynn travels around the country he sees a reluctance among politicians to talk about sex trafficking. Why is that?



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The stats for voting, even for presidential elections, are abysmal. More than 30% of those registered do not vote! You have a duty to vote! Once an adult, sign up for the Selective Service, so that if we are at war, we know who you are. Local action equals national impact.

If you pay taxes you are involved with politics! Thomas Paine who wrote *Common Sense* would have been arrested as a domestic terrorist under the Biden administration. George Washington insisted that all military leaders read *Common Sense*, which urged the colonists not to be "sunshine patriots" out loud.



[Joshua Philipp- China's 'United Front' in America](#)

It took until 1954 to add "under God" to the Pledge of Allegiance. Another threat in this country is the assault on religion. The very first sentence of the 1st amendment is about freedom of religion.

We're not in a democracy, we're in a constitutional republic. Ask yourself "am I doing enough?" A woman wrote him a letter during the Deep State attacks about him exemplifying psalm 23. "though I walk through the shadow of death, THOU ARE with me."



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If we don't return to Christ we will stay in the valley of death. He is happy that the DEI (Diversity-Equity-Inclusion) agenda, which is a function of Marxism, is out of the Military. Secretary of War Pete Hegseth is facing an axis of resistance. Gen. Flynn is a big fan of Director of National Intelligence Tulsi Gabbard, who is very matter of fact, strong moral sense. She listens and she acts.

Don't feel sorry about the attacks on me, they were attacking our nation! You cannot make peace with a terrorist organization. I spent many years fighting and studying them. He saw a gigantic Palestinian flag being carried in NYC street. How many peace deal negotiations have we had? He's seen fellow soldiers die and had to meet with the widows and children.



[Dr. Sean Lin- Chinese Organ Harvesting & America](#)

Chung Pyung pastor Regis Hanna **introduced** Hyung Jin Nim's video message. He said, "God has called us to Asia to prepare for the downfall of the CCP government in China. On October 14, 1950 True Father was liberated from Hungnam prison when UN forces were bombing the ammonium sulfate factory. Good men with guns defeated bad men with guns. Also, it is meaningful that October 14 is also the birthday of Charlie Kirk.

Father spoke about an armed population that is ready to defend their family and neighbors. We are the ones who will be the catalyst for the **Turning Point of America**.



[Japanese Choir's ROI FF Performance](#)



[Miho Panzer's ROI FF Testimony](#)

It was hard for me to believe that the Freedom Festival was going to be at the Newfoundland Church. There was so much work to do- carpet cleaning, fixing doors and broken windows, painting walls, etc. We cut bushes in order to make a wider driveway for parking and the vendors. It took us 3 weeks to "flip over" the building and property into something acceptable! I thought we don't need expensive marble stonework. We just needed to make it into Father's house so the guests could feel the Holy Spirit!

I repented a lot. During nearly 10 years we hadn't taken good care of the church. Finally when they dropped off new gravel on the driveway, I thought that each stone was shiny and happy to be there. A generous donation allowed us to buy new chairs. Many brothers and sisters supported with one heart and mind!



Pastor HJ Sean Moon's Sunday Message

We had beautiful fall weather on the first day, October 11. The Japanese choir arrived the day before. Brothers and sisters from Europe and around America were helping. Gen. Flynn said that he was raised as a Catholic, but was proud that all of us who believe in God could work side by side. The fact that we were hated and persecuted, is an indication that we were standing for truth, but he said- do not have any fear. Many brothers and sisters shed tears to hear that.

Other speakers, including the J6ers, many of whom paid a high price by serving months or years in prison, also urged us to keep on standing with God! Several of the speakers stayed all three days, showing how much they wanted to be there. They expressed gratitude to Hyung Jin Nim, Kook Jin Nim and the Moon family for defending freedom. Until now there have been many obstacles, but I felt the gate is now wide open. The harvest is coming.

May God bless you and your families!

Sincerely,

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