



# Heavenly Parent's Holy Community Family Federation for World Peace and Unification

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**To : Cheon Eui Won Chairs, Regional Chairs, Regional Presidents, Subregional Presidents, National Presidents**  
**Cc : Personnel-in-charge of providential organizations, Personnel-in-charge in Regional and Subregional Headquarters**  
**From : Heavenly Parent's Holy Community Family Federation for World Peace and Unification International Headquarters (FFWPU IHQ)**  
**Date : 12.01 by the Heavenly Calendar in the 11<sup>th</sup> Year of Cheon Il Guk (January 11, 2024)**  
**Re. : Special Blessing Ceremony in the 12<sup>th</sup> Year of Cheon Il Guk**

May Heavenly Parent and True Parents' blessings and love be with you in your daily life.

We would like to inform you of the following developments with regard to the Special Blessing Ceremony for Young Missionaries as announced in IHQ Official Memo No. 2023-165. The 2024 Hyojeong Special Blessing Ceremony for Young Missionaries Hosted by the True Parents of Heaven, Earth, and Humankind has been renamed the **Special Blessing Ceremony in the 12<sup>th</sup> Year of Cheon Il Guk**. We would like to request that each Regional Headquarters assist all the candidate couples who have confirmed their engagement and will attend the Special Blessing Ceremony, to prepare themselves to participate with all their heart and mind.

In addition, True Parents have confirmed that the "2024 Hyojeong Cosmic Blessing Festival Hosted by the True Parents of Heaven, Earth, and Humankind," the regular Blessing Ceremony for 1st, 2nd, the 3rd generation members, will take place on April 26, 2024 (3.18 in the 12<sup>th</sup> year of Cheon Il Guk). A later memo will provide details of the Hyojeong Cosmic Blessing Festival.

## **1. The Providential Significance of the Special Blessing Ceremony in the 12<sup>th</sup> Year of Cheon Il Guk**

- A. Special Blessing Ceremony: Blessed couples who received the Special Blessing in the 4<sup>th</sup> year of Cheon Il Guk (December 26, 2004) and the Special Blessing of the 5<sup>th</sup> year of Cheon Il Guk (February 9, 2005) that was conducted for 2<sup>nd</sup> generation couples, attended a 40-day Cheongpyeong workshop and were then dispatched to the mission field. Likewise, couples participating in the upcoming Special Blessing Ceremony in the 12<sup>th</sup> year of Cheon Il Guk will also embark on a public mission course for those in the 2<sup>nd</sup> generation realm [young members] after receiving the Blessing.
- B. Launch of the Heavenly Top Gun: The name "Heavenly Top Gun" is the name True Mother has given to youth missionaries worldwide, including UPA graduates, as the model course to be followed by second-generation members. The Special Blessing Ceremony will also commemorate the inauguration of Heavenly Top Gun.
- C. Celebration of True Parents' Birthday: The Special Blessing Ceremony will also be an occasion to celebrate True Parents' Birthday. Couples will be able to reflect and make firm resolutions to become the true owners of Cheon Il Guk that practice true love in attendance of True Mother, the Only Begotten Daughter and the substantial Holy Spirit on earth. It will be a Blessing Ceremony through which our younger generation will bring joy and glory to Heavenly Parent.

## 2. Outline of the Special Blessing Ceremony in the 12<sup>th</sup> Year of Cheon Il Guk

- A. Name: Special Blessing Ceremony in the 12<sup>th</sup> Year of Cheon Il Guk
- B. Date: 1.6 by the Heavenly Calendar in the 12<sup>th</sup> Year of Cheon Il Guk (Thursday, February 15, 2024)
- C. Venue: Cheon Jeong Gung
- D. Participants: Engaged couples from among the Heavenly Top Gun, missionaries, and public leaders (please refer to memo #2023-165)
- E. The regional BFD office are to confirm the list of participants to the Special Blessing Ceremony. Those who are not eligible should be guided to participate in the Blessing Ceremony in April.
- F. Deadline for the list of participants: January 30, 2024 (Tue)

## 3. Details of the Special Blessing Ceremony in the 12<sup>th</sup> Year of Cheon Il Guk

### A. Accommodations

#### 1) Eligible participants:

- a) Korea: Candidates who have confirmed their engagement and attendance at the Special Blessing Ceremony.
- b) Overseas: Candidates who have confirmed their engagement and attendance at the Special Blessing Ceremony, and guests.

#### 2) Accommodations: Cheongshim International Youth Center

(<https://youth.ciyc.co.kr/>)

#### 3) Address: 278-64, Misari-ro, Seorak-myeon, Gapyeong-gun, Gyeonggi-do, Korea

#### 4) Time period:

- a) Participants from Korea: Feb. 14 (Wed) - 15 (Thu), 2024.
- b) International Participants and Guests: Feb. 13, 2024 (Tue) - 16 (Fri)

### B. Hair and Make-up for Candidates Participating in the Blessing Ceremony in Korea

- 1) International Headquarters will provide support for hair and make-up artists for the brides and grooms (optional to receive their services).
- 2) Details on hair and make-up will be provided to regional BFDs later.

### C. Blessing Offering and Participation Fee

- 1) The gratitude offering for the Blessing will be the same for each region.
- 2) The participation fee will be announced after the costs have been determined based on the minimum actual costs.

### D. Official Attire and Blessing Ring

- 1) Groom: Official Cheon Il Guk robe or dark blue/navy suit (Grooms attending the Blessing in Korea will be provided with purple bow ties, handkerchiefs, boutonnieres and gloves).
- 2) Bride: Official Cheon Il Guk robe or a white dress (Brides attending the Blessing in Korea will be provided with bouquets, hair bands and gloves)
- 3) Blessing ring: Official Cheon Il Guk ring

- 4) Where to purchase a Blessing ring:  
Christina Han, 031-584-9924, <https://khblessing.shop>

#### **4. Administrative Details (Regions)**

- A. Each region should submit its list of leaders and staff (administrative staff, hair and make-up provider) who will be responsible for guiding the candidates, no later than 16 January 2024. With the exception of Heavenly Korea and Japan, the International Headquarters will be responsible for the coordination of international participants.
- B. Each regional headquarters should submit the final list of participants for the Special Blessing Ceremony no later than 30 January 2024. We will announce later the best way to submit this.

#### **5. Inquiries**

- A. If you have questions, please contact Mr. Makoto Ando, IHQ Blessed Family Department via [ffwpuihqbfd@gmail.com](mailto:ffwpuihqbfd@gmail.com)

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