## Korea Elders Assoc. for a Heavenly Unified Korea Gwangju and Jeonnam Rallies

Young Ho Yoon March 28, 2023 Gwangju, South Korea Unification Hall Auditorium



On this day, prominent community elders and leaders, attended the event, including Yun Jeong-ro, Co-Chair of the Central Elder Members Association of the Citizens Federation for a Heavenly Unified Korea, Ko Jae-yu, former Mayor of Gwangju, Oh Joo, President of the Gwangju Citizens' Organizations United General Assembly, and Lee Jae-gwan, Chairman of the National Unification Organization Consultative Council.

The "Gwangju and Jeonnam Rally for Unity began with a welcome address by Kim Jin-hwi, Chairman of the Honam District, hosted by Lee Hong-ju, Chairman of the Damyang County Elders' Association. There was a keynote address by Yang Woo-seok, Gwangju-Jeonnam Chairman, an opening address by Jo Chang-eon, Gwangju-Jeonnam Great District Leader, congratulatory speeches by former Gwangju Metropolitan Mayor Ko Jae-yu and Gwangju Citizens' Organizations United General Assembly President Oh Joo, an encouragement speech by Lee Sang-jae, UPF Korea Co-chairman, a congratulatory poem by poet Shin Hae-ja; some remarks by Lee Jae-gwan, Chairman of the National Unification Organization Consultative Council, a special lecture by Chairman Yoon Jung-ro.

In his encouragement speech, UPF Korea Co-chairman Lee Sang-jae expressed his hope that the Gwangju-Jeonnam Elders' Association would become a beacon of peace beyond the conflicts of left and right ideologies. Chairman Yoon Jung-ro emphasized that the Gwangju-Jeonnam Elders' Association and elders from all over the world should become one centered on universal human values and the International Elders Roundtable Initiative Rally to be held on May 3rd, where many prominent figureswill take part.

The event ended with three cheers for victory led by Kim Hu-jeon, Vice Chairman of Gwangju-Jeonnam.

The Korea Elders Association for a Heavenly Unified Korea was launched to prepare for true freedom and everlasting peace through the unification of North and South Korea.