



Christianity in Iceland honours Rev. Moon

Memorial Service for Father Moon at the Lutheran Church in Reykjavik

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It was the first time 15 years that a national event in Iceland was hold entirely in the native language. Stating that Father Moon himself wanted me to speak Icelandic I believe I understood True Father enough who sometimes asked when visiting countries if the staff speaks the native language. It was the urge to bring oneness of heart between True Parents and the Icelandic audience during the Memorial service, the final and conclusive event directed and dedicated to the Lord of the Second Advent on earth. True Father has spoken on countless occasions about Iceland, especially in the past years. We were very happy when the Lutheran Church in the city centre of Reykjavik offered their church for this event, namely Rev. Hjörtur Johannsson, who got blessed this year in Korea along with his wife. To have this event in a Christian church was especially meaningful, because it symbolises to a certain extent the acceptance of the LSA by Christianity in Iceland. True the number of participants was not high but its public manner was nice. **Rev. Hjörtur Magni Johannsson voluntarily offerd his church for Father Moon's memorial Service.**



Speakers were Bjarni Randver Sigurvinsson, member of the presiding council of UPF and peace ambassador who spoke on behalf of the National Church of Iceland. He said that he vividly remembered Father Moon's talk in Copenhagen in 2005 when he had said He will live until 2012.

Brigitte Einarsson representing Icelandic Unificationism spoke about True Parents relation to Iceland quoting experiences and some of the many comments made about Iceland and a former PM.

A nice piece of music from J.S.Bach was played on a violin by Ewa Tosik from Poland in honour of True Father.

Hjörtur Magni Johannsson gave the final word honouring Father Moon's efforts in interreligious peace and harmony.

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Bjarni Randver remembered Father saying he will live until 2012.

