FFWPU Thailand's HTM Blessing Ceremony in Srisawat, Kanchanaburi Province

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The Western District of the FFWPU of Thailand launched its first HTM Blessing after the COVID-19 Pandemic in the District of Noknoi Floathouse, Srisawat, Kanchanaburi Province. Forty-eight new blessing participants from 32 families attended the event thanks to the excellent cooperation from the local government, School teachers, and community leaders. Besides the Interfaith Peace Blessing Festival, the 2-day event also included a Divine Principle seminar on "The Family is the School of Love and Peace." Thai Blessed Families from various provinces drove to the venue to join the program with the new guests, primarily teachers, community leaders, and local government administrators.

After the Opening Ceremony, staff and participants enjoyed various ice-breaking activities that bonded everyone together. After dinner, Mr. Kittisak Judharat, FFWPU lecturer, spoke on the theme of the day and the Holy Wine Ceremony for new couples concluded the event.

The second day began with an Interfaith Peace Blessing Festival. All happened in a very solemn and holy atmosphere, and the participants expressed that they were able to sense true love, a feeling of peace, and happiness.

Towards the end of the Blessing, the head of the local Women's Community testified that her family was on the brink of breaking down before her couple attended this program. She expressed that they almost did not come to the event as they were planning to divorce, but after reflection, they decided to give this program a try and participate in the Blessing. She felt that the workshop helped her realize that she was neglecting her family and failing to fulfill some of her responsibilities at home and that was causing severe damage to her marriage. She felt revived and expressed how she appreciated her husband's love and care and could finally resolve to balance her work and family life. After the testimony, the couple embraced each other with love and great joy acknowledging that the FFWPU and the Blessing from True Parents helped solve their problems and restore love in their family.

This memorable event was possible thanks to the hard work of the members and blessed families from the eight provinces of the Western region of Thailand. They contributed to the event by sharing the expenses and staff duties, including entertainment, lecturing, cooking, etc.

All of them returned home with joy in their hearts after spending time with their brothers and sister for the sake of the greater good. All participants were happy and grateful to True Parents and the FFWPU.