

## CARP Dominican Republic Hosts Happy Day for New Members

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On Saturday, May 2, 2026, CARP Dominican Republic hosted a "Happy Day" event at the Santo Domingo Headquarters, welcoming 35 young participants. The program was designed to integrate new members recently reached by the Heavenly Latin America HJ Team, led by Luis Fernando Anticona, during their current 40-day witnessing condition.

The event was co-organized by Hope Gómez, CARP Leader for the Dominican Republic. Following an opening prayer by Wilber Rosario Belliard, Regional Director and National Leader Bernardo Cruz offered welcoming remarks. Director Cruz encouraged the youth to embrace the values of sacred coexistence and a life of purity centered on Heavenly Parent and True Parents, highlighting True Mother's global efforts to establish a world of peace.

### Program Highlights:

**Educational Sessions:** Pastor Harley Minaya delivered a lecture on the core values of CARP and the importance of youth involvement.

**Regional Vision:** The HJ Team presented a video showcasing CARP's activities across Heavenly Latin America.

**Upcoming Opportunities:** Missionaries invited attendees to the upcoming 21-day seminar in Jardim, Brazil, scheduled for December.

**Fellowship:** The day concluded with karaoke, dancing, games, and snacks.

The vibrant, "heavenly" atmosphere successfully inspired the young participants, strengthening their connection to the sacred community.