

## Blessed Family Department Asia Pacific 1 and 2: One Year Dedication Workshop

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After the 2022 Hyojeong Cosmic Blessing Festival that was held in April 16, 2022 the Blessed Family Department of Asia Pacific 1 and Asia Pacific 2 conducted a joint education program focusing on guiding the newly Blessed Couples through a three series workshops conducted every 3 months.

During the 1st Series, the lecture contents were guiding the newly Blessed Couples, about Uniting their Heart with True Mother given by the BFD Director of Asia Pacific 1 Region, Mrs. Ursula McLackland, followed by a lecture on 'Life of Attendance as a Newly Blessed Couple' given by the Blessing Director of Asia Pacific 2 Region, Mrs. Jahyeon Sugiura. Testimonies were also given by Blessed Couples that highlighted encouragements and some practical guidance on how to live their lives of attendance as a newly Blessed Couple.

At the 2nd Series, the theme majorly focused on the growth of the newly Blessed Couples as husband and wife, given by the Education Director of Asia Pacific 2 Blessed Family Department, Mrs. Yeoh Koay Phing as well as guidance on how to resolve conflict in their marital relationships, given by the BFD Director of Asia Pacific 1 Region, Mrs. Ursula McLackland. Two testimonies by Blessed Couples were given this time focusing on how the couples overcame their struggles and encouraging the Newly Blessed Couples on healthy conflict discussions.

Each series held Question and Answer portions that enabled the Newly Blessed Couples to have some of their worries and queries addressed, as well as Breakout Room Discussions centering on their Blessing Trinities that were formed.

The program ended with Closing Remarks by Mrs. Dulce Buyayo, the BFD Director of Asia Pacific 2 Region, Closing Prayer and Cheers of Eog Mansei, and announcements on further education of the 3rd

Series, which will be held on January 2023. May all the Newly Blessed Couples be further guided on their lives as a blessed couple and unite their hearts with our True Mother.



Finally the 3rd Series, the theme majorly focused on Building a Common Vision for Married Life, given by the Vice President, FFWPU Asia Pacific 2, Rev. Julius B. Malicdem as well as the Practical Preparation for Married Life, given by the Administrator of BFD Asia Pacific 1 Region, Mrs. Yiesun V. Yashiro. Two testimonies was shared, one is Fil-Thai Blessed Family focusing on how the couple build their common vision for married life and the other testimony was from our newly blessed couple Fil-Jap shared about their practical preparation before they start a family.