



# Heavenly Parent's Holy Community

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Dear Families of Europe and the Middle East,

**Some new personnel assignments in our EUME region**  
**and announcing the new Youth & Young Adult leadership team**

Hello everyone! With this letter, we would like to confirm a number of recent personnel assignments and changes in our continental and regional team. We appreciate the efforts of those who are moving on to other challenges, and warmly welcome those stepping into new and additional roles.

- 1) **Umberto and Marilyn Angelucci** are formally appointed as the **Regional Directors, NorthEast Region** with immediate effect. They will be working together with **Deputy Director Rev. Anna Kalmatskaya**, who continues in her role. **Umberto and Marilyn** will also continue to serve as one of two **EUME Vice Presidents**, alongside **Dieter and Ana Schmidt**.
- 2) **Bogdan and Yoshiko Pammer** are appointed **National Leaders of the UK movement**, replacing **Michael and Fumiko Balcomb** who held that position from 2020-2025. Bogdan and Yoshiko have stepped down from their roles as Regional Directors for the NorthEast in order to focus on their new assignment.
- 3) Bogdan and Yoshiko are also stepping down from their roles as leaders of YSP in Europe which they held with distinction for several years. **A new YSP team has now been appointed. Marlies (Haider) Ladstetter** will serve as the new **YSP EUME President**, with **Sarah Ahmed Perreira** as **Vice President**. With Marlies about to go on maternity leave, Sarah will be initially in charge. Thank you to Bogdan and Yoshiko, congratulations to Marlies, and good luck to Sarah and all the new team!

*A word of explanation:* during the past 5 years, Fumiko and I became increasingly and personally aware that it is not productive to try to do two or more big jobs at the same time—in our case, National Leader of the UK and EUME Continental Director. We tried our best, but the results were not satisfactory, and we did not want Bogdan and Yoshiko to face a similar overload when they started their UK mission. So we wrote to True Mother (who had initially appointed them) and she kindly gave her blessing for this new arrangement.



- 4) **BIG NEWS!** We are also pleased to announce a new **EUME Youth and Young Adult leadership team**, composed of three outstanding couples: **Mickey and Nicole LaHogue**, **Sarah and George Perreira** and **Montlang and Yujin Colleter**. This team will be working together with our national representatives to strengthen and develop all of our youth and young adult programmes. Among the first projects is **the Pure Water Youth Assembly in Korea, August 6-26**. Montlang and Yujin are already in Korea getting ready to welcome our delegation of 80 young men and women. From Aug. 29-31 we will hold our **EUME level Pure Water Assembly in Prague**, together with the **Peace Cup Sports Festival**.

Please join us in praying for the success of these new members of our leadership team!

Sincerely

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