

Members from Belgium and Luxembourg meet for Parents Day

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Members from Belgium and Luxembourg meet for Parents Day. Seated in the middle are Anita Jaspers of Belgium and Maria Pichelbauer [Dijk] of Luxembourg.

April has brought many experiences and blessings to our family. Parents Day especially was an event we will never forget. We had been invited by the Luxembourg family to celebrate this day together. For our new members it was the first international meeting.

We arrived on Saturday afternoon at the Luxembourg center, which was beautifully decorated with flowers and paintings. We were happy to exchange news and to learn from each other new methods of working for the Kingdom of Heaven. Then we wanted to bring joy to our Heavenly Father's heart through singing and entertainment. In the evening, after a delicious dinner carefully prepared by some members, we saw two films of Reverend Moon's visit to London.

We who were there remembered these wonderful days and the new members were deeply moved. At 11 p.m. we celebrated Parent's Day with prayers and explanations of the significance of this celebration. We felt deeply united with all our brothers and sisters around the world. It is so wonderful that people who have not known each other before, people from different nations, and different educational backgrounds are coming together as one family, embraced by the universal, limitless love of God. How happy is our Father in Heaven, having a family based on His love, after such a long suffering and loneliness. We will never leave Him alone.

The next morning we gathered on the Holy Ground. We were singing and dancing around the tree - forming a circle. The sun was bright shining on a blue sky. We expressed our joy in several games, in which we tried to show as well our unity.

We hope that soon all mankind can join in creating this true world of peace and happiness.