FFWPU USA Blessing Ministry Announcements and Events

Carina Mendez August 27, 2024

Dear Pastors, Leaders, Brothers and Sisters,

Please find below some important announcements and upcoming events:

Cheon Shim Won Singles Retreat - Registration is OPEN!

The BFM will be hosting a series of retreats for singles at Cheon Shim Won (Cheon Shim Won). Registration is now open, please share this information with your members and save the dates:

- 20+ Cheon Shim Won Singles Retreat: September 14-17
 30+ Cheon Shim Won Singles Retreat: September 19-22
- 45+ Cheon Shim Won Singles Retreat: October 4-6

Registration Link: bfm.familyfed,org/singles-retreat



24+ Connect Retreat - Registration is OPEN!

The in-person 24+ Connect Retreat will take place on October 17-20 in Colorado. Registration closes August 28 at midnight.

More Details: Visit Here

Parents Networking Meeting

When: August 29 (and every other Thursday) @ 8:30 PM EDT

This meeting is for all parents looking to connect with others in similar situations.

Registration Link: Register Here



Join the HJ Blessing Guide

The new Blessing Application System is open for Pastors, Community Leaders, BFM

representatives, Matching Supporters, and Blessing Interviewers!

Registration for Candidates will open on September 1st in the same link.

Register Here: Join Now

For Questions: Please email <u>bfmtechsupport@unification,org</u>.

Sexual Integrity Program

High Noon is opening its Ascend program for those seeking to recover their sexual integrity. This program is available only three times a year. If you know someone who could benefit, they can register here:

Registration Link: Register Here

Attached are all the flyers. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out. Best regards,

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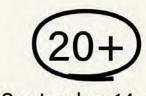
Cheon Shim Won Single Retreat





The CSW Single Retreats is a spiritually enriching experience designed for single Unificationists. These retreats are ideal for those considering the Blessing in 2025 or 2026, offering a unique opportunity to connect with like-minded individuals on a similar path. Held at the Cheon Shim Won Las Vegas (True Parents House), the retreat includes a balanced schedule of group activities, spiritual sessions, and personal reflection time. With

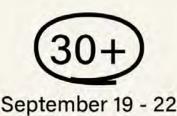
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This CSW Single Retreat is specifically designed for single Unificationists, ages 20-29, who were born into the Unification Movement.

We will also accept participants who are up to 2 years younger or older than the target age range of 20-29.

Learn More and Register



This CSW Single Retreat is specifically designed for single Unificationists, ages 30 - 45. It's a unique opportunity to connect with like-minded individuals on a similar path.

We will also accept participants who are up to 2 years younger or older than the target age range of 30-45.

ALL Generations are welcome to this retreat.

Learn More and Register



This retreat is open to all First Gen Singles who are at least 45 years old. First Gen singles from other countries are welcome to register.

This retreat will be an opportunity for each participant to work on removing spiritual obstacles and increasing opportunities to be blessed in many ways possible. Among the things that will happen in this retreat:

- 1. Time for Chanyang Sessions and prayer in the Cheon Shim Won
- 2. Time to mingle to see if there is an opportunity for a matching with somebody
- For those who have been thinking about Spiritual World and Physical World Blessing, there will be education on how it works, how to prepare for it, and how and when to receive it.

The participation fee is only \$330 per person.

Register HERE

General Information for 20+ and 30+

Where: The retreat will take place at Cheon Shim Won Las Vegas (True Parents House), located at **7966 Haven St., Las Vegas, NV 89123**. This sacred space offers an atmosphere conducive to spiritual growth and reflection.

When: Check-in will begin in the late afternoon, with early arrivals welcomed for dinner. The program officially starts in the evening, with an opening session, and concludes around midnight on the final day. Check-out is available until mid-morning the following day, with breakfast provided for those staying longer.

Schedule and Format: This retreat is limited to **60 participants**, ensuring a balanced and intimate experience. We are committed to maintaining a **50/50 ratio of men and women**. The schedule includes a mix of group activities, spiritual sessions, and personal time for reflection and exploration.

Sample Schedule:

- Day 1: Arrival and Check-In, Dinner, Spiritual Time (Chanyang), Welcome Program,
 Group Sharing, Night Vigil
- Day 2: Morning Devotion, Breakfast, Spiritual Time (Chanyang), Lecture, Group Sharing,
 Free Time, Dinner, Spiritual Time (Chanyang), Group Sharing, Night Vigil
- Day 3: Individual Prayer, Breakfast, Spiritual Time (Chanyang), Group Sharing, Free Time,
 Dinner, Spiritual Time (Chanyang), Closing Program
- · Day 4: Individual Prayer, Breakfast

Group Sharing: These sessions are conducted in mixed-gender groups of 6 people, focusing on deep topics that encourage reflection, self-discovery, and a deeper understanding of the Blessing and Matching. This format allows participants to connect on a deeper level with others.

Free Time: The schedule includes ample free time, encouraging natural group formation and private conversations, and fostering meaningful connections.

Cost: Registration costs \$380. Early bird discounts may be available. If finances are a concern, we encourage you to seek support from family, friends, or your local community.

Other Details: Please note that transportation to Cheon Shim Won is not provided. The retreat center is only 10-15 minutes from the airport, and participants can take a taxi or Uber. Please bring a towel, toiletries, a notebook, and white shirts for Chanyang and CSW prayer vigils.

24 CONNECT

24+ is another program that allows singles to meet each other. There are several retreats in-person and online coming up.

Learn More

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From the 24+ Team we're super excited to announce the next In-Person Retreat will be Oct 17-20 in Estes Park, CO. It's gonna be beautiful.

REGISTRATION is OPEN! Sign up now through Aug 28th!

REGISTER

Who

This 24+ In-Person Retreat is open to Single Unificationists ages 24-39 looking towards marriage and the Marriage Blessing.

You don't have to be a practicing Unificationist to attend - partcipants meet in the spirit of common values and their shared faith upbringing, regardless of current spiritual worldview or relationship history.

Where

YMCA of the Rockies! Located in Estes Park Colorado, it's recognized as one of the best family resorts in the US, offering a variety of accommodation and dining options, over 30 types of activities, and 860 acres of ponderosa pines and spectacular mountain scenery.

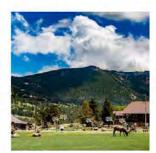
Aside from the natural beauty the park offers a variety of different activities:

- · Roller skating at the Bob Ecker Memorial Roller Rink
- · Swimming at the Henry Dorsey Memorial Swimming Pool
- Gaming at Sweet Memorial including pool, ping pong, and board games
- Fitness track, playing basketball, volleyball, kickball, horseshoes and more on the admin field.
- Golfing on the 18-hole and 9-hole mini golf course
- Disc golf on the 18-hole disc golf course
- Hiking on grounds is available all year round
- And there's and Estes Park Museum and Library if you want some quiet time

Click here for a Park Map















When

Check-In will be Thursday Oct 17 and departure on Sunday Oct 20

Schedule and Format

Everyone participates in the main parts of the program together, but we set aside plenty of time for activities, personal time, reflection, exploration and more.

Schedules are subject to change depending on the exact setting but click here to check out a sample schedule from a past retreat.

This retreat we have 96 snots! They will be first come first

serve and as always we are committed to a 50/50 ratio of men and women.

Cost

This retreat we will have two lodging options available. All rooms have 2 Queen Beds. Registration cost covers Lodging, Food, and Activities over the weekend.

- · 4 people per room \$429
- 2 people per room \$479

Participants are responsible for their travel expenses to the retreat site. We will be helping to coordinate transportation from a couple of central hubs.

A limited number of scholarships are available. Our maximum scholarship discount this retreat is 30%. If finances are a concern we encourage you to reach out to family and friends as well as a local community if you're connected to one for additional assistance.

Cancellation Policy

Cancellation requests submitted prior to 30 days of the retreat date are eligible for a 100% refund.

Cancellation requests submitted within 30 days of the retreat date are eligible for a 50% refund.

Within 14 days of the retreat, no refunds will be given.

Any refunds will incur a 5% processing fee.

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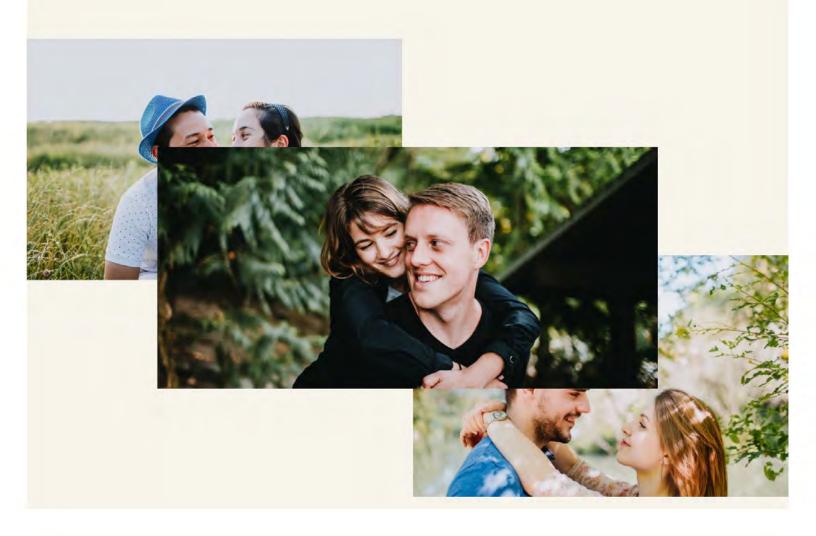


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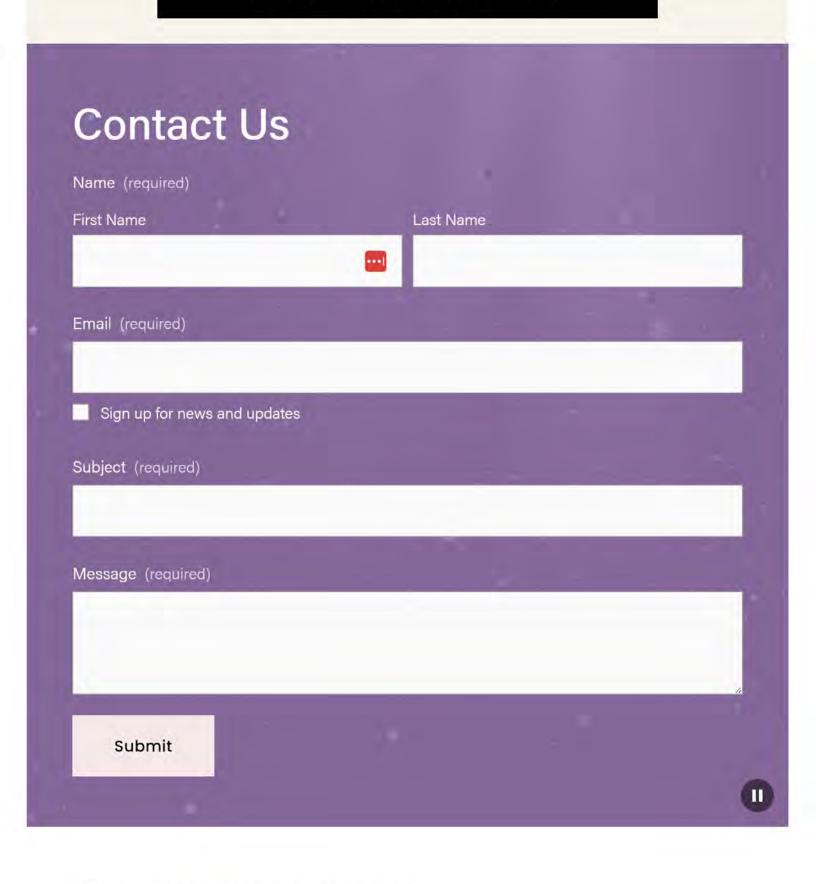
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Blessing Candidate

Do you want to start your Journey toward receiving the Blessing?



Registration Opens on September 5th



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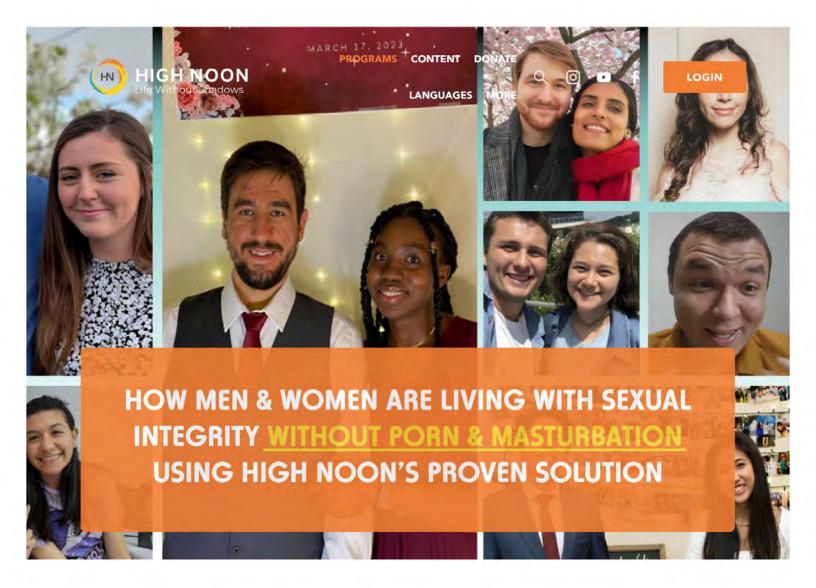
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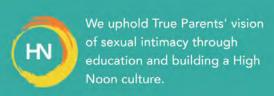
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