

# FFWPU USA Blessing and Family Ministry: HJ Blessing Guide Website Upgrade

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## Blessing & Family Ministry Newsletter

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Hello family. HJ Blessing Guide site upgrade. Start Smart workshop.  
Gift of experiences.

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*what's new?*

### HJ Blessing Guide Website Upgrade



The HJ Blessing Guide website will be upgraded on March 9 to create a more user-friendly and updated platform. During this time, there may be **temporary delays in communication** through [bfmtechsupport@unification.org](mailto:bfmtechsupport@unification.org). Thank you for your patience. More information coming soon.

## April 2026 Blessing Candidates Education Workshop

SAVE THE DATE

# START SMART

## BLESSING LEVEL 3 WORKSHOP

### ONLINE ON APRIL 11 & 12

For all matched couples going to the 2026 Blessing

**COMING SOON**  
REGISTER THROUGH THE BLESSING APPLICATION

 **BLESSING & FAMILY MINISTRY**  
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The poster features a teal and green background with a pink banner at the top. Below the banner, the text 'START SMART' is written in large, bold, orange letters with a black outline. Underneath, 'BLESSING LEVEL 3 WORKSHOP' is in white, bold, sans-serif font, followed by 'ONLINE ON APRIL 11 & 12' in a smaller white font. A white callout box contains the text 'For all matched couples going to the 2026 Blessing'. At the bottom left, a white box with a black border contains the text 'COMING SOON' in a slanted font, followed by 'REGISTER THROUGH THE BLESSING APPLICATION' in bold. Below this is the logo for Blessing & Family Ministry, which includes a circular emblem with a family and the text 'BLESSING & FAMILY MINISTRY' and 'FAMILY FEDERATION FOR WORLD PEACE AND UNIFICATION NORTH AMERICA'. On the right side, there is an illustration of a man and a woman sitting at a table with coffee cups, engaged in conversation.

If you are a **Matched Couple planning to attend the 2026 Blessing**, please save **April 11 and 12** for a live online workshop, *Start Smart* — the required education for

couples before the Blessing.

**Registration coming soon.**

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## Matching and Blessing West Region Webinar



**How to Support Your Children in Preparing for the Matching & Blessing West Coast Region Webinar**

Parents of high school children and younger, consider joining this zoom webinar on **Sun. Feb. 22, 2026, 8 pm MT/7 pm PT/6 pm AK/4 pm HTS**

**Tiffany and Ryan LaBrooy** will share their experience and there will opportunities to ask questions and discuss with other parents ways to address this important topic.

On Sunday, Feb. 22, 2026 at 7 pm PT (10 pm ET, 8 pm MT, 6 pm AK, 4 pm HTS), we will hold a west region webinar on "How to Support Your Children toward the Matching and Blessing." This is for parents of all ages, especially those in high school and younger. The program will include Ryan and Tiffany LaBrooy sharing their experience with helping to prepare their own children, Q & A, and an opportunity to discuss this important topic with other parents. **Please share this with UC parents.**

Topic: West Region Parent Meeting--Support for Matching & Blessing Prep

Time: Feb 22, 2026 07:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

[join webinar](#)

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*food for thought*

## The Gift of Experiences



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by Myrna Lapres

The Asaro ethnic group in Indonesia and Papua New Guinea has a beautiful saying: “Knowledge is only a rumor until it lives in the muscle.” Having knowledge about something is a great start but moving that knowledge into practice is when it comes alive. We can move what we are learning from our heads to our hearts through our hands with practice and experience.

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