

FFWPU USA Blessing and Family Ministry: Rooted Young Adult Blessing WS Tour

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Hello family. UC singles game night. Rooted: Blessing workshop and tour. MatchNet episode. Blessing Journey grand opening recording. Start Smart workshop.

what's new?

UC Singles Game Night



Hosted by the Boston Family Church & the Team

Join us for a fun and relaxed Online Game Night for Singles from the Unification Church/Movement community on Saturday, April 4th (7–9 PM EDT). This event is a great opportunity to laugh, play games, reconnect with old friends, and meet new people in a casual and welcoming space.

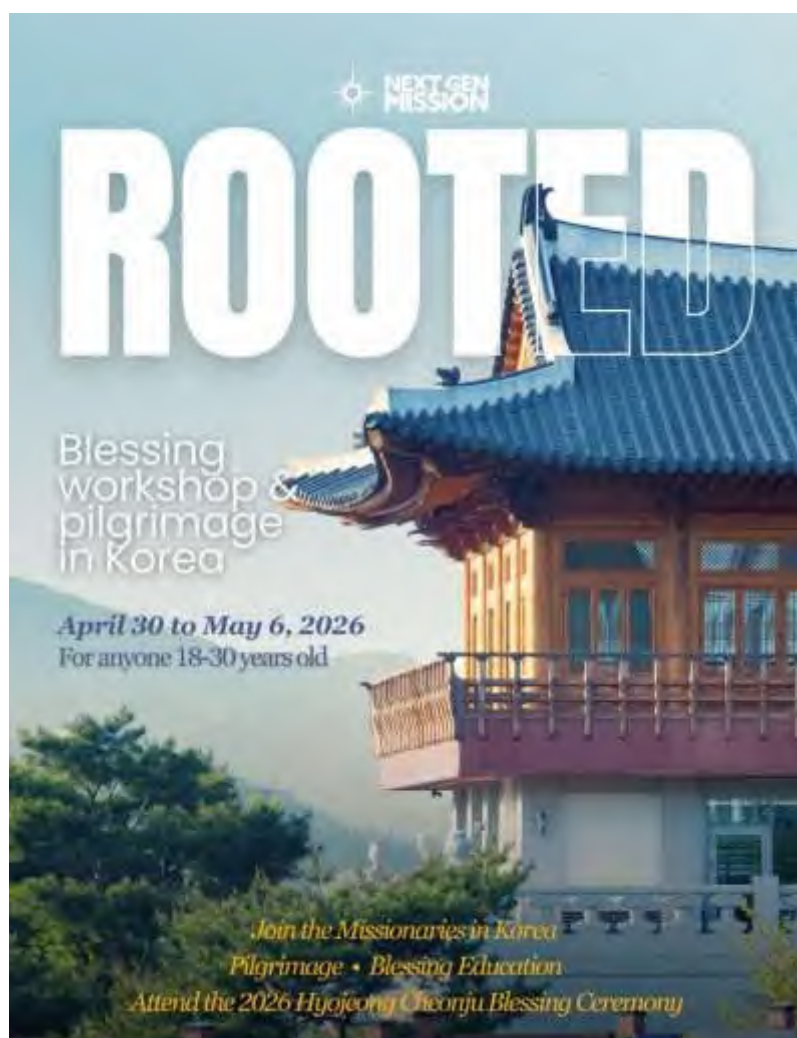
Our hope is that everyone leaves the evening feeling encouraged in their journey—having made new friendships and maybe even a special connection.

[gents registration](#)

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Rooted: Young Adult Blessing Workshop and Korea Pilgrimage



We are excited to share a special opportunity for **young adults 18-30 years old** to participate in ROOTED, a Young Adult Blessing Workshop and Korea Pilgrimage taking place April 30 – May 6 at the HJ Heaven and Earth CheonBo Training Center.

ROOTED is designed for those who are preparing for the Blessing, discerning their future, or seeking deeper understanding of their spiritual and relational journey. Through this program, participants will receive meaningful guidance on building a God-centered life—while deepening an understanding of the Blessing as a lifelong commitment and inheritance from True Parents.

Dates: April 30 – May 6

Location: HJ Heaven and Earth CheonBo Training Center

Limited Space: 50 Young Adults

Registration Fee: \$375, flight not included

Covers lodging, meals, local transportation, workshop sessions, and pilgrimage experiences

Arrival: April 29, by 7pm KT

Departure: May 7, after 12pm KT.

Please note that transportation to and from Incheon Airport cannot be provided for flight out of these times.

[sign up here](#)

The Real Problem in Our Church Isn't What You Think

If you're preparing for the Blessing, but still hiding parts of your life... this is for you. In this episode, Benjy exposes the hidden struggle many are living with, and why honesty—not more effort—is what actually prepares you for the Blessing.

[listen here](#)

Blessing Journey Grand Opening Recording and More



Blessing Journey is now open! Discover the background, new updates, and how to use this platform.

Watch the recording from the grand opening of Blessing Journey (formerly HJ Blessing Guide) below.

[watch recording](#)

[access Blessing Journey](#)

events

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

REGISTER THROUGH THE
BLESSING APPLICATION

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The poster features a teal and green background with a red banner at the top. Below the banner, the text 'START SMART' is 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 contains the registration information and the Blessing & Family Ministry logo. At the bottom right, 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 is available for those who have applied for the 2026 Blessing.

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ROOTED

young adult Blessing workshop and Korea pilgrimage

April 30-May 6, 2026

NEXT GEN MISSION



Rooted

Young Adult Blessing Workshop and Korea Pilgrimage

A *Blessing Workshop*, *Korea Experience*, and a *Mission hosted Young Adult environment*, all-in-one!

Whether you are newly exploring the meaning of the Blessing or intentionally preparing for it this experience is designed for you. Created for young adults ages 18–30, this workshop weaves together Blessing preparation, experience in Korea, and connecting with young missionaries from Next Gen Mission.

Visit sacred locations in Korea including the Cheon Won Gung, Cheon Jung Gung, and the CheongPyeong Training Center. Surrounded by young people from all over North America (and the world) to delve deeper towards the significance of the Blessing and to attend the Blessing Live in Korea. This is an opportunity to connect to the land of our True Parents and to take the next steps in our personal life.

This is more than a workshop.

It is a formation space.

Accommodations:

This workshop will be held at the Cheong Pyeong Training Center. The accommodations will be at Chinhwa A. *subject to change

Schedule:

- April 30th - Orientation / Pilgrimage
- May 1st - Workshop / Pilgrimage
- May 2nd - Hyojeong Cosmic Blessing Ceremony
- May 3rd - Blessing Workshop
- May 4th - Blessing Workshop
- May 5th - Pilgrimage Schedule
- May 6th - Pilgrimage Schedule

*subject to change

Packing List:

- Commemorative Events Attire
- Dark suits and ties for men, white or light dresses or suits for women.
- Please bring one set of Sunday best attire in case there are other special meetings or events.
- Clothing for other activities
- Casual. We recommend bringing warm clothes in case it gets colder at night.
- FM radio
- For live translation from Korean to English or Japanese (with working batteries and earphones).
- Towel and toiletries
- Personal medication if necessary

Fee:

\$375 Workshop Registration Fee. You will have to purchase your flight to and from Korea. Food, accommodations, and the experience will be covered in Korea.

Participant's Information

Participant's Name*

First Name



Last Name

Date of Birth*

Month



Day



Year



Gender*



Male

Female

Home Address *

United States of America

Street Address

City

State

ZIP Code

Phone Number *



Email Address *

Email Address

Church Community *

(Choose One)

Region *

(Choose One)

T-Shirt Size *

(Choose One)

Food or Medication Allergies *

Type "None" or list all allergies

Dietary Restrictions *

Vegetarian, Gluten Free, etc.

Other Health Concerns

asthma, heart condition, seizures, diabetes, sickle cell, etc (type "None" or list all that apply)

Will you have travel insurance? *

(Choose One)

Registration Options *

Workshop Fee (\$375.00)

Emergency Contact Information

Name of Emergency Contact *

First Name



Last Name

Telephone/Cell Phone of Emergency Contact *



Email of Emergency Contact *

Email Address

Relation to the Participant *

Father, Mother, Sibling, Friend, etc

Travel Information

Flight Information:

Please arrive at the Incheon Airport on April 29th by 7:00 PM KT and depart on May 7th after 12:00 PM KT. We cannot provide transportation for flights outside of these times. If you are planning to stay longer or arrive earlier, you will be responsible for your own accommodations outside of the workshop. Please buy only flights to Incheon Airport, and not Gimpo Airport.

Arrival Time in Korea for April 29th

Arrival Airline Flight #

UA79, DL 9, WL 32

Departure Time from Korea for May 7th

Departure Airline Flight #

UA79, DL 9, WL 32

Waiver and Release Form and Code of Conduct

Waiver and Release*

I hereby acknowledge and agree to the following terms and conditions as a prerequisite for participating in Rooted Workshop organized by the Family Federation for World Peace and Unification, hereinafter referred to as the "Trip Organizer."

This Liability Release Form is intended to release the Trip Organizer and its representatives from any liability arising from personal injury, property damage, or any other loss or claim that may occur during the trip.

1. Assumption of Risks: I acknowledge that participating in Rooted involves certain risks, including but not limited to accidents, injury, illness, loss, theft, delays, and other unforeseen events. I understand and voluntarily accept these risks.

I have read and agree to the terms above.

Copy of the Waiver and Release Form: Waiver and Release - Rooted 2026.pdf

Code of Conduct*

Our mission as the Missions Dept is to provide an environment to support young unificationists in their personal identity with God while creating authentic relationships with their brothers and sisters. This program is for people across the country, and we want everyone to have the best experience possible. We understand that everyone is in different places regarding their faith and understanding and want to create a powerful experience that they are ready for. To honor the experience, it is essential to us that we can uphold a certain standard of behavior and attitude and do it where it is evoked from the best parts of ourselves. We speak of being a family, and so we ask that everyone looks out for each other physically and spiritually, truly creating a feeling of being brothers and sisters.

We ask that all the participants and attendees refrain from certain behaviors that reduce the quality and...

I have read and agree to the terms above.

Copy of the Code of Conduct - Rooted 2026.pdf

Additional Information

Additional Comments or Requests:

Empty text input field for additional comments or requests.

Total **\$375.00**

Coupon Code

Coupon code input field with an 'APPLY' button.

Billing Information

Email*

Email Address input field

Name*

First and Last name input fields with red asterisk icons.

Payment Method

Radio buttons for Credit Card (selected) and Test by Taka.

Credit Card*

Card Number input field with VISA, Mastercard, AMEX, DISCOVER logos. Below are Month, Year, and CVV dropdown menus.

Address*

United States of America dropdown menu. Below are Street Address, City, State, and ZIP Code input fields.

Phone Number*

Phone number input field with a US flag icon.

Yes, it's okay to send me text messages including order confirmations, updates, event reminders, and occasional informational messages about future events. Message frequency varies. Message and data rates may apply. Reply

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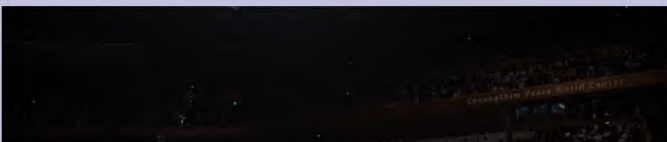
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North America
BLESSING JOURNEY

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2026 Blessing Registration is OPEN





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One of the best things about growing up in the Unificationist movement is that no matter where you go, you can always find people who feel like family. That's because of the Blessing.



The Real Problem in Our Church Isn't What You Think [Ep. 135]

Mar 25, 2026



When True Mother's Suffering Feels Heavy, Don't Stop the Mission [Ep. 134]

Feb 26, 2026



How I'm Getting Everything I Want in 2026 (two habits) [Ep. 133]

Jan 7, 2026

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What's so special about the Blessing?





The Blessing experience is unique to each couple. Watch as these three couples take you on their personal journey with the Blessing.



Your Blessing Journey

Click below to find out more about the step-by-step process of beginning your journey to the Blessing through the Blessing Journey!

[Blessing Journey](#)

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First Name



Last Name

Email Address

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We respect your privacy.

A close-up photograph of a young man with short brown hair, smiling broadly. He is wearing a light blue shirt and a brown jacket. The background is a soft, out-of-focus outdoor setting.

Get started now,
wherever you're at.

Sign Up

"Once I got into the Blessing, honestly I can feel even more of God's presence and God's love. It's not just the physical experience. It's a life-changing experience."

Deani & Ilya

"Gratitude, grace, trust. There's beauty. There's empowerment. It's a commitment to recognizing the blessing in your life and committing to that lifestyle."

Saorille

"How we can connect to our parents, how we can pass it down to our children? The Blessing is a much bigger picture than just the two of us."

Tiffany & Ryan

"The Blessing is not just looking for my own happiness, but being full as a person so that I can give love and care for this person that God is giving to me for the rest of my life."

Carina & Robert

"I'm so blessed and lucky in my life. When I get knocked down, there are people who are always around me ready to pick me back up and help me out through it."

Josh

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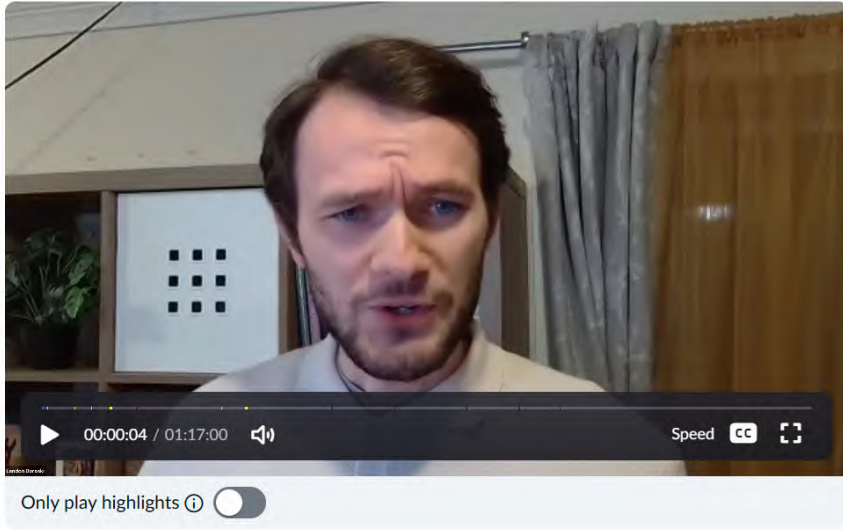


Blessed Family photos by [@Fukuya.Sano](#)



Blessing Journey Opening - Shared screen with speaker view

Mar 26, 2026 07:50 PM



Audio Transcript

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Landon Doroski 00:00:00

And so...

We're gonna get started, with the prayer, so we're gonna ask, Andrea if he'd be open to...

Starting us out with a prayer.

Andrea Kuhn BFM 00:00:14

Summary

The meeting focused on the launch of the North America Blessing Journey website, a new digital platform designed to simplify and streamline the process of preparing for and receiving the Holy Marriage Blessing. Karina, the BFM Director, presented the platform's features and ... [View All](#)

Smart Chapters



Blessing Journey Website Launch

The meeting focused on the launch of the Blessing Journey website, a new digital platform designed to simplify and support the Holy Marriage Blessing process. Reverend Rendell congratulated the team for developing this further step beyond the previous HJ Blessing Guide, noting its importance in tracking activities across 18 strategic communities. Karina, the BFM director, presented a video overview of the platform's development, highlighting its digital features, user-friendly design, and comprehensive guidance for candidates and volunteers. The platform aims to make the blessing journey easier and more accessible, moving closer to Holy Mother Han's vision for the new era of the Chanel book.

Next Steps

1. Karina: Create a video explaining the new Blessing Journey process and vocabulary changes, to be completed by tomorrow.
2. Karina/Team: Add a "continue to homepage" button to the onboarding walkthrough for new users.
3. All existing users: Log in to the new Blessing Journey platform, reset password if needed, and update profiles (especially matching supporters with support specifics and specialties).
4. All Blessing Interviewers: Register as a certified Blessing Interviewer in the new system and ensure profile is available for candidates to select.
5. All Pastors: Only host commitment ceremonies for candidates who have qualified and completed the necessary steps in the new platform; do not host ceremonies for unqualified candidates.
6. Matching Supporters and Blessing Interviewers: Complete annual reflection form and update specialties as part of the new certification/recertification process.
7. Team: Open and test MatchNet (matching profiles feature) after the current blessing season, with a future launch meeting to explain the new features.
8. All users: Report any issues or things not working in the new platform to the BFM team for resolution.
9. Team: Be responsive to technical support requests, especially during the high season leading up to the blessing in one month.
10. Team: Send out personalized engagement confirmation forms to candidates after they complete their application.
11. Team: Ensure the system automatically reminds users to complete self-disclosure forms for recertification as needed.
12. Team: Guide re-blessing candidates through the process of uploading blessing dissolution papers if required.