



Tongil Group Newsletter

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True Parents' Activities

✧ Hoondokhwe at Cheon Hwa Gung, 7.10 by the heavenly calendar (August 9, 2011)

Hoondokhwe began with Rev. Chang Shik Yang, continental director for the United States, reading "Owner of the Harvest—What We Should Do as Abel" from volume 27 of True Father's Speeches



✧ Hoondokhwe at Cheon Hwa Gung, 7.12 by the heavenly calendar (August 11)

Twenty-one church leaders from Korea and Japan and 16 CARP members attended the hoondokhwe held at Cheon Hwa Gung on 7.12 by the heavenly calendar.

True Father said: "What you have does not belong to you. When you begin to think of your possessions as your own, the world will be overturned. One's portion of responsibility! Repeat after me. Each of you has your own portion of responsibility in the providence. The term „true love" is a truly terrible one. With the term „true love," I united the spiritual and physical worlds. True love can prosper forever only when you live for others. Everything will end when you say that you will make others live for you, in the name of true love. I am now ninety-three years old, and even if I were to begin my life all over again, the only thing I would leave behind me is the term „true love." The gate to a bright future has been opened for today's young people. I hope that you will all endeavor to give at least something to others."



Rev. Hyung Jin Moon Speaks to CARP Leaders and Students

Following hoondokhwe presided by True Parents on 7.12 by heavenly calendar (August 11), Rev. Hyung Jin Moon had lunch with CARP leaders and college students at a nearby restaurant. The International President presented his vision of leadership and answered questions for more than two hours.



International President Visits Las Vegas Women's Shelter

On 7.13 by heavenly calendar (August 12), Rev. Hyung Jin Moon visited the Safe Faith United Women's Shelter, a refuge for women who are victims of domestic violence. The visit followed a \$10,000-donation by the Church to the shelter on 4.19 by heavenly calendar (May 21).

During the visit, Principal Rebeca Ferreira reported that the money had been used to purchase six computers and a television.

"We are truly grateful to Rev. Sun Myung Moon for remembering and helping those who live in the dark shadows of our society," Dr. Ferreira said. "The newly bought computers and television will serve as windows of communication for those who are estranged from the society and will give them hope and a sense of belonging."



The donation was a part of proceeds from a gaming tournament held at the Cosmic Rally on 4.19 by heavenly calendar (May 21) as a condition to restore the Las Vegas gambling culture, a symbol of the Fall, to the culture of joy as originally created by God. The Salvation Army also received a \$50,000 donation and the *Galilee Camps*, which give some of Las Vegas's neediest children the chance to enjoy a summer camp on the shores of Lake Tahoe, received \$10,000.



Chairman's Couple Hosts Gangnam Pastors at Hannam Dong

Tongil Foundation Chairman Mr. Kook Jin Moon and Mrs. Ji Yea Park Moon hosted a luncheon with pastors of the Seoul Gangnam Region on 7.14 by the heavenly calendar (August 13) at the Hannam International Training Center in Hannam Dong, Seoul. Pastors were briefed on developments within the church and matters related to UCI.

Mr. Moon thanked the pastors for their contributions to church growth. He expressed confidence that current difficulties can be overcome, and even better results achieved, by uniting the Church centering on True Parents. Following his remarks, Mr. Moon responded to questions and comments from the pastors.





2011 International Coming-of-Age Ceremony for Blessed Children

The 2011 International Coming-of-Age Ceremony for Blessed Children was held at the Cheongpyeong Training Center on August 4 and 5. Some 760 second- and third-generation members attended from Korea, Japan and other countries.

The ceremony was held for the first time in our Church's history following instructions from True Father, who said: "All Blessed Children over the age of eighteen should participate in a coming-of-age ceremony."

All unmarried Blessed Children born on or before December 31, 1994, were qualified to take part this year.



The Coming-of-Age Ceremony is the first stage in realizing the three great blessings given by God, "Be fruitful, multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth." It is important that through the ceremony Blessed Children become the true sons and daughters of God. The significance of the ceremony lies in achieving self-dominion and realizing one's responsibility as a leader in God's providence so as to resolve to keep oneself pure in mind and body, as originally created, in preparation to meet one's true spouse.



Segye Times Sees First Ever Half-year Operating Profit

The *Segye Times*, Tongil Group's general interest newspaper, reported an operating profit for the first six months of 2011, the first such achievement since the daily began publishing in February 1989. The company showed a profit even after excluding advertising revenue from Tongil Group companies.

The achievement follows a six-year effort led by Tongil Foundation Chairman Mr. Kook Jin Moon to restructure the company so as to cut costs while growing sales.

Market conditions continue to be challenging and profitability for the full year is not yet assured, but the first half result demonstrated the potential for financial self-sufficiency in a company long regarded as a chronic money loser with little hope for turning a profit.



Tongil Group leaders met for a half year performance conference June 28 to 29, 2011.



Chairman Kook Jin Moon



Segye Times CEO Byeong Soo Kim

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