

FFWPU Europe and Middle East: Holy Mother Han back in detention

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Hello everybody. Well, we've just finished the first vigil prayer of today here at the detention center. And of course it was very special because in the middle of it, True Mother came back.

And perhaps you've seen the short video where she came back through the prison gates. Actually, we understand that we did ask the court if they would extend Mother's release for further medical treatment, but unfortunately this was denied. I'm sure that, like me, curious to know what is the setup here at the detention center? And so maybe I can give you a little tour.

So I'm standing here at the entrance, and this is the main road here leading up to the detention center. It's a beautiful evening. And as you come into the area, you see all these posters in support of True parents and members here.

And this tent on the right is our worship tent, our vigil tent. It's quite big. It can seat about 150 people.

It's long and narrow, as you can see. And at the end there are two parents picture on the big screen. There are some comforts.

There's tea and coffee and so forth. And then outside, of course, there are police buses everywhere. As you can see, there are copies of True Mother's autobiography and leaflets to hand out to passersby.

And in this tent there are worship services twice a day from 2pm until 5pm and then again at night from 10 until 1. And basically following the same format as the visual prayer with the same song. So it feels very familiar in a way.

And there are a lot of members here from all over the world. Here we see Bakari Kamera interviewing with Fortune Winter and sharing about his experience today. And as we come up here, we find another group.

This is the tent of our martial arts master who's been here for 46 days, living here, sleeping here in that tent, in that tent that I'm being pointed to right here. So it's surprising in a way that such a setup is allowed here. And these people here are actually supporting the former president Yun Suk Yeol.



And they're also pretty noisy. A very important building across the street here, that's where the, the toilet is and the wash facilities. And I'll show you something interesting.

There's only about 20 people here supporting the former president. I've been sleeping there 15 days. Just down here, there's a way to go through to another demonstration area through this little gap in the trees.

And this is actually a much larger demonstration area. And this is in support of the former president who's also here in the same detention center. But as you can see, there's lots of chairs and some recorded noise, but no actual people.

So in that sense, at least we have the advantage. Well, let me. Yeah, that's about it for my tour of the facility.

I'm going back to a little hotel now and I'll be back at 10 o' clock tonight where we will continue the vigil until 1am probably be a lot colder than it is right now, but anyway, on your behalf, I've been happy to be here. Grateful even to have a short proximity to True. Mother.

And I'll keep you posted on what comes next. Thank you.

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