

HTM

Activities

Heavenly Tribal Messiahship
Europe & Middle East

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The restoration of a tribe is the providence to find the lost brothers and sisters and restore them to a position centered on Heavenly Parent.

The heavenly tribal messiah couple has to fulfill the role of the parents who guide the tribe. This requires finding ways to fulfill the needs of those in the tribe and help them overcome their deficiencies.

If we can do this successfully, the members of our tribe will recognize us, saying, "Our heavenly tribal messiah family is truly a model family with Heavenly Parent as its center!

They are the parents who truly love us."

From Heavenly Tribal Messiah Collection Book 3



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True Mother's Words to CheonBo Couples

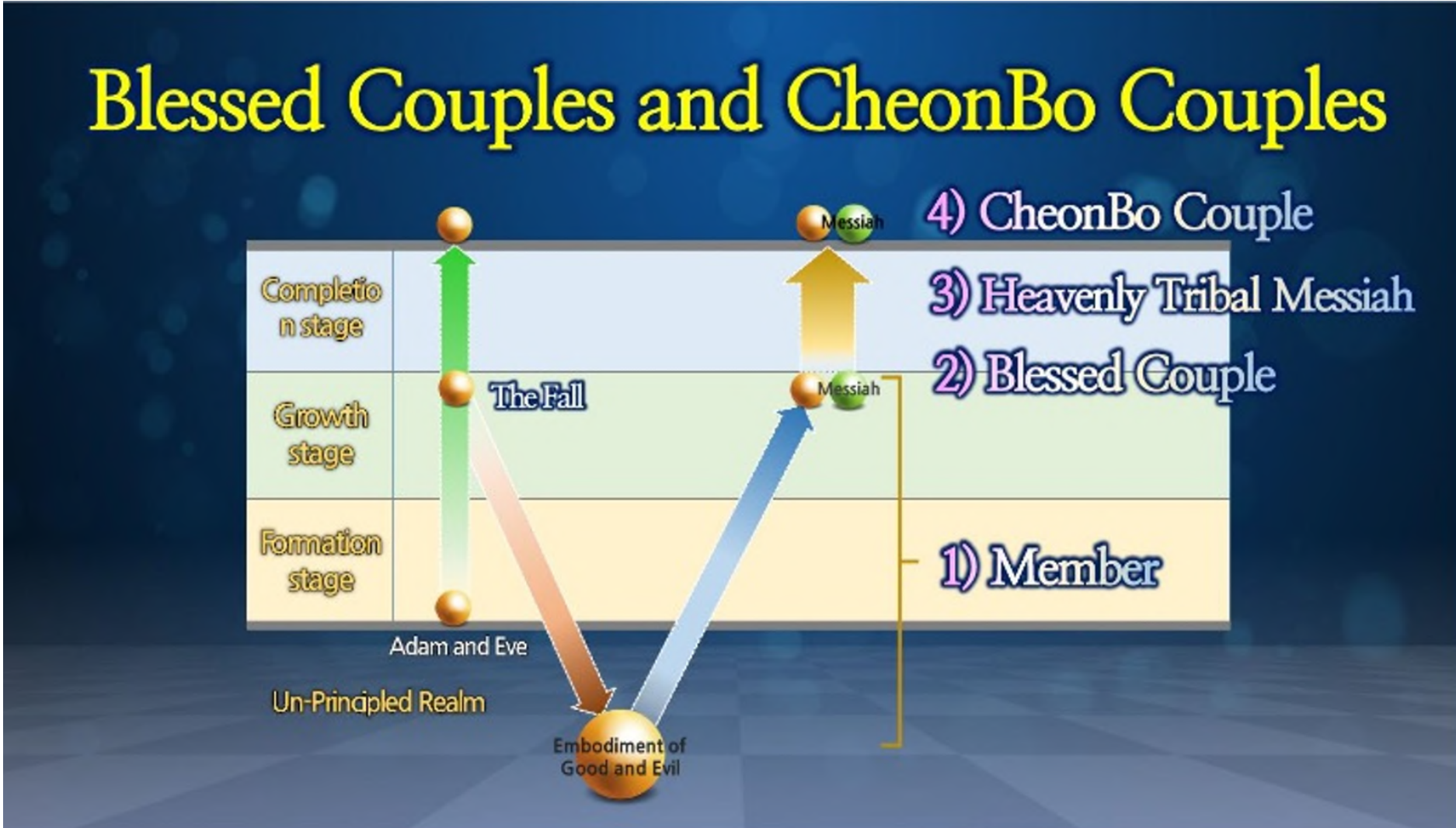
True Mother spoke to CheonBo couples at the Grand Cheonbo Festival Celebrating the Centenary of True Father's Holy Birth, the Sixtieth Anniversary of True Parents' Holy Wedding and Special Blessing Ceremony 2020, which took place on October 10.

How long we have been waiting for this one day!
Our Heavenly Parent has wanted to fulfill his dreams together with his children on earth. However, the Fall filled our Heavenly Parent with so much pain.
How difficult it has been for him, how much he has endured, how long he has waited for this moment.
The families inducted as Cheonbo [heavenly treasures] today are the authentic citizens of Cheon II Guk, registered as the original clear and pure Cheonbo that Heavenly Parent has dreamed of seeing.

While we are on earth we must offer to Heavenly Parent, who has been waiting, one family of humankind that attends the parent of all people, which is Heavenly Parent's and True Parent's heartfelt desire.

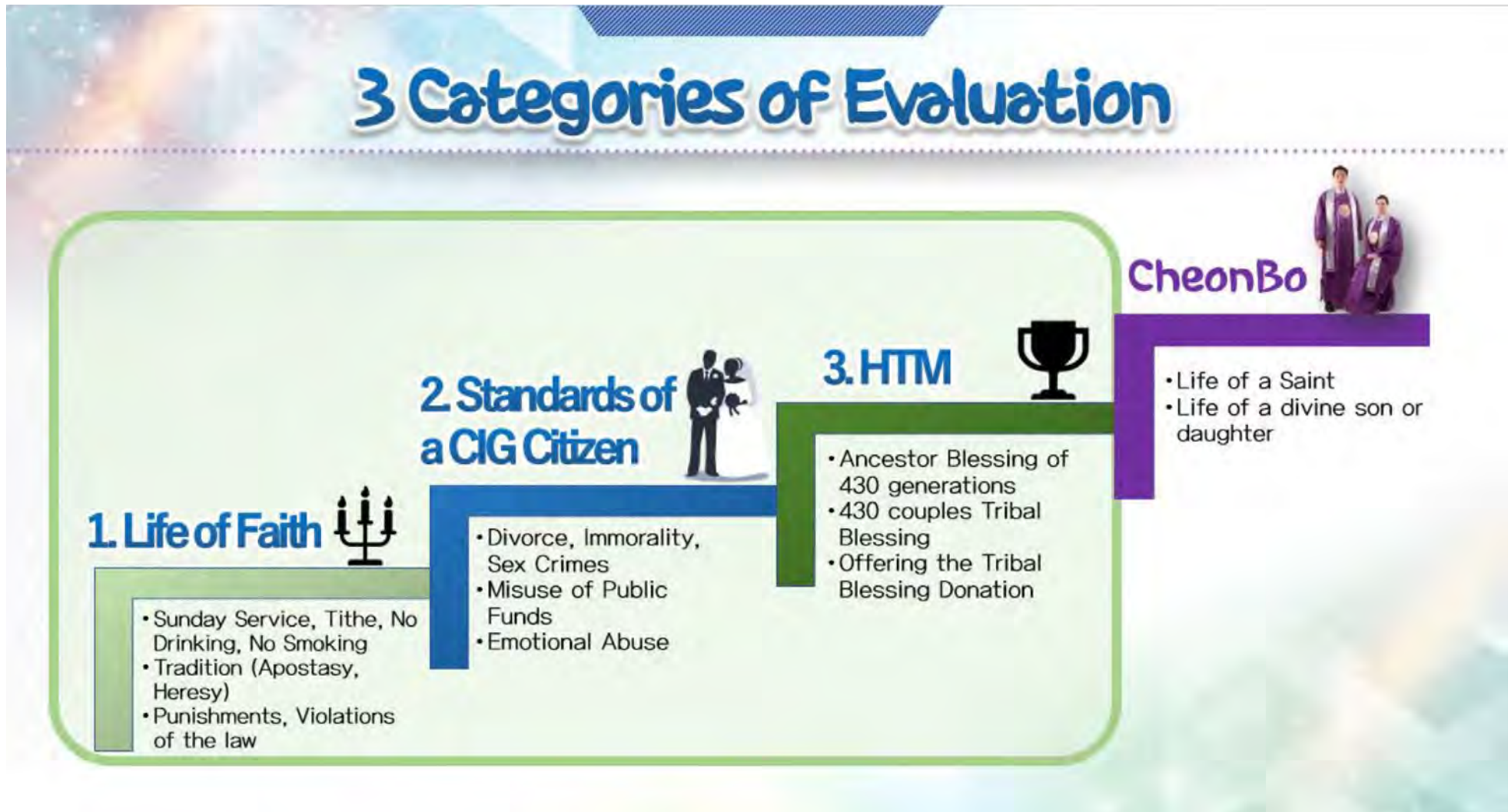
In welcoming this day, families inducted as Cheonbo today have the responsibilities of the citizens of Cheon II Guk. How we expand our heavenly spiritual energy as Cheonbo families toward our neighbors, tribes, nations and the world while we are on earth will determine whether we are able to fulfill our responsibilities as families happily registered under the name Cheonbo—and through this, we will achieve eternal freedom when we go to the spirit world. I hope, then, that you all become great and prominent families who receive respect and love forevermore, generation after generation, throughout the course of human history.

Blessed Couples and CheonBo Couples



Three categories of Evaluation

From the CheonBo 2020 Guide Book



HTM Activities

United Kingdom

Zimbabwe, Africa

by Ron German

by Ron German from Wales, Great Britain, shares from his HTM trip to Zimbabwe.

“...First of all I want to thank you all for supporting me on this visit to Zimbabwe. As with my own tribe I was warmly welcomed, and although we emphasised that I was representing all of you the general feeling was that we are working together as one. You would have been welcomed just as warmly. ...”

He visited his own tribe and he also met with tribes or delegations of 4 other Families:

Dale & Galina Rose, Lance & Siew Lian Gardiner, Franklin & Cecilie Fortune, Dirk & Mitsuko Gardiner and Ron & Cathrin German.



Zimbabwe, Africa

by Sallyan and Gordon Franklin

Sallyan during her stay in Simbabwe. Supporting a local school project, educating about the SeongHwa Ceremony and spending time with her most active and loyal tribe members.



England, Birmingham

by David and Patricia Earle

November 2022, in Birmingham, UK, 130 people of all faiths and cultures gathered together for an Interfaith Service in the beautiful prayer hall of the Al Mahdi Institute. Interfaith prayers were offered, prominent speakers shared their thoughts on the importance of unity in today's world, young people spoke about a service project they took part in earlier this year, Elliot Yamamoto introduced Youth and Students for Peace, seven Ambassador for Peace awards were presented, and we concluded by

offering everyone the Peace Blessing as we shared food and fellowship together after the Service. It all felt like a wonderful, collective offering, making the concept of the Holy Community a living reality. A really good way of keeping in touch with our couples and families, offering them some education, and making new friends as well, people from all walks of life and different parts of society - living HTM activities.



HTM Activities

Netherlands

Zambia, Africa

by Frans and Elizabeth Baatenberg de Jong

All participants who took part at the workshop on a daily base received a certificate. 50 couples in total.

Blessing Ceremony followed by the Indemnity Stick



Needed items donated to the local clinic

HTM Mission of the Netherlands near Chipata, Zambia

The pioneering work

When Frans and Elizabeth Baatenburg started their Tribal Messiah mission in Zambia, they first went to the western part of Zambia but later moved to the eastern part near Chipata. Here they met Chief Mishoro and his wife who had already received a 7-day Divine Principle workshop and were already blessed.



Chief Mishoro and his wife together with Elizabeth Baatenburg

With support of Chief Mishoro the first HTM Blessing could take place in 2017.



After the first workshop which was a great success, the Chief promised to give us a piece of land on which later the community hall was build. Through the continues work of Frans and Elizabeth and their spiritual child Dawson Lupili and the support of Nicolas Chisha, many couples in this area could be blessed and ultimately 16 Dutch couples could receive their tribes.

As Elizabeth explained it herself:

In 2018, David Earl invited me to attend the HTM meetings in Korea. I went and we received a lot of education and True Mother encouraged us to spread this to other families in our nations. In CJG in the prayer room we all made a commitment to support other members to also achieve their HTM. Since we had to pledge to do our best in this way, I was pleasantly surprised when brother Guus Schenk asked me on our way from a trip to Germany to help. I felt it was Heavenly Parent answering my prayers. We had a meeting and we decided to go forward. I mentioned that we needed to build a community hall where we can receive the people instead of them sitting on the ground under the trees. That was approved even before we started getting the other tribes.

We as Dutch couples are extremely grateful and happy that True Mother gave this guidance and Frans and Elizabeth and Dawson helped all of us to receive our tribes. We will do our utmost best to continue this work and fulfill what True Parents asks us to do. Thank you so much!

Much of this pioneering work to find the tribes for the Dutch couples was done with the support of the Indunas who received bikes to find the couples. Bishop Musopelo also played an important role and often went ahead to mobilize the people and prepare the groundwork.



Youth Education in our Tribes

When Frans and Elizabeth Baatenburg first met Chief Mishoro and his wife they explained that there are many problems with their youth such as HIV, so he welcomed the proposal to educate the youth of our tribes. From December 2018 onward there were regular youth workshops of at least once a month with many young people attending in Mishoro village which is near Chipata. The Chief was very happy with this because he has no solution for the problems of the youths. However, when Covid started it was impossible

to continue this work. It continued again in 2022, with workshops for the tribes of Frans and Elizabeth and Derk van Dorsten whom all visited their tribes. Later that year also the tribes of Hans and Mieke Campman and Guus and Trudy Schenk were educated.

In 2023 several youth workshops were given at our peace center. Many of the young attendants requested more workshop realizing that the Divine Principle truly has the solution for their problems.

In 2024 therefore the complete focus is on youth education. It is also what many of our elderly tribe members requested. After each workshop we hope to select at least 3 young people whom we can further educate with

a 7-day workshop to prepare for the blessing. These young, blessed couples can hopefully become part of our team so that Gods foundation can continue to grow rapidly.



Youth workshop April 2024 in Gundani village, the tribal area of Derk and Gerdien van Dorsten

Teaching the Divine Principle and Family Values to our tribes

As a Dutch community we are very blessed with our team in Zambia. The local project manager is Dawson Lupili who together with his wife Severine is managing the spiritual and physical training programs for our tribe members.

Continuing the pioneering work by which 16 tribes could be blessed, we set out to give a 7-day Divine Principle to at least 43 couples of 12 tribes. This main educational program started in 2022 and was finalized in 2023. Our main lecturer is Felix Chanda who on a motorbike has been traveling to all the tribes and with the local

leaders and pastors prepared these meetings. He is also our main lecturer and is supported by his wife Florence and their 4 children. Most often Dawson Lupili and Nicolas Chisha would also speak at these meetings and support the program.

The main educational programs took place from June 2023 and whereby at least 43 couples of each of the twelve tribes followed a 7-day Divine Principle workshop. Overall, more than thousand people attended these workshops in 2022 and 2023. Again, a big thank you to our team in Zambia!!!

Felix Chanda on the way to a workshop with the bike



At our guest house: Nicolas Chisha, Dawson Lupili, Derk van Dorsten, Felix Chanda, his wife Florence and their children.



Overwhelming attendance at one of the workshops



Graduation ceremony in Gundani Village

Working together with Christian pastors and their wives

From the very beginning of the project Frans and Elizabeth Baatenburg emphasized working together with our Christian brothers and sisters and especially with the pastors with whom we share a big responsibility.

When I was in Zambia for the mission in the autumn of 2023 the leaders of my tribe explained their desire that we continue working together with the local pastors. During a meeting with pastor Mbao I asked if it would be possible that Felix becomes a member of the pastor's council

which meets regularly in our area. Pastor Mbao welcomed this idea and proposed to have the next council meeting at our peace center. During the meeting the pastors expressed their desire to attend a 2-day workshop for them and their wives. This workshop was held in March 2024 and was attended by many pastors and their wives. Also, pastors from Gundani village attended. They were very happy to hear the content and expressed the desire to receive more education.

Right: Dawson Lupili and the pastors from Gundani village

The pastors council meeting held at our peace center



Left: Frans and Elizabeth at the 7-days workshop for pastors and their wives on the side of our training center.

On their left is Pastor Mbao. He is the leader of all the Pastors and the spiritual advisor to Chief Mishoro who donated the land where we could built our training center.



Final day of the Divine Principle - Pastors Workshop as conducted at the HTM Centre in Chipata whose total attendance was > 14 man and 9 women (i. e. Pastors wives).



Our goal in reaching out to the pastors is to connect them to True Parents internally. We use a careful approach whereby we first teach family values and the Divine Principle whereby we introduce the Divine Principle as the teaching that Jesus was not able to share at his time as he explained in John 16:
12 I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear.
13 But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the

truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come.
14 He will glorify me because it is from me that he will receive what he will make known to you.
15 All that belongs to the Father is mine. That is why I said the Spirit will receive from me what he will make known to you.

Then we explain True Father's words from his autobiography:

"Early Easter morning, after I had spent the entire night in prayer, Jesus appeared before me. He appeared in an instant, like a gust of wind, and said to me, God is in great sorrow because of the pain of humankind. You must take on a special mission on earth having to do with Heaven's work."

In this way we answer the question that all pastors and tribe members ask: Where does the Divine Principle

come from? This way they can accept True Father and True Mother. Once they learn the Divine Principle we can explain about the Marriage of the Lamb and the value of True Mother as "The only Begotten Daughter of God" and as the embodiment of the Holy Spirit.

We are very happy to report that we work now closely together with the pastors in our areas, and they truly help us with Gods work.

Establishing a heavenly garden at our peace center

One of the areas where we want to support our tribe members is farming. I believe that originally there would have been a heavenly way of farming that respects Gods creation and the laws of Heaven. However, because of the Fall of Man our Heavenly Parent was not able to teach this to his children. To find back this original way of farming is not easy but already many people around the world are trying their best to farm organically without pesticides. So, our garden is based on organic farming, and it is our hope that with Heavenly Parents



help it can step by step develop into a heavenly farm. Our peace center is located on the top of a large hill. This piece of land was given to us by Chief Mishoro. Even though the land is fertile, normally it is not a good place for a farm, but we felt that if we could establish a successful farm on this piece of land, our methods would work anywhere. Even though the soil is pristine it still needs a lot of organic material and compost to truly come alive. Therefore, we also need to keep chickens and goats to sustain and improve the soil.

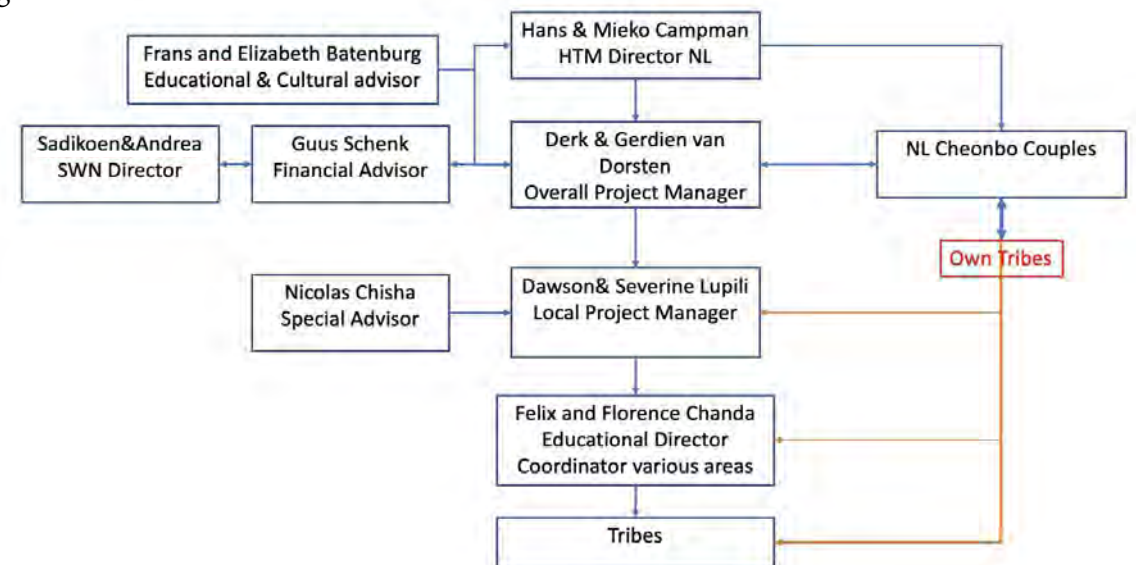
Preparing for my visit at the autumn in 2023, I thought deeply about the design of the garden. When I arrived and looked at the shape of our holy ground and I saw it formed part of the yin yang symbol, I realized the design of the garden should center around this heavenly symbol in combination with the practical permaculture design principles. After two months of work and the great support of the local youth we were able to establish our garden which now serves as a farming training institute as well as a Divine Principle training center.



Working together as a well-organized team

According to True Parents words we as blessed couples are all responsible to fulfill our role as tribal messiahs. Having said that, I think Heavenly Parents and True Parents do not mind when we work together and help each other to achieve that goal. In the Netherlands we are very fortunate to have an elderly couple, Frans and Elizabeth Baatenburg who with their spiritual son and daughter Dawson and Severine Lupili not only found their own tribes but also took the responsibility to find and bless the tribes for 16 Dutch blessed couples. Important to mention is also Nicolas Chisha who supported them on their many blessing journeys.

From this tradition we did our best to form a well-organized team that consists of Zambian and Dutch brothers and sisters whereby Frans and Elizabeth still play an important advisory role. We work together as a team on the overall roadmap which consists of spiritual and physical goals. The main spiritual goal is to educate all our tribe members and connect them to our True Parents, working together with the local Christian pastors. The goal is to help tribe members transition to organic farming and develop the area economically so we can build God's substantial Kingdom together with our tribes.



Finding a way to capture the rainwater for irrigation

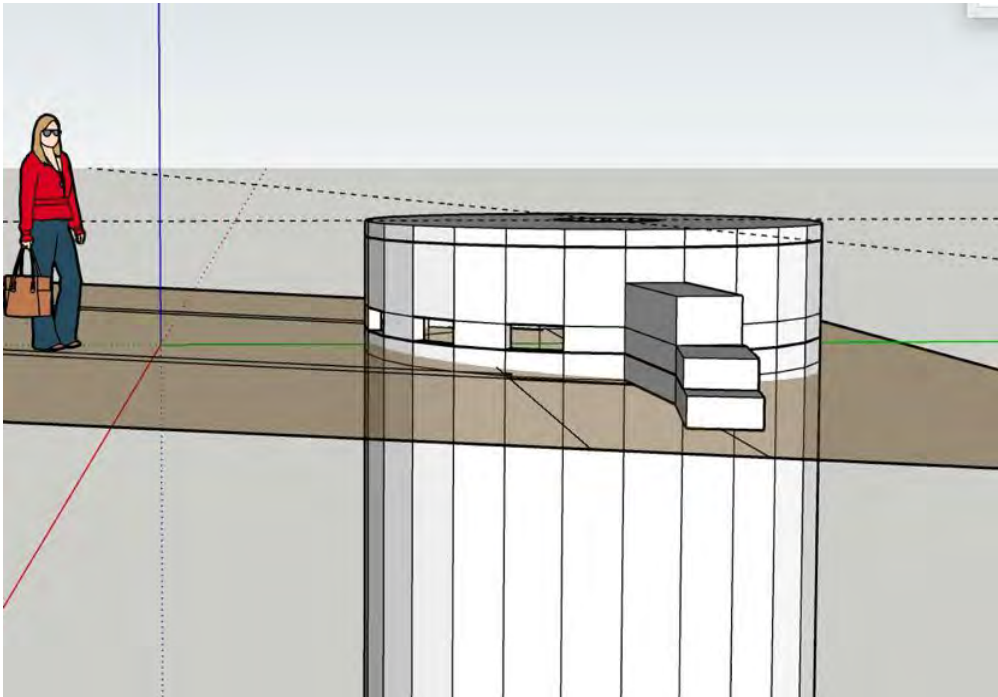
In every part of the world, we see the impact of climate change. In Zambia it means the rainy season is starting much later in the year while even during the rainy season there are periods of drought. This makes it very difficult for our tribe members to grow enough food. To support the farmers in our tribal areas we have been trying to find ways to capture the rainwater so it can be used for irrigation.

At our peace center we installed a 5000-liter tank that captures the water from the roof of our training center. It works very well and fills up completely after a rain shower. However, the tank is not enough to sustain our organic garden of 1600 m² with water for a period of a month. Also to use this method to capture rain you need a big roof and the water supply must be near their organic gardens.

Next we tested digging a swale. This is simply a hole in the ground that captures the rainwater from the land above. We dug a swale of 3000 liter to see if it would fill up after a rain shower and to see if the swale would contain the water. The swale did fill up very quickly when it rained but the water sunk in the ground in a couple of days.

Thinking about it I realized we need a watertight container that sits in the ground so I can capture the water from the area above. Also, it needs to be safe so it should be a closed container.

See below the design of the container and the first one being built in Gundani village. The container can hold more than 20,000 liter of water.



HTM Activities

Czech Republic

Prague

by Suhyon Kim Slezáková



Inviting people to the “True Love Festival” and giving the “Pre-Blessing”.



We had “True Love Toast” (Holy Wine activity) on last 3 Sunday afternoons in Prague city centre. Six brothers and sisters participated and 62 couples received Holy Wine and committed to be faithful to their spouses.





Liberia

by Martine Masner

In July 2020 we had a Divine Principle workshop for pastors in Liberia. 87 pastors attended from Bong County. Several European members have contributed to this workshop as an HTM activity. Some of these pastors belong to different tribes of European families.



HTM Activities

Germany

Home Church and HTM Activities

by Ulrich Ganz

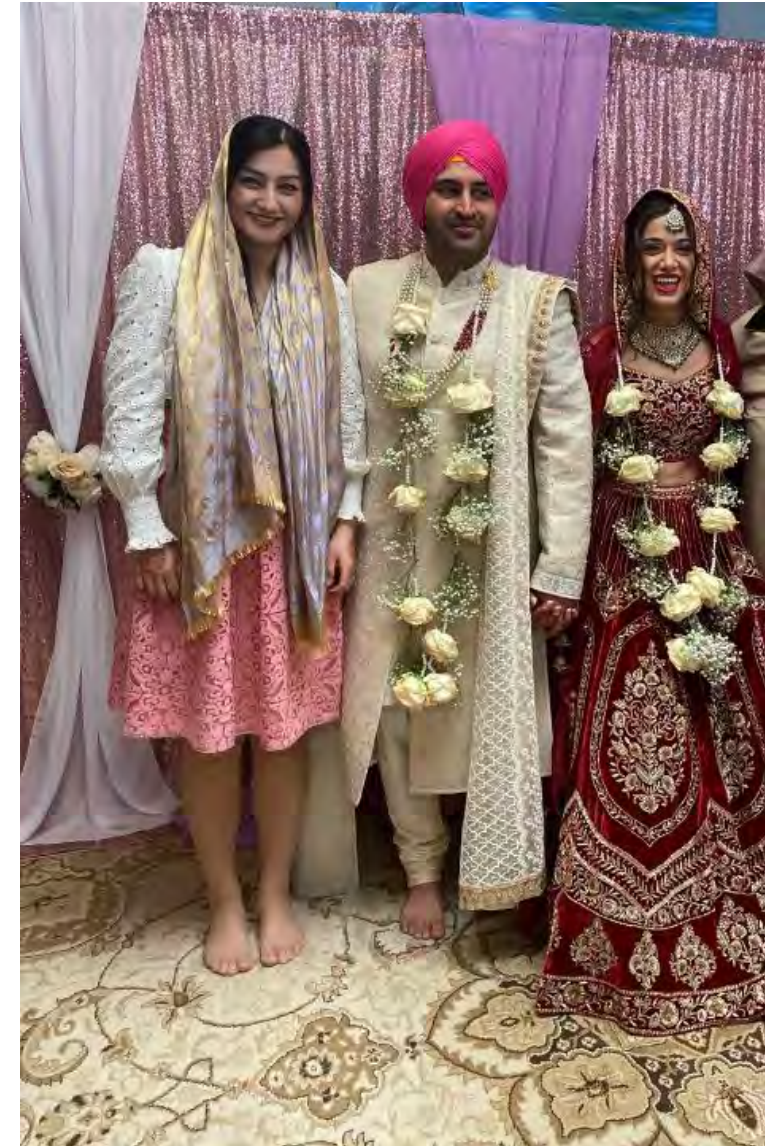
In 10 Communities in Germany different families are conducting Home Church and HTM activities. They do a wide variety of activities in their neighbourhood, with different associations and in local projects. They are also conducting HTM Blessings. Many families also invested in Africa to create a tribe there.



HTM Activities

by Josef and Mieko Eder

With the bridegroom, a friend of our children.
The wedding lasts over a period of 4 days.



WCLC Germany Konferenz

3.-4.02.2024



WCLC-Germany Konferenz 3.-4.02.2024



HTM Activities

by Reinhold and Elisbath Heil

At an event in Augsburg at the honorary doctorate presentation of two pastors in the Hometown of Family Heil in Germany. After many years as “Oversea Missionaries” they decided to do HTM mission in their hometown.



Reinhold Heil was honored by Health Minister Judith Gerlach in the Würzburg Residence on 12 April 2024 for his decades of commitment as a dementia caregiver at St. Josef Hospital.

We had good discussions with the politicians who came especially for this occasion (Mayor and Member of Parliament).



HTM Activities

Spain

HTM Activities

by Osamu and Mercedes Tomita



My husband and I was able to put some booklets inside the mailbox-es in my town.

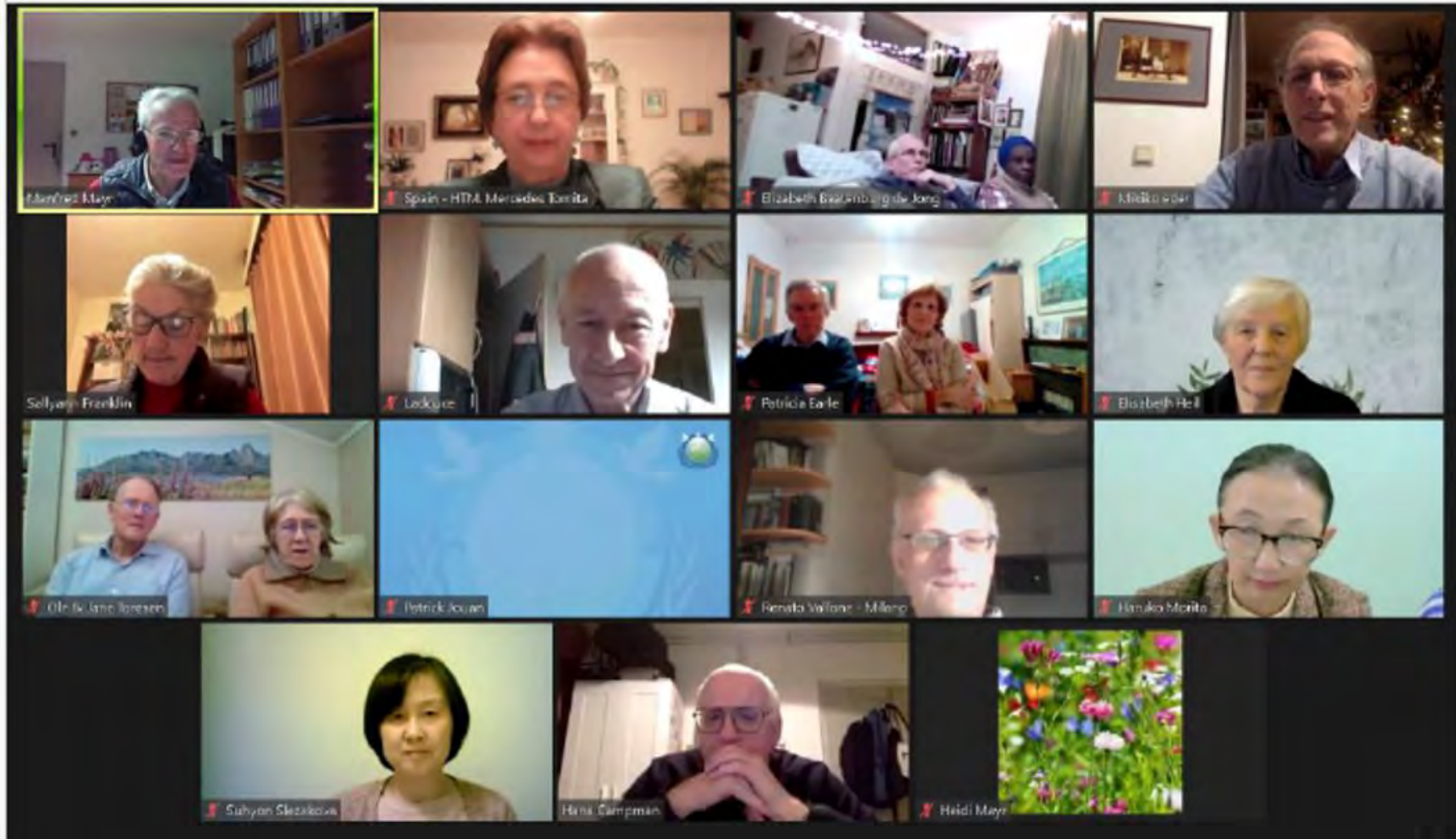


Witnessing and meeting good people

Giving lectures and teaching Divine Principle about the origin of conflict and the 3 Blessings.



Thank you very much! For this HTM Meeting on the 29th. December, 2023



HTM Activities

France

Benin, Africa

by Laurent Ladouce



This was the 3rd 7-Day WS in 2022. Tribe Members who successfully attended the WS received a graduation certificate. They should become leaders within the tribe.



Claudine Decamb in Benin, 2022
She visited her tribe 2 times.



Claudine with HE Thomas Boni Yayi, former president of Benin in May 2023, who attended the opening of the Cheon Won Gung.



Senegal / Benin, Africa

by Patric Jouan

To visit such african countries like Senegal or Benin give strong experiences on grass root level and to see H. Parent's children situations. They are very open to receive guidance but their living reality is a real challenge.



This couple fulfilled all conditions as a Blessed Couple. They were deeply moved and motivated and started to build a central place for the village, a home and office! Despite some persecutions they are doing well. Amazing!



As a gift bringing instruments for cleaning the water.
Right: The Mayor of Tori



HTM Activities

Armenia

An HTM Workshop and a Matching Ceremony in Armenia

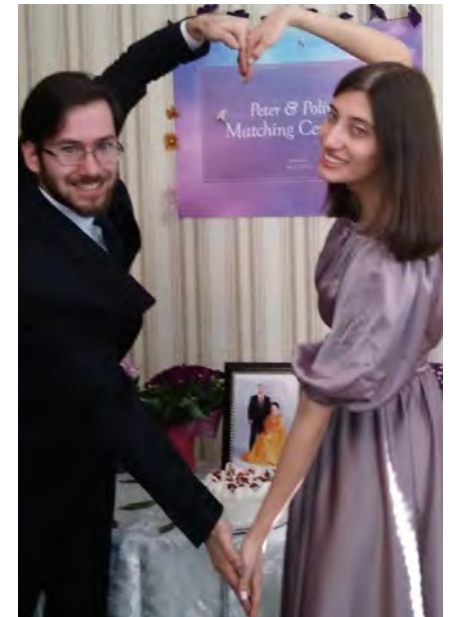
By Hovik Barseghyan

A one-day seminar for 48 HTM couples and members was held in Armenia. The participants included eight children, one family with three generations, as well as the family who rented their vacation home for the workshop. Kristof Kral, one of the first missionaries to Armenia, gave three lectures, and Armenian national leader Hovik Barseghyan gave one.

As is the tradition, there was wonderful Armenian food and music. Everyone felt the presence of Heavenly Parent and True Parents, and when the seminar ended, nobody wanted to go home.

A beautiful matching ceremony was held for two Second Gens: brother from Austria and sister from Russia.

Because of travel restrictions between their countries, they met for the first time in Armenia with their mothers and quickly decided to make the match official. The families and friends of the couple participated in this moving ceremony via Zoom.



HTM Activities

Moldova

HTM Activities in Moldova

by Andrei Esanu

Introduction

Heavenly Tribal Messiahship (HTM) has been a central focus for our community in Moldova since its relaunch in response to True Mother's call in 2018. Under her guidance, leaders across the globe were urged to pledge their commitment to fulfill the HTM mission by 2020. In Moldova, we embraced this call wholeheartedly, forming a dedicated team of four Blessed Families who pledged to lead the charge. As our efforts gained momentum, we were fortunate to receive support from an additional seven families, all eager to contribute to the realization of this important mission.

HTM Initiatives

Our HTM journey in Moldova has been marked by various initiatives aimed at fostering stronger family bonds and community cohesion. One of our key undertakings was the development of the Happy Family Festival, a celebratory event designed

to promote the values of harmony, love, and unity within families. Through collaborative efforts with local public authorities, including social services from four districts of Moldova, we successfully organized Happy Family Festivals in over 10 villages during the year 2019.

Achievements

The impact of our **Happy Family Festivals** has been significant, for the couples that participated in these events. These festivals provided a platform for families to come together, engage in meaningful dialogue, and strengthen their bonds. The positive response from participants underscored the importance of such initiatives in nurturing healthy family dynamics and fostering a sense of belonging within the community.

In addition to our village-based festivals, we also introduced the concept of a **Mobile Happy Family Festival**,



which proved to be a resounding success. By strategically integrating our events into larger community gatherings, such as City Day and Intercultural festivals in the capital city of Moldova, we were able to reach a wider audience. Couples were invited to participate in a series of activities, beginning with the symbolic “cup of unity,” which served as a powerful

metaphor for the journey towards stronger familial ties.

Outcomes

Happy Family Festival initiative not only garnered widespread acclaim but also played a pivotal role in our HTM mission. Through these events, our four dedicated families were able to realize their goal and ascend to

the esteemed status of Cheonbo couples by the target year of 2020. This achievement stands as a testament to the transformative power of HTM initiatives and the unwavering dedication of our community members.

Conclusion

As we reflect on our HTM journey in Moldova, we are filled with a sense of gratitude for the progress we have made. From humble beginnings to impactful outcomes, our efforts have exemplified the spirit of True Mother's call to action. Moving forward, we remain committed to furthering the cause of Heavenly Tribal Messiahship, knowing that our collective efforts have the power to bring about positive change and create a more harmonious world for generations to come.





HTM Activities

Middle East

HTM Highlights in 2023

by Haruko Morita



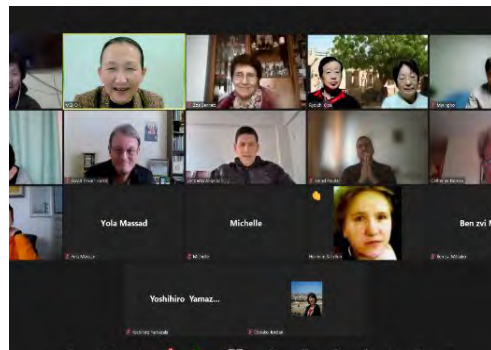
left: Israeli Blessed couple in Korea
middle: Turkey Blessed couple in Russia
top: Holy Wine Ceremony in Israel



Blessing Ceremony in Senegal



HTM Blessing in Zambia



ME CheonBo Couple Meeting



7 Day Study Course

Other News & Events

Report from Nigeria

by Dr Oko

Congratulations to the HTM Peace Angels Soccer team by Dr Oko.

As part of the commemoration of the birth anniversary of our Lord Jesus, the HTM Peace Angels soccer team (under 15) today, Dec.25, 2023 wpresented the trophy and medals they won at the recently organized “Federal Ministry of Sports screening tournament” to select young players for the national under 15 academy from Yala LGA.

Our Peace Angels defeated five other teams to emerge winner and representative of Yala LGA. Five players have been selected to participate in the national level screening in 2024.





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Einladung

zu einem Infoabend per Zoom am Montag, 29. April 2024 um 20:00 Uhr

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Berichte vom Besuch von
Dr. Raphael Oke in London und
Birmingham.

Vom 5. – 15. April 2024 war
Dr. Oke in England um über HTM
Aktivitäten von CheonBo Familien
in Nigeria zu informieren.



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Build your tribe and become a Cheonbo Couple

Thanks to all the brothers and sisters for their contributions!

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