

WestRock Family News

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Motto of the year:

Era of the Victory, Liberation, and Completion of the True Parents of Heaven, Earth, and Humankind

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Weekly Greeting

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Greetings! I pray that you had a wonderful Thanksgiving.

Thank you for being a part of this WestRock Family and for all you do to help make this a community that is able to convey the love of our Heavenly Parent and our True Parents.

As you have heard – we are looking for a new pastor. Because of that, some members have phoned me, asking if I am being pushed out. That is not at all the case. I initiated this, because True Mother clearly expressed how important it is that we bring in young leadership. Our future depends on that.

If you have connections with someone who is young and would like to become a pastor – please encourage them to apply for the position. Even if they are not fully qualified, our elders (including myself) are willing to help raise them up.

Let's do all we can to help our youth connect with True Parents heart and their incredible vision for this world.

And let's make it a great day!

God Bless You

Andrew Compton

Sermon

This week's sermon at Belvedere was given by Micahel Balcomb "[Who Am I, in God's Eyes?](#)"

You can listen to it if you go to: soundcloud.com/pastor-andrew/michael-balcomb-1

Light Thought for the Day:

Classified Ad

... from the local newspaper ...

2012 Suzuki Motorcycle GSXR 1000, \$9,000

This bike is perfect! It has only 1,000 miles and has had its 500 mile dealer service.

It's been adult ridden, all wheels have always been on the ground. I use it as a cruiser/commuter. I'm selling it because it was purchased without proper consent of a loving wife. Apparently "Do whatever you want" doesn't mean what I thought. Call Steve. 555-1212

Testimonies/reports

If you have a testimony or report to share please send it to me.

Providential News

The 20-20 Providence has begun! WestRock and Upstate have been paired with the Solomon Islands and Italy. Metro NY and Long Is have been paired with Nepal and Israel.

Quote for the Week:

No matter what you go through in life, no matter how many disappointments you suffer, your value in God's eyes always remains the same. You will always be the apple of His eye. He will never give up on you, so don't give up on yourself."

Joel Osteen

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Outreach

Dec. Open Door Event: Saturday, Dec. 21 at 6:30 pm, "Christmas Around the World" party at the White House. There will be no fee, but everyone is asked to bring a Christmas snack or dessert. There will be singing, games, and an introduction to TP's vision.

WFWP 10th. Annual Benefit for the Schools of Africa Project will be held on Sunday, Dec. 8. from 1:00pm to 3:00pm , at the Royal Palace in White Plains. Ticket Prices: \$ 65.- individual, \$ 120 .- Couples, \$ 35.- Students, Great Food, Silent Auction, Entertainment & lots of fun supporting a great cause. Any questions, call Renate Sato.

DP Study & Discussion at the White House: Mondays 7:00PM, Nov 25. Topic: LOVE – THE FORCE OF ALL FORCES: what we need to know to make it work.

Bible Study for the 21st Century: at the White House, Friday 7PM, Dec. 6 Topic: WHO IS GOD & WHY DID GOD CREATE THE UNIVERSE and HUMANKIND?

Community

Open House at Barrytown College: will take place on Dec. 7. All are invited. For more information check out uts.libguides.com/content.php?pid=517059&sid=4254341

Looking for Homes to Welcome Students for Overnight Stay, Christmas Eve: (Still need 4 more). 18 graduate students from the Universal Peace Academy in Korea are visiting America. Can you volunteer to welcome 2 students into your home (can be male or female) for Christmas Eve and part of Christmas Day. If you can be such a family, please contact Rev Compton. THANK YOU!

Scholarships for UPA: True Mother is offering scholarships for graduate students, under the age of 30 – to attend the Universal Peace Academy: 1 year Korean Study, 2 years graduate school study, and 2 years of ministry. Please contact Rev Compton

Share Your Testimony: If you would like to share your testimony at Sunday service please visit our website at www.westrockfamily.com/sermons to find out more. If you are interested

contact Rev Compton.

Prayer

Angela Shimizaki was in a work accident and is now at home recovering. Please pray for her recovery (and if you can – give her a visit!)

Please pray for Laura Nabetani – she is now in the White Plains Hospital. She is fighting pneumonia.

Next Ahn Shi II: Sunday, December 8, 2013

MAKE IT A GREAT WEEK!