

WestRock Family News

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Motto of the year:

Let us become true owners of Cheon il Guk who practice true love in resemblance to our Creator, the Heavenly Parent!

Important Happenings Around the World

TRUE MOTHER IS IN KOREA.

SPECIAL DAYS FOR THE FAMILY FEDERATION WORLDWIDE:

May 29 is **True Day of All Things**
Next **Ahn Shi Il** is Thursday, May 1st, 2014

HERE IN AMERICA:

National Council Meeting: This took place last weekend in Las Vegas. I am happy to announce that Noah Ross, our NY District representative, was chosen to be the chairperson. I will include his report from the meeting in next week's newsletter.

National Leadership Conference: June 21—22, 2014 to take place in San Francisco.
[The conference will begin June 20 for District Leaders. For pastors coming to represent their state, it begins June 21.]

USA Holy Ground Pilgrimage, Kickoff and Revival Tour to begin Sunday, June 22. You can register to be on the tour (or half of the tour, or just a few weeks, or even one day)
Go to www.familyfed.org/members to learn more and to register and participate!

The **International Peace Education Center** needs our donations! Let's take ownership of God's Providence in America by supporting this visionary project. Go to www.familyfed.org/members to learn more about this important initiative.

The 2014 Peace King Cup Fishing Tournament will be held (from May 3, morning until May 16, midnite) in honor of True Parents' 54th Holy Wedding Anniversary. First prize is \$3,000!!! Fishing will take place on the Hudson River and adjacent bays in NY and NJ area. We welcome individuals and groups from churches, clubs and businesses; bring your family and friends! Entry Fee: \$40 per participant, including children. [Register](http://www.familyfed.org/members) at www.familyfed.org/members

AND IN WESTROCK:

One Day Divine Principle Workshop will be offered Saturday, May 24 (9:30 am to 5:00 pm) at the White House.

Divine Principle Study & Discussion: held Mondays, 7:30-9pm at the White House.

The Sermon this Week

The sermon, given at Belvedere was given by Justin Okamoto. The title was, "True Parents and I".
If you missed it, or would like to hear it again, here is the link.
soundcloud.com/pastor-andrew/20140427-justin-okamoto

Pastor's Weekly Greeting

Hello Brothers and sisters,

The theme for this month is – our relationship with the greater community.

This past Sunday, early morning before coming to service, one of our new guests had a beautiful dream of their grandmother – coming to visit them.

How much people's ancestors must want them to connect with our us, and through us connect with our True Parents love and truth.

This month – please invite those you are in contact to our yard sale this weekend (the profit that the White House makes will all go to provide scholarships for our youth who cannot afford to go to camp.)

Also this month we are planning a bus trip!!!! It will be fun, educational, and inspiring! On Saturday, May 31 we are going to visit the Liberty Bell and Independence Hall and much more in Philadelphia. The cost will be \$25. Please sign up by Sunday May 18.

Justin gave a beautiful sermon - encouraging us to find a true perspective of ourselves, in both our strong and weak points. If you missed his sermon, please check out the link above.

God Bless You and your Family!
Sincerely, Andrew Compton

Prayer Requests

Laura Nabetani

Jiau-Lan Weinstein

Prayers for both families would also be appreciated.

Testimonies/Reports

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

Music Bits

Standing in line at the grocery-store checkout, my dad was pleased to hear bits of classical music. Unfortunately, the music would begin to play, only to quickly stop. The store's sound system did not seem to be working properly.

Turning to the woman standing behind him in line, Dad commented on how lovely the music was and how he hoped the store would get their system fixed.

As the music started up again. Dad smiled at the lady and said, "There it is again! Isn't it lovely?"

"Sir, it is indeed lovely, but it's not from the store," the woman replied with a smile. "Your cellphone is ringing!"

Announcements:

Spring Tag Sale at the White House!!! To be held...**Friday, May 2 through Sunday, May 4 from 8am to 7pm.** (Each vendor can decide how many days or hours he/she wants to sell during this time). Please send an e-mail to lydialcompton@yahoo.com or text Lydia Compton (973-768-9806) by April 27 to reserve your site. Sites are free. Tables 4' and 6' are available first come first serve. \$4. for small tables, \$6. for large tables.

Our next Community Lunch Meeting: Sunday after service, May 25

Other

A Parent and 2 boys (High & Middle School) are looking for 1 room to rent until the end of the School year within the Irvington School District.

Please Contact **Daryl** (917-574-5823) or **Philippa Clarke** (914-318-1926).