

FFWPU Korea: Beyond Confusion, Toward the Future - Rumors - Won-ju Jeong McDevitt's Lawyers

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Many of you shared that, during the long Chuseok holiday, your hearts were filled with sorrow and deeply apologetic feelings toward True Mother. Carrying such heartache, you continued to visit the Seoul Detention Center despite the Chuseok harvest holiday. Your prayers did not waver, even on rainy days, and in colder weather you prayed with greater fervor, concerned for True Mother being able to sleep comfortably. Countless members have also gathered at Chung Pyung for the night prayer vigils, offering devotions through tears. The Korean Family Federation Headquarters extends its deepest gratitude to all members worldwide for their heartfelt dedication. We are continuing to hold peaceful prayer gatherings in front of the Seoul Detention Center, organized by each local church community.

Let us make True Mother known to the world

Despite the heartfelt devotion and prayers of our members, True Mother was indicted on October 10, and legal proceedings are scheduled to follow. During this time, we must unite in faith and sincere devotion to ensure that True Mother is completely acquitted and released.

Now it is all of our responsibility to bring the world to properly understand True Mother, who has devoted her entire life to promoting peace and harmony for all humanity. Her commitment and legacy - leading global initiatives in education, welfare, peacebuilding, environmental stewardship, and women's empowerment - should be made known to the world. And as we uphold our positions and our calling, demonstrating lives of true love within our families, churches, and communities, we will become a source of strength for True Mother.

Now is the time for unity

Since the day True Mother was incarcerated, many members have expressed their deep concern and

shared various ideas on how to overcome the present situation. However, in the process, certain misunderstandings have arisen, leading some media outlets to publish inaccurate reports - such as the alleged "launch of an Emergency Response Committee." Although no official document has been adopted or announced, some informal meetings were portrayed as if an organization had been formally established, thereby causing unnecessary confusion and misunderstanding within our community.

In reality, two informal gatherings were held, centering on former national leaders, heads of providential organizations, and senior members. On this foundation, the Blessed Family Leaders Council for True Mother's Wellbeing (provisional title, hereinafter "the Council") began pooling devotions and wisdom. In the process, however, individual documents circulated as if in connection with this, causing unnecessary confusion to arise.

As controversy continued, the Council issued a statement of deep regret, clarifying that, going forward, it will continue its meetings centered on the Korea Headquarters, in a way that contributes constructively to the future of the movement.

To prevent further distrust, we would like to briefly clarify the following: Legal representation for True Mother and former Vice Chair Won-ju Jeong McDevitt, as well as for the Family Federation as a whole, has been handled jointly by Bae, Kim and Lee LLC (Law Firm Taepyeongyang) and other legal advisors. However, the law firm is currently in the process of withdrawing from the work of representing former Vice Chair Won-ju Jeong. We sincerely ask that baseless speculation or distorted interpretations regarding this matter not continue to spread.

Let us prepare for the future with calm reflection

Beloved members,

Now is a time to reflect calmly and prepare for the future. Heavenly Korea Family Federation President Dr. Song Yong-cheon has emphasized that this current situation should not be seen merely as a problem of an external nature, but as an opportunity to reexamine the internal, structural challenges within our organization. Following this guidance, the Korea Headquarters is working to fundamentally reform the organizational management system and accountability structure that failed to prevent the individual deviation of one person in whom authority was concentrated.

Preparation for the future cannot be accomplished overnight. We must move forward one step at a time - not with impatience and anger, but with patience and faith. We firmly believe that our Heavenly Parent and True Parents will use this process to newly raise and strengthen us all. Now is the time for us to become one and open the path for True Mother's return. I pray that all members may rise above confusion and anxiety, and advance together toward the future with steadfast faith and devotion.