

## Heavenly Europe: Participants' Reflections From Bloom Pentecost Service

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Over 2,500 participants from 70 countries



Hosted by FFWPU Europe and the Middle East, the event included an opening ceremony, a message from True Mother, and a Hyojeong Cultural Performance. True Mother urged FFWPU members to boldly speak about Heavenly Parent and True Parents. Attendees, both in person and online, resolved to reveal the truth of the providence and prayed for the victory of national and global restoration.

Pentecost, 50 days after Jesus' resurrection, coincides with the Jewish festival of Shavuot and marks the day the Holy Spirit descended upon the disciples (Acts 2:1-4).

### Participants' Reflections

Below are some excerpts from participants' reflections.



### Youth

#### Second Generation - Switzerland

Thank you so much for coming to Europe, Wang Omma! I sincerely pray that we inspired and gave you hope. Europe is awake, and we are with you! Thank you for finding me, your needle in the sandstorm.

Please be reassured that we, as your pure water, are connected to you, the source, and that we will proudly share the love that you and Wang Appa sacrificed to give us with the rest of the world. I personally promise to fulfill this responsibility joyfully so that all my brothers and sisters and I can be with you for eternity! We miss you so much already, Wang Omma.

The next time we see you for the Cheon Won Gung opening, we promise that we will stand before you with the rest of your children to welcome God home all together and, in this way, comfort your heart. Please know that you are not alone anymore because we have heard your call and are inheriting God's dream! Until then, please be healthy and rest a bit more when you need to, and when you see blooming flowers, may you think of all your children in Europe who are supporting you and spreading your love.



### **Second Generation - France**

True Mother's words are like precious gems. Our True Mother shares her heart about the true identity of Jesus, his course of pain and suffering for not having been able to celebrate the Marriage of the Lamb, Christian history, and the true identity of the Only Begotten Daughter, the Mother of Peace, the substantial Holy Spirit on earth, Wang Omma. I am sure that True Mother's words have brought liberation to all those who want to hear. Thank you, Wang Omma, for your unending love!

### **Second Generation - United Kingdom**

Thank you for your visit, Wang-Omma! We appreciate your support and encouragement to be pure water. It is our time now to fulfill our responsibility; you and Father have given us everything we need to succeed.

Thank you.

### **Robin Chionna - Italy**

Dear Wang Omma, Before your coming to Europe I was thinking of how to prepare for your coming. I would think of you at work, and felt so much anticipation and a great sense of the preciousness of your coming. A deep commotion swelled from within me when I saw you entering the stage on Sunday. I wanted to shout to cheer for your coming, but my voice couldn't make it. Thank you so much for coming and caring for me.

Recently, I have been trying a new approach to online witnessing through videos that clearly explain True Parents and providence, videos that are meant to be clearly understood by the public. I hope to bring good

results and let many people know about the advent of my True Parents and the Only Begotten Daughter, so long awaited. Next time you come to Europe, you will see more of your children! This is my pledge!

#### **Manon Masner - Switzerland**

Dear Wang-Omma, My name is Manon Masner, and I'm a second generation originally coming from the Czech Republic but I moved to be with my husband, Michael Yurkin, in Switzerland a year ago now.

On Saturday night, we had a worship event where I was asked last minute to offer a resonance prayer in front of everyone. But then, right before I had to pray, a very loud noise took over the whole place. I decided to close my eyes, I could feel my body vibrating this strong, outside, and inside, I knew this wasn't a technical mistake, but our Heavenly Parent's heart vibrating together with ours. This felt like a true Pentecost, where all the devoted disciples heard a loud sound right before praying in tongues of fire. Thank you so much again, Wang-Oma, for coming to Europe! Your coming here was very much needed by the youth, as we all could feel a revival by just seeing your beautiful smile up close! Please don't worry, as we are the pure water, and we will find more of your children who can become this flowing pure water in the world! I love you with all my heart, Wang-Oma!



#### **Senarda Grami - Albania**

I am so grateful for this beautiful message, which helped me understand Jesus's heart and the absolute determination of our Heavenly Parents to save their Children and his wonderful creation no matter what. I want to help HP and True Parents realize their absolute will.

#### **Dawn Pollitt - United Kingdom**

Sharing this time with Wang Omma is the most precious gift our family could have been given. For my children (3rd gen) to meet, the living embodiment of the Holy Spirit is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. I felt my ancestors' presence traveling with us to attend our True Mother. I also felt True Father and Heung Jin Nim, Hyo Jin Nim, and Daemo nim also joined in support of True Mother. Such a powerful presence that True Mother is coming, and the whole spirit world also mobilized to support.

We are eternally grateful, and having heard True Mother's words, we are both repentant for not having already fulfilled our duties as final children and filled with new determination to bring about the world Heavenly Parent longs for. I really felt such a sense of newfound determination.

We will never be able to repay our debt to True Parent's and feel so incredibly blessed to have the chance to be living at the same time as our Wang Omma!

#### **Eva Pejkofski - Czech Republic**

It was such a joy to see you, True Mother! Thank you for coming all the way to Munich to meet us, your children, who missed you so much. Especially seeing you smile was so heart-warming and reassuring, knowing how much you carry on your shoulders and in your heart and mind every single day!

#### **Elders**

#### **Virginie Pinhas - France**

Our Mother, my Mum, my Wang Omma, my Love, my Happiness, in your holy presence this Sunday, May 19, 2024, I was reborn.

At that moment, I felt as if someone had relieved me of all my worries, fears, and concerns. I was resurrected. And my heart just says yes, Mother, I will do my best.

I apologize because we didn't have many results to offer to you.

Thank you, mother, for coming to see us, for being concerned about our situations, and for loving us. We love you very much.



#### **Cecilie Fortune- United Kingdom**

Dearest True Mother, On the Bloom Pentecost Festival occasion, our couple decided for my husband to travel to Munich and for me to attend from home. As preparation for your visit, we studied the 21-day Hoon Dok Hae Booklet that had been put together. We gained a lot from it, yet still within me, I wondered why there was so much talk about the 'Only Begotten Daughter'? Again and again. In my reckoning and from a Divine Principle perspective, True Father and True Mother are one. There cannot be any dispute about this. Where Father is, is Mother; and where Mother is, is Father.

When my husband came back from Munich, I told him, 'I got it!' Finally, I understood why you, True Mother, have to mention that you are the 'Only Begotten Daughter continuously.' Jesus came as the Only Begotten Son. His bride was never there until now. We have not understood this. What a painful and miserable history it has been. We can now live with renewed hope. We are grateful to our True Father for continuing Jesus' mission, for sacrificing his life for our sake, and for the marriage supper of the lamb. That will never change.



But the fact that God has given birth to His Only Begotten Daughter is miraculous. Providential history has been waiting for this.

I am sorry you have to keep on repeating yourself, True Mother until we finally understand the truth of what you are sharing with us. What we hear is quickly tainted by our fallen nature rather than by a pure heart. Thank you, True Mother for coming to Europe! And for your unconditional love. The weekend was very special for me.

**Therese Heitzinger - Austria**

When we learned that True Mother is coming to Europe with my husband, we were unsure what to do because we have a small baby - this is our first baby, too - and how we would manage the flight and how we would do it with our son. But then we decided to come. True Mother is coming for us, and we should definitely go to meet her.

Deep gratitude for her and her love for everybody. We love you True Mother, Wang Omma!

We want to try our best at this time to make you worry less.

**Priscilla Masters Migliore - Italy**

Dear True Mother, Thank you so much for coming to Europe and giving us so much love and Blessing. I was there with all my family. We want to do much more for you and promise that we Will keep on going forward to fulfil Our Heavenly Parents dream on this earth.

**Anrdii Tkachuk - Ukraine**

Mother, I really felt that only parents could gather all their children. I was glad to meet many brothers and sisters whom I had not seen for many years because they were in other countries. And this was a truly amazing event when all the children came together. Thanks for this chance.

**Elisabeth Heil - Germany**

Thank you, dear true mother, for your visit to Germany. You are the hope for us all. We wish you good health and a long life. We, from GCLC-Germany, had invited a pastor. He thanked us for the invitation and said it was amazing. We will continue to reach out to the Christians.

**Heidmarie Porfyrus - Greece**

My husband and I want to express our gratitude to our True Mother and the team with her. We only participated on Zoom, but we could experience the importance of True Mothers coming to Europe / Munich. Like small children, trust in the ability of the loving mother that everything will go well - we also feel that somehow, when we do our utmost best. Heaven can guide us to the prepared people who know how to save the beautiful planet Earth and work on heartistic relationships. No one should feel left out or lonely. So, we try our best to bring Heavenly Parents to the religious people in Corfu and further. Kamsahamnida Wang Omma.

**Roma Karagezian - Lithuania**

Dear Wang Omma, it was so wonderful seeing you among so many children from Europe. Thank you for coming to visit us and bringing us all together! We are one family because you are our True Mother, and we felt so united during this Pentecost event. I know we can overcome our differences and work together to create the beautiful, peaceful world! I could see that now!

**Renate Amesbauer - Austria**

Dearest True Mother! It has been a wonderful experience being near you (even in a big hall!) You look forever young and beautiful! Thank you so much for your inner strength and guidance! Listening to your life- was wonderful! We thank you for always giving us so much strength and conviction! We will continue to guide people towards you and educate them well! With very best wishes also for your good health!

**Myrabelle Corlett - Malta**

This was really wonderful to participate in and enjoy every moment of a Family Weekend of Pentecostal reunion in the warm embrace of our True Mother and the perfect event organization of Europe and Middle East Second Gen. What a joy it was to be in the company of First, Second and Third Generation of True UNIFICATIONISTS. May this 'BLOOM FAMILIES' event become a bi-annual Reunion tradition for our Unification Families. Thank you, True Mother. Much sincerity from your family in MALTA.

**Herbert Foehrmann - Germany**

Even though there was time to prepare myself internally, in the end, you never feel prepared enough. In the beginning, my handicapped son started to panic, but then, during the whole service with True Mother, my heart really opened up, and I could feel truly part of True Parents' holy community. When the text of the holy songs appeared on the screen, just reading one word, my tears started running. Thank you, True Mother, for coming to visit us.

**Leonita Tamayo-Zahora - Hungary**

My reflection is that the whole event was great. It was nice to see so many young couples with children and older members greeted and met. It's great that thousands of families and members could come, and it's a reunion of one big family under one God, our Heavenly Parent and True Parents. True Mother, True Father in Heaven is great in gathering people in one place. Just like Chung Pyung in Europe. I love you, True Mother.

You're my inspiration. I'm always praying for you and your family. Thank you so much with a grateful heart."

**Bryan and Myrabelle Corlett - Malta**

It was a beautiful experience in Munich. True Mother, thank you for sharing your Love and concerns with us.

We felt your heart for your children. Thank you for the gift of new life; may we all bloom into fragrant flowers.

**Maryvonne Jamois - Spain**

Dear True Mother, Thank you so much for coming to Europe, to Munich a beautiful city. On this day of Pentecost, you wanted to meet Heavenly Parent's children, your children. Once again, you have shown us that your determination is absolute to fulfill Heavenly Parent's dream, the dream of Jesus. Thank you for your beautiful message full of guidance and hope. Because of True Parents' sacrifices and dedication, Christians will begin to understand You. I am so sorry that it took so long, and that True Parents endured so much on the way. We will do our best to help our Christian brothers and sisters understand the time we are living. We pray for your health and a long life. Wang Omma, Cham Omoni, Kamsahamnida, Sarang hamnida.

**John Kennedy - Ireland**

Having True Mother, the only Begotten Daughter, was an amazing grace with us in Europe. I felt her serious heart urging me to reach out with confidence and joy to let her children know this good news: True Parents are Heavenly Parents' gift to fallen humanity. Wang Omma sarang heyo.

**Stephanie Gravrand - France**

Thank you for standing strong with Heavenly Parent and True Father all these years. Thank you for showing the whole world that women are equal to men and impersonating the feminine aspect of God.

**Maria Piperis - Italy**

Dearest True Mother, no words describe the joy of having you here with us! I felt I wish you didn't have to go away. Also, having so many of our children and youth have this experience with you is infinitely precious and will remain forever in their hearts. And yes Europe is waking up and will transform this whole complicated, long history into a blossoming one centered on True Parents. Please be well and know that you are in our hearts always.

**Janis Vjaters - Latvia** Dear True Mother, Queen of queens, Holy and the only begotten daughter of Heavenly Parent, I wish I could meet you at the hotel on Saturday morning. However, I arrived in Munich late afternoon and couldn't participate in the leaders' meeting at 08:00 a.m. Your speech at Pentecost worship was great, and your presence itself was an amazing grace for our region. You also looked wonderful and beautiful.

**Sophie Strumeyer - France**

Meeting True Mother was a moment of Grace. We met with our eyes and our hearts. I appreciate Mother speaking about St Paul. I hope Europe, which had been rejecting True Parents in the past, will become like St Paul, advocating True Parents and the only begotten Daughter of God, once they realize that our movement is all about peace at every level of life. Thank you to True Mother, who gave me such hope for the victory of Heaven.

**Mónika Nanys - Hungary**

Dear True Mother!

I hope you enjoyed your time in Europe, and you can go back home with hope, and we can give you some strength. Thank you so much for coming and for the inspiration and direction you show us. This way, we can understand God much deeper than any other way. And then we can become people who can represent Heavenly Parent and You and True Father well among our friends and the people of our countries and world. I pray that we can do this truly well. We love you Wang Omma!

**Michael Deininger - Austria**

I am extremely grateful that you came to Europe again. Of course, it was a big investment, but I really feel that our European community needed a revival by coming together as a big European family and seeing all the other people who are working hard in their field of influence. And nothing can be as together better than our wonderful Wang Omma! I realized many ways I was not a role model and being able to represent you as your children. But I am sure by improving one step at a time and connecting with true parents and each other we can make big changes happen. Thank you for opening the door Wang

Omama! We are right behind you. We love you very much!!

**Benedicte Suzuki - France**

Dear True Mother, it was so moving to be able to see you in Munich.

The previous 40 days we prayed for your body to be healthy, for your knees to be less painful, for your tiredness to recover from the jet lag before coming and after coming. Your holy body has carried 14 children, and you are 81 years old. I am so sorry that the western world is still so difficult to witness because of the atheistic influence. I have thought many times that we need the type of miracle which made Saint Paul drop from his horse and become blind after seeing Jesus, him who was holding the clothes for persecutors of Christian to throw stones at them. I felt the heaviness of your heart. I felt you had wanted to see more people, more new people. Even though you came to see us. Thank you so deeply dear True Mother. You are in our daily prayers always.



**Christoph Kral - Poland**

Dearest, beloved True Mother, I will give testimony about the Only Begotten Daughter of God. I understand the national restauration.

Yes, we will do it. I will never forget Your heart. I will never forget the heart of Heavenly Parent's, searching and longing for their children. Thank You for coming to Europe, thank You for Your serious interest, love and reaching out to us. I understand, I start to work. We want to bring You joy with REAL results.

Thank You, dear True Mother.

**Umberto Angelucci - Lebanon**

Dear beloved True Mother, the only Begotten Daughter of God. There are not enough words to express our gratitude for all the love we have received from you. You have been praying and making so many conditions of devotion to support your children of the EUME region. We waited for 5 years to meet you again in Europe. This time we gathered from the entire EUME to attend the Pentecost Festival; this was a miraculous gift from Heavenly Parent. The music helped us to enter into the spirit of Pentecost and prepared everyone to receive God's words. The words of our True Mother. We could understand our failures, especially that we did not testify to True Mother, the only Begotten Daughter. The spirit of the Pentecost just started and it is going to expand to the 71 nations, the entire region of EUME. Finally, the special meeting with True Mother this morning was a unique experience. This was one of the most special moments in my life. True Mother wanted to encourage us, lift us up, to keep moving forward. We will continue giving our entire life until the last breath to support our beloved True Mother, Wang Omama.

**Ron German - United Kingdom**

Even though my wife and I couldn't attend directly we watched the proceedings online. It was a beautiful memorable experience to see True Mother here in Europe once again and brought back so many wonderful memories of her previous visits. There was a real sense of the Holy Spirit's presence and blessing the programme and of course, True Mother being present meant that was going to be inevitable.

Many of us are well into old age now. However, hearing True Mother's words and seeing, and indeed, feeling her great love for everyone, has renewed our own determination to push even harder to

accomplish Heaven's will for however many years we have left on this earth. Thank you so much True Mother for coming to see us and bringing hope back to our sick continent. May our Heavenly Parent keep you safe and healthy and give you many years on earth yet so that the many 2nd, 3rd and even 4th Generations can see you and learn from you. You are truly the Only Begotten Daughter, Mother of Peace and Mother of the Universe. Wow!



**Eva Patanella - Italy**

Most Beloved True Mother, Wang Omma.

Thank you from all my heart for coming to Europe and sharing with us such a wonderful and personal time. Thank you for your concern for us, especially for the young generation! Seeing you, tears were flowing from my eyes, your heavenly presence was so strongly felt. Dear Wang Omma, wishing you much health, and protection for every day and for sure we'll be there for giving you a welcome the next time you will come.

**Sergio Valgoi - Italy**

Thanks to the True Mother, many families were able to meet for an exceptional event where we could hug brothers and sisters and, above all, hear the inspiring message. Now, we are stronger, more determined, and more united with each other. Thank you for this great opportunity.

**Aneta Süčová - Czech Republic**

Hello, my True Mother, Yesterday, when I saw you, I couldn't help but cry. As I approach my 50th birthday this year, I have been reflecting on my life. I deeply regret not being able to offer you more results. But more than that, I feel a profound sorrow for you and True Father. You have given your whole lives, and yet the world remains in its current state. It must be so sad for you, and I cried deeply, yearning to understand your heart. I promise you, my beautiful Mother, that I will take better care of myself and my health so that I can better care for your children. This will bring you happiness, and I can see your beautiful smile.

**Barbara Dervishaj - Hungary**

Dear Wang Omma, thank you very much for coming here to Europe with your special Holy Spirit. I am so grateful you patiently teach us to understand step by step what you already have known for a long time but you raise us carefully and gently so that we can grow to understand. You often mention in Europe that the first become the last and the last become the first. I always wonder, are we the first who received God's grace through Jesus and the last in returning it? Or is Europe the last to really understand and unite with the Only Begotten Daughter but will be the strongest in dedication once it happens? I hope You mean the second version. Please accept my deepest apology for making You wait for so long and that we are so inadequate in attending the Heavenly way. Thank You for teaching us, guiding us. I feel you are planting the CheonShimWon megachurches and this was Europe's first such revival meeting. I hope we can soon have such megachurches in our own countries and towns. Thank you Ommo nim, Sarang Hamnida.