

## HPHC Seonghwa Children's Hoyojeong Nuri Service - Hoyojeong Nuri Testimonies

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We held Heavenly Parent's Holy Community Seonghwa Children's Hoyojeong Nuri Service for the first time on August 22 with the participation of Seonghwa children (toddlers through elementary school) from all over the world through online virtual platform at the Hoyojeong Cultural Center Cultural Hall through Peacelink. About twenty thousand people from three countries -- Korea, Japan and the United States -- participated in the event.

Hoyojeong Nuri was designed to spread hoyojeong culture, in which three generations can attend Heavenly Parent and True Parents through praising and worshipping them. Hoyojeong Nuri is a new name for Seonghwa Children's Worship. It is a place of grace where we educate people from birth by applying hoyojeong cultural contents created to teach children have heart of hoyojeong toward Heaven from birth.

The first part was a report from the director general of the FFWPU International Headquarters, Dr. Young-ho Yoon. Director-general Yoon introduced the overall event to commemorate the ninth anniversary of True Father's Cosmic Seonghwa, which will take place over the next six months, and emphasized its meaning and the mindset we should have. The second part was entertainment. In the third part True Mother delivered a speech.

Part two started the full-fledged Hoyojeong Nuri, a fun and exciting Seonghwa children's worship service. Professor Yeon-ah Moon read Mother's life story, published as a children's cartoon to foster in them in filial love for True Mother. "The Tiger Rock that Grants Wishes," a story that was turned into a play, reminded the children of the value of filial piety, making them vow to become a filial child through

hyojeong public service and activities. Cheon Il Guk children's songs were sung and cultural performances were expressed in various ways.

In the third part, we heard True Mother speak. She presided over the Hyojeong Nuri festival and shared an affectionate message with the children asking them to grow up into filial sons, daughters and grandchildren who can spread Heavenly Parent's and True Parents' dream far and wide.

This was the first Hyojeong Nuri Festival for Seonghwa-aged children worldwide. The children, members of our second and third generations, were able to reflect on the value of the blessing. In addition, through cultural content centered on the value of hyojeong, an alternative way of holding a worship service was presented through the Seonghwa Hyojeong Nuri, with the participation of members in three countries, Korea, the United States, and Japan, who provided an opportunity to introduce hyojeong-focused content.

### **Testimonies from Hyojeong Nuri Festival**



### **Hwa-seon Won, teacher at Seonghwa Children's Kindergarten in Eastern Seoul**

When I think of the benefits of children this age of being able to actually attend True Mother and the Hyojeong Nuri Worship, my heart swelled with emotions and tears of joy flowed. My three-year-old daughter has been attending Sunday School. I always feel thirst because of the lack of content tailored to the children's age level, both emotionally and externally.

I believe that if we become one with True Mother's heart, my husband and I and our family will become children who can fulfill Heavenly Parent's big dreams in the environmental realm of Heavenly Parents and True Parents, who are already preparing and waiting for everything.



### **Jin-tae Joo, president of Korea's Sub-region 1**

According to the words of Jesus who preached that the kingdom of heaven belongs to people who are like children, it would be difficult for us tainted adults to enter the kingdom of heaven. Thanks to the Hyojeong Nuri, we could all experience the kingdom of heaven on earth. After a long time, I took off my tie and went into the world of a child's heart, and I felt that it was helping me to clean my spirit body. I didn't even think about it but I was transported into the world of an innocent child's heart and I followed along with the hand gestures.



### **Shin-Young Park, with Seonghwa Children of the International Church**

Seeing it with Mom and Dad was even more fun, and the story of "The Tiger Rock that grants wishes" was interesting. I wish there were more opportunities like this.