Respected current and former high office holders, leaders from all walks of life, and members of FFWPU working tirelessly, blessed families and members of the Heavenly Parent's Holy Community working for the sake of an ideal world, Welcome!

Seasons have passed and the time is now upon us. In five days we will be celebrating the most anticipated and most important holiday in Korea, the Korean Chuseok holiday. The people of Korea developed through an agrarian society as a people known for revering Heaven and working tirelessly throughout the year, waiting for the harvest time of the autumn and offering thanks to Heaven for the bountiful harvest.

Giving thanks to their ancestors, parents and children gather together and look at the full moon, prepare for the era of eternal peace, and offer various acts of generosity. This is the beautiful tradition of sharing of Korea.

Yes indeed, humanity, when will humanity returns to its original position? Looking at all of the various
unexpected phenomena, such as natural calamities, and the spread of the Covid virus that is still continuing, it shows that we need to pay attention to what is fundamental.

Humanity is currently in the position where it is not completely aligned with Heavenly Parent, our creator. Selfishness and various other frailties of human nature have led to a history marked by conflict and discord up until today. But, without fail, humanity must return to its original position. For this to happen, God must stand in the position of our Parent. Humanity must understand that this is the original ideal of creation.

This time we have the unexpected coronavirus, climate change, torrential rains, powerful typhoons and hurricanes, landslides and wildfires are happening ceaselessly around the world. We human beings need this earth, the sun, the water and the air to survive.

However, when we look at today's phenomena and the development of civilizations and science, we can see that even though material life has become more comfortable, the continued emission of greenhouse gases, the pollution of the environment -- such actions will seriously hamper the quality of life that we bequeath to our beloved future generations. This distresses my heart. We who are living on this earth today, cannot foster division or discord among people. We need to let go of self-centeredness and greed.

For example, the nations that have suffered most from the Covid pandemic are America and China.

What shall we do? If, though a leader loves his citizens, such challenges occur and countless casualties happen and the environment is being destroyed, preventive measures must be taken to prevent the repetition of such calamities. There are no ways of consistently solving these problems with human effort alone, however. The time has come for humanity to open its ears to Heaven's voice. We can see that the development of science has not brought about the ideal world that we seek. Greater inequalities have happened.

Creation operates according to certain principles. Human beings should not hamper the peaceful cycle of creation. We must once again embrace fundamental values that have been lost. In order to guarantee the future of humanity and the future of this earth, I can no longer ask God to wait and endure.

Leaders around the world should kneel and open their hearts to Heaven and listen to the voice of Heaven. If only human beings had not fallen... Human beings were created to live for eternity. The Creator is our Parent. Before the Heavenly Parent, humanity cannot return to the Heavenly Parent's bosom. Even now, let us awaken to this truth, and it is only by seeking and meeting True Parents that we can guarantee a future for the earth and for humanity.

I heard that there are regions around the world where 40 percent of the region will become desert land in the next few decades. This is truly heart wrenching. Clean air and environment is being threatened.

I want to say the following to China, with its population of 1.3 billion people: In China which has an
incredible population and a vast territory, I hope that the Gobi Desert can be turned into a pristine forest by using the latest technologies and using national assets to prevent the further expansion of the Gobi Desert. If the desert could be turned into a forest, what a great blessing for humanity this would be!

When all nations of the world attend God as the Heavenly Parent, that will be the day when we can become one family of humanity under God. When all 200 nations stand as one family under God, then an era of happiness will begin. Then leaders around the world and all humanity are asked to make a firm resolve and open their hearts and ears to the voice of Heaven, as sunflowers follow the sun, and realize true peace for humanity, one family under the Heavenly Parent. May that day come when all of humanity’s problems. Please think about this. When all nations think only of advancing their national interests and national defense, the amount of money they put into creating weapons is astounding. If even one tenth of that could be spent for their citizens' happiness….

Can a nation do that and engage in war? It is possible to be wealthy without seeking to profit from war. The time has come to let go of the desire to invest in weapons. Heaven is giving us a final warning. Now we can no longer delay or postpone heaven’s call. The time has come to embrace with understanding. As
Koreans look to Heaven and the full moon, and give thanks for the bountiful harvest, and people gather from all over the country to offer gratitude together, this world will one day no longer need to worry or be concerned about the future. It will be the Kingdom of Heaven on Earth; isn't that so?

I wish to repeat what I have said. Heavenly Parent has created this beautiful earth for the sake of human beings, who due to the fall have become unfilial. The time has come for us to repent and return this earth to the pristine condition that Heaven gave it to us in, for our stewardship. The day that this happens will be a day of peace.

I wish to ask of America the following. America is without doubt a nation blessed by God. However, Heaven's blessings to America were not solely for American's sake. God wished to work through America to embrace all the nations of the world through the foundation of America's Christianity. Some 400 years have passed since the Pilgrim fathers landed on American soil. The time has come for America to become a nation that embraces God, the Heavenly Parent.

Due to the ignorance of human beings the earth is being destroyed. Going to space will not solve this problem. Using the technology that science has created let us first focus on the stewardship, returning the earth to the pristine condition that God bequeathed to us in order to flourish and prosper. This is the responsibility we have as God's children. When we think of God the creator, we need to love the creation. When I walked around outside at Cheon Jeong Gung, I could see that there were no butterflies as there had been in the past. That is why I created a garden and planted many flowers. A few months later, so many different varieties of bees came, and were busy collecting the pollen and the nectar from the flowers. I had waited eagerly for the bees and butterflies to return, but [until I planted the garden] they did not. We can see that our self-centeredness is destroying creation. Our activities make a huge difference. Until now we have not been proper stewards of creation.

The seasons change. In one day it is cold in the morning and evening and warm during the day. I can see the bees working hard all day long. I hope that the mountains and forests of Korea can flourish with life.

Remember that the kingdom of heaven lies with you. Let us work together in earnest to build the kingdom of heaven on earth.