

Cheon Il Guk Pledge Service for the 80th Birthday of Dr. Hak Ja Han Moon

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The celebration of the 80th Anniversary of the Holy Birth of Hak Ja Han Moon, the True Parent of Heaven, Earth, and Humankind, took place on May 7th. The event was held at the Cheon Jeong Gung Chapel and was attended by 1,200 individuals, including Continental Directors, regional directors, Cheon Il Guk leaders, and blessed families.

The ceremony commenced with a video presentation by Dr. Yoon Young-ho, the Director-General of FFWPU International Headquarters, followed by the opening declaration. The program continued with the families participating in the lighting of the holy candles (Moon Hyo Jin's family and Moon Heung Jin's family), the singing of the Cheon Il Guk Anthem, the recitation of the Family Pledge, a prayer report by Lee Ki-seong, the President of Cheon Shim Won, the presentation of flower bouquets, the sharing of the Holy Meal, and a video message from True Parents.

During the Pledge service, the attending families and representatives from each continent (Cheon Jeong Gung Headquarters, Heavenly Korea, Heavenly Japan, Heavenly America, Heavenly Africa, Heavenly Europe, Heavenly Latin America, and Heavenly Asia-Pacific) offered their bows.

During his opening speech, Dr. Yoon expressed his appreciation and conveyed gratitude, acknowledging the significance of the day. He mentioned that it marked multiple historic milestones, including the 56th Heavenly Parent's Day, the 63rd Holy Wedding Anniversary of True Parents, the 64th True Parents' Day, and the 10th Anniversary of Cheon Il Guk Foundation Day. He emphasized the sincere appreciation for commemorating True Mother's 80th birthday and the dedication of Cheon Won Gung Cheon Il Sanctum.

With unity of heart, they expressed their deep respect and devotion to the Heavenly Parent and True Parents.

The event concluded with a resounding cheer of "Eok Mansei" led by Eiji Tokuno, the chair of the Cheoneuiwon of Heavenly Japan, and Kim Ki-hoon of Heavenly America.