

70th Anniversary of the Family Federation for World Peace and Unification

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Proclamation of Central Administrative Body of Cheon Il Guk by the True Parents of Heaven, Earth, and Humankind: Cheon Mu Won - The Dawn of a New Beginning and New Hope.

During the 70th anniversary celebration of the founding of the Family Federation for World Peace and Unification, True Mother announced the establishment of six new offices under a new, central governing body, which Mother has named 'Cheon Mu Won.' In preparation for the upcoming Cheon Won Gung Entrance Ceremony, scheduled for 10 months from now, she has encouraged everyone to accelerate their efforts toward the victorious settlement of Cheon Won Gung, a place from which Heavenly Parent can truly govern.



True Mother

To prepare for the Heavenly Parent's Entrance Ceremony next year, therefore, I am going to establish a new organizational system centering on Cheon Jeong Gung. So, I have established the "Cheon Mu Won" and its various offices. As I said a long time ago, the Family Federation will go forward in the Spirit and the Truth. It will advance through Cheon Shim Won and through the global mission. That is why all our organizations are centered on these two axes. In this way, we

can quickly share the providence of True Parents with all humankind in this time when we can make connections within one second. We can therefore give all 8 billion people of the world the opportunity to participate in the Cheon Il Guk era when Heavenly Parent's dream and True Parents' hopes can be fulfilled on earth.



Heavenly Parent desires that Cheon Il Guk, the nation attending Heavenly Parent, now take on a tangible form and develop. Wishing for the Cheonwon Complex to embody the form and essence of a nation, True Mother named the central governing body of Cheon Il Guk as 'Cheon Mu Won.' "Cheon" (天) meaning Heaven, "Mu" (務) meaning to work, and "Won" (院) meaning House. Cheon Mu Won is the central office of Cheon Il Guk where Cheon Il Guk public officials will work diligently and earnestly, in unity with True Parents, for the Heavenly Providence.

With the inauguration of Cheon Mu Won, the previously existing 1st and 2nd Secretariats have been dissolved.



As the two pillars of the Family Federation responsible for working in the Spirit and Truth, Cheon Shim Won and the former International Headquarters, now reorganized as the World Mission Headquarters, will operate under Cheon Mu Won.

True Mother, as the owner of Cheon Mu Won, stands at the center and oversees the operations of the entire Cheon Mu Won. She has appointed a Cheon Mu Won vice chair and chief secretary. There is one specialized office responsible for True Mother's protocol, security, and personal assistance.

Cheon Mu Won is divided into six offices according to their respective fields: six offices - Mission Policy Office, Leader Development Office, Planning and Coordination Office, Finance and Planning Office, Special Affairs Office, and the Legal and Audit Office.

The "Cheon Mu Won Mission Policy Office," which, in attendance of our Heavenly Parent, places the cultivation of Cheon Il Guk citizens as the center of the mission, will manage the monitoring and analysis of domestic and international missions, as well as the overall long-term and short-term missionary policies. It will act as the eyes, ears, hands, and feet of True Mother. Additionally, as the central office of Cheon Il Guk, it will manage public personnel, facilitate cooperation with international organizations, and coordinate internal communication and activities among the organizations.

The organizations managed by the Mission Policy Office include the FFWPU World Mission Headquarters, FFWPU Korea, the Universal Peace Federation, the Citizens' Federation for the Unification of North and South Korea, and other providential organizations. It also oversees organizations with the responsibility for historical and ongoing records of Cheon Il Guk, such as Peace TV, the Sunhak Institute of History, and the Cheon Won Sa Publishing House.

The "Cheon Mu Won Leader Development Office," is dedicated to cultivating capable people for the future of the Heavenly Providence in Cheon Il Guk. It will identify, educate, and nurture individuals across a variety of fields to lead the future of our Unification Movement in its churches, providential organizations, and businesses. It also manages the Sunhak Educational Foundation, Cheongshim Foundation, and the Hyojeong International Cultural Foundation.

The "Cheon Mu Won Planning and Coordination Office" delivers True Mother's directives to the organizations and corporations within the Cheonwon Complex and coordinates their operations. It oversees the Cheonwon Gung Management Headquarters, the Cheonwon Gung Construction Task Force, Cheongshim IT, HJ Global Arts Center, Cheonwon Art Museum, and Hanju Entertainment, which is responsible for performances and events within the Cheonwon Complex.

The "Cheon Mu Won Finance and Planning Office" will handle strategies for securing resources and managing major public assets. It will oversee the HJ Global Unification Foundation, the HJ Magnolia Korea Foundation, and the Hanju Group.

The "Cheon Mu Won Special Affairs Office" is responsible for executing special directives.

The "Cheon Mu Won Legal and Audit Office" is responsible for legal and financial audits, internal inspections, and establishing internal discipline in public offices. Its goal is to create a transparent and ethical public service culture that is impeccable in the eyes of Heaven.

Following True Mother's guidance, Senior Director Lee Chung-woo announced the organizational restructuring.

Lee Chung-woo, Senior Director, Cheon Mu Won Mission Policy Office

I will now announce the names of those appointed as Vice-Chair of Cheon Mu Won and the heads of each Office.



- Wonju Jeong McDevitt, Vice Chair, Cheon Mu Won and Chief Secretary
- Lee Chung-woo, Senior Director, Cheon Mu Won Mission Policy Office
- Kim In-su, Senior Director, Cheon Mu Won Leader Development Office
- Kim Jae-cheol, Senior Director, Cheon Mu Won Planning and Coordination Office

- Seo Won-seok, Senior Director, Cheon Mu Won Finance and Planning Office
- Kim Shin-han, Senior Director, Cheon Mu Won Special Affairs Office
- Kim Hyung-duk, Senior Director, Cheon Mu Won Legal and Audit Office
- Song Yong-cheon, Director General, World Mission Headquarters
- Lee Gi-seong, President, Cheonshim Won

In accepting their missions, the newly assigned Cheon Il Guk leaders offered their bows to the True Parents of Heaven, Earth, and Humankind. True Mother has begun the governance and management of Cheon Mu Won.

Going forward, Cheon Mu Won will assist True Mother in her duties of governing Cheon Il Guk and serve as the central governing organ of Cheon Il Guk. United under True Mother and Cheon Mu Won, the central offices of Cheon Il Guk, let us begin anew and move forward toward Vision 2025 and a victorious Entrance into the Cheon Il Sanctum in Cheon Won Gung.

Order of Events: 70th Anniversary Celebration of the Family Federation



At the event, former Prime Minister Lee Soo-sung delivered a congratulatory message, stating, "Rev. Dr. Moon Sun-myung and Dr. Hak-ja Han Moon, founders of the Family Federation, have taught peace and love throughout their lives. Their teachings comfort wounded souls and bring hope and courage to life." He further expressed his hope that "the Family Federation will blossom into an even more beautiful and dignified flower by its 100th anniversary."



Cho Myung-chul, the Governor of South Pyongan Province, revealed his initial shock when he heard that Rev. Dr. Moon Sun-myung and Dr. Hak-ja Han Moon criticized Juche ideology at the Mansudae Assembly Hall in Pyongyang while he was a professor at Kim Il-sung University in North Korea. However, he later realized that they truly loved the people of North Korea and aimed to guide them in the right direction as true parents.



In his commemorative speech, Rev. Song Yong-cheon, Director General of the World Mission Headquarters, expressed deep gratitude to the Heavenly Parent and the True Parents of Heaven, Earth, and Humanity, who have led the providence for the past 70 years. He encouraged the Cheon Il Guk leaders, blessed families, and members who have been involved at the forefront of the providence. Rev. Song emphasized the providential wisdom of the True Parents of Heaven, Earth, and Humanity, who, despite difficult conditions, sent missionaries to Heavenly Japan and Heavenly America, laying a global foundation. He expressed his gratitude to

the senior pastors and members who devoted their blood, sweat, and tears to the current global foundation. He also presented three practical goals for the era of Cheon Il Guk and urged everyone to unite with True Mother and achieve victory in Vision 2025.

Following the speeches, the 70th-anniversary appreciation and award ceremony took place. Appreciation gifts were offered by Moon Yeon-ah, Director of the Sunhak Educational Institute; Wonju Jeong McDevitt, Vice Chair of Cheon Mu Won and Chief Secretary; and Song Gwang-seok, President of FFWPU-Korea. These included a framed picture of the original church with True Mother and framed advertisements of True Mother in major daily newspapers. The symbolic gifts, representing the people, sovereignty, and territory of Cheon Il Guk, were carefully prepared for a hopeful future. The second part of the event began with Lee Ki-sik Vice Chairman of FFWPU-Korea presiding.



Song Gwang-seok, President of FFWPU-Korea, conveyed True Mother's heartfelt hope that the Cheon Won Gung Cheon Il Sanctum Entrance Ceremony would be filled with the people of Cheon Il Guk. He emphasized, "Let us all witness to new members and find dormant members."

He announced six major policies to create an environment where the Heavenly Parent could directly manage until the day of the entrance to Cheon Won Gung. He concluded by encouraging all Family Federation and providential organizations to do their best to find the righteous connected to them and participate in the Cheon Won Gung Cheon Il Sanctum Entrance Ceremony.

Following this, an awards ceremony was held for public servants who had dedicated themselves at the forefront of the providence. On behalf of the True Parents, Director Moon Yeon-ah and Song Gwang-seok, President of FFWPU-Korea, awarded the "True Parents Award" to 22 retired pastors who had dedicated their lives to the pastoral field, as well as to seven members with 33 years of service. Additionally, the "Chairman's Award" was presented to five members with 15 years of service.



Featured Excerpts from Video Congratulatory Messages

Newt Gingrich Former Speaker of the United States House of Representatives

From work I've done with the Universal Peace Federation and the work I do with the Washington Times, that your influence, and continuing influence of Reverend Moon are extraordinary. In addition, I have to tell you I'm very excited that in April of next year, the sanctuary is finally going to be completed. And that is going to be a place which is going to bring people together and serve both as a site and as a symbol of the kind of unification and the kind of working together that will make things a better future for all of us.



Luis Redondo, President of The Congress of Honduras

I congratulate the Family Federation for peace and world unification on its [70th] anniversary. I extend my most sincere congratulations to all members of the Family Federation for Peace and World Unification around the world, wishing them success in all their projects.

Maithripala Sirisena, Former President of Sri Lanka

Respected late reference Dr. Sun Myung Moon and Dr. Hak Ja Han Moon, and blessed families around the world. We warmly congratulate you on the 70th anniversary of the Family Federation for World Peace and Unification. We look forward with hope that the Global Peace and the reunification of the Korean Peninsula will continue to flourish.

Imboni uZwi-Lezwe Radebe, Prophet of the Revelation Church of God in South Africa

I extend my warmest congratulations on the 70th anniversary of the founding of the Family Federation for World Peace and Unification. This milestone is a testament to your visionary leadership and unwavering dedication to fostering global peace and unity by promoting spiritual and true family values. Your contributions have set a powerful example for us all and we are deeply grateful for your enduring

commitment to building a world where love and peace prevail.

Additional congratulatory video messages were sent by notable figures including Bishop Jesus Manuel of the Anglican Church in Peru; Maribel Barreto, President of the University of Brasilia; Mohammad Habash, Associate Professor at Abu Dhabi University; Hon Betty Aol Ocan, Former Leader of the Opposition in the Ugandan Parliament; Iakoba Taea Italelo, former governor general of Tuvalu; and Rev. Dr. Mark Abernathy, National Co-President of ACLC, USA.



The 70th anniversary of the Family Federation featured a vibrant celebration with performances by the Little Angels, a civilian diplomatic delegation, and peace ambassadors. The event also showcased powerful vocal performances by opera singer Lim Chul-ho and UPA college students. Under the leadership of Yang Chang-shik, Chairman of UPF International and UPF-Korea, attendees participated in three cheers of "EOG Mansei," affirming their commitment to fulfill the dreams of the Heavenly Parent united with the True Mother.

The event culminated in a pilgrimage to the sacred site of Cheon Won Gung Cheon Il Sanctum. participants reflected on the sanctum's significance and committed to faithfully carrying forward the accomplishments of the True Parents. They also dedicated themselves to ensuring the success of the entrance ceremony at Cheon Won Gung Cheon Il Sanctum in 2025.

Following a special directive from True Mother, Song Yong-cheon, the Director General of the World Mission Headquarters, conducted the "Cheon Il Guk Leaders Conference Call" on June 13. During this call, he announced the establishment of "Cheon Mu Won" and new organizational offices, as previously mentioned by True Mother at the 70th anniversary celebration of the Federation. Additionally, on June 16, the same announcement was reiterated at the Cheon Won Church of Heavenly Korea. It emphasized that blessed families, including regional leaders worldwide, should align with True Mother, the only begotten daughter, in unity of heart and mind to achieve the goals of Vision 2025 and a Heavenly Unified Korea.