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### True trust

is not just "believing in God's omnipotence".

If you believe in only Almighty God,
your trust may be shaken and destroyed
when the answer does not come

as you thought.

**Trusting God** 

True trust is believing
that God is not only omnipotent,
but also loves you and gives you the best.

Trust is believing in God's love and good will for you from the heart, and that faith does not change to the end no matter what circumstances God allows for you.

"Put your trust in the LORD your God and you will be established." (2 Chronicles 20:20)

From Dr. Jaerock Lee's Christian Column



- 1. Manmin Central Church believes that the Bible is Godbreathed Word that is perfect and flawless.
- 2. Manmin Central Church believes in the unity and the work of God the Trinity: God the Holy Father, God the Holy Son, and God the Holy Spirit.
- 3. Manmin Central Church believes that we are forgiven of our sins only by the redeeming blood of Jesus Christ.
- 4. Manmin Central Church believes in the resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ, His Second Advent, the Millennium, and the eternal heaven.
- 5. Members of Manmin Central Church confess their faith through "The Apostles' Creed" each time they come together and believe in its content verbatim.



General Assembly of the United Holiness Church of Jesus Christ

## Children's and Students' Sunday School Teachers Seminar hosted by the Department of Education









The '2022 Children's and Students' Sunday School Teachers Seminar' hosted by the Department of Education of the General Assembly of the United Holiness Church of Jesus Christ was held at 5:30 pm on the June 12 in the chapel of the Senior Pastor's residence. The members from domestic branch

churches such as Daejeon, Gumi, Miryang, Cheonan, Jinjumun, and Iksan also participated on-site or online.

The seminar, which started with the presiding of Pastor Suyeol Cho from the Department of Education, was followed by a lecture by Pastor Mikyung Lee and Pastor Geumran Hwang, who dealt with spiritual growth and faithfulness, followed by the Holy Spirit prayer meeting by Mrs. Boknim Lee, Director of Manmin Prayer Center. The teachers had a meaningful time to renew their minds and make decisions while keeping in mind the qualifications of a Sunday School teacher.

### Holy Spirit Prayer Meetings hosted by Honam, Yeongnam, and Central Regional Assemblies

At 8:00 pm on June 15, the 'Holy Spirit Prayer Meeting with Mrs. Boknim Lee, Director of Manmin Prayer Center' was held, hosted by the Honam Regional Assembly of the United Holiness Church at Gwangju Manmin Church.

The prayer meeting was presided by Pastor Hyeong-ryeol Park, President of the Honam Regional Association, and after Gwang-neung Yoon offered a special praise, Mrs. Boknim Lee, Director of Manmin Prayer Center led the time of Word and prayer.

She preached that we should deal with all people with goodness and love, just as Jesus prayed for forgiveness of the sins of those who crucified Him. After the prayer and praise for repentance and the fullness of the Holy Spirit, she prayed for the sick in person with the handkerchief of power(Acts 19:11-12). Various pains disappeared and diseases were healed to glorify God.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Boknim Lee had a meeting with the Pastors and leaders of the Honam Regional Assembly prior to the prayer meeting. At 8 pm on June 22, Mrs. Lee led the Holy Spirit Prayer Meeting for the members of Yeongnam Regional Assembly at Gumi Manmin Church, and at 8 pm on June 29, she led the Holy Spirit Prayer Meeting for the members of Central Regional Assembly at Daejeon Manmin Church.







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Senior Pastor Rev. Jaerock Lee

# Look at Everything with Faith

"Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. For by it the men of old gained approval.

By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things which are visible" (Hebrews 11:1-3)

Since the opening of the church, I have hoped for things with faith in God and relied only on His Word. As a result, I could accomplish His will and glorify Him. Let's now delve into what we should do to be able to look at everything with faith and run the race of faith more earnestly.

## 1. We should have spiritual faith rather than fleshly one.

Fleshly faith is the faith that is knowledge stored in the brain. It is also faith gained through reasoning. It is what leads us to believe only in the things that are consistent with our knowledge. With this fleshly faith, we cannot bring down the power of God transcending the limitations of human thought and knowledge nor can we see the work of God by which something is created from nothing and the impossible is made possible.

On the other hand, spiritual faith is accompanied with works and it helps us believe in the creation of something out of nothing. Spiritual faith comes from truth and has the power to drive away the forces of darkness. It can also have amazing power to make the impossible possible.

Sometimes through human eyes, looking at something with faith may look like an act of foolishness like hurling oneself down from the edge of a cliff. That action may seem reckless to those who do not have faith, but to those who have spiritual faith, it is the action of fully relying on God. They can do it because they believe the almighty God.

The Israelites were protected from the Ten Plagues of Egypt. They crossed the Red Sea on foot after seeing it parted into two parts. They drank water that sprung from a rock in the wilderness, and ate manna that fell every day from above. They experienced many miracles performed through Moses by the power of God.

When they arrived at the entrance of the Promised Land, Canaan, ten of the twelve spies who had scouted the land failed to make positive confessions of faith. Their unbelieving professions caused most of the Israelites to forsake faith and complain and groan about God. Thus, the first generation of the Israelites could not enter the land of Canaan as they had confessed, but instead had to see death in the wilderness. Only Joshua and Caleb, who confessed positively with faith, entered the land together with the next generation (Numbers 14:7-9).

The second generation of the people had grown in their faith through the 40-year trial in the wilderness. They fully trusted the words spoken by Joshua, the successor to Moses, and accepted them as God's word. While the first generation crossed the Red Sea that was parted by Moses' faith, the second generation crossed the Jordan River by their own faith and obedience as if they walked on dry land. When they believed and obeyed God's word they conquered Jericho, an impregnable fortress, without drawing a sword. They relied on God and obeyed His word with deeds and gradually they conquered the whole land of Canaan.

Whenever God performed wonders and miracles for them, He told them to first sanctify themselves. It is because God's will and providence cannot be achieved through those who see the reality with fleshly thought. Therefore, we should become sanctified by means of the Word and prayer and rely completely on the almighty God with spiritual faith. Only then can we achieve the providence of God perfectly.

### 2. We should never think something is impossible.

People often give up something in the middle when they meet with an obstacle that seems difficult or even impossible to overcome with human limited thought. However, those who see with faith do not fear any kind of obstacle, nor are they hemmed in by anything within their own thoughts. So, there is nothing impossible and they never give up. This is the basic attitude of those who have spiritual faith.

When Joshua and the Israelites conquered the Canaan Land, there were obstacles. The kings of each region of the land allied with one another and gathered the troops to fight against Israel. Joshua had to battle against the five kings and their troops in Gibeon. When he conquered the Eastern, Western and Northern

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areas, he had to face allied kings and their troops. Regarding the number of the troops, Joshua 11:4 says, "They came out, they and all their armies with them, as many people as the sand that is on the seashore, with very many horses and chariots." Because Joshua saw the almighty God and trusted His promise, he gained victory again and again in God's umbrella.

Therefore, I urge all of you to look at anything with faith without giving up and to show the deeds of obedience so that you can extend the kingdom of God.

#### 3. We should hope for our sanctification with faith.

The God of love believes and hopes for mankind until the end with a desire for all people to be saved and for saved people to grow up spiritually. God has hoped for you first, so now it is your turn to believe that you will become sanctified children of God. As you pray with faith and assurance in entering spirit and whole spirit, keep the Word of God deep in your heart, and show the faith in deeds, you may be able to enter deep into spirit.

Therefore, you should hope for your sanctification with faith. If you are disheartened and give up just because you find fleshly attributes in you, it shows that your faith is not spiritual. Spiritual faith will not be changed nor shaken at all. If you find untruthful

elements and fleshly things in your heart in the process of becoming sanctified, you should feel joyous and thankful. It's because it is a great blessing to discover your untruth and throw it away because it leads you to become sanctified. This kind of blessing is given only to those who have made all efforts unceasingly to accomplish sanctification.

The Holy Spirit helps and gives spiritual awakenings to those who try their best to enter into spirit. God gives them grace and strength and leads them to reach the level of sanctification. Meanwhile, if you do not long for spirit or if you think little of untruthful elements in you, or if you don't try your best to change into spirit, you cannot receive such blessings. Such people will just harden fleshly attributes in them following the desires of the flesh.

I urge you to hope for your sanctification with realization that everything is possible with spiritual faith and unchangingly try hard with faith.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, I pray in the name of the Lord that you will realize the importance of spiritual faith which is the assurance of things hoped for, believe and obey God, and achieve sincere heart in perfect assurance.

#### FEATURE STORY

## How to Pass the Refinement with True Faith

"Refinement is blessing and God's love."



We should firmly believe the love of God until the end. 1 Peter 1:7 says, "so that the proof of your faith, being more precious than gold which is perishable, even though tested by fire, may be found to result in praise and glory and honor at the revelation of Jesus Christ." Why is God of love refining us believers? It is because He earnestly wants us to receive praise, glory and honor in Heaven forever and ever in the future by having faith like gold while living their life of faith on this earth.

In order to have the faith like gold, we should fight against sin to the point of bloodshed and cast away every form of evil. In order to die daily like the Apostle Paul did, we have many things to endure in the Lord, and we sometimes suffer for no reasons.

In such a case, we can win only when we realize the great love of God the Trinity who wants to lead us to a better heaven, always rejoice, give thanks for everything, and pray without ceasing. We must also firmly believe in God's love until the end.

If you doubt thinking, 'Why can't God help me? Does He really love me?', you may resent and complain. So, we should keep the love of the cross deeply in our heart and be patient.

It says in James 1:4, "And let endurance have its perfect result, so that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing." Only when we realize the great love God the Trinity who meticulously intervenes, we can fully endure and bear valuable fruit by faith.

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We should believe that it is a shortcut to making our dreams come true. As it is said in Romans 5:3-4, "And not only this, but we also exult in our tribulations, knowing that tribulation brings about perseverance; and perseverance, proven character; and proven character, hope;" the refinement is like a shortcut to quickly fulfilling our wishes.

During tribulation, we may feel tempted to give up, but if we persevere in the Lord and receive refinement, we will be quickly changed in hope, and we can become the perfect children who resemble God

Therefore, we should rejoice in the midst of tribulation and try to pass it with faith, hope and love following the example of forefathers of faith who were martyred with joy without escaping under any circumstances.

Man wants to go on a more comfortable and easier way, but God the Trinity refines His beloved children and works all things together for good.

If there are people around us who are teasing about everything, we probably don't want to meet them. However, if we do not turn away from that person, persevere in hope despite the discomfort of meeting them, and try to truly understand and forgive the person, any of us can be quickly changed.

Realizing that refinement is a shortcut to fulfilling hope, we should endure everything boldly with joy, and move forward with faith in hope.



We should only think good and do good only.

God is alive and He rewards us according to our deeds, and we reap what we sow. However, some people wonder and say, "I have acted according to the Word, but why does the situation not change and God does not work?"

They think they are faithful and pray earnestly, but in God's eyes, they still have sin and evil in their hearts. That's why the situation doesn't change yet.

In reality, trials and tribulations seem to come from people or certain circumstances, but from a spiritual point of view, they are brought about by the evil enemy devil and Satan. Therefore, in order to win the spiritual battle, we should fight according to the spiritual law. We should not fight against people, but we should only overcome evil with good(Romans 12:21).

When we do good, it seems as if we lose right away and lose money, but good always wins because God, who is just and god, governs the life and death of man according to the spiritual law. No matter what trials, tribulations, and persecutions come, if we do good, we can overcome them.

When an unbelieving family member persecutes you, if you try to persuade and overcome that member thinking, 'Why is he or she so evil?', the temptation may become greater or longer. Rather, you should strive to impress him or her by praying with love and serving in the Lord.

In this way, when you think good and do good in any situation, God can defeat the enemy devil and Satan and give you answers at the best time by controlling the heart of that family member.

### "The demon that tormented me for 15 years has left!"

For the past 15 years, I have suffered a lot from demons. When the demons worked, my body stiffened and I felt someone press heavily on my neck and chest, and I choked.

At times, I felt suicidal and even wanted to kill my children. I didn't want to talk to anyone, and I always threw a tantrum to the people around me.

There were times when I went to a Hindu priest to get this problem resolved. However, he said that in order to be set free from demons, I had to sacrifice two goats. I didn't have the money to get two goats, so I had to just come back.

I had also suffered from ear pain since I was little. Two years ago, the pain got worse and I went to see a doctor for a checkup. The doctor recommended surgery, but I couldn't receive the operation due to the covid-19 situation.

Then one day, while I was living in pain, the Lord reached out His

hands to me first. In April 2022, I was evangelized by Rani from Deli Manmin Church, India, who lives in my neighborhood. I also go to know the YouTube Hindi channel, "GCNTV HINDI" and came to know Manmin ministry of power. And I started preparing to get healed with faith at the divine healing meeting in May, through worship and prayer.

Finally, I attended the divine healing meeting through GCNTV HINDI at Rani's house. I was nervous at first. When Dr. Soojin Lee prayed for the sick, I vomited twice, and then, something came out of my body, and I felt peace in my mind. After that, I felt a bright light coming into my body, and my mind at peace, and the pain in my ears disappeared. Hallelujah!

Now I no longer have anxiety in my heart, and I am happy. My body and mind feel light and happy as if I am flying. I give all thanks and glory to the living God who healed me.



Dhanti (Age 33, Deli Manmin Church, India)

### "I was healed of the bruise on my whole body!"

My job is to take care for little children. However, on May 12, 2022, a child whom I was taking care of fell backward while going up the stairs. I was trying to hold the child for a moment, but then I fell straight down the stairs. My head hit the stairs and I fell and hit my buttocks.

I got up and walked about 50 meters, but my head was dazed and the pain in my right chest was so severe that it was difficult to walk any longer. I later found out that I had a large lump on my head, and the pain in my chest and hips was unbearable, so I called my Parish Pastor and received prayer.

Afterwards, the head lump and

hip pain subsided, but the right chest pain was very painful, as if I had a crack in the ribs.

Through this, I felt that I needed to recover the spiritually lacking areas, and I began to pray earnestly. And every day, I received the recorded prayer for the sick of Dr. Jaerock Lee.

On May 20, a week after the accident, I applied for a patient registration ahead of the divine healing meeting, and the next day I felt like a film was covering my body, and my body felt comfortable and the pain disappeared.

I give all thanks and glory to God the Father who gave me answers.



Senior Deaconess Myungsook Lee (Age 70, the 12<sup>th</sup> Parish)

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### "I was healed of the frozen shoulder in my left arm."

From July 2021, the pain in my left arm was so severe that I couldn't sleep. I couldn't move my left arm freely, so I had to be careful when putting on clothes or doing something, and I had a lot of troubles doing house chores. Sometimes, I dropped bowls and broke it as my left hand was weak while washing dishes.

When I went to see a doctor, I was told, "You have a frozen shoulder, and even laser surgery does not cure it completely. So, you should exercise hard for 3 months and come again." Then, he told me to exercise while watching the video he sent me after taking painkillers because it would be difficult to exercise because of the pain.

However, it was difficult to exercise alone because my left arm was stiff and did not move well and was painful. But after receiving prayer at the divine healing meeting in September, I experienced that the pain completely disappeared.

After that, I received prayer every time the divine healing meeting was held, because it was still difficult to move my left arm freely. But I didn't receive the complete healing.

Then, on May 27, 2022, I attended the divine healing meeting through GCN, and the sermon of Acting Senior Pastor, Dr. Soojin Lee, entitled, "Have peace in all things" felt as if she was speaking to me. At the same times, heat came over my body, and I remembered what I didn't repent although I realized. I repented of them, and when I sang praises for repentance and the fullness of the Holy Spirit, I felt heat again so that my face felt burning.

After that, when I moved my left arm, to my surprise, I was able to move it freely. It was so amazing and I was grateful. I give all thanks and glory to God the loving Father who healed me.



Deaconess Songhee Shin (Age 54, the 8<sup>th</sup> Parish)



General Assembly of the United Holiness Church of Jesus Christ

### The 32<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly and Pastor Ordainment Ceremony

The 32<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly and Pastor Ordainment Ceremony of the United Holiness Church of Jesus Christ was held on June 27 at Gwang ju Manmin Church.

The general meeting was held at 11 am, presided by Pastor Daehee Cho, and the Vice Bishop Dr. Soojin Lee delivered the message entitled, 'The true servant of God'(2 Timothy 4:7-8).

After the service as the first part, the second part of the Assembly proceeded in the order of reading the opening statement of the General Meeting on behalf of Bishop Dr. Jaerock Lee, confirmation of the order, election of officers, receipt of proposals and petitions, and resolution of other agendas.

The Pastor ordainment ceremony was progressed at 3 pm with the presiding of Pastor Hakyoung Yim, the deputy secretary, and after a representative prayer by Elder Johnny Kim, Vice Chairman, Dr. Soo Jin Lee, the

Vice Bishop preached the sermon entitled, "Power" (Mark 16:15-18) and she officiated the ordainment ceremony.

The candidates for the Pastor Ordainment on the day were Pastor Geumran Hwang from Manmin Central Church and Missionary Aleksandr Tabaranu from Moldova Manmin Church.

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