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“Resurrection Is Our Hope and Waiting!” Easter Thanksgiving Service and Holy Communion 2018



During Sunday Morning Service on April 1, 2018, Manmin Central Church offered up Easter Thanksgiving Service to celebrate Resurrection Sunday which is one of the three feasts of Christianity. The service was broadcast live on GCN (www.gcntv.org). Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee delivered the message entitled “The Resurrection of the Lord” based on 1 Corinthians 15:41-44.

During Sunday Evening Service, he preached the message “The

Flesh and Blood of the Lord” based on John 6:53-55 and the Holy Communion Ceremony followed. The members etched the Lord’s sacrifice and love of the cross in their hearts while eating the bread and drinking juice of the grape that symbolize the Lord’s flesh and blood.

During the Passion Week, the members tried to lead a godly life and meditate on the Four Gospels that depict the Lord’s birth, ministry, suffering and death on the

cross, and His love and resurrection.

On Friday, March 30, they offered up fasting more than a meal and gave thanks for the love of the Lord who came to the earth to redeem us from sin. During Friday All-night Service, Dr. Lee preached the message, “Spiritual Realm (3): Angels (2)” taken from Hebrews 1:14. Then, Easter Performance “The Cross of the Lord” was rendered on the special stage of the main sanctuary by Performing Arts Committee.

The Women’s Mission decorated eggs that stand for the Lord’s resurrection, shared them with offices in Guro Venture Town, Senior Citizens’ Center, Community Service Center, Guro Police Station, and Guro Fire Station, and preached the gospel.

The members of Children’s and Students’ Sunday Schools, Young Adults’ Mission, and Canaan Mission had a great time full of the Lord’s love and hope for resurrection by sharing eggs.

The Heart of Love

“We consider others better than ourselves, have compassion on them,
and give everything we have to them”

On March 25, District, Sub-district, and Cell Leaders’ Devotional Service 2018 was offered up during Sunday Evening Service. The whole church members are grouped according to their residence into three parishes: 1st Great Grand Parish (Parish 1 to 9), 2nd Great Grand Parish (Parish 10 to 21), and 3rd Great Grand Parish (Parish 22 to 32). And there are separately Chinese Parish (the group of Chinese-Koreans and Chinese people living in Korea), and Foreigners’ Parish (Foreigners living in Korea). Each parish has district leaders, sub-district leaders, and cell leaders who numbered 1,650. They offered up the Service.

The devotional service was



broadcast live on GCN and the Internet. Elder Haengcheol Shin, President of Male Sub-district Leaders’ Association presided over the service, Senior Deaconess

Heeseung Lee, President of Female Sub-district Leaders’ Association gave representative prayer, and Deaconess Mikyung Kye, Cell Leader of Cheonan Manmin

Church read the Scripture.

Dr. Jaerock Lee preached the message with the title of “The Heart of Love” based on Romans 5:8. He opened the message by saying that if we realize the love of God who saved us from sins, we will want to live in His will and deliver the love that we receive to others. Then, he explained the heart of love in three points: the heart to consider others better than ourselves, the heart to have mercy on others, and the heart to give everything to others.

The devotees were determined to serve even little ones, take care of souls with mercy and love of God, and bring them to life through sacrifice and devotion.



Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

The Meaning of Resurrection

“They also said, ‘Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into the sky? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in just the same way as you have watched Him go into heaven’” (Acts 1:11).

Jesus, who is the Son of God, came to the earth in flesh to fulfill the duty of the Savior. For us He died on the wooden cross and resurrected from the dead on the third day after His burial.

Afterwards, the resurrected Lord stayed with His disciples on the earth for 40 days, strengthened their faith in resurrection, and ascended into heaven. The Lord will come back in the air at the appointed time and take up those believers who have hope of a sanctified heart and have worked faithfully with longing for His second coming.

Let’s now delve into the meanings of the Lord’s resurrection.

1. Resurrection is given by paying the price of sacrifice.

Resurrection is the most joyous and happiest event for all those who believe in the Lord. It is also the most essential element of our faith. For there to be resurrection, the process of death must precede it. Our Lord, who is the firstfruits of resurrection, first had to die before He received the glory of resurrection. He had to die the most painful and most shameful death through crucifixion. He gave even the last drops of His blood and water. He sacrificed everything He had. The fact that He forsook all heavenly glory and came down to this earth in human body itself is a huge sacrifice that we as creatures cannot understand. Also, during His

ministry, He didn’t take the time needed to sleep well, eat, and care for His own body.

Therefore, whenever we think about resurrection, we have to imprint the Lord’s sacrifice on our hearts. Then, we’ll be able to remember more deeply in our heart the meaning and value of resurrection. And those who have the faith of resurrection will also sacrifice themselves following the way of the Lord. To the extent that we sacrifice ourselves, we will receive an unimaginable dispensation of rewards and glory in heaven, which can’t even begin to compare with the magnitude of our sacrifice on this earth.

2. Through resurrection we’re given eternal life.

The disciples witnessed the Lord’s resurrection firsthand. When they had last seen Jesus three days earlier, His skin was torn by the flogging. On His head was the crown of long thorns; His hands and feet were nailed through, and His whole body was covered by blood. His body was skinny because He hadn’t eaten and slept well for the past 3 years. It was almost like just skin and bones.

Jesus was hung on the cross in this condition, and finally breathed His last after suffering from excruciating pain for 6 hours. His body was wrapped in fine linen and buried in a cave that had been freshly dug. It was complete death where there was no chance of revival. But Jesus rose from the dead.

He appeared before the disciples in the resurrected body and talked with them. He let Thomas, who doubted His resurrection, touch His scars of the nails and spear; He also ate roasted fish with the disciples. Afterwards, they unsparingly gave their lives for the Lord and for the sake of the gospel.

John 11:25-26 reads, “Jesus said to her, ‘I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in Me will live even if he dies, and everyone

who lives and believes in Me will never die. Do you believe this?’” After meeting the resurrected Lord firsthand, the disciples were so convinced of eternal life that they could boldly answer to this question of Jesus, “Amen, Lord, I believe!” As they were convinced of eternal life, naturally the fear of death disappeared.

With such faith, they followed the way of suffering that the Lord had taken. Even as they became the prey of lions, they offered prayers of thanksgiving. They said good-byes to their children in their bosoms saying “We’ll soon meet each other in heaven.” Christians were living in catacombs underground away from the persecutions against them. They were not able to see any sunlight their entire lives, but they were still full of hope waiting for the Lord who was to come back. Even though they had to bury their dead in that catacomb, those who remained had increased hope to meet them again in heaven.

1 Thessalonians 4:13-14 says, “But we do not want you to be uninformed, brethren, about those who are asleep, so that you will not grieve as do the rest who have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who have fallen asleep in Jesus.” To those Christians who believed in resurrection and eternal life, even the death was considered as one of the steps they walked toward eternal heaven.

1 Thessalonians 4:16-17 says, “For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive and remain will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and so we shall always be with the Lord.” So, we should live each day of our lives with the hope for the eternal life and take hold of a better dwelling of heaven by force every day (2 Corinthians 4:18).

3. God’s providence was fulfilled through resurrection.

1 Corinthians 15:13-14 says, “But if there is no resurrection of the dead, not even Christ has been raised; and if Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is vain, your faith also is vain.” The way of salvation was completed by Jesus dying on the cross and then overcoming death and resurrecting. If Jesus hadn’t resurrected, the way of salvation couldn’t have been completed, and we would have had to reach eternal death because our sins couldn’t be forgiven.

Thus, the Lord’s resurrection is the most important event in the entire human history. The Lord was crucified yet He was innocent. He overcame death, resurrected, and became the firstfruits of resurrection because He had no sin at all. When you believe it and accept Jesus Christ, you can receive salvation and become God’s children. Thus, we cannot discuss salvation without making reference to resurrection in Christianity.

If we have hope of resurrection, we will not have any lingering attachment to the world and we won’t be afraid of any persecution or hardships. We will only live practicing the truth with all our lives. Such people will eventually come forth as true children that God wants to gain through human cultivation. God will share true and eternal love with them forever. This is the providence of God that He harbored in His heart when He first began human cultivation.

If you resemble the Lord who is the firstfruits of resurrection and completely obey the will of God, you will partake in the glory of resurrection and enter New Jerusalem. I pray in the name of the Lord that you will stand firmly on the faith of resurrection, practice the truth, possess faith of martyrdom, and come forth as a glorious fruit of resurrection.

The Confession of Faith

1. Manmin Central Church believes that the Bible is God-breathed 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.

“[God] Himself gives to all people life and breath and all things.” (Acts 17:25)

“And there is salvation in no one else; for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must be saved.” (Acts 4:12)

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Dear Dr. Jaerock Lee

I am Josefina Artaza. I am a pastor living in Santiago del Estero in Argentina. Three years ago, my husband Pastor Juan Carlos passed away and I started to minister to our church all by myself. I was nervous, but the Lord consoled me and led me to social success. However, I felt empty and spiritually thirsty.

One early morning, I happened to listen to your sermon on Enlace TV. It was live broadcast of Manmin Central Church's worship service in Korea.

You explained how you had been healed of all your diseases by God. I was given such strong faith that I was surrounded by the spiritual space of God through Manmin's ministry. Then, a sound was heard saying, "Your husband was given the gift of healing by My help. Now you will continue the healing ministry. But, you must cling to this message, Dr. Jaerock Lee's teaching!"

From then, I listened to your messages on Enlace TV every Sunday. I felt like my faith was increasing and the Lord helped me keep the message in my heart.

My Lord healed me of many diseases including rheumatoid arthritis, lymphadenitis, metabolic syndrome, hernia, kidney disease, and pituitary tumor. I came to have more hope to work with the spiritual church ministered to by the true pastor of God. Meantime, I became acquainted with Pastor Martin Álvarez of Manmin Home Church in Argentina. That is how I can now write to you.

People in Korea may not be aware of how far your world ministry has had an impact. I give thanks to the Lord and all people who have joined Manmin's ministry.

I respect and admire you because you were called by God.

February 6, 2018
From Argentina
Pastor Josefina Artaza



The Spirit-filled Meetings Held in Taipei and Kaohsiung



Rev. Dr. Heesun Lee, Manmin World Guidance Pastor, led meetings in Taipei and Kaohsiung of Taiwan. The attendees became filled with thanks, joy, and hope for heaven through them.

On March 15, 2018, she led the Spirit's Fullness Prayer Meeting in Taiwan Manmin Church (Pastor Kyunghee Kim) in Taipei. The attendees repented and renewed their hearts by the work of the Spirit. They praised in fullness with heart and body and experienced Lord-given joy.

She prayed for the sick with the handkerchief on which Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee had prayed (Acts 19:11-12), and people were set free from diseases including left hand paralysis, knee pain, and mental diseases.

On March 18, she led Xinzhan Manmin

Church's 4th anniversary service and handkerchief healing meeting (Pastor Yao Lan Hsiang). She delivered the message entitled "Trust" based on 2 Chronicles 20:20 and prayed for the sick with the handkerchief of power.

Sister Yao Yu-Yuan, age 70, who was on the doorstep of death due to high blood pressure, heart disease, and diabetes, was freed from all pains when she received the prayer after repentance. Sister Su Chaomei, age 81, couldn't walk well due to spinal cord injury but now the pain was gone and she came to walk freely without crutches.

Besides, many people were healed of many kinds of diseases including degenerative arthritis and panic disorder, and recovered eyesight and hearing ability.



At 11:20p.m. on December 9, 2017, my neck felt stiff and my body lost strength. I called my wife, Senior Deaconess Keumhwa Lee. While I was telling her to help me, I lost consciousness and collapsed.

My wife and my son Subin came back home immediately from Daniel Prayer Meeting which is held from 9p.m. They said I was rushed to a university hospital by the ambulance. I was later told that two parts of my brain had cerebral hemorrhage and I couldn't breathe by myself. There was no surgery possible for me. I was just about to die.

While the medical staff was administering aid, my Parish Pastor Dalcheon Lee came and prayed for me with the handkerchief on which Dr. Jaerock Lee had prayed (Acts 19:11-12). After the prayer, I recovered spontaneous breathing and had surgery.

It was not until 5a.m. on the following day that my surgery to stop bleeding was finished. But the doctor told my family that my cerebral aneurysm was dilated and burst twice due to subarachnoid hemorrhage and I should be put in the Intensive Care Unit. Then, the progress of my condition could be checked for the following 2 or 3 weeks. My wife and my parish pastor fasted and prayed for my salvation when I was unconscious.

On 10th, my wife and son sent a prayer request to Senior Pastor who was praying in the mountain

“I was saved from the danger of death caused by subarachnoid hemorrhage”

Brother Yoonjong Yu, age 56,
Parish 10, Manmin Central Church



prayer house. After that, I started to recover quickly. On the 13th, I came around and was moved to the intensive care unit from the critical care unit. On the 15th, I was moved to a general ward. I later heard that on the afternoon Senior Pastor prayed for me with his hand on my picture. I heard that he prayed, saying in detail, “Let him have no after-effects and paralysis, and let him be cleansed perfectly.”

Afterwards, whenever I had splitting headaches, my wife put earphones in my ears and let me listen to Senior Pastor's sermon “The Message of the Cross”. Then, the pain was soon gone. I began to

recover very quickly. I was freed from headaches that I heard were unavoidable. Whenever I received the handkerchief prayer, I recovered more and more.

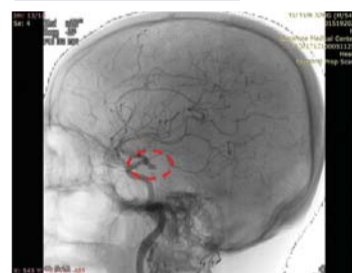
On January 12, 2018, I left hospital because I had no abnormal symptoms in my body. I was more and more amazed as I thought it over. My doctor told me that I

would have after-effects caused by the brain damage such as paralysis, but I haven't had any after-effect and no paralysis has stricken me. I am perfectly normal. Hallelujah!

This incident made me born again both in spirit and body. I now keep the Lord's Day and give a tithe. I received the Holy Spirit and came to speak in tongue by attending Men's Mission's meetings and prayer meetings. I felt so sorry to Senior Pastor who patiently waited for me and prayed for me although I had not kept the Lord's Day and not stopped drinking alcohol and smoking for 25 years. I was so thankful to my family. After I tearfully repented, I was given peace and came to have a desire to repay the grace.

I give all thanks and glory to God who healed me of subarachnoid hemorrhage without any after-effects and blessed me to lead a new life. I extend my thanks to Senior Pastor who prayed for me.

neuroangiography



▲ Before the prayer:
right anterior cerebral artery
There was aneurysm on the original.

CT scan



▲ Before the prayer:
There was brain hemorrhage caused by anterior cerebral artery aneurysm

“My baby's heart stopped beating but she came to life!”

I used to be a Hindu. After I got married in 2014, I went to a Christian church for the first time due to my mother-in-law's request. But I hardly attended it. On May 2014, I was guided to Chennai Manmin Church by my neighbor Deaconess Nisha. On weekends, however, I visited my parents rather than going to church.

In September of the same year, I was at the fifth month of pregnancy. I went to hospital for a regular check-up, and I heard something shocking. The doctor told me that he couldn't hear my fetus' heartbeat and sense the fetal movement, either. He couldn't tell if it was alive. I was afraid that I would have

a stillbirth. I could do nothing due to anxiety.

Then, Nisha talked about her testimony to me. She said her first delivery was difficult and the baby was a premature baby, but after she attended Manmin, he became healthy. When she was pregnant with her second son, he had little chance of surviving due to the lack of amniotic fluid. But after she received the handkerchief prayer, he was born healthy.

After I heard the testimony, I came to have faith. A few days later, I attended the handkerchief healing meeting held in Chennai Manmin Church and received the prayer of the handkerchief on which Senior

Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee had prayed through Pastor Joseph Han (Acts 19:11-12). Afterwards, something amazing happened. The fetus that had not moved at all started to move. Hallelujah!

I was very happy. God is truly alive! The doctor said that the fetal movement recovered fortunately but told me to be careful because it was too small. I didn't worry at all, however. In February 2015, I delivered a healthy daughter.

My daughter Janani is three years old now. She is growing up healthy and lovely. I give all thanks and glory to the living God and give thanks to Senior Pastor who put the power in the handkerchief.



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