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## Thanks and glory be to God for His keeping and protecting!

### The 39<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Service & Event



On October 10, Sunday, Manmin Central Church glorified God with a celebration worship service and performance(video) to celebrate its 39<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

At the Sunday Morning Service on this day, a video sermon entitled, 'Providence'(Amos 3:7) preached by the Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee was aired, and at the Evening Service, the 39<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration service and event were offered up.

Congratulatory messages have been received from the United States, Israel, Russia, Kenya, Japan, Argentina, Colombia, Costa Rica, Peru, Georgia, Ukraine, Latvia, Pakistan, Egypt, and Sri Lanka.

The service and event were broadcast live via Internet and GCN, which covers more than 170 countries around the world, and were simultaneously interpreted into 8

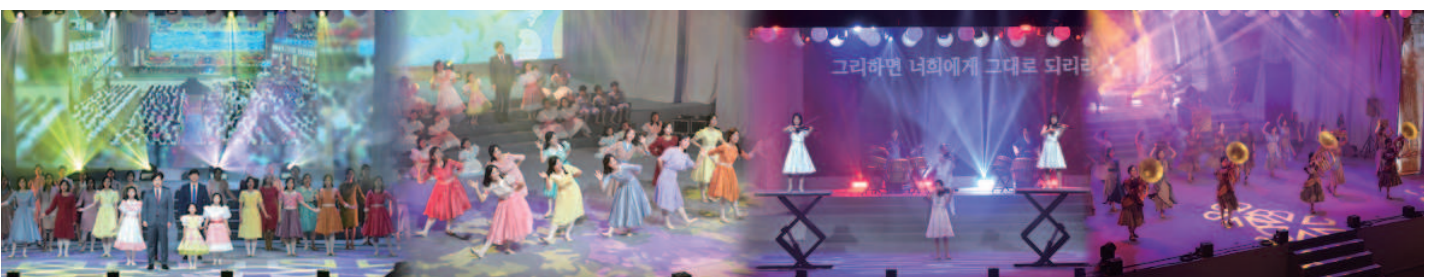
languages including English, Chinese, and Russian, and 13 sign languages including English, German, and Malay.

During the first part of the celebration service, the Acting Senior Pastor Dr. Soojin Lee delivered the message entitled, "My peace I give to you" (John 16:33). Dr. Lee said, "We can overcome any difficulties with joy and thanks, and enjoy true peace because we believe in the providence of God the Father showing that He is with us even now through the works of the power, and we have faith and hope. I hope that you may fully believe in God's will and providence and be filled with the true peace and hope given by the Lord."

At the second part, the video of the Celebration Performance by the Performing Arts Committee under the theme of 'Amazing Grace'

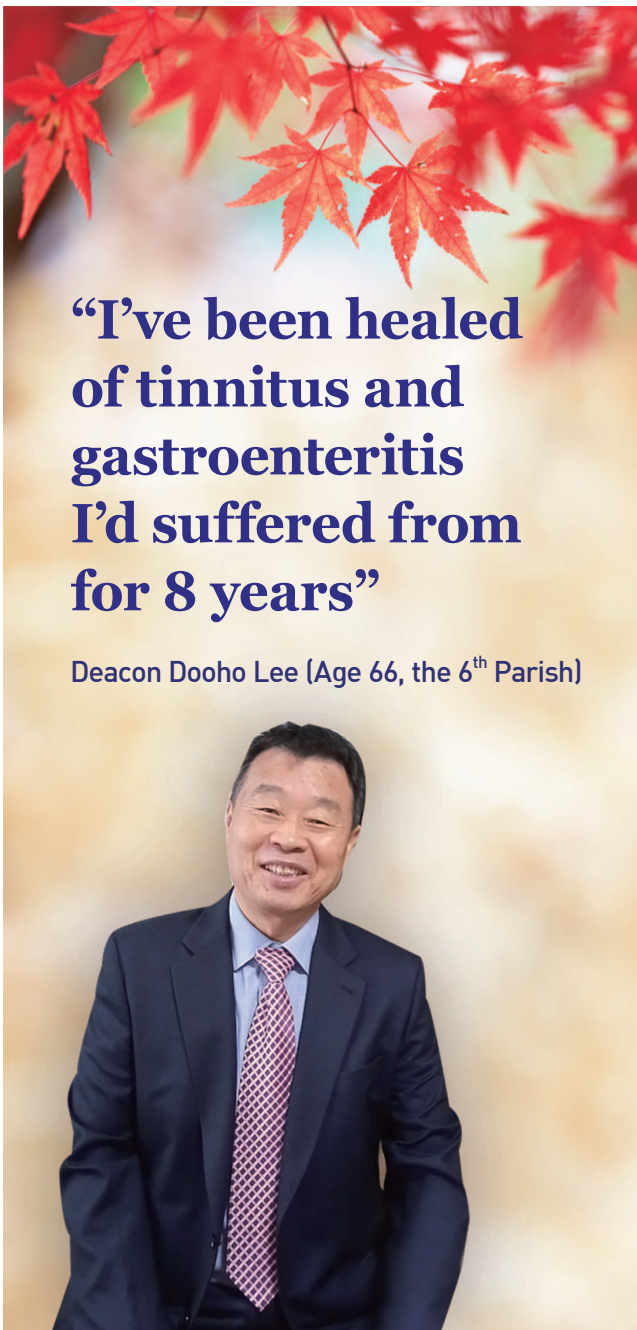
(subtitle: God's grace for Manmin) was broadcasted. It was a time to give thanks to God the Father, looking back on the process of Manmin, which started with 13 members including 4 children and grew as Manmin in the world, and its history, where the members have been running with firm faith even in trials and afflictions.

On October 8, during the second part of the Friday All-night Service, the '2021 Overseas Mission Conference' video presentation was aired, which was about the non-touch mission through online meetings, broadcasting mission through GCN, publication mission through Urimbooks, and active ministry of overseas branch churches. We gave glory to God the Father who's been fulfilling His providence through Manmin unceasingly even now.





Manmin world mission is being actively carried out through missionaries who dedicate themselves to preaching the gospel of the Lord through the works of the power and the holiness gospel. (from the video “the 2021 Overseas Mission”).



**“I’ve been healed of tinnitus and gastroenteritis I’d suffered from for 8 years”**

Deacon Dooho Lee (Age 66, the 6<sup>th</sup> Parish)

I have been suffering from tinnitus in my right ear since 8 years ago. There was always a mechanical sound like a cicada’s cry in my ears. It always bothered me, and when I felt tired, the symptom got worse and it was difficult even to have conversation with others.

However, on September 13, after receiving the prayer of Dr. Soojin Lee at the online divine healing meeting, the symptoms improved a lot and it remained very faint.

Through this experience, I tried to please God with a more earnest heart with the belief that I could receive complete healing before God.

In particular, attending the praise meeting led by Dr. Soojin Lee through GCN in the evening of September 19, I praised together with all my heart, and then, I could pray fervently in the fullness of the Holy Spirit at the Daniel prayer meeting.

That night, as I lay down to sleep, my body was so hot from head to toe. It was so hot that I got up from my bed and looked to see if it was on fire.

It was only then that I realized that I had received the fire of the Holy Spirit and I was sure that God had healed me. The next morning, I saw that the tinnitus symptoms that had remained had completely disappeared. Hallelujah!

Not only that, God healed me of stomach disease, hemorrhoids, and the aftereffects of gallstone surgery. My stomach felt bloated because of poor digestion from a year ago, and I was embarrassed to take to others because of bad breath, but they have been completely healed.

I was also healed of hemorrhoids, which I had been suffering from for 10 years. I had gallstone surgery 7 years ago, and the scar was getting bigger and it oozed to make me uncomfortable, but it stopped oozing and the scar is getting smaller now.

These days, I am just amazed at the changes in my body. How could such a miracle happen to me? Looking at my healthy body, I can’t stop smiling.

The grace I received without price is so great that I am just grateful. I give all thanks and glory to the Lord and God the Father who saved me and healed me.

## Nine Fruits of the Holy Spirit (4)

# Fruit of Peace

“But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.” (Gal. 5:22-23)



Senior Pastor Rev. Jaerock Lee

Just as salt gives flavor and prevents rotting, God wants the believers to show grace and purify their neighbors and bear the fruit of peace. Let us delve into the 3rd fruit among the 9 fruits of the Holy Spirit, peace.

## 1. Fruit of Peace

Romans 12:18 says, “If possible, so far as it depends on you, be at peace with all men.” Hebrews 12:14 says, “Pursue peace with all men, and the sanctification without which no one will see the Lord.”

Peace here refers to the heart with which we can yield to others even if we are right, and to be accepting and be OK with anything within the truth. It is to seek others' benefit and not to be biased. It is not to flaunt yourself and to have no conflict with anyone by not focusing on their shortcomings.

God's children should be at peace with everyone. It is all the more important to have peace in the church. Where peace is broken, God cannot work any longer, and the enemy devil will bring accusations. Even if we work hard and produce good results, we can't be commended if peace was broken in the process.

In Genesis 26, Isaac received God's blessing when he was living among the Philistines. The people there became jealous of him and stopped up his wells many times.

However, Isaac did not quarrel or fight. He just went to another location quietly and dug another well. When he pursued peace, God blessed him to get a well everywhere he went. The Philistines realized God was with him and would no longer confront him.

If Isaac quarreled or fought with them because he suffered injustice, he'd have had to leave the area. Even if you make a good, logical case in your argument, it wouldn't work for those who are already trying to argue with an evil intention. For this reason, Isaac just yielded every time and bore the fruit of peace.

The same goes for us as well. God can lead us to prosperity in all things when we bear the fruit of peace.

## 2. To Bear the Fruit of Peace

### 1) Have Peace with God

What is the single most important thing to have peace

with God? It is to have no barrier of sin.

If we walk in the Truth, we're at peace with God, and we're confident. Even though we're not perfect yet, as long as we're trying our best within our measure of faith, we can be at peace with God. If we bow before idols or fail to keep the Lord's Day just to have peace with unbelieving family members, it is creating a wall of sin before God, thereby breaking peace with Him.

God drives away our adversary the devil when we please God. He can change the mind of the evil ones so we can have peace with everyone (Prov. 16:7). Suppose you keep on trying your best but the other party keeps on breaking peace. In this case if you just keep on acting in truth, God will cause all things to work for good.

### 2) Have Peace with Yourself

In order for us to have peace with ourselves, we have to cast away all forms of evil and become holy. As long as we have evil in our heart, it will be agitated according to the situations. We can have peace in our heart when we choose the truth in any situation.

Some people try to walk in the truth in an effort to have peace with God, but they don't have true peace in them. Generally, it is because of their self-righteousness and frameworks of personality that are not formed properly.

For example, you have no peace because you're bound by God's word too much. You don't practice the word with love for God but because you're afraid you might be punished if you don't. In this case, rather than focusing on the action, you should first try to cultivate love for God in your heart.

Also, you might not have peace with yourself because of pessimistic personality. You're trying to practice the truth, but you're not satisfied with yourself. You beat yourself up and make yourself suffer. In this case you need to become a spiritual child.

Those children who believe in the love of their parents, even if they've done something wrong, they do not hide but ask for forgiveness. Those who truly repented do not lose heart by criticizing themselves. Even if you face trials for your wrongdoings, they will turn to blessings if you pass them with joy and thanksgiving.

Therefore, you have to believe that God loves you and

makes you perfect as long as you try to change yourself, even if you're not perfect. As we keep on storing up sincere heart and actions before God, we'll have peace with ourselves and confidence.

### 3) Have Peace with Everyone

In order to have peace with everyone, we have to sacrifice ourselves. Paul professed "I die daily." We must not insist on our things, our positions, or our way of doing things in order to have peace with everyone.

If we cultivate peace, we won't be unbecoming before others or try to boast of ourselves. We humble ourselves and serve others. We won't be partial or one-sided. We'll put ourselves in the shoes of others, and even if our opinions seem better, we are willing to go with other's opinions. However, advice and rebuke based on love is necessary for those who are bringing destruction upon themselves by committing sins.

To have peace with everyone we must not insist on our self-righteousness or frameworks. 'Frameworks' is your belief that you're right. It is formed based on your personality and tastes. Self-righteousness is to force your frameworks on others.

Everyone has different personalities, upbringing, education, and level of faith. They all have different standards of right and wrong. One must not insist on their opinions but think from others' points of view also, so they can have peace.

Jesus also said we can give offerings to God after we made peace with our brothers first (Matt. 5:23-24). Those who have peace with God and with themselves will not break peace with others. Even if others act in evil and break peace, they keep on serving and sacrificing, and eventually maintain peace.

### 3. What We Should Realize While Pursuing Peace

It is important to speak words of goodness to pursue peace (James 3:6; Prov. 18:21). Words of goodness give strength and courage to others. They are good remedy to revive the souls (Prov. 16:24). On the contrary, evil words break peace (2 Chron. 10). Therefore, we can have peace when we see, hear, and speak only good things (Eph. 4:29).

Next, suppose you think you don't have any hard-feelings, and it is others who are breaking peace. However, is it really other people's fault? You might have hurt their feelings being inconsiderate without realizing it. You should really think about whether or not others think of you as a peacemaker.

Lastly, true peace must be maintained from the heart.

Even if you're not at peace with God or yourself, you can be at peace with others to some extent. Because you know you shouldn't break peace, you just control your emotions not to have any falling out with anyone. However, having peace outwardly doesn't necessarily mean you've borne fruit of peace.

In order to have true peace, we should not just control our emotions but we should sincerely serve others and their interests ahead of our own.

### 4. Blessing for Peacemakers

Those who have peace with God, with themselves, and with everyone will have the authority to drive away darkness (Matt. 5:9). It is in this way that they can spread peace.

Jesus' death is like that of a dying grain of wheat that bears countless fruits (John 12:24). He paid the price for the forgiveness of sins of countless dying souls and reconciled them to God. As a result, Jesus became the King of kings and the Lord of lords and received great honor and glory.

God wants His children to sacrifice themselves and die daily like Jesus and in doing so, be able to bear much fruit. Jesus also said in John 15:8, "My Father is glorified by this, that you bear much fruit, and so prove to be My disciples." Therefore, let us follow the desires of the Holy Spirit to bear the fruit of peace and lead many souls to the way of salvation.

Hebrews 12:14 says, "Pursue peace with all men, and the sanctification without which no one will see the Lord." Even if we think we're right, if others have hard-feelings and conflicts arise, what should we do? We should look back on ourselves and become holy and free of evil so that we can see the Lord.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

I pray in the name of the Lord that you will bear the fruit of peace with God, yourself, and everyone so you can enjoy the authority of being God's children on this earth as well as the blessing of seeing the Lord in heaven.

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## 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.

## “I had lost my sight, but after receiving prayer I can see clearly well!”

Mark (Age 13, Nairobi Manmin Church in Kenya)



With his parents after being healed of 'acute loss of vision'

I am attending a national middle school and living in the school dormitory. On September 25(Sat), it suddenly became dark in front of my eyes and I couldn't see anything. The assistant principal rushed me to the hospital. The diagnosis was 'acute loss of vision'.

It was a sudden and speechless situation, and I was so afraid and sad that I didn't know what to do. My mother gave me faith and consoled me, saying that God would surely heal me if I receive prayer from Rev. Myongho Chung.

On September 27(Mon), I went to church with the support of my mother to receive Rev. Myungho Chung's prayer. Rev. Chung first prayed for my parents and me to repent.

God gave grace to my family, so my father repented of being arrogant and not performing his duty as a cell group leader, my mother of taking the worldly things and her lazy Christian life, and I of taking the worldly things at school and loving the world more than God.

And amazingly, when Rev. Myongho Chung prayed for me with the handkerchief of power which Dr. Jaerock Lee had prayed on (Acts 19:11-12), a miracle happened to me.

A bright light came into me and I

came to see very well. Hallelujah!

My parents and I thanked and glorified God with tears. The principal and the assistant principal were amazed by my testimony, saying that they had never heard this kind of healing testimony before, and that it was the work of the living God.

When many churches and religious groups have visited the school and preached the Lord, students were confused by their wrong information sometimes. So, principals were happy with the fact that they can now deliver the existence of God and the Lord through my healing testimony, the tangible evidence.

I was so afraid of the darkness, where I could not see anything due to sudden loss of sight. But through this, the Lord delivered me into the bright light, who had no choice but to fall into the dark hell. I give all thanks and glory to God the Father of love.



Mark, sharing his testimony at the Sunday worship service

## Missionary works are going well even in the midst of the COVID-19 Pandemic.



Rev. Bladimir Osipov  
President of  
the United Holiness Churches in Russia



Dear Manmin members! First, I give thanks to the Lord for leading us, and to you who have been praying for missionary works in Russia for a long time.

It is more difficult to proclaim the Gospel than before, due to the emergence of new legislations which persecute churches. Nevertheless, we are trying in many ways to revive the church's worship services and ministries.

Rev. Aleksandr Samonov, Rev. Valerii Trenogin and I visited Manmin Central Church many times and were deeply touched attending its Summer Retreats and worship services. And we received the prayer of blessing from Dr. Jaerock Lee the Senior Pastor.

After returning Russia, we worked together in one mind to establish a denomination to spread the holiness gospel, and as the result, Manmin became a registered denomination recognized by the Russian government.

In addition, we have expanded Manmin ministry to evangelical churches in St. Petersburg, Kaliningrad, the Ural region, and the central and southern Russia.

We are also training leaders at the missionary school and the Rehabilitation Center. After education, they go back to their area to build churches and help pastors. We expect that churches will be built not only in St. Petersburg but also in every city in Russia.

We pray for spreading the holiness gospel to every Russian speaking society, and we will be with Manmin having the Lord's command of spreading the Gospel. Hallelujah!



Feature Story

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Rev. Myongho Chung  
President of  
the United Holiness Churches in Africa



I congratulate on Manmin Central Church's 39<sup>th</sup> anniversary and greet you, my loving church members.

Nairobi Manmin Church in Kenya has been actively working for pastors and churches in Africa through the Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee's teachings with the holiness gospel and the handkerchief of power.

The ministry has been expanded even in COVID-19, and I am grateful that I can introduce the Senior Pastor's power and Manmin ministry more effectively.

Nairobi Manmin Church has actively participated in the local government's activities for the development of the community based on the constant cooperation with the government in Umoja in which the church is located, and was selected as one of leading churches in recognition of the importance of Manmin ministry.

The government's administration highly praised Nairobi Manmin Church's missionary works and recommended it to the National Museum's investigation team looking for hidden heroes across the country. And I provided the data of our missionary works and the picture of the Senior Pastor, books and magazines, and the Senior Pastor's robe according to their special request.

The section of Manmin Ministry in the National Museum is scheduled to open on October 29. When it is open to the public, visitors regardless of religion will learn about Manmin ministry, and the door will more widely open and the status of the church will become very high.

All thanks and glory be to the Father God!



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