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"We Love the Lord Who Came to the Earth for Us!"

Manmin Celebrated a More Meaningful Christmas than Ever Before

















Manmin Central Church had the Christmas Lighting Ceremony at 9:50 P.M. on December 15, 2017 to celebrate the birth of Jesus who came to the earth to save us. This event was broadcast live on GCN.

Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee said in his short message, "God is blessing us with being able to enjoy the temperature above zero although previously it was freezing cold at ten degrees below zero all through the week. The weather is best for this lighting ceremony. As we have always experienced such works of God, I urge you to have faith and hope for heaven which is real, without setting your mind on this earthly life which is an illusion. Through this I hope you will love God all the more."

On December 24, Dr. Lee delivered the message under the title of "The Lord's Birth" based on Matthew 1:21-23 during Sunday Morning Service and Evening Service. He preached about Jesus' birth and ministry, and His resurrection and second coming. After Sunday Evening Service, the Christmas Celebration Performance entitled "The Lord's Birth" followed. Members and guests in attendance gave glory and offered thanks to God for His love.

On December 25, the Christmas Service was held at 11 A.M. Dr. Lee proclaimed the message "Blessing" taken from Romans 13:10. In the service, greater happiness, hope, and thanks overflowed than ever before because many believers had been changed through God's love, forgiveness, and waiting; and through them, the holiness gospel had been spread all over the world and many of them had participated in the providence of God as fruit of spirit and whole

The reason this Christmas was more special to them is because the lives of so many members had become filled with blessings through Dr. Lee's intercession and life-giving sacrifice for the last seven years (relevant stories on pages 3 and 4).

It is through such experiences that the members realized the love of God and the Lord even more. They came to live by the Word and received the blessing of their souls' prosperity. As they tried to repay the grace given to them, many of them received blessings in their workplaces and businesses. Many of them were awarded the Presidential Citation, the Prime Minister's citation as well as other administrative awards, citations and industrial service medals.

Elder candidate Insik Park, President of Firefighting Equipment Company from Muan Manmin Church, said, "I was addicted to alcohol and gambling, and I used to be violent. I wanted to give up on my life in which I suffered such great pain. But after I was guided to Manmin I was renewed by the word of life and the shepherd's prayer. Now blessings are overflowing in my business. I feel the love of God, the Lord, and the shepherd more deeply this Christmas."

Pastor James Sim of New York International Manmin Church in USA was put at a critical moment when his coronary artery had become narrowed and almost blocked. The doctor said that he would die without surgery. However, after he received Dr. Lee's prayer, he recovered quickly and became healthy enough to exercise. The members of his congregation

witnessed what he went through and together they prayed for him. After he was healed, the members came to have greater faith and prepared for Christmas with more joy.

With this meaningful Christmas ahead, the members of Nepal Manmin Church pastored by Grace Lee prepared themselves by offering vowed prayer and fasting to achieve the pure and good heart of the Lord. In April 2015, they experienced God's protection through Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer during the April 2015 Nepal Earthquake, which at a magnitude of 7.8 claimed thousands of lives. Not only they themselves but also all their family and the church's 200 branch and associate churches were all protected perfectly. This experience set the church on the rock and served as a chance for the members to receive blessings both in spirit and body.

This Christmas was special to Elder Sebastien Impeto Pengo of Kinshasa Manmin Church, DR Congo. In 2014, when he worked as a governor of Equateur, the Ebola outbreak was rampant. When he asked for Dr. Lee's prayer there were no new occurrences of infection and the increasing death toll stopped. He experienced the great power that terminated Ebola. In 2017, he was blessed to be ordained as an elder of the kingdom of God.

As reported and recorded, all church members, including 11,000 branch and associate churches, have experienced the shepherd's power that has increased and become more amazing every year. Let's give thanks to the Lord for His love and become the Lord's witnesses to the end of the earth.

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Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

"He was oppressed and He was afflicted, yet He did not open His mouth; like a lamb that is led to slaughter, and like a sheep that is silent before its shearers, so He did not open His mouth" (Isaiah 53:7).

Two thousand years ago, Jesus, who is the Son of God, came to the earth in the form of man as the Light of life for the world. He preached the gospel of the kingdom of God and shed His precious blood on the cross; any believer in Him is able to receive salvation. Isaiah chapter 53 has the prophecy of the cruel sufferings of the cross that He would take.

As prophesied in Isaiah chapter 53, Jesus' body was torn by scourging, His head was pierced by thorns, and His hands and feet were nailed to the cross to redeem us from our sins. He endured contempt and persecutions to take on the burden of all the pains and sorrows of all mankind. By doing so, He demonstrated the love of God for mankind (Romans 5:8).

In order to more deeply feel this love of the Lord, let's take a look at meanings of Jesus' ministry in three aspects.

1. Jesus' ministry in the aspect of justice

Jesus came down to this earth to save mankind who were all sinners. But to save sinners, paid according to the law of the spiritual realm. As recorded in Romans 6:23, the wages of sin is

The Lord's Love

death, and all of mankind were sinners. As such all were destined to die according to the spiritual law. So, to free them from this curse of the Law, Jesus took all the sins of mankind upon Himself and died on the cross.

In fact, Jesus' coming down to this earth in a human body of itself is the beginning of paying the price of the justice. Jesus existed in the form of God (Philippians 2:6). He had the glory and power equivalent to that of God. Nevertheless, He confined His divinity in a human body and experienced the limitations of the physical world.

He was born in a shabby stable. He was laid in a manger to become the 'true bread of life' to sinners. He lived a life of poverty to redeem us from poverty. He had to feel hunger, tiredness, sorrows, and pains just like the fleshly people.

Jesus knew exactly when and how He'd be crucified. The process of fulfilling justice for the forgiveness of sins was not easy even for Jesus.

Hebrews 5:7 says, "In the days of His flesh, He offered up both prayers and supplications with loud crying and tears to the One able to save Him from death, and He was heard because of His piety." In this way, Jesus paid the full price and fulfilled the measure of justice. He knew about the forthcoming sufferings of the cross very well, yet He still took each step forward imagining the moment of glory when the way of salvation would be opened. I hope you will feel the love of the Lord who dedicated His entire life and eventually gave His life for us.

2. The ministry of Jesus in the aspect of love

The essence in fulfilling the the price of justice had to be measure of justice is love. In John 15:13 it says, "Greater love has no one than this, that one lay down his life for his friends." As

recorded, Jesus could willingly take the heavy cross and climb up the Golgotha because He loved the souls enough to give His own

What we have to deeply realize here is that His love is spiritual love that gives life. Generally people think that love is doing everything the other person wants. True love is not just to embrace the other but also to lead him/her to the right way that is truly beneficial for him/her. If you do that, at times you might feel the pain and you might have to sacrifice yourself. However, it is also love to endure all these things to let another person know the right way and to wait for him to go the right way by himself with faith.

Jesus had this kind of love so that He didn't only take the cross for us but He gave reprimand and advice to those who loved Him to guide them to the way of life. He gave stricter reprimand to those who loved Him with true heart and without change of mind.

If you remember this love of the Lord, in the march of faith you can overcome any trial that comes. Even if things do not go as you expected while trying to enter spirit, you will not lose heart nor fall into frustration. Even if you are rebuked, although you worked hard for the work of the Lord, you will not feel troubled nor give up. Rather you will feel the love of the Lord who leads and perfects you and thereby you will take it as the opportunity to change yourself into the truth.

Although not seen, the Lord of love watches and prays for you all the time. He has high hope for you not to stop the march of faith and to come forth as God's true children. I urge you to remember this earnest love, expectation and hope of the Lord and try to achieve the heart of spirit and whole spirit quickly.

3. The ministry of Jesus in the aspect of glory

Jesus fulfilled the way of cross with justice and love. The fruit that He gained through justice and love is glory. Jesus fulfilled justice with love, and now we can enjoy authority and glory as the children of God.

Later Jesus was greatly glorified. It is as it is written in Philippians 2:10, "So that at the name of Jesus every knee will bow, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth." And whenever God's children are victorious in overcoming the world, it glorifies God. And, if they enter spirit and whole spirit, can you imagine how greatly God will be glorified! People of spirit and whole spirit can manifest the glory of God by receiving and performing God's strength, authority and power.

The powerful works manifested on this earth is the evidence by which so many souls can believe in the existence of God. Seeing these powerful works, believers can also keep their faith even in the face of persecutions and temptations and will eventually come forth as true children who glorify God and dwell in the glory shining like the sun in the eternal Heaven.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, today we looked into the love of the Lord in three aspects, which are justice, love, and glory. After all, the love of the Lord is from the original love of God that is endless and vast. Jesus showed true love to mankind, which is the sacrificial love that gives life, to confirm the love of God.

As 1 Corinthians 6:20 says, "For you have been bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body," I pray in the name of the Lord that you as believers who were bought and saved through the price of Jesus' blood will feel His love every day and become God's true children.

The Confession of Faith

- 1. Manmin Central Church believes that the Bible is God-breathed Word that
- 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
- 4. Manmin Central Church believes in the resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ, His Second Advent, the Millennium, and the eternal heaven
- Creed" each time they come together and believe in its content verbatim
- 5. Members of Manmin Central Church confess their faith through "The Apostles"

"[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)

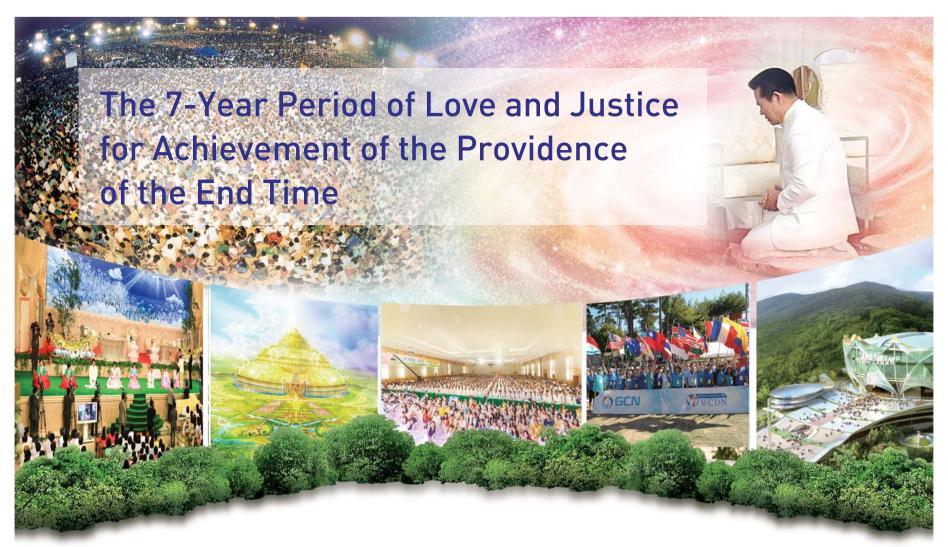
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Manmin Central
Church has been working to
accomplish national evangelism and
the world mission with the power of the Holy
Spirit since its opening in 1982. To help the
church achieve God's providence for the end
time, the God of love has allowed for rapid
spiritual flow. He has led the members to
receive the blessing of souls' prosperity and
gaining the qualification for entering New
Jerusalem.

On December 25, 2010, Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee began in earnest to fill up the justice for people who had not obeyed the Word of God. On their behalf, he offered up prayer with fervent love for them and paid the price of justice with all he had so that they could turn from sins and become God's true children. His sacrifice triggered college students' spiritual recovery campaign: "The New Jerusalem Movement".

From January till March in 2013, pastors and Levite workers were given a three-month grace period. During the period, they worked to resolve the problem of sins through the shepherd's intercession without which retributions would have been unavoidable according to the laws of spiritual justice. On the last day of the period, that is, Easter Sunday, March 31, they were once again given strength to move forward. In May, eight pastors and workers experienced the Division of Spirit by Dr. Lee's prayer and visited each dwelling place of heaven, and hell. Their testimonies increased the members' hope for heaven and longing for greater faith.

In October 2014, Dr. Lee had a 3D video produced in celebration of the church's 32nd anniversary. It depicted the shepherd's castle in New Jerusalem and added to viewers' hope for heaven. In 2016, Dr. Lee began inviting secondary school students to his prayer house, and the visits have helped them stop pursuing worldly pleasure. In early 2017, he offered up a peace offering to God for the church members. It was yet another seed for members to experience spiritual renewal and blessing.

From 2011, he started to deliver the

messages at a much deeper level in the Leadership Conferences under the themes: 'The Measure of Faith', 'Spirit', 'Whole Spirit', 'Love', 'The Depth of Love', and 'Power'. Through the messages, he helped the members to check themselves and cast off original evil from their hearts. He also presented the ways in detail to achieve the heart of spirit and whole spirit. He even taught them how to receive the Power.

In August every year, God has allowed them to experience the power of re-creation by showing healing of countless diseases and infirmities and even the controlling of the temperature. All this was possible due to the 7-year period of Dr. Lee's untold amount of sacrifice and devotion extended to lead them to New Jerusalem. At the end of the day, they were able to increase faith, become more united with the shepherd in trust and love and run ever more earnestly towards New Jerusalem.

Dr. Lee filled the justice with all his body and heart during the 7 years because he loves souls so much and he desires all people of all nations to gain salvation. That is, the church came to have a well-established system and gird its loins for the world mission and national evangelism to guide people in the world to the Lord. Manmin members including approximately 11,000 branch and associate churches in and out of Korea are ready. It has been through all this that the abundant fruit of power of re-creation has been borne.

The power of re-creation was manifested as amazing wonders as well. Through Dr. Lee's prayer, the extremely powerful hurricane, "Irma" weakened and changed its course in the U.S. Sweet rain poured in areas stricken by severe droughts, torrential downpours stopped during flooding, and the temperature was controlled to optimum levels. Also, people of Manmin were protected in all kinds of disasters including earthquakes and epidemics of newly-discovered viruses such as Ebola. These works have become well-known to many people throughout the world.

Also, many healing meetings with the

handkerchief on which Dr. Lee prayed, were conducted in a number of countries including the U.S., Canada, Israel, Latvia, France, Kenya, Pakistan, Mongolia, and countries in the Middle East (Acts 19:11-12). Countless people were healed of AIDS, cancers, poor eyesight, hearing disabilities, and many other diseases, and even the demon-possessed were set free.

Additionally, Pastors' Seminars have continued to be held transcending denominations and national boundaries. And Dr. Lee's books have been published in 61 languages which help people understand the heart and will of God. Through such channels, the holiness gospel has awakened a great number of pastors, believers, and even unbelievers around the world.

Through the broadcasting of the Global Christian Network (GCN) that now covers more than 170 countries, people also have experienced renewal and healing. After they experienced the power they spread the news to their friends and family and opened branch churches. Such churches have been established in Moldova, Switzerland, and France to name a few. When people received Dr. Lee's prayer for the sick through GCN, they were healed of every kind of disease including cancer, acute cor pulmonale, aftereffects of stroke, and infertility. They also received answers to their prayer titles. So, more and more people have sent prayer requests and testimonies to the church through GCN. There have been a large number of Muslims and Hindus as well as Christians who have experienced the power and accepted Jesus Christ.

During the seven-year period of the justice beginning at Christmas 2010, the shepherd's tears changed the hearts of people who had become hardened and stained with sins and he has been guiding them to the best dwelling place in Heaven, New Jerusalem. Let's give all thanks and glory to God who has led Manmin with endless love and is achieving His providence for the end time.

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"As evil spirits departed from me, I regained a happy life!"



Deaconess Yunkyung Yang, age 49, Parish 9, Manmin Central Church

From a very early childhood, I heard strange sounds. It was beyond my control. Twenty years ago, I was diagnosed with bipolar disorder and began to take medicine for mental health. I attempted to suicide several times due to auditory and visual hallucinations, and narrowly escaped death because my neighbors found me and reported it.

When I ate, my stomach felt nauseous. I managed to eat one meal per day. My heart felt painful and hot as if it was burning. I earnestly wanted to receive salvation, but evil words constantly came out of my mouth and I could not control myself.

In early 2017, Manmin Prayer Center President Boknim Lee urged me to attend the prayer center's healing meeting for seven weeks and my parish members were encouraged to offer up vowed prayer with me. However, I couldn't obey because the enemy devil and Satan stopped me from doing so.

With Manmin Summer Retreat ahead, Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee said that the identity of demons would be revealed and they would depart from those who they possessed. But during the retreat in August, the demons in me led me outside of the retreat venue to stop me from receiving his prayer.

Nevertheless, thanks to Senior Pastor's endless prayer, Mrs. Boknim Lee's prayer, and the prayer of my parish pastor, parish members, and prayer devotees, when Pastor Heejin Lee prayed for me with the handkerchief on which Senior Pastor had prayed (Acts 19:11-12), the demons all left me.

These days, I feel like I was in Heaven when I wake up in the morning. I happily do the house chores and attend every kind of church meetings. I do not even notice the passage of time. I preach the gospel to my neighbors and pray in Daniel Prayer Meeting. While I praise in the prayer meeting, my body moves and I dance like children.

I give thanks to Senior Pastor who prayed with tears for me. I give all thanks and glory to God who has brought me into a happy life that I never ever imagined.

"I was fortunate to watch Senior Pastor's sermons on Enlace TV!"



Brother Abelardo Moreno, age 49, Colombia Manmin Church

In April 2012, my left ankle was dislocated while I was playing basketball. I was told to have surgery in the hospital, but my wife advised me to receive Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer. She had received much grace through his sermon programs aired on Enlace TV (a leading TV station for Spanish-speaking people). I received his prayer for the sick at the end of the program "The Word of Life".

To my surprise, my ankle was

healed immediately. I heard there was no need for a surgery. My right eye was in the danger of going blind but was recovered as well. The aftereffects of stroke also were cured through his prayer. Hallelujah!

I regularly listen to Dr. Lee's sermons on Enlace TV, and with an earnestly longing I registered in Colombia Manmin Church in August of 2012. My life was totally changed by Dr. Lee's messages and by experience of his power.

I had not kept the Lord's Day wholly and drunk alcohol. I had been so hot-tempered that I always fought with my family. But now my family is at peace, and I am working for the Lord as a president of Men's Mission, and a member of Volunteers' Group and Finance Department. What I am now is the grace of the Lord.

I give all thanks and glory to God, and I extend my thanks to Senior Pastor for guiding me with the word of life.

"It seemed impossible for me to change but I was renewed!"



Brother Jaekwang Lee, age 18, 12th grader, Manmin Central Church

I was born into a Christian family but after I entered middle school, I began to skip worship services and instead went to Internet café or karaoke. I became aggressive as I joined the school wrestling team. When I was a 9th grader, I injured my arm and had to stop wrestling. I failed in entering the high school that I had wanted to go to. I felt so empty.

In the meantime I voluntarily attended Special Daniel Prayer Meeting for the first time in October 2015. I could not pray well at first, but as I attended every night, I began to taste the power of prayer through experience of God's answers. I was

once puzzled because tears and runny nose did not stop while I was praising. Moreover, in the award ceremony, my prayer card was chosen in the drawing of lots and I was given the award. This made me more earnest for spiritual things.

In May 2016, Students Sunday School visited Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer house at his invitation. I was excited and happy to see Senior Pastor at a close distance whom I had seen only on screen during worship services. I received his prayer for my atopic dermatitis there. He laid his hand on the affected part very gently not to cause pain. I felt his consideration

for me and shed tears.

I also felt his earnest heart for my renewal and shed many tears. Afterwards, I was given strength to stop pursuing worldly pleasure such as movies, TV, online games, and interest in friends of the opposite gender.

Since then, I have felt God's love in every moment of my life, and my hope for New Jerusalem has increased. I have studied hard to become the source of joy to the shepherd although I had given it up before. I was given a precious duty as a mission president of 2018. I give all thanks to God, the Lord and the shepherd who changed me.



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