



during every Daniel Prayer Meeting. When he praised God playing the guitar, he felt like he was in heaven. The designated seats for the performers near the front also became very precious to him. As he prayed with all his heart and strength, his faith grew

only on God. Making a positive confession of faith, he faithfully attended the Daniel Prayer Meetings.

"It didn't matter if God blessed me or not. I considered my God-given duty as all the more precious, and relied only on God."

to one million won (about 1,000 US dollars). This was all the result of walking in the right path and keeping Dr. Jaerock Lee's advice in mind.

And he was also faithful with other God-given duties in the church as well. When he received

Fifteen Years of Playing the Guitar Was a Blessing to Me

Elder Changsu Yoon (Senior Board Director, Seoul Central Insurance of Shinhan Life)

stronger. This helped him to easily overcome the trials that he faced from time to time.

Two years after he began playing the guitar for the church, his restaurant made a big profit. He expanded his business, but he soon had to shut down his restaurant during the Korean financial crisis of 1997. He only had a few hundred thousand won (a couple hundred dollars in US currency) in hand. But he offered all of them as construction offering. He often felt weary and exhausted in his heart. However, despite his difficult situation, he didn't depend on the world, but diligently fulfilled his duty at the Daniel Prayer Meeting relying

It was only by the grace of God that he could fulfill his God-given duties without wavering for the last 15 years. After seeing his faith and deeds, God blessed him with a new workplace. He began to work as an insurance planner for an insurance company. Being an introvert by nature, he wasn't very eloquent. But from the very beginning, he had high sales figures. Thanks to an unchanging life of prayer, he was always filled with the Spirit, and one day, he even made a profit of ten million won. The amount of monthly tithes increased from 3 hundred thousand won to 4 hundred thousand ones, to 5 hundred thousand won, and finally

financial blessings from God, he joyfully planted mission offerings and construction offerings. Then God blessed him to be able to give two million won (about 2,000 US dollars) as monthly tithes and he was promoted to Senior Board Director of the Seoul Central Insurance of Shinhan Life.

This year he was blessed to be ordained as an elder. As he began to change, his family also came to be evangelized. "All of this was by the grace of the Lord and the teachings and love of the shepherd." He confesses, "From now on, as an elder, I wish to love church even more, and run passionately toward New Jerusalem."

Around 8:45 p.m., a man is walking toward the front of the sanctuary of Manmin Central Church. Those who attend the Daniel Prayer Meetings every night can always see him here, exactly at the same time every day. He is Elder Changsu Yoon, who has been playing the guitar for 15 years during Daniel Prayer Meetings.

When Elder Yoon was a teenager, he wandered quite a bit because of his family problems. He went venturing out into the world at an early age and made all kinds of efforts to survive. But even though he worked very hard in his workplace, he couldn't find the true meaning of life. As a music lover, he always carried a guitar by his side for comfort. But even that didn't fill the void in his heart.

"How should I live?" The only pleasure he had in his life was drinking after work. Most of his paycheck was spent on drinking.

"At that time, I drank strong alcohol every day for 10 years. Finally, I became an alcoholic. My face turned dark and my hands trembled."

He had already become a wretch at a young age. In 1994, when he was totally exhausted with his life, someone handed out a hopeful

hand. She was Deaconess Junhee Park. She introduced Manmin Central Church to him. Standing at the dead-end of his life, he wanted to rely on God. He wanted to hear the gospel she told him. The message of Dr. Jaerock Lee was strong enough to transform his life. Day by day, he began to find the meaning of life. Whenever he could, he bought sermon tapes at the book store and listened to them, and after work, he came straight to church and prayed. His hand stopped trembling, and he was cured of his alcoholism. He even quit smoking.

By the recommendation of President Boknim Lee (Manmin Prayer Center), he started playing the guitar during Daniel Prayer Meetings in 1995. At that time, he was running a restaurant specializing in breaded cutlet. He could make ends meet only when he worked until late at night. But because of his God-given duty, he began to close his restaurant early. Since he felt his duty before God was more precious than anything else, he did not hesitate to do.

Sometimes Elder Yoon felt overwhelmingly tired and thought, "I wish I could take a rest today." But every time he changed his mind by thinking, "No, I must not!" Then he experienced God filling him with the Holy Spirit

"I Couldn't Hear... But I Can Hear Well Now"

Senior Deaconess Yeonjung Go (1-7 Parish, 3-2 Women's Mission)

"What, what's happening to my ear?"

On the morning of August 26, 2009, my ear was ringing and I couldn't hear well. I thought it would be OK the next day, but it didn't get better. After an examination at the otolaryngology, I was diagnosed with sudden hearing difficulty of the right ear. The doctor recommended that I visit a bigger hospital.

"Why is this happening to me? What if I can't hear for the rest of my life?"

I had an assurance that I would be healed if I repented and received prayer. I tried to find the area of my life that prevented me from being fully

protected by God. As I looked back at myself, I was reminded of this past: I remember feeling uncomfortable when I was demoted to sub-district leader, after becoming district leader, I complained rather than rejoicing in all circumstances, and I also repented for the time I had an abortion before I met Christ, when I didn't know any better.

Last August 28, I went to Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee before Friday all-night service and received his prayer. He prayed, "Father, please forgive this daughter of her sins and transgressions and quickly heal her!" The following morning,

I experienced a miracle. I could clearly hear people talking! It was so astonishing. At the medical check-up at the hospital, my right ear was 20(dB), and normal! I praise God, who doesn't even remember our transgressions as far as the east is from the west, when we repent with all our hearts.



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The Extraordinary Miracles That Occurred through Paul's Handkerchief Continues Even Today!



Pastor Taesik Gil is praying for the spiritual revival in Pakistan and for the healing of diseases with the handkerchief at the handkerchief meeting held in Lahore, Pakistan

Last December 4, the mission team to Pakistan including the Speaker Pastor Taesik Gil ministering at the Daejeon Manmin Church in South Korea came back after leading several pastor's seminars and handkerchief meetings for 19 days.

Pakistan has been suffering from terrorist attacks from armed groups since the government forces attacked Taliban's stronghold located in the north-west border area in the middle of last October. Particularly, shopping districts in major cities, and military and police facilities have often been targets for terrorists. However, the mission team held pastor's seminars and handkerchief meetings in Lahore, Sahiwal, Faisalabad, Karachi, Gojra

and Mirpur Khas at the request of Pakistani members. When the Speaker, Pastor Taesik Gil prayed with the handkerchief, a paralytic who came carried on a chair stood up and walked, and those who had pains throughout their whole body, chest, and shoulder, and problems in the stomach, kidney, esophagus, and liver were healed. Also, there were people who received healing from asthma and women's diseases. There was another member who testified to the recovery of eyesight. At the handkerchief meeting held in Mirpur Khas, a member named Saerenas, who was listening to the message for an hour via cell phone in a place 1,000km away was healed of heart

disease. At the handkerchief meeting held in Lahore, about 14 thousand people attended to receive prayer.

In September of 1999, since Pastor Gil led a healing meeting in Pakistan with the handkerchief upon which Dr. Jaerock Lee prayed, the handkerchief meetings have continued to be held in Pakistan. In 1999, when Pastor Gil prayed with the handkerchief after delivering the message, amazing things happened; demons left, the mute came to speak, the blind came to see, and arthritis was healed. The Bible records that when handkerchiefs or aprons were carried from the apostle Paul's body to the sick, diseases were healed and evil spirits went out (Acts 19:11-12).

Manmin members also receive prayer on their handkerchiefs and are using them for the sick or in emergencies. Until today, many pastors have led handkerchief meetings in countries such as the USA, Russia, Germany, Peru, Kenya, DR Congo, India, the Philippines, Mongolia, China, Japan, Thailand, Vietnam, and more. These meetings are being held at the request of domestic or overseas branch church members

who cannot receive Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer directly. Manmin members are gaining spiritual faith after experiencing the power of the handkerchief prayer. The works of power through the handkerchief that give us God's answer, blessings, solutions to problems, and healing of diseases will continue. And, we will experience these miracles according to how much we show deeds of faith before we receive the prayer.

Let Us Know!

Your Information Can Become an Article! *Manmin News* covers news happening in all corners

of the church. The newspaper's duty is to serve church members as a guide to facilitate their church life, and to stay close to them. Anyone who has newsworthy information that can be shared with the Manmin community can contact Manmin News. The staff at *Manmin News* will try their best to cover the story. *Manmin News* is always with you!

Guides to Presenting an Article

- What Information to Provide
 - Recruiting announcements from missions or organizations of the church (including branch churches)
 - Events held by departments or missions of the church (including branch churches)
 - Touching stories or testimonies of your own, or of members who you know well
 - Broadcasting or report of Manmin-related news covered by the local media, press, the Internet, and other broadcasting companies
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Special Cooperation in the Festival for the Unity of the Young and the Elderly

At 11 a.m. on December 7, the Festival for the Unity of the Young and the Elderly was held at the Jung-gu Assembly Hall under the auspice of the Love-sharing Welfare Center and with the support of the Elderly People's Association of Jung-gu Office of Seoul. Our church made a special cooperation in this event. Hosted by Mr. Jong-geun Wang, former anchor for KBS (Korean Broadcasting System), this event

was aimed at building a new sense of family and society. In the first part of the program, Rev. Dr. Esther Chung, Former President of Seoul Women's University and Vice Chairperson of the United Holiness Church of Jesus Christ gave a message which stressed, "Let us not limit ourselves according to our age; with a heart and mind of youth, let us rather try to become more positive and share our love with others in society." During

the second part of the program, Pastor Hyunhyuk Oh, Chief Director of the Love-sharing Welfare Center, gave the opening remarks, and Mrs. Hwasuk Chang, head of the Ilisan Branch of Love-sharing Welfare Center, made a progress report. And during the third part of the event, there was a dance performance by Arts Dance Team, a special praise by the Sound of Light Chorus, and a performance of Korean folk medley by the Saerem Korean Traditional Performance Team, the three of which belong to Performing Arts Committee of Manmin Central Church. Pastor Hyunhyuk Oh, overjoyed by the outcome of the event, stated, "I prayed that today's event would be like a heavenly feast that brings joy to the elderly, and that's exactly what happened." Wearing beautiful Hanbok (Korean traditional clothes), the leaders of the Second Women's United Mission of our church ushered the event.



Dr. Esther Chung (second row in the middle) is preaching at the Festival for the Unity of the Young and the Elderly, the Performing Arts Team performing, and leaders of the Second United Women's Mission ushering.

Worship is the act of praising God and giving Him glory. Worship is a time of having a heart of gratitude and love and showing respect to the God who creates and cultivates man. When we worship God in spirit and truth, we can restore the lost image of God and our will prosper, which is accompanied with a blessing where everything else in our lives prospers as well and we are in good health. So exactly how do we give "spiritual worship"?

1. Spiritual Worship Brings Us the Desires of Our Hearts

If you look at Genesis 4:3-5, God accepted Abel's blood sacrifice of the first-born lamb and oil, but He did not accept Cain's sacrifice of crops from the field. God did not discriminate the two offerings because of the different types of the offering. God did not accept Cain's offering because God does not accept offering that is offered in the wrong way, or that is offered according to man's own thoughts, methods, or ways.

On the contrary, when you offer up to God spiritual worship—the kind of worship that God is pleased with—He will not only accept the worship, but He will bless you, and even answer the desires of your heart. When David's son, Solomon, became king, he had his people gather together, and offered a thousand burnt offerings before God. This pleased God's heart, and He answered Solomon by giving him not only knowledge and wisdom that he had asked for, but also riches and honor he had not asked for so that there was no one like Solomon before, and none like him after (1 Kings 3:3-15; 2 Chronicles 1:1-13).

Worship is an expression of how much we love God, so depending on how sincerely and earnestly we prepare for worship, how zealously we desire to hear God's word, and with how much love we praise Him, the aroma of our worship is different, and this determines the measure of how much God accepts our worship. When we have a sincere heart for worship, our actions will reflect that sincerity. God is not pleased when someone lives Monday through Saturday according to his own will and ways, and then just shows

Spiritual Worship

"God is spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth" (John 4:24).



Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee

up to worship God once on Sundays. Coming to church for Sunday worship is a continuation of our life of worshipping God; therefore we must act according to God's Word on a daily basis and then come out to worship God with faith.

That is why Romans 12:1 says, "Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship." So we must strive with all our hearts and minds to live a life that reflects our love for God on a daily basis. This is what pleases God.

2. The Attitude That Reflects Worshipping in Spirit and Truth

"Worshipping in spirit" means to worship God from the center of our hearts while taking in the words of the 66 books of the Bible as nourishment for the heart, with guidance and fullness of the Holy Spirit. "Worshipping in truth" means to worship God first with the correct understanding of God, and out of our love for Him, to worship Him sincerely with all of our hearts and bodies with joy and thanksgiving, prayer and praise,

or whispering with the person sitting next to you, or worrying about your family or work while the sermon is being preached, then that is also an act of disrespect before God as well. Being drowsy or sleeping during worship time falls under the same category.

3) We should never participate in worship after drinking or smoking.

God will not reprimand a new believer because he isn't able to quit drinking or smoking right away. However, one must never participate in worship after drinking or smoking. Even when we go to meet the President, we would never meet him while red in the face from drinking, would we? Then we should all the more worship the almighty God without partaking in drinking or smoking.

4) We should refrain from deterring the worship atmosphere.

If a baby cries or a child is very noisy during worship, and we leave them alone, then we are hindering the worship. Therefore this is an act of disrespect toward God. It is the same case if we chew gum or get up and walk out during worship. Even if someone doesn't believe in God and joins in the worship, he or she should respectfully show his etiquette in the least. Wearing a hat or t-shirt, workout attire, or slippers to worship is a form of being discourteous to God, so if at all possible, we should dress formally for worship. However, there are exceptional cases where people need to come to church straight from work, or they are in a circumstance where they must wear a hat, so we must not judge anyone in cases like these.

So when we humbly try to keep these things in mind as we worship God in spirit and in truth, God will bless us with His answers and blessings. With the fire pillar of the Holy Spirit, and angels and heavenly hosts, God will watch over us and bless us to be prosperous in whatever we do for the rest of the week.

To read this sermon in more detail, visit our website (www.manmin.org) and click on "sermon."

Five Convenient Ways to Listening to the Senior Pastor's Sermons

For those who want to hear a specific sermon again, or those who missed a sermon because they couldn't attend the service, we introduce five ways to listen to the Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee's sermons. We hope that all Manmin members can bear abundant fruit both in spirit and in flesh through the Word of God.

1 ARS (Automated Response System) on the Phone

Beginning on September 4, 1994, the ARS was installed for church members to hear sermons and receive prayer anytime and anywhere. This service was available by the thanksgiving offering of Elder Ilgon Cho who was thankful for the healing of his daughter's chronic tympanitis.

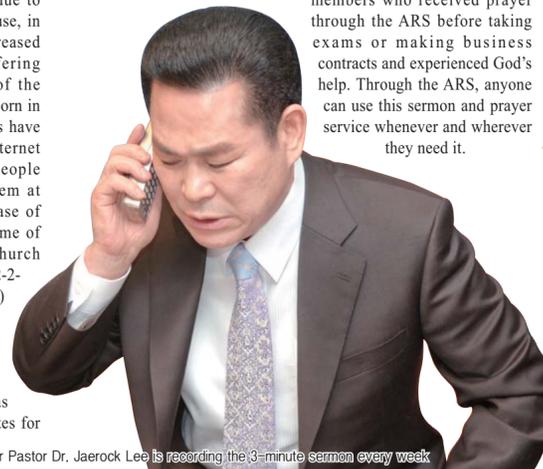
At that time, the ARS was epoch-breaking technology and a popular communication system. Even today, it is still a helpful and convenient system that allows people to listen to Senior Pastor's sermons and receive his prayer at any time they need it.

In 1994, the ARS system began with 8 lines, but due to an increase of members' use, in 2003, the lines were increased to 12, thanks to the offering made by the members of the Men's Mission who were born in 1970. As of 2009, 20 lines have been installed (Narae Internet Ltd), which means 20 people can connect to the system at the same time. And in case of an emergency during a time of high call volume, the church established another line (82-2-152, exchange 3200, 7000) so that members who need the "prayer for the sick" can receive it at any time. In addition, in 2006, the same ARS service was installed in the United States for

the English-speaking people all over the world, and the prayer for the sick, 3-minute sermon and day-starting prayer are always available for everyone who needs it (1-770-554-5679).

The amount of calls to the ARS is increasing every year. The number of calls that come through the ARS averages about 700 per day. The prayer for the sick is the most popular, followed by day-starting prayer, and the 3-minute sermon. The 3-minute sermon is giving much grace to members living in rural, secluded villages where internet access is unavailable, and to members

servicing in the military. And many Manmin members listen to sermons through the ARS and receive strength before starting a new day. Many have used this system to receive prayer after sudden disasters such as car accidents and burns, and experienced the works of God. The system also serves as a first aid kit in the home for those who experience high blood pressure, cerebral hemorrhage, fractures, cold, stomach disorders, fever, and sudden pains, because they can receive prayer via phone at any time. Also, there are overflowing testimonies from members who received prayer through the ARS before taking exams or making business contracts and experienced God's help. Through the ARS, anyone can use this sermon and prayer service whenever and wherever they need it.



Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee is recording the 3-minute sermon every week

A Testimony of the Grace Received Through the ARS

"ARS (Automated Response System) Was My Channel of Dialogue with God During My Military Service."



Brother Seungchul Song

Two years ago, I joined the Marine Corps and was assigned to a base in Baeknyeong Island. Leading a military life in the north-end island on the West Sea of South Korea was very demanding. So listening to the 3-minute sermons gave me much comfort and strength. I wasn't allowed to carry an audio cassette player, so I listened to sermons through the ARS. I listened to the messages every week, and held onto them in my mind, and through this, I was able to overcome the demanding military life I had to lead.

It takes more than 5 hours to get from Baeknyeong Island to Incheon (city next to Seoul) by ship. So we couldn't even go on vacation when the weather condition was bad. This is about experience I had on the day I was able to go home for vacation. On the day I was supposed to go on vacation, I was on a night shift until 2 a.m., and a strong-wind warning was announced. I received prayer through the ARS and fell asleep with a comfortable heart. The following morning, the weather was unbelievably fine so I could go on vacation as scheduled. Like this, I was able to overcome difficulties with faith by receiving prayer through the ARS. And whenever I received prayer through the ARS, everything always fell into its rightful place. I was thankful that I could listen to sermons and receive prayer through the ARS, even though I couldn't listen to the sermons and receive the Senior Pastor's prayers firsthand. I was discharged from military service last July. The experiences I had in the military gave me stronger faith, so I am now able to lead a more earnest life of faith.

Guide to using the ARS (Automated Response System)

You can listen to Dr. Jaerock Lee's 3-minute sermons and receive his prayers via phone.

For Korean service, you can call 82-2-830-5320 and connect to day-starting prayer (Ex. 10), prayer for driving (Ex. 20), 3-minute sermon (Ex. 30), prayer for the sick (Ex. 40), day-closing prayer (Ex. 70), and to praising song (Ex. 50 or 60).

For English service, in the United States and Canada, you can call 8779-MANMIN (626646) in toll-free or 770-554-5679, and in other countries you can call 1-770-554-5679. While calling for English service, press 1 for 3-minute sermon, press 2 for prayer for the sick, and press 3 for the day-starting prayer. For the prayer for the sick, in the French and Chinese service, you can call 82-2-830-5320 and press 42 or 43 respectively. (French and Chinese services will begin from 2010).

How to use the service

1. Pick up your phone and dial 1-770-554-5679.
2. After the dial tone, you will hear instructions.
3. Press the number of service you want, following the instructions.

2 Downloading Sermons through MP3 Files

At our church's website (www.manmin.org), you can download sermons into MP3 files. You can download sermons preached during official worship services, devotional services, and revival meetings. You can also download theme sermons, and lecture sermons, and weekly Bible verses. The sermons are updated every week so you can listen to new sermons each week. Especially, the 194 lectures on the book of Job recently became available for downloading. In addition, you can also download Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayers; day-starting prayer, prayer for the sick, prayer for driving, and day-closing prayer. And you can download English sermons at www.manmintv.org/mp3/en/mp3.asp.

3 Video and Text Files

If you visit the church's website and click "WORD OF LIFE" on the menu bar, you can view a plethora of sermons and the text as well. The sermons from Sunday morning services, Sunday evening services, and Friday All-night services are updated on a weekly basis. So you can listen to and read the new sermons during the week. In addition, the video and text files for the weekly sermons are updated in 6 different languages; English, Japanese, Chinese (simplified, traditional), French, Spanish and Russian. The church website in different languages are: www.manmin.org/english, [japanese](http://www.manmintv.org/japanese), [chinese\(simplified\)](http://www.manmintv.org/chinese), [chinese\(traditional\)](http://www.manmintv.org/chinese(traditional)), [french](http://www.manmintv.org/french), [spanish](http://www.manmintv.org/spanish), [russian](http://www.manmintv.org/russian). And for English service, you can watch various sermons in VOD at www.manmintv.org/EN/Preach/Sermon.

4 Purchasing Cassette Tapes, MP3 Files and CDs

At the church's bookstore, you can buy sermon series such as the "Message of the Cross", the "Measure of Faith", and the lectures on the book of Revelation on cassette tapes or MP3 files. Each week, the bookstore prepares new sermons on cassette, and they are also available on CDs upon your order. For English sermon, you can order the bookstore to make CDs of MP3 files.

5 Establishing GCN-Manmin TV Receiver or IPTV (Internet Protocol Television)

You can also watch sermon programs through satellite TV by installing the GCN-Manmin TV receiver or IPTV. Through IPTV you can watch various TV programs on the internet. With a simple use of the remote control, you cannot only watch GCN-Manmin TV live, but also enjoy the VODs of previously broadcast programs at any time you want.

The new Manmin Calendar for the Year 2010 Has Arrived!

On Sunday, December 13, new calendars for the year 2010 began to be distributed to members through parish leaders and guidance pastors. The size of the new calendar is 38cm x 57cm, with 13 pages. The new calendar captures pictures of major church events so members can remember the grace of God during the previous year.

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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