

# Manmin News

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## “Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.”

### ‘The 21<sup>st</sup> Bible Quiz’ hosted by the Men’s United Mission

On Sunday, September 4, at 6 pm, the ‘21st Bible Quiz’ hosted by the Men’s United Mission was held at the GCN studio while it was being broadcast live on the Internet (Photo 3).

The scope of the quiz competition was set to 365 verses (July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022) of the ‘Word of the Day’ published in the Church Weekly. After the Sunday Evening Service on July 17, the Central Church and the branch church members went through a preliminary on YouTube live, and a total of 41 people competed in the finals. As a result, 19 people advanced

to the last final.

After the Sunday Evening Service on September 18, there was its award ceremony. The grand prize was awarded to Pastor Namsook Huh (Daejeon Manmin Church, Photo 1), Gold prize was awarded to Pastor Heungyoung Park (Daejeon Manmin Church), Silver prize went to Deaconess Gyehwa Jang (Chinese Parish), and Bronze prizes went to Pastor Jinyoung Jeong (the 13th Parish Pastor) and Deaconess Gyeheon Ahn (Daejeon Manmin Church), while Deacon Kyeongseok Goh (Men’s

Mission), Deacon Ildoo Kim (Canaan Mission), and Deaconess Hyejeong Huh (Women’s Mission) received the encouragement prize, respectively. The Inspiring prize which is given to the oldest and the youngest went to Deaconess Chunrye Kim and Wonbin Seo (Gwangju Manmin Church), and the Group prize was won by the 2nd Great Grand Parish (Photo 2).

Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee has been urging the members to read at least one chapter of the Bible and memorize one verse every day along with the spiritual study of the Word.



Interview



# “Thanks to Father God for guiding me to receive the grand prize”

Pastor Namsook Huh (Daejeon Manmin Church)

Daejeon Manmin Church has taken part in the Bible Quiz since 2003 when the participation was extended to local churches.

We have produced several grand prize winners so far, and some have won twice or even three times. It is one of the joys of Daejeon Manmin Church to receive a group prize every year and to hold a rice-cake feast for all the members with the award money.

As I participate in this trend, I have received many big and small prizes ranging from Gold

to Inspiring, and this year I was honored to receive the Grand Prize.

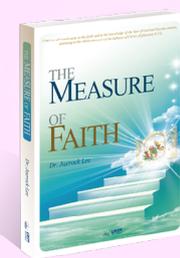
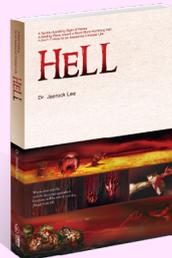
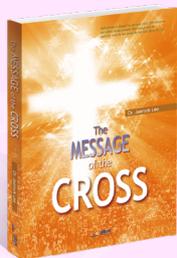
Daejeon Manmin Church has been collecting and testing the Words to recite once a month since December 2002, and it will be 20 years this November. This process helped me a lot in advancing to the finals, and above all, I was able to receive awards every year since studying with the finalists at Daejeon Manmin Church. I think it is the merit of Daejeon Manmin Church that each of us shares everything we know without any self-interest and empowers each other, so that we have many winners.

Father God always showed us a

rainbow when Daejeon Manmin Church received a big prize. This year too, in the morning of August 28, one week before the competition, God showed a circular rainbow, so we expected that it would bring good news to Daejeon. Then, I was very grateful that God allowed me to receive this big award, and that we received the gold and bronze prizes at Daejeon Manmin Church.

I am grateful to the members who encouraged us with prayer and support, and who rejoiced together, and I am even more grateful for I think this joy is Father God’s great comfort for Daejeon Manmin Church.

## Representative Books of Dr. Jaerock Lee



### The Message of the Cross

A must-read for people around the world, published in 62 languages

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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.

“[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)



Senior Pastor Rev. Jaerock Lee

## Goodness of David

“The LORD will repay each man for his righteousness and his faithfulness; for the LORD delivered you into my hand today, but I refused to stretch out my hand against the LORD’s anointed.”  
(1 Samuel 26:23)

When the Israelites asked Samuel, the last Judge of Israel, to appoint a king for them, he unwillingly appointed Saul. Saul became arrogant over time. God warned Saul many times through the Prophet Samuel, but Saul neglected His warnings and continued to disobey Him. Finally, God decided to abandon Saul.

One day, God said to Samuel who grieved over Saul, “How long will you grieve over Saul, since I have rejected him from being king over Israel? Fill your horn with oil and go; I will send you to Jesse the Bethlehemite, for I have selected a king for Myself among his sons.” (1 Samuel 16:1)

God told Samuel to go to Bethlehem and invite Jesse and his sons to the sacrifice. When they came, Samuel looked at the eldest son Eliab, but God said to Samuel, “For God sees not as man sees, for man looks at the outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart.”

David was the youngest of eight sons of Jesse and he tended sheep in the field at that time. Samuel told Jesse to bring him in and God said to Samuel, “Arise, anoint him; for this is he.” Why was then David favored and blessed by God?

### 1. He took courage without remaining silent when the name of God was misused

In 1 Samuel 17 is a scene where the Israelites were in a confrontation with the Philistines at the Valley of Elah. In the camp of the Philistines was a champion named Goliath. He was three meters—around 9.85ft tall and wore full armor. He had insulted the Israelites in a loud voice day and night for 40 days, but Saul and all the Israelites were dismayed and terrified.

David happened to see this scene. He said, “For who is this uncircumcised Philistine, that he should taunt the armies of the living God?” and said to King Saul, “Your servant will go and fight with this Philistine.” Then with five stones and his

sling in his hand he approached the Philistine. He cried to the man, “You come to me with a sword, a spear, and a javelin, but I come to you in the name of the LORD of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have taunted.” He slung a stone and the stone sank into Goliath’s forehead. He fell face down on the ground and the Israelites triumphed completely.

Because David feared and loved God from his heart, he could not stand the Philistine defying the name of God. He could courageously take the stand with faith relying on God’s name when His holy name was defied. This is deemed as goodness in God’s sight.

### 2. He did good to even his enemy who was trying to kill him and touched his heart

When David and Saul were returning home after that victory, women came out from all the towns of Israel and sang, “Saul has slain his thousands, and David his ten thousands.” At these words, Saul became jealous. Saul tried to put David to death many times. Jonathan the son of Saul tried to stop his father from sinning but Saul persistently tried to kill David.

One day, David met with a favorable opportunity for revenge as written in 1 Samuel chapter 24. When David was in the Desert En Gedi, Saul happened to come into a cave where David had taken refuge. David arose and without Saul suspecting anything, David cut off the edge of Saul’s robe. David did not allow his men to rise up against Saul.

When Saul was far away from them, David cried to Saul with good and humble words and let him know he had no desire to kill him. At these words of David, Saul was moved and wept and withdrew his soldiers.

But Saul went down to the wilderness of Ziph to search for David again, having with him three

thousand chosen men of Israel (1 Samuel chapter 26). In the meantime, Saul had camped and slept. David approached Saul who was put into a deep sleep. There Abishai said to David in 1 Samuel 26:8, "Today God has delivered your enemy into your hand; now therefore, please let me strike him with the spear to the ground with one stroke..."

But David said to Abishai, "Do not destroy him... now please take the spear that is at his head and the jug of water, and let us go." And he stood at a distance and said to Saul, "The LORD will repay each man for his righteousness and his faithfulness; for the LORD delivered you into my hand today, but I refused to stretch out my hand against the LORD's anointed."

Then Saul was moved again and said to David, "Blessed are you, my son David; you will both accomplish much and surely prevail," and Saul returned to his place. Suppose you spared the life of your enemy and showed him that you had no intention to kill him, but again the enemy is chasing you to murder you. When you gain a chance again to kill the enemy chasing you, can you treat that enemy with goodness sparing the enemy's life? David was goodhearted and did goodness unchangingly, so he could fulfill the good will of God. He trusted God, so he committed everything into the hands of God to the end.

### 3. He repented of his sins immediately when rebuked and was grateful for the trials

David had a good inner heart to follow God's good will, but had not cast off the evils hidden in his nature for his time was not the era of the Holy Spirit. When David reigned over Israel peacefully as the king after Saul died, his hidden evils happened to be exposed.

As recorded in 2 Samuel chapters 11 and 12, God allowed David a trial to refine him more perfectly. David took the wife of Uriah, a good man of his and she was founded to be pregnant. To conceal his sin, David sent Uriah to a fierce battlefield to have him killed by the Gentiles. God sent His Prophet Nathan and had him severely reproach David saying "Why have you despised the word of the LORD by doing evil in His sight?"

David immediately admitted his sin and repented of it. Afterwards, David seriously suffered from

severe trials. Although he was the king, he immediately repented when he was rebuked, and he received trials with thanksgiving. Christians with long years of faith do not find joy in being rebuked. This is a proof that they have become arrogant in heart. On the other hand, goodhearted people receive rebukes even from children in a humble manner if their words are in accordance with the truth.

2 Samuel Chapter 16 describes David's trials. He had to flee from the royal court because of the rebellion by his son Absalom, and in the middle Shimei cursed David and threw stones at him. Abishai said he would kill Shimei, but David stopped him. David neither complained nor attributed the trial to another person when he was suffering from trials. But he took those trials willingly looking up to God who would make him more perfect through those trials.

Just like David, good-hearted men don't attribute their problems to their circumstances in the face of trials, but they look back upon themselves and try to realize the will of God that allowed the problem to them (Job 23:10). David suffered from severe trials in the providence of God, but he passed through them in goodness and became a man who was proper in God's sight. He could then enjoy glory in Heaven forever as well as on the earth.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, may all of you enjoy seeing and hearing goodness to achieve the beautiful goodness of David, who was a man after God's heart, and give out the fragrance of goodness to people around you in the name of the Lord I pray!

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## FEATURE STORY

**Hilda Wanja**  
Age 40, Nairobi Manmin Church  
Kenya



## ***“I was healed of stomach ulcers, asthma, and dislocated shoulder blades.”***

Having suffered from epilepsy, stomach ulcers, and asthma, I became a flock of Manmin in 2018 when I attended the Nairobi Manmin Church’s “Handkerchief Healing Meeting (Acts 19:11-12)”.

At that time, because of epilepsy, I fell down while talking or at the sound of speakers during the worship. I used to lose consciousness about five times a day. However, whenever the handkerchief healing meeting was held in the church, my health was restored as I continued to receive the handkerchief prayer from Rev. Myong-ho Chung.

Eventually, my stomach ulcers and asthma were healed, so I came to eat any food well, and the inhaler was no longer used. The epilepsy, which made me pass out five times a day, is now almost gone.

In May 2022, I fell while doing laundry and the pain in my left shoulder was severe. I took an X-ray in the hospital, and it was revealed that my shoulder blade had dislocated and that I needed surgery to tie the dislocated bone with a metal strap. My family was very worried about this, and Pastors came to visit me and told my family about the works of power that appears in Manmin Church, planting faith and also encouraging me.

The next day, after the Wednesday service, I received a prayer from Rev. Myong-ho Chung. After he said, “You don’t need surgery, and you will get better without surgery,” he prayed with the handkerchief of power. After the prayer, my shoulder pain disappeared. The next day, I went to the hospital and took an X-ray again. The bones were back in place, and the doctor was astonished and said that no surgery was needed. Hallelujah!

My family was happy and thankful for the love of the Lord who healed me and came to have more belief about the church. I give all thanks and glory to God the Father who gave me health and true happiness.



## “Relying on the Lord, I was completely healed of The cerebral venous aneurysm without surgery.”

Yena Jung (Age 34, Young Adults' Mission)

Early in the morning of May 2, 2021, while sleeping, I felt an extreme pain in my head. Surprised by the pain I felt for the first time, I went to the hospital emergency room. There, only a CT scan was available, and the results were normal. So, I got home and tried to go back to sleep, but the excruciating pain hit me again.

This time, I went to the emergency room of Paik Hospital, feeling the seriousness of not knowing what it was. At first, I came home from the emergency room because they said there was no problem, but a few days later, I heard that abnormal findings were found in the brain MRA results and I was told to be hospitalized and have a detailed examination.

After that, I had a hard time working due to headaches and I couldn't sleep at night. The test result was 'cerebral venous aneurysm', and I heard that I had to undergo surgery. (Photo: Diagnosis before being healing)

A cerebral venous aneurysm is a disease that causes tinnitus and pain because of the big pressure of the arteries on the veins at the bridge formed between the arteries and veins of the cerebral blood vessels, which should not be formed. In my case, the doctor said that the procedure was very difficult because there were several bridges in several place.

And he told me to go to a bigger hospital because it was difficult to be treated there. While looking for a hospital from people around me, I was introduced to a cerebrovascular specialist at Seoul National University Hospital at Bundang and saw a doctor there.

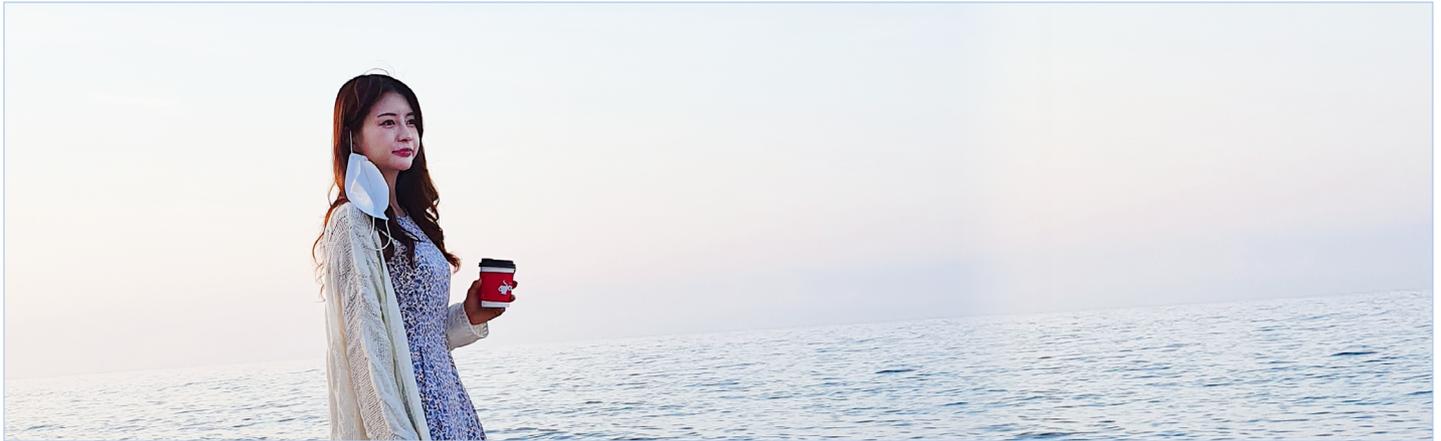


The doctor looked at my brain image data and said, "It is not a dangerous area for blood vessels to burst, but because facial nerves are gathered, there is a small probability of side effects of facial paralysis if you receive the vascular treatment. And there are no side effects of the gamma-knife procedure, which is radiation therapy, but it can be gradually improved if it is treated several times over two years." He asked me to choose which procedure to perform.

But I was afraid and worried about starting treatment right away, so I couldn't decide and just came home.

I didn't even tell my family for fear of worrying, so I was terrified by myself, relying solely on the Lord. I overcame it by receiving the Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee's recorded prayer for the sick through the church mobile app.

Then, after receiving Dr. Lee's prayer, I had miraculous experience that the tinnitus disappeared and the headache gradually disappeared, and I came



to believe that only God can fundamentally heal complex brain diseases.

Also, I tried to repent and change as soon as I listened to the sermons of Dr. Lee and realized that I did not live according to the word of God. Then, in January 2022, a friend who found out that I was a member of Manmin Central Church said bad things about the church and the Senior Pastor and told me not to go to church.

I boldly said, "Our church is a church where God is with through wonders and signs, and the power that is manifested through the Senior Pastor is true. Dr. Jaerock Lee is my shepherd whom I have served for 15 years, so please do not speak recklessly."

After this, I informed my family that I was ill, and my mother did three day fasting three times for me. After that, when I was tired, I had a little headache and dizziness, and there were times when I had severe headaches, but I depended on God the Father, who would surely heal me, and each time I received Dr. Lee's recorded prayer for the sick.

Over time, the headache gradually became milder, and when I realized that even that had disappeared, I was convinced that I had been healed.

Last July, I went to Seoul National University Hospital at Bundang for an accurate diagnosis. However, before the examination, the doctor said, "The procedure must be done quickly. If left alone, a blood vessel in the brain may burst. It is difficult to set a date for the procedure, but when you are hospitalized for the examination today, let's do the procedure together with the examination. There is little chance of natural healing, so if you don't do it, you may regret it." But I believed that God had healed me, so I said, "I will only get a test."

However, when an unexpected result came out after the test, the doctor said, "It is completely clean. We can't see anything that was seen last year. It is normal. You don't need treatment anymore. I think it would be good to have the test again in 2 years." (Photo: Diagnosis after being healed) Hallelujah!

I was so happy that tears flowed without end. When my family found out about this, they were very happy

and rejoiced. God the Father healed my cerebral venous aneurysm completely through the Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer. Through this, my heart was renewed. I give all thanks and glory to the Triune God the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, who blessed me both physically and spiritually.

**Before healing  
(Cerebrovascular angiography)**

**Arteriovenous malformation is seen.**

**After healing  
(Cerebrovascular angiography)**

**No arteriovenous malformation is seen.**

**Diagnosis before healing**

**Suspected cerebral artery malformation was observed in the MRA performed after visiting the emergency room of the hospital for the above patient's headache and tinnitus. On May 18, 2021, he was admitted to the neurosurgery of the hospital and was diagnosed with the above diagnosis after performing a detailed examination (Cerebrovascular angiography) on the same day. This requires continuous follow-up and treatment in the future.**

**Diagnosis after healing**

**For the patient, Rt. Temporal bas dural AVF was observed. Therefore, GKS treatment was planned and TFCA was performed on July 6, 2022. As a result of the TFCA test, the previously observed Rt. Temporal base dAVF was confirmed to have been healed naturally. Therefore, there was no need to perform GKS treatment, so it was not performed.**