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MSO extends a heartfelt appreciation to her members and her supporters who are carrying out our Lord's Great Commission in their global military ministerial works. Below are the MSO's February reports:

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1. Thanksgiving Worship Service / MSO Ministry Reporting

 On January 10th, the World Military Mission Thanksgiving Service /MSO Ministry Reporting was held at the Central Military Chapel online (You-tube). As the representative prayer, Elder Lim Chul-soo, Director of the Domestic Operation Bureau, thanked the Lord for setting up former Joint Chiefs of Staff Lee, Phil-sup as the President of the AMCF for 10 years from 2002 and establishing MSO to support the President's ministry to be at the forefront of the World Military Mission.



- Senior Pastor Moon, Hyo-bin of the Central Military Chapel preached with the title of "Be my Witness." He told his audience including the MSO members to become a witness of the Lord Jesus Christ and preach the Gospel to all countries that do not know the Gospel as well as to the members of Korean Armed Forces.
- In the MSO ministry reporting, Chairman Park, Nam-pil stressed that even in the COVID-19 pandemic situation, information exchange for domestic and foreign military missionary ministry was further promoted by the use of information and communication means.

2. 2021 MSO General Assembly and Executive Retreat

- MSO held the 2021 MSO General Assembly and Executive Retreat on January 30th, while thoroughly observing the COVID-19 Prevention Guidelines at the 100th Anniversary Hall of the Korean Church.
- In the opening service, Pastor Hong, Kyung-hwan emphasized the military missionary ministry as a "must" for a true Christian by preaching with the title of "The True Worshipers of this Era"" and giving special lectures on "Christ, the Core of our Mission."
- The review of 2020 projects, audit report, ministry plan for 2021, and revision of articles of association were reported and discussed at the General Assembly. It also elected the auditor general. Subsequently, through the luncheon and fellowships, all MSO members pledged to make a strong start for the world military missionary ministry in 2021 without stopping despite the changing mission environment.



3. 2021 Indochina Military Mission Ministry by MSO Cooperative Missionary Lee, Jae-youl

• Rev. Lee, Jae-youl reported that due to the outbreak of the Myanmar crisis, it would be uncertain to conduct MCF Cornelius discipleship training in Indochina. With the objective of revitalizing MCF activities in Cambodia, he is planning to conduct online and offline ministry simultaneously so as to educate and encourage MCF leaders to serve at the forefront with the sense of calling.

• For this, in cooperation with MSO, he will continue to inspect the online network until March centering on the Mahanaim Mission Center located in Phnom Penh, Cambodia, to launch the first-stage ministry activities to the four MCF branches in the eastern region.

4. Promotion of Cooperation between Korean World Missionary Fellowship and MSO

- On January 22, Missionary Choi, Geum-bong, President of the Korean World Missionary Fellowship, and Missionary Joo, Min-ho, the Korean President of the Baptist Foreign Mission Board, visited MSO to discuss the mutual cooperation in the world missionary ministries.
- The Korean World Missionary Fellowship will hold "The World Conference for Korean World Missionaries" at Handong University for 3 nights and 4 days from July 13 (Tue) to 16 (Fri). It was agreed that MSO would cleach accounts by installing the multivity heads



that MSO would closely cooperate by installing the publicity booth to carry out on-site promotion on AMCF's missionary ministries.

5. Guidance for the MEO Program(MEO-P) 2021

- MEO Program 2021 hosted by MSO is planned to be held at the Osan-ri Prayer Mountain for 8 days and 7 nights from June 21 (Mon) to 28 (Mon). However, considering the COVID-19 Pandemic situation, MSO will make in March the final decision on whether or not MEO-P 2021 will be held in June. When its implementation in June is not possible, it will be postponed to October (Oct 11 to Oct 18). If its face-to-face implementation is impossible at all this year, it will be switched to an online training for each cluster of AMCF.
- The MEO-P 2021 will accept only the 27 participants from 19 countries including those from Iraq where the MCF is not yet established. They were previously selected by the MSO Selection Committee and confirmed through P&P as the participants of MEO-P 2020 last March. 3PSO will provide some instructors to MEO-P 2021 in accordance with the concept of CATT(Combined Assistance and Training Team). The eligible participants above mentioned will be confirmed for MEO-P 2021 only after they notify MSO of their attendance by the end of February 2021.

6. Prayer Requests

- Pray for the comfort of families of those in Korea and around the world who died of COVID-19.
- Pray that the MCF will be established as soon as possible in 46 countries where MCF is not yet established.
- Pray for AMCF President Weerasooriya and 14 regional vice-presidents to prepare for the AMCF video conference to discuss the matters on the Brazilian World Conference 2024.
- May the UMCEB and UMCEB Executive Board be given wisdom when they prepare for the World Conference 2024.
- Pray for the 3PSO(ACCTS, MMI, MSO) to closely cooperate in the world military missionary ministry.
- Pray that the world will be recovered promptly from COVID-19 Pandemic, and that AMCF regional conferences including the Central Asian Regional Conference (July), the South American Regional Conference (July), the East Asian Interaction (October), and the South African Regional Conference (October) will be held normally.
- Pray that the MSO's MEO-P 2021 (June), Indochina Cornelius Discipleship Training (May), and the Discipleship Training in Central Asian countries will be prepared and carried out as planned.
- For North Korea, China, Djibouti and Somalia where military missionary ministry is impossible at all; and for the Myanmar situation to be stabilized quickly.
- For the MSO to participate in the World Conference of the Korean World Missionary Fellowship and actively promote the AMCF's military missionary activities.

But the Holy Spirit will come upon you and give you power. Then you will tell everyone about me in Jerusalem, in all Judea, in Samaria, and everywhere in the world(Acts1:8)

