

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 January reports:

1 2022 MSO New Year's Retreat was Graciously Held.

From 10:00 to 13:00 on January 22, 2022, MSO New Year's Retreat was held with 71 members attending at the Shingil Church and pledging to dedicate themselves to the world military mission. In the first part of the worship service, Senior Pastor Lee, Kiyong of Shingil Church encouraged MSO to courageously take on the global military missionary ministry in his sermon under the title of "the key of mission given by the Holy Spirit." At the MSO General Meeting, the 2nd part of the retreat, 2021 ministry report was approved with unanimous consent of the members. Then, the 2021 budget audit results and 2022 ministry plan were reported and the amendment of the Articles of Incorporation was discussed and approved. In the 3rd part, Rev. Kang, Daeheung, the Secretary General of the Korea World Mission Association (KWMA), delivered a special lecture on "Church (or Saints) Missions in the Era of COVID-19" where he presented the future direction of the lay Christians' ministries including MSO's endeavor which put an emphasis on the volunteer service. Then, each Bureau of MSO had a workshop to discuss what to do and further develop MSO's ministries this year after exchanging New Year's greetings.



Opening Worship Sermon
(by Rev. Lee of Shingil Church)



Special Lecture
(by Rev. Kang, Secretary General, KWMA)



Opening Address
(by Gen Park, the MSO President)



Retreat Attendees



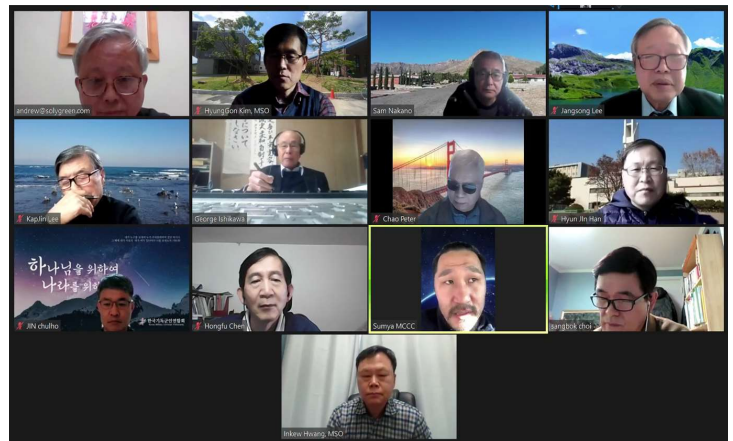
Bureau Workshop



Group Photo

2 P&P for East Asia Interaction Convened

On January 8, the P&P for the East Asia Interaction 2022 was convened by the East Asia VP, Col Andrew Tzeng, to coordinate the efforts for the preparation of 2022 EAST Asia Interaction. The MCF leaders of Mongolia, Japan, Korea and Taiwan and the MSO representatives attended. The P&P decided to officially name the interaction "The East Asia Interaction 2022." The Korean MCF (KMCF) will host the East Asia Interaction 2022 in cooperation with MSO on Oct 22, online. The detailed schedules, subjects, and instructors will be developed further by KMCF and be discussed at a P&P in April.



3 AMCF Ministerial Activities

(1) The P&P for the Brazilian World Conference 2024 (Online)

On January 17 (Mon), General Srilal Weerasooria, the AMCF President, hosted the P&P for the Brazilian World Conference 2024 with the participation of ACCTS, MMI, MSO and the Brazilian MCF (UMCEB). First of all, the delegates ardently prayed that all the preparatory activities for the World Conference 2024 would go satisfactorily this year. At this P&P, a proposal for an effective communication system was raised for rapid information sharing between/among Brazilian P&P team, AMCF President, and 3 PSOs.



(2) The P&P for the AMCF Global Interaction (Online)

On January 24, a P&P for the AMCF Global Interaction was held to discuss matters concerning the venue, the size, the organizer, the curriculum, and the schedule of the next interaction. The AMCF Global Interaction aims to nurture the next generation of AMCF leaders. The working representatives of 3 PSOs (ACCTS, MMI and MSO) participated.

4 Prayer Requests

• For AMCF

- ① Pray that MCFs will be established as soon as possible in 45 countries which have no MCFs yet (especially Brunei in Southeast Asia, Micronesia in the Pacific, Israel in the Middle East)
- ② May God's wisdom be with the AMCF President General Weerasooriya, the Vice Presidents, the Preparatory Committee, and the Host Country MCF (the UMCEB), which are preparing for the Brazilian World Conference.
- ③ Pray that God's chosen leader will be elected for the next AMCF President.
- ④ Pray that the MCF presidents and leaders will be given the wisdom and power of God so as to establish and revitalize MCFs of their own.
- ⑤ Pray that 3 AMCF PSOs (ACCTS, MMI, and MSO) will effectively support and closely cooperate for world military missionary ministries.
- ⑥ For the safety of Christian soldiers and their families in countries where social unrest and suffering are exacerbated by civil wars, military coups, and the threat of war (Myanmar, Ukraine, Russia, Palestine, and Afghanistan, to name a few).

• For MSO

- ① Pray that in 2022, as a principal supporting organization for the world military missionary ministry, MSO will overcome the COVID-19 Pandemic and fulfill the AMCF missions graciously.
- ② Pray for the participation of many Christian soldiers in the MEO-P in 2022 from countries where MCFs have not been established and from countries with weak MCF activities so that many dedicated leaders will be nurtured to serve their national MCFs. (application deadline: Feb 28)
- ③ Pray that the conflict between Ukraine and Russia will be resolved peacefully and that many good workers will be nurtured through discipleship training in the former Soviet Union countries in 2022.
- ④ Pray for the Indochina Cornelius discipleship training to be conducted as scheduled with the Cambodian MCF assuming pivotal roles.
- ⑤ Pray that the MSO World Mission Bureau dedication service scheduled for February 24 will be prepared under God's guidance and proceed with grace.
- ⑥ Pray that the Holy Spirit will lead all MSO members in peace in 2022 and give them physical and spiritual strength.
- ⑦ Pray that the number of regular sponsoring churches and individuals for MSO ministries will be doubled.

