

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 2023 MSO General Meeting Held

On December 21, the Annual General Meeting of Mission Support Organization (MSO) was held online in the following order: Worship, General Meeting, and Fellowship. During the worship service, MSO's advisory pastor Rev. Kim, Chang-jae preached, "He called us to be His workers," and asked the congregation to devote themselves to the global military missionary work. At the general meeting, MG(ret.) Yang, Byung-hee, the Secretary General of MSO, reported MSO's 2023 ministry activities and the budget used for 2023 ministries and the plan for her 2024 ministry and required budget. The members attended approved them unanimously with big applause, completing the preparations for MSO global military missionary ministry for Year 2024.



2 MSO World Military Missionary Thanksgiving Service and Ministry Report Conducted

On December 17, the MSO's World Military Missionary Thanksgiving Service and Ministry Report was held at the Armed Forces Central Military Chapel (CMC) with about 200 people in attendance, including MSO members and CMC saints. The Chairman Park, Nam-pil, reported that for a year, worships and prayer meetings were conducted without interruption both online and in-person, and that MSO participated in various AMCF activities including global and regional meetings and conferences.



He mentioned that Year 2023 was the year when Military Evangelism Observation Program (MEO-P) and Foreign Military Fellowship in Korea Interaction (FMF-K), which MSO is focusing on, have been firmly recognized globally as important programs for world military missionary work, and that it was the year when the cooperative ministry between MSO and the civilian/military churches and with military mission-related organizations greatly increased. In addition, he thanked God for guiding MSO's ministry in 2023 and expanding the scope of its global military mission activities, and appreciated the members of CMC and MSO for their cooperation in prayer and financial support for MSO to successfully complete the world's military missionary ministry in 2023.



Thanksgiving Service



MSO Staff Special Praise

3 Year-opening Worship Service for Year 2024

On January 4, the 2024 New Year's Service was held at the Han Gyeong-jik Hall of the Missionary Memorial Building in Yanghwajin Foreign Missionary Cemetery, where 145 foreign missionaries and their families who devoted their lives to Korean people during the last period of the Korean Kingdom and during the Japanese colonial era are buried along with others.

MSO members, who regard themselves as being indebted to the Gospel, have been making a strong start to their annual global military missionary work by holding the New Year's Service at and a pilgrimage to the cemetery since 2005 every year, renewing their resolution to fulfill their global military missions.



The New Year's Service



Sermon by Prof. Kim, Jong-il

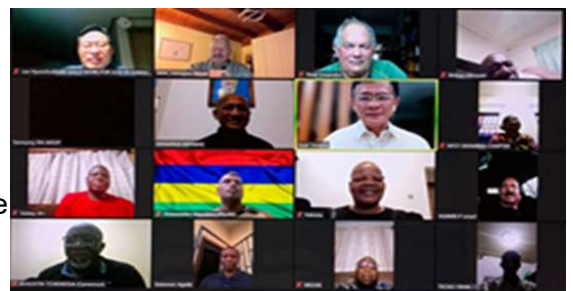


4 AMCF Activities

a. Africa Watch & Pray(Online)

On December 21, the African prayer meeting hosted by the Vice Presidents for Regions of Africa South and Africa West were attended by the National MCF presidents and leaders of Africa, AMCF President, and MMI and MSO

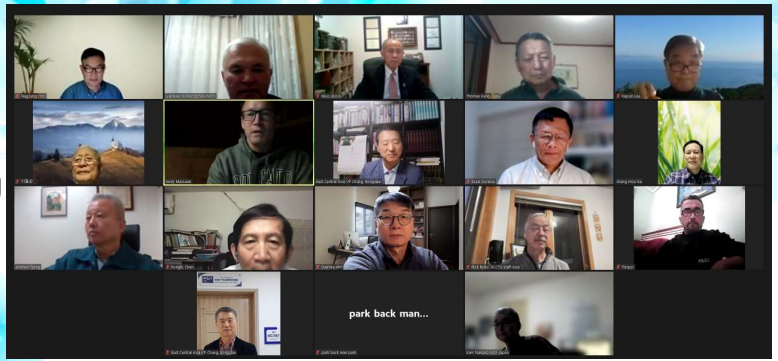
representatives. At the prayer meeting, the attendees prayed together for African Christian soldiers, for Israel and Palestine at war, and for the AMCF 2024 World Conference.



b. East & Central Asia Vision Prayer Meeting Online

On January 6, the AMCF East & Central Asia Vision Prayer Meeting was held online hosted by Colonel and Pastor Chung, Bong-dae, VP of the region. 20 people participated, including national MCF presidents and leaders from 9 countries in East and Central Asia, AMCF President, and ACCTS and MSO representatives.

Former AMCF President General Lee, Pil-sup gave an encouraging speech, and AMCF President General Essel Soriano gave a speech with the intention of making 2024 a landmark year for evangelizing soldiers around the world with help of the LORD. In addition, Andy Maclean of ACCTS reported on preparations for the 2024 Brazilian World Conference, followed by reports on Christian military ministry activities in East and Central Asian countries.



c. A Participant of 2023 MEO-P Went Back Home after Graduating from the Graduate School of Public Health of Yonsei University

On December 21, Dr. Pascal, a Francophone Africa MCF member and Congo DRC military surgeon, and Ms. Angelin, a prayer supporter for the Zimbabwe MCF and also Zimbabwe MCF founding member, received a Master's Degree from the Graduate School of Public Health of Yonsei University, Korea and returned to their home countries. They participated in MSO's ministry activities while studying in Korea and are expected to play a significant role as Christian military leaders in their respective home countries.



5 KVMCF/KMCF Joint Breakfast Prayer Meeting and Military Missionary Organizations Cooperation Meeting Held

On Wednesday, January 3, at 05:30 in the main chapel of the Armed Forces Central Military Chapel (CMC), about 200 people, including regular and associate MCF members from the Ministry of National Defense, the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and the metropolitan area military units, as well as members of the KVMCF, MSO, and CMC, attended the joint breakfast service where Rev. Kim, Un-seong of Youngnak Church gave a sermon.



Sermon by Rev. Kim, Un-seong

At the cooperation meeting of related organizations, the attendees shared their respective military missionary activities and agreed to cooperate with each other to spread the Gospel to soldiers in 2024, establish MCFs in all battalions, and vitalize them.



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MSO's Major Ministerial Activities for Year 2024

Major Activities	
January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> East & Central Asia Vision Prayer Meeting (Jan 6/Online) MSO New Year's Retreat (Jan 20/at the CMC)
February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Mission Bureau Dedication Service & Workshop (Feb 29/at the CMC) Invitation of Christian Military Attachés (TBD/at the Army Club) Indo-china Cornelius Discipleship Training (TBD/Laos)
March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> East & Central Asia Vision Prayer Meeting (Feb 2/Online) Vietnam MCF Cornelius Discipleship Training (Mar 12~15) Education and Training Bureau Dedication Service & Workshop (Mar 28/at the CMC)
April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Domestic Operating Bureau Dedication Service & Workshop (Apr 25/at th CMC) Discipleship Training in the CIS countries (TBD/Tajikistan)
May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stan-Dart Conference (TBD/Kazakhstan) Discipleship Training in the CIS countries (TBD/Kyrgyzstan)
June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> FMF-K Interaction 1st Day (Jun 29/at Jaundae Chapel) National Salvation Prayer Convention (Jun 19~21/at Oranri Prayer Mountain)
July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> FMF-K Interaction 2nd Day (Jul 6/at Sangseungdae Chapel) FMF-K Interaction 3rd, 4th Day (Jul 13~14/Culture Tour) Thanksgiving Service & Ministry Report for the First Half Year Ministry (Jul 27/ at Immanuel Church)
August	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> English Camp (Cambodia/CMC Short-term Ministry Team, Supported by MSO)
September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discipleship Training in the CIS countries (TBD/Kazakhstan)
October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2024 AMCF World Conference (Oct 16~19/Brazil)
November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Word Military Mission Thanksgiving Service & Ministry Report (Nov 24/at the CMC) Discipleship Training in the CIS countries (Uzbekistan)
December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> English Camp (TBD/Cambodia) General Meeting (Dec 19/at the CMC) Year-closing Worship Service (Dec 26/Online)

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Major Ministerial Activities of AMCF, ACCTS and MMI

Date/Place	Major Activities
Jan 17, Mar 13, May 8, Jul 10/Online	2024 World Conference P&P
TBD/U.S.A.	Cadet Overseas Mission Trip
May 17~19/Czech Rep.	European Military Christian Meeting (EMCM)
TBD/U.S.A.	Rocky Mountain High Interaction (IRMH)
Jun 13~16/France	Rassemblement International Militaire Protestant (RIMP)
Sept 27~29/U.K.	MMI's 50th Anniversary
Oct 3~6/Croatia	ADRIA Interaction
Oct 16~19/Brazil	2024 AMCF World Conference



Prayer Requests

We'd cordially ask you to pray.

- **For the AMCF**

- ① To ensure that MCFs are quickly established in 43 countries where MCFs have not yet been established, specially for Iraqi and Equatorial Guinean Christian soldiers;
- ② For the AMCF President and regional vice presidents to closely cooperate in spreading the Gospel to soldiers in all countries of the world through active meetings and communication;
- ③ To revitalize AMCF ministry through close cooperation of 3 PSOs (ACCTS, MMI, and MSO);
- ④ For Bible studies, prayer meetings, and fellowship gatherings among MCFs and Christian soldiers around the world to be vitalized;
- ⑤ For the Preparatory Committee preparing for the Brazilian World Conference 2024 and the Brazilian Military Christian Fellowship (UMCEB);
- ⑥ That the war between Ukraine and Russia will end as soon as possible and peace will be established in this land, and that the Lord will protect and refresh the military chaplains serving on the front lines of Ukraine so that they will carry out their missions well;
- ⑦ That the war between Israel and Hamas will end soon and peace will come to the Middle East under the Lord's guidance.

- **For the MSO**

- ① To support AMCF activities and to contribute to the evangelization of soldiers around the world through cooperation with related missionary organizations;
- ② To become a central support and cooperation organization for the establishment and development of MCFs in all countries of the world;
- ③ That the preparation for the 2024 World Conference and FMF-K Interaction will be prepared thoroughly under God's guidance;
- ④ To prepare and implement Indo-china and Central Asian Discipleship Training without a hitch;
- ⑤ For East & Central Asia Vision Prayer Meetings to be instrumental to vitalize and strengthen MCFs in Asia;
- ⑥ That civilian and military churches, and mission-related organizations may participate actively in sponsorship and fundraising activities for MSO ministries;
- ⑦ that MSO executives be filled with the Holy Spirit for their global military missions.

2024 Happy Newyear!



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