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To: All Blessed families

From: ESGD staff

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## Dear brothers and sisters

We are happy to announce the start of the registration of our Summer Activities 2014. Don't wait too long; early applications help both your personal preparation and the workshop planning.

Registration for each of the workshops needs to be done online. Please find all the information at http://www.esgd.org/757.html.

The motto for the Summer activities this year is:

## **Let us be the ONE**: To Practice/To Realise/To Carry On

With this motto we want to directly connect and refer to the Motto for this year onwards until 2020: "Let us become true owners of Cheon Il Guk who practice true love in resemblance to our Creator, the Heavenly Parent!"

Let us be who True Parents are urging us to be! We want to reinterpret this motto and make it meaningful for each of us – to personally connect to the vision. It also mixes the individual and the collective – "Let US be the ONE" – so we want to explore the motto on a personal level, as well as finding a way together as Blessed Family members.

Here are some questions we want to explore together through the motto - **To Practice**: How do we actually practice True Love? How do we apply Principle and have an authentic spiritual life? **To Realise**: How can we wake up and realise what spiritual path to take? How can we realise and build towards the ideal? **To Carry On**: How can we persevere through challenges? How can we be someone who God, our Friends and our Family can trust and rely on? How can we create a culture and tradition which can carry on what True Parents and our Parents have passed on to us through our Lineage?

We wanted a motto which unites universal themes together with the current providence; giving a framework, but leaving an open space for questions to be asked and answers to be created. To connect to True Mother's recent words, as well as reflect on the current climate and situation amongst us as brothers and sisters. We hope that each workshop can create a unique interpretation of the motto, and look forward to sharing that inspiration!

"The Second Generation are the precious existences who are the first outcome of Heaven in the 6,000 years of providential history...be able to embrace people around you by creating a suitable environment, and become a model family to the young people in the society" recent guidance from True Mother.

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**Get involved and participate this Summer**: We would like to welcome you to participate in and co-create our Summer Activities together with us. On each workshop this year, we want to create an environment where True Love can be learnt through experience, where True Friendships can be created and built upon, and where we can experience how interconnected we are as Blessed Families; discovering how our Heavenly Parent and True Parents deeply matter to each of us. Please read the Workshop descriptions, and the report booklet from last year to get a sense for the activities and consider what fits for you - and feel free to be in touch with any questions you may have.

We are looking forward to see you in the Summer 2014. Feel free to contact us at <a href="mailto:summer2014@esgd.org">summer2014@esgd.org</a> if you have any questions or concerns.
On behalf of the ESGD

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## **European Second Generation Department**

Summer 2014 - Overview of Activities

## Let us be the ONE: To Practice/To Realise/To Carry On

| Activity            | Date              | Place                        | Age group    | WS fee  |
|---------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|--------------|---------|
| Prayer Condition    | 10 - 30 June      | everywhere                   | everyone     |         |
| Staff training      | 18 - 21 July      | Luzna, Slovakia              |              | 60 EUR  |
| Junior HARP WS      | 25 July - 2 Aug.  | Camberg, Germany             | 1998-2000    | 180 EUR |
| Senior HARP WS      | 9 - 17 August     | Willemsoord, the Netherlands | 1996-1998    | 215 EUR |
| Football WS         | 22 - 30 July      | Chamarande, France           | 14 and older | 180 EUR |
| 21-day Mobilisation | 22 July - 12 Aug. | across Europe                | 17 and older | 300 EUR |
| Summer 21+ WS       | 2 - 9 August      | Regensburg, Germany          | 21 and older | 245 EUR |
| ODP+ WS             | 18 - 31 August    | Camberg, Germany             | 18 and older | 300 EUR |

Please note: The first day of each activity is arrival day and the last day is the departure day

More information and registrations at www.esgd.org