Letter of Invitation

Feb 1, 2019

The year 2019 marks the 45th Anniversary of EMS-PROK partnership. It is with great joy and pleasure to invite you to celebrate the anniversary of 45 years of EMS-PROK Partnership.

The PROK cordially invites you to the 104th General Assembly, and a joint partnership consultation. We hope that a delegation will be formed by the EMS along with people who share the experience of long years of partnership between the EMS and PROK. We would like to invite the Presidium, the Management Board, Dr. Kerstin Neumann (Officiating General Secretary) and Rev. Solomon Benjamin (Liaison Secretary, East Asia) of the EMS and recommendation of others involved to be invited.

- Tentative Schedule:
- Dates of the requested stay in Korea: 22~30 September, 2019.
- Arrival: 22 Sep. 2019
- PCK Assembly: 23 September
- PROK Assembly: 25 September
- Partnership Consultation: 27~28 September
- Sunday Worship Service: 29 September
- Departure: 30 September

We shall remain in faithful prayer and anticipation for a timely and joyful celebration of 45 years of partnership between the EMS and PROK.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature]

General Secretary
The Presbyterian Church of Korea (PROK)
Tuesday, 26 March 2019

Kerstin Neumann
Acting General Secretary
Evangelical Mission in Solidarity (EMS)

Invitation to the 104th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Korea and Thanksgiving Ceremony of the 40 years of partnership between the PCK and EMS

Dear Kerstin Neumann,

Warm Greetings from the Presbyterian Church of Korea!

As the year 2019 marks the 40th anniversary of partnership between EMS and PCK, we cordially invite your esteemed presence along with the esteemed EMS Presidium, EMS Liaison Secretary for East Asia and India and all the concerned to be with us for the 104th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Korea (PCK) as well as to the Thanksgiving Ceremony in commemoration of the 40 years of partnership between the PCK and EMS. It would be very meaningful if the EMS leadership team would bring greetings to 104th General Assembly of the PCK for the 40 years of Partnership.

The General Assembly of the PCK for this year will be held on 23-26 September 2018 (Monday to Thursday) in Seoul, South Korea. However, because of several partnership consultations with PCK, PROK and NCCK, we would suggest you save the date till 30th of September 2019. I will get back to you with further details about venue and further arrangements.

We consider this as a special privilege to invite you to participate and bring greetings to the 104th General Assembly and praise God with us for the life and witness of the PCK and our partnership for the past 40 years. We are glad to say that your local transportation, food and accommodation will be covered by PCK during your stay in Korea.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

[Signature]

Rev. Chang-bae Byun
General Secretary
The Presbyterian Church of Korea
45 years PROK and 40 years PCK and EMS partnership thanksgiving worship in Seoul 2019

Dates. 22-30 Sep 2019.

The Tentative Programme schedule for these days include.

- 22.09.2019. arrival into Seoul – received by PCK: Rev. Dileeep
- 23.09.2019, EMS presidium and General Secretary Officiating and the delegation from Germany will attend PCK General Assembly and will bring greetings to the Assembly.
- 25.09 EMS Delegation attends PROK General Assembly
- 26.09 meeting with PCK on Partnership discussion and meeting with Rev. BYUN Chang-Bae Moksanim on further Partnership relationship. (The whole day)
- 27.09. The whole day meetings with PROK and direct Partnership Groups. How to strengthen Partnership.
- 28.09 with NCCK visiting DMZ area and discussion on peace initiatives and further engagements. (the whole day)
- 29.09 direct Partnership visits and exchange of Partnership discussions – with direct partnership
- 30.09 EMS delegation Returns back to Germany.

22. 09.19 Arrival Reception at Airport. By PCK team

Accommodation: PCK Centenary Building and hosted by PCK

Food and hospitality: PCK offered to host. And PROK hosts the days we are with PROK

EMS Leadership roles expectation during the visit.

1. PCK. To bring greetings and affirmation of 40 partnership and the journey made in PCK General assembly on 23.09.2019
   a. German delegation transported from airport to Centenary building and from there to the venue of 104 PCK General Assembly. We are accompanied by Rev. HAN Kyoung, Ecumenical Officer PCK and Rev. Dileeep, Ecumenical department of PCK

2. PROK. To share greetings at the 104 PROK General assembly and to congratulate the 45 years of partnership with PROK. On 25.09.2019
   a. We are transported from PCK General Assembly to the PROK General assembly on 22.09 accompanied by Rev. Dileeep of PCK and Rev. Sungkook takes over during the PROK General assembly as there will be other National partner guests from other countries too, especially Rev. Cunningham MCSA.
   b. As part of the ongoing trilateral partnership between PROK, MCSA and EMS on partnership on ELIM Home.