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A POSTCARD FROM JAPAN!

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Praise the Lord!

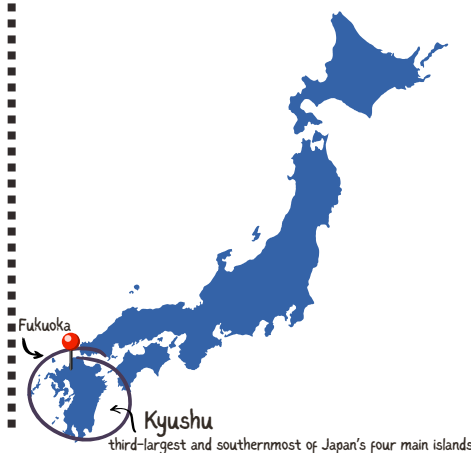
We have officially entered rainy season here in Japan! Each day is a little more humid than the last, but this year we are definitely better prepared with cooling wipes, handy fans, and all of Japan's cool summer gadgets to navigate the Japanese summer.

It's been a very busy few months, but we are excited to share several praise reports in this mid-year update. We are deeply grateful for your willingness to invest in global missions and thank you for allowing us to be your representatives to the nation of Japan. Together, we are taking the whole Gospel to the whole world.

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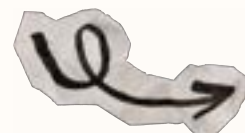
To our Partners & Friends



Prayer Requests:

- **Pray for the island of Kyushu**, and the many cities and villages without an apostolic presence. Many of our contacts live in these cities. Help us pray that these connections will lead to a Holy Ghost outpouring in these unreached cities.
- **Pray for unity in the body** as we work together to see this nation reached with the Gospel.
- **Pray for our upcoming Visa Renewal**. We are applying for another renewal this month and are praying for God's favour and a smooth process.
- **Pray for the JUPC General Conference** in Okinawa, Japan on 18-20 July.

Check out the next page for praise reports from 2026 so far!





2026 IN JAPAN SO FAR...



Back in November, we were blessed to receive a missions vehicle from another missionary family here in Japan. We had been fundraising to purchase a vehicle that would allow us to reach areas beyond our local community. Not only were we gifted this van, but one of our dear partners, Promise Church in Bel Air MD, also donated the full amount needed to bring it home. The van had to be shipped from another island, After a 25-hour ferry ride and a 3-hour drive, our “new to us” missions vehicle finally arrived! We have been so blessed this year to use this vehicle to reach into new communities!

At the start of the year, we launched a discipleship class with our local church and have continued developing church websites for the JUPC. We’ve also been hosting regular game nights and gatherings in our home. Friends are excited to invite others, often commenting on how peaceful and welcoming the atmosphere feels. We always respond, “It’s Jesus.”



Recently, we had the privilege of gifting someone their very first Bible. Please continue to pray as seeds are being planted. Many others also heard our testimony of how the Word of God has carried us through life’s journey. The work in Japan requires strength, resilience, and dedication, and we count it a blessing to pour into the lives of the wonderful people here each day.

We had many first time guests at our Easter Service at Fukuoka Hope Church in April. We give God the glory for those that got to hear the gospel for the first time! We were also privileged to be asked to serve at our first ever JUPC National Youth Camp in May. We had a great time in the Lord connecting with and ministering to the young people across this nation. We know the future is bright for the church in Japan through this generation!



We give God thanks for the opportunity to serve in Japan for past 22 months. As we prepare for our upcoming visa renewals, we ask that you help us pray for favour and provision for this next year of labour!