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Blessing of new church activities

“ Teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; Lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.” Matthew 28:20 Though Delta variant of Corona virus is still rampant, we'll never give up proclaiming and teaching the words of God. We reorganized our church activities. First of all, we changed an afternoon service to Afternoon Worship Service. This is for native speakers of English and Japanese who are interested in learning English. Bro. Josh is a responsible for this meeting. This meeting is really growing. Secondly, we started a Women's prayer time, Bible study and cleaning the church building on Tuesday morning, Thirdly, we started more Sunday School classes on Sunday morning. Most of churches in Japan has only one Sunday school class, which is for children, but I believe Sunday school classes are very important ministry for church growth, therefore we started four different classes. 1. Kid's class, 2. Youth class, 3. Adult class (not started yet but soon) and 4. An International class; As we have many over sea visitors and members, it is nice to have such a class using English only. Please pray the Lord continue to bless our ministry in Japan.



New course of Source of Light correspondence courses

Though we thought of passing the tracts and Bible correspondence flyers during Tokyo Olympic games, Corona virus pandemic made us closed from doing. But I spent time for translate new lessons from New Testament series. I am now working four lessons such as the book of John, The book of Mark, Galatians and The book of Acts. We hope to complete and print by December 2021.



New Church building

Jabez called on the God of Israel, saying, Oh that thou wouldest bless me indeed, and **enlarge my coast**, and that thine hand might be with me, and that thou wouldest keep me from evil, that it may not grieve me! And God granted him that which he requested. 1 Chronicles 4:10

We asked the Lord for getting a larger land for a new church. We saw a “for sale” sign at the next to our church which used to be an Iron work plant. Yes, it is the best place for a new church. It costs nearly 450,000 dollars. It has nearly 5400 square feet and is about three times larger than the land we have now. Now we started praying for a new church construction of Toyohashi Grace Baptist Church. God touched our church members to do for that vision.

Now we have nearly 200,000. dollars for this need. This goes close to meet the need of buying the land . Our goal is to build the new church till 2023. As we need to keep social distance, we really need a larger sanctuary now. Our prayer is to build a sanctuary to accommodate about 150 people. Please pray with us for the rest of financial need.



Prayers and Praises:

1. Pray for protection from different kind of Corona virus. Our city has the worst number of cases in Aichi now.
2. Pray for a new church building. Pray that this vision comes to be true soon.
3. Pray for my physical strength. I had a catheter therapy operation on July 30 and will have another operation in September. Now I am doing much better.
4. Pray for the source of light ministry. Pray for the New Testament new series.

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