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DECEMBER 2019 - JANUARY 2020
LANGUAGE LEARNING AND MINISTRY IN JAPAN

We praise the Lord for his grace to our ministry since our last newsletter. December was a busy month with all the people we were able to interact with during the Christmas season. Many Japanese people have an interest in Christmas and are looking for ways to celebrate it because it is not an established holiday in Japan. In the top picture we hosted a Christmas party for families. This helped us to build further bridges into our community. The second picture is of our Christmas party that we had for our adult English class that meets on a weekly basis. We were able to talk about Christ with them. In addition to these relationship building opportunities, we also had a Christmas service which we invited many of our friends and acquaintances to, along with people in our community. Several of our neighbors told us they are Buddhist and not to talk to them about Christianity ever again. While this saddens us, we trust that God is working and drawing people to himself. Others in our community responded with kindness and appreciation. During our Christmas service and through other outreach opportunities, we have been able to proclaim Christ and encourage people to repent of their sin and trust in his substitutionary death and resurrection to be reconciled to God. In 2020, please pray with us that God would continue to draw people to himself for his glory here in

Japan. Christ said that he will build his church, and we look forward to how he is going to work as we continue to proclaim Christ and him crucified and risen again. Thank you for your prayers.



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