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Grace and peace to you through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. One of the teachers from the Japanese school our children used to go to attended our Easter Sunday worship service. It was an encouragement to see her again, share Christ with her, and answer questions raised about Christianity due to recent misinformation in the news. Please pray that God would save her by his grace through faith in Christ. We have continued to teach through the New Testament epistles. Please pray that God would bless the teaching of the Word, and that our congregation would continue to repent with faith in Christ together.

Japan is very slowly and cautiously returning to pre-COVID life. The government restrictions are beginning to ease. Please pray for Christians to trust God and return to regularly assembling for worship on Sundays. With the ease of COVID restrictions, the borders have opened to new missionaries. We were very glad to visit with new missionaries Chris and Miranda Shirrell who recently arrived in Japan, by spending a day in the park together. It was encouraging to be reunited with family in Christ that we have not seen for over five years. They are serving with a different congregation about an hour and a half north of us. Please pray that the Lord would continue to grow our fellowship with like-minded

missionaries in Japan. Also, please pray that Japan would continue to ease the border

restrictions so we can return to

receiving regular visitors from the United States once again. Thank you for your continued support of Christ's work.

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Reunited with the Shirrells



Sunday Service

Timothy, Jenelle, Simon, Isaac, Elisha, & Phoebe