



The Good News Letter

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“And this water symbolizes baptism that now saves you also- not the removal of dirt from the body but the pledge of a good conscience toward God.”

1 Peter 3:21

Prayer Requests

Hope Toko

Please pray for our speakers, translators, children’s church teachers, teen’s leaders, worship teams, sound crew to move in the power of the Holy Spirit each Sunday while we are away. All women’s ministries take a break each August so that time can be spent with their families and each woman can be refreshed to begin the busy fall season.

Hope Toko Family Each person will prioritize Jesus as #1 in their lives and grow passionately in their relationship with Him. Pray also we will be a strong, praying church that intercedes for one another, the community, city, and nation.

Praise Reports

RIE’S BAPTISM Thank you for praying for Rie! Remember she gave her heart to Jesus in our last newsletter? That was June 16th. Two weeks later, on June 29th, she was baptized with her husband and two daughters witnessing this special event. The Holy Spirit moved mightily in her heart, as she obeyed the LORD’s command to be baptized. She is already committed to volunteering at our women’s Refresh service from September overseeing the set-up each Thursday morning. Another woman that was overseeing set-up since the start of our service two years ago has started a new job. God’s timing is perfect as Rie steps into her new ministry role. We are taking a summer break from our women’s service in mid-July through August so that the women may spend time with their children during the summer vacation. We are always in awe of how God moves in such amazing ways! Please continue praying for Rie’s husband and their two daughter’s salvations. †

COREY IN MONGOLIA Mongolia is always exciting, but this time not only was martial law imposed while Corey was there, but he was blessed to be asked to meet and pray for the only Christian member of the Mongolia Parliament, do the first session of a pilot leadership training program and see God work in some powerful ways during their annual retreat. One example of God’s grace was in how God protected them while crossing rivers and climbing a small mountain so that he could find a cell phone signal to call Lisa and the girls even after his guide was knocked over by the rushing floodwaters! Photos to come by next time! †

REFRESHING IN HAWAII We will be leaving for Hawaii after Malia begins her summer vacation at Minami Elementary. We are looking forward to times of refreshing with our family and friends. Kailie’s classmate from CAJ will be joining us in Hawaii for a week. We hope to balance Malia’s and Kailie’s time with summer homework from their schools and fun play. †

*With love in His precious Name,
Corey, Lisa, Kailie and Malia*

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