



Tokyo Central City Ministry

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‘Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age. (Matthew 28:19-20)

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If one part suffers, every part suffers with it; if one part is honored, every part rejoices with it. Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it. (1st Corinthians 12:26,27)

Merry Christmas! Tokyo Center Church would like to express our sincere gratitude in celebrating the birth of Jesus. Thank you for your prayers and support for Tokyo Central Ministry and TCC. In 2021, though TCC faced the challenges of pandemic and members also faced various trials in their lives, we were encouraged by our annual scripture mentioned above.

2nd Anniversary

On November 28 2021, we celebrated the second anniversary of Tokyo Center Church. In the anniversary Sunday service, missionary Selina and church member Natsumi gave their testimonies. Even



though we were restricted by the pandemic, God Himself reached out to people and brought them to TCC. During pandemic, quite a number of visitors found our church by website. We were encouraged by God’s amazing work.



Bible Study & fellowship

- 『Sunday Worship Service 』 17:30~19:00
- 『ZOOM Evening Bible Study & Prayer Meeting on every Wednesday』 20:00~21:30

Prayer Request

- Pray for salvation of Mr. Chen, Ms. Nami, Mr.Steven and Ms.Shiho, who came to TCC.
- Pray for the Lord bring more Christians to our church to worship HIM together
- Pray to reach out the people who are open to the gospel. If you have friend want to introduce to us, please contact us by email. : akiyashimomura328@gmail.com
- Please pray for Pastor Akiya & his wife Hataes’s health and their relationship with the Lord.

Christmas Worship

Mr. Chen, who had stopped attending church for a long time, visited the Christmas service for the first time. The service was full of joy and many seeds were sown. On that day, a baptism ceremony of Maki Mamiya was held. Maki was introduced by MCC's sister to TCC because her workplace is close to the church. Maki often goes to work on Sundays, but one church member who works as a senior in Maki's workplace continued to encourage her, so we were able to celebrate her baptism day. We were very grateful to be able to start worship in central Tokyo, where we live. Endo, who was baptized in May, presented a gift from the church to Maki, we are looking forward to the next baptism. Also, we prayed to have more male members, and a young family joined us with young children. They are all boys! God answered our prayers! Rev. Shimomura performed a magic trick and brought out the message: "we are family of God!" Hope more families will join the family of God.



Aikido Wrestling

The number of local children in Aikido classrooms is increasing. We would like to help children who grow up in the midst of a competitive society, will gain confidence from small success experiences rather than comparing with others. We would like to tell them about Jesus who loves us with unconditional love. First of all, please pray that we ourselves will be equipped to be a person who releases the fragrance of Christ.

For we are to God the pleasing aroma of Christ among those who are being saved and those who are perishing. (2nd Corinthians 2:15)



Financial support

US\$75,000 is needed in the fiscal year 2021, including rental fee for the worship venue. Please pray for God's provision. If you would like to support us either as a church or an individual, please proceed the transaction as per following bank account information.

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