



Hello and welcome to  
*our 4th newsletter!*

SHAKE THE NATIONS. CHANGE  
THE WORLD!

Matthew 28:19

"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"

## THANKFUL FOR A 2025 BLESSED YEAR!!!

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We felt led to create this special newsletter to celebrate everything God has done throughout 2025—and wow, what a year it has been! We truly can't thank Him enough for His goodness, His faithfulness, and His constant presence in every step of the journey.

Miracle after miracle unfolded right before our eyes. We experienced God as our Father, our Provider, our Peace, our Healer, and our Guide. At the start of the year, we had no idea what 2025 would look like—but we were certain of one thing: we wanted to walk side by side with the Lord. There was no other way forward except to pursue His dreams, stay close to His heart, and trust Him daily with our lives and our mission.

And God showed up—every single time. He was faithful. He was loyal. He exceeded every expectation. This is the God we love, the God we serve, and the God who continues to move powerfully through this work. As we reflect with grateful hearts, we're filled with excitement for what's ahead and for the people who choose to walk, believe, and build alongside us.

# WHAT IS NEXT FOR 2026?

God has prepared an exciting missionary journey to South Korea and Japan in April 2026, and our hearts are overflowing with expectation! He has clearly highlighted these two nations as the place to begin—preaching the Gospel, praying for physical and emotional healing, declaring freedom over the oppressed, restoring captive hearts, and boldly believing for resurrection life to be released through His power. Our plan is to work with Local churches doing outreach, and other activities with them to show God's love.

Last March, God spoke to us about entering a transitional season—one marked by three distinct phases within our missionary assignment. Since that moment, we have remained fully committed, saying “yes” to every opportunity to serve, build, and advance His Kingdom wherever He opens the door.

This will be our second missionary trip to Asia, and we are incredibly expectant for how God will move this time! In November 2023, we spent four weeks in Japan and South Korea on a reconnaissance trip. During that season, God allowed us to form powerful, divine connections—relationships that we are now ready to revisit, strengthen, and partner with as we work together for the Kingdom. We're sharing some photos that haven't been seen before from that previous Asia trip, and they remind us of one powerful truth: God is just getting started. We believe this next journey will carry even greater impact, because as His children, we move from victory to victory. Amen! We are ready, expectant, and excited for all that God is about to do.



These are some of the main reasons God has clearly placed South Korea and Japan on our hearts during this season:

## **South Korea**

South Korea is going through a very complex spiritual moment. Life moves fast, expectations are high, and cultural values are shifting quickly—especially among the younger generation. While people are still open to spirituality, many are moving away from biblical foundations. Issues like loneliness, mental health struggles, gender tension, and suicide (one of the highest rates in the world) are deeply impacting society.

Even the government has recognized this need, launching initiatives like “Seoul Without Loneliness” to address isolation and “lonely deaths.” Yet during our mission trip in November 2023, local Korean believers shared something very real with us: many young people are no longer interested in building their lives around the Bible. What they truly need isn't another system or program—they need Jesus, and a real encounter with the Holy Spirit that brings identity, healing, and hope.

## **Japan**

Japan's spiritual journey is deeply shaped by its history. Early Christianity was strongly persecuted, followed by over 250 years of isolation. When the country reopened, Christianity had lost its cultural roots and came to be seen as something foreign. Today, faith is often personal and non-exclusive, and social harmony is valued more than individual belief, which makes open Christian commitment difficult.

Because of this, our assignment in Japan is very relational. We come alongside local churches, serving together as extra hands and feet to share the Gospel—not as a forced religious system, but as a real, meaningful relationship with God, our Creator and Savior. Japan doesn't need religion; it needs an encounter with God's love.

Why this matters

- South Korea: ~31% Christian
- Japan: ~0.7–1.5% Christian
- Nepal: ~1.7–1.8% Christian

These numbers aren't just statistics—they represent real people, real stories, and hearts God deeply loves. This is why we go, why we serve, and why we invite you to partner with us in prayer and support. Together, we get to be part of what God is doing across nations—and that's something truly special.

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# REMEMBRANCE- NOV 2023-

## Missionary trip to South Korea

We had the incredible privilege of serving and sharing alongside our new friends from Nepal who are living and serving in South Korea, and it was truly a powerful and unforgettable time. As we gathered together, we exchanged testimonies, stories of faith, and real-life Kingdom experiences—each one pointing back to God's goodness and faithfulness.

The atmosphere was filled with unity, joy, and hunger for more of God. As the Word was shared and prayers were lifted, God moved powerfully within the congregation—bringing encouragement, renewal, and a deeper sense of His presence. Hearts were stirred, faith was strengthened, and there was a clear reminder that the Kingdom of God knows no borders.

Moments like these affirm why we say “yes” to the call. Seeing people from different nations come together, united by faith and purpose, reminds us that God is building something far greater than we can imagine—and we are grateful to be part of what He is doing.







We also had the wonderful opportunity to visit and serve alongside our dear friends in Jeonju, and it was such a refreshing and meaningful time together. It was a joy to reconnect, catch up, and share powerful testimonies of what God has been doing in and through our lives. As stories were exchanged, faith was stirred and encouragement flowed freely. Each testimony became a reminder of God's faithfulness and the strength that comes from walking in unity and partnership. These moments of connection not only strengthened relationships but also reignited vision and passion for what God continues to do in this region. Times like these remind us how vital Kingdom relationships are—and how much more God can accomplish when we walk together with hearts aligned and faith expectant.



Back in Guadalajara, we had the joy of meeting with our new friends from Jeonju, South Korea, who have faithfully been serving in Mexico for the past 25 years. It was truly inspiring to connect with people who have given their lives to advancing the Kingdom across nations and cultures.

During our time together, we shared meaningful conversations and powerful testimonies—stories marked by perseverance, faith, and God's unfailing faithfulness. The connection was instant and deeply encouraging, as we celebrated what God has done and dreamed together about what He is still unfolding.

Moments like these remind us that God is weaving a global story, bringing people together across borders for His purposes. We left that time strengthened, inspired, and grateful for the new relationships God continues to establish as we move forward in unity and vision.

# Jesus's Call Church-Sengawa Tokyo.

REMEMBRANCE- NOV 2023-Missionary Trip to Japan

Jesus's Call Church-Sengawa Tokyo.

We had the beautiful opportunity to visit and serve alongside Pastors Christian and Naomi at their church, and it was a truly special time of fellowship and unity. Together, we worshiped through song, lifting our voices as one, and created space for God's presence to move freely among us.

We prayed for one another, encouraging and strengthening each other in faith, and we shared the bread together— a powerful reminder of our unity in Christ and the love that binds us as one body. The atmosphere was filled with joy, gratitude, and deep connection, making the time both meaningful and refreshing.

Moments like these reflect the heart of the Kingdom: worship, community, and shared life. We left that gathering grateful for the relationship, encouraged by the fellowship, and expectant for all that God will continue to do through these growing partnerships. Jesus's Call Church has a call to make disciples to the Nations! So, what a blessing to us to serve them, love them, and empower them with prophetic words released from God's heart!





# Jesus's Call Church-Sengawa Tokyo.

## Good is so good!!!

Here are a few more photos capturing the fun, joy, and genuine connection we shared with this beautiful congregation. Each moment reflects the laughter, fellowship, and love that filled our time together. These memories remind us that serving God is not only about the work—it's also about celebrating life, relationships, and the joy of walking together in unity. We are so grateful for these moments and for the incredible people who made them so special.



## VISITING YWAM YOKOHAMA

We also had the wonderful opportunity to meet our new friend from Mexico who lives and serves in Yokohama, Japan. It was a true blessing to get to know Hugo and hear first hand about what God is doing through his life and ministry in the region.

As he shared his journey and the work unfolding in Japan, we were deeply encouraged by the faithfulness and momentum we see there. God is truly moving powerfully across Japan—opening hearts, building community, and drawing people to Himself in remarkable ways.

Connections like this remind us that God's work is global and beautifully interconnected. We left inspired, grateful for new friendships, and full of expectation for all that God continues to release in Japan.



## MEETING WITH MISSIONARIES WORKING IN JAPAN

We also had the joy of meeting new friends David and Ariene, who have been faithfully serving in Japan. Spending time together was incredibly encouraging, as we listened to their testimonies and celebrated all that God has been doing throughout the region. Hearing their stories filled us with joy and renewed faith—clear reminders that God is actively at work, transforming lives, opening doors, and moving hearts across Japan. Their obedience and passion are a beautiful testimony of what it looks like to serve with faith and perseverance. Moments like these strengthen our vision and stir our hearts with gratitude. We left inspired, uplifted, and even more expectant for what God continues to unfold in Japan.



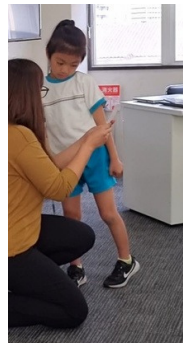


# VISITING AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AT OITA, JAPAN

On another special occasion, we spent an amazing day with our new friends Ray and Tsukasa, sharing meaningful time with the children they serve. These children are not only taking classes but are also growing in their understanding of the Kingdom of God, and it was a true joy to be part of their day.

We exchanged stories and shared a bit of our history from Mexico, bringing cultures together through laughter, conversation, and connection. We shared Mexican candies, spoke prophetic words over the children, and created space for encouragement and faith to grow. Yet one of the most beautiful moments was realizing how much we learned from them—especially in the way they hear from God with such purity, simplicity, and trust.

A short testimony we couldn't help but smile about: when we purchased the bag of candies back in Mexico, it contained exactly 10 candies. When we arrived at the classroom, there were exactly 10 children waiting for us. It was a sweet reminder that God is intentional in every detail. Even the candies carried purpose—proof that when God plans something, nothing is random. Moments like these fill our hearts with gratitude and wonder, reminding us that God is always at work, weaving His love and purpose into even the smallest details.





# VISITING MORIAH CHAPEL AT OKINAWA JAPAN

On the final stop of our journey, we were truly blessed to visit and serve alongside our new friends Sasagu and Junko, and it was a beautiful and memorable time. From the moment we gathered, there was such an openness and hunger for God. We shared testimonies and personal experiences, but above all, we had the incredible privilege of ministering the person of the Holy Spirit —welcoming His presence, His comfort, and His transforming love.

It was such a joy to witness the younger generation being filled with the love of the Holy Spirit—hearts opening, faith rising, and lives being touched in gentle yet powerful ways. The atmosphere was full of peace, joy, and expectancy, reminding us how faithfully the Holy Spirit meets us when we make room for Him.

After the service, we shared a wonderful feast together, breaking bread and enjoying sweet fellowship. Around the table, we exchanged stories from our lives in Mexico, and it was so encouraging to see how happy and inspired everyone was to hear about all that God is doing there. Laughter, connection, and gratitude filled the room. Moments like these remind us just how good God is and how beautifully the Holy Spirit connects hearts across nations and cultures. God is good!



# 2026 YEAR THEME: A FAITH THAT PERSEVERES

We want to say a huge THANK YOU to each and every one of you for walking this journey with us. Thank you for reading every newsletter with open hearts, faith, and expectation for all that God is doing—not only in our lives, but in the lives of so many others.

Your prayers mean more to us than words can express. They are sincere, powerful, and deeply felt, and we truly believe they carry us wherever God sends us. We are also incredibly grateful for your financial partnership, which makes it possible for us to continue stepping into the missions God has entrusted to us. This is not something we do alone—this is a shared calling, a Kingdom partnership. We are honored to walk alongside you, united in faith, obedience, and love for what God is building together. Thank you for being part of the story.

We thank God above all, and we are deeply grateful for our family, friends, and partners whose love, prayers, and generosity make this journey and every Kingdom impact possible.



**from Ruben & Consuelo Arredondo**

Prayer requests:

Please partner with us so that God will grant us more favor and grace with the body of Christ worldwide, with our community, and family. Also, please pray that God can grant us the finances to do His plans this 2026 and more wisdom and love from God to navigate this new season.

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