

"For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord." Luke 2:11

Quarterly Prayer Letter - Fourth Quarter, October to December 2024

Dear Pastors, Praying Partners, and Supporting Churches,

Trusting God that you all had a WONDERFUL THANKSGIVING and we want to wish everyone a MERRY CHRISTMAS! We've had an excitementfilled quarter with several events that have happened especially the most awaited celebration of the birth of our King Jesus! Roma spent many hours in planning for the arrivals of our guest speakers and their wives, creating flyers, decorations, Christmas specials every Sunday, practices, menus, games, cards and gifts for everyone, etc. None of these were even possible if not by the grace of God and your continuing prayers and sacrificial support. Thank you so much! As this year ends, we thank God for the two-and-a-half years of ministry He entrusted us here in Sasebo, the 22 salvation decisions, five baptisms, new and returning visitors. Sadly, many have relocated to another base, however, we are thankful to God for the remaining few, we are basically a NEW church. I thank the Lord for giving me the opportunity to teach them more about Jesus, His doctrines, and the importance of church. As we continue to preach Christ and reach the lost, our folks have enjoyed our monthly activities such as game nights, bowling during the holidays, Men's prayer breakfast and Ladies Bible study/fellowship.

Praises & Highlights:

Our folks honored me on my birthday and during Pastor's Appreciation month with gifts and precious wishes and prayers. Bro. Henry and wife Celeste Ward, Missionaries to Kobe, Japan was the guest speaker during our American-Japanese Friend Day. Keith and Mel, a Navy couple got baptized and were added to His church. Mel's cousin, Ethan, also got saved and baptized. Sunday Veterans Day service was a blessing. Evangelist Richard Harper was our guest speaker during our Thanksgiving Revival accompanied by his wife Kimberly. We had double baby dedication of two Navy families. The Lord blessed us with a wonderful Christmas worship service of visitors from Hongkong, luncheon of food galore, gifts exchange, with fun-filled games and laughters. Everyone had so much fun!

Soul-Winning:

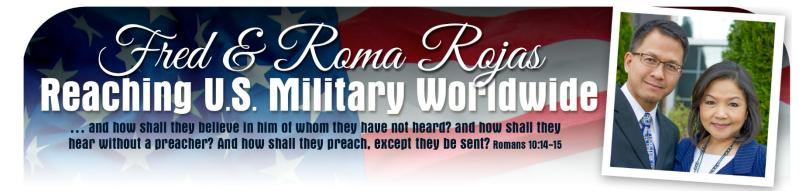
By God's grace we were able to hand out over 1,545 Gospel tracts at Ginza shopping mall (not including those we handed out during our errand days); five

Sailors (Kaylie, Erik, John, Kelvin and Zaylin) got saved, praise the Lord! The Gospel forever works! Let's go and tell them!

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Prayer Requests:

Please pray for these new converts to come to church whenever they are not on duty. God's anointing upon me and His will for us to have five years visa extension and stay in the mission field. Growth not only in grace but also in our membership, we need seasoned Christians who do not deploy to serve the Lord in different ministries. More Divine Appointments, more souls to be saved.

We thank the Lord for your love to missions, us/missionaries, and your words of encouragement. Many thanks to all those who gifted us with generous Christmas love gifts. Thank you for allowing us to represent you in the mission field and do what God has called us to do to bear fruit that may abound to your account. We love you and are praying for you.

Because Christ lives!

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