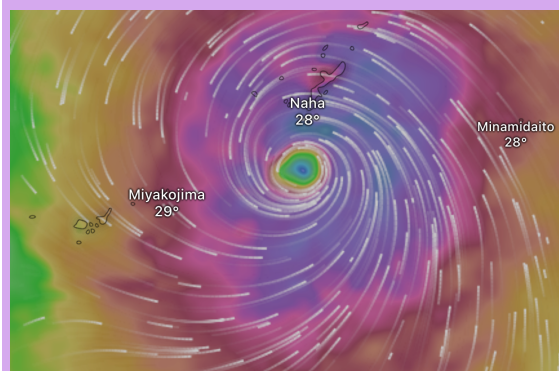


July

The Hosmer Family

2023

MONTHLY UPDATE - JAPAN/RYUKYU ISLANDS



Left: Japanese Woman after water baptism Above: Typhoon number 6 that hit Okinawa. Many lost power for over a week.

So much has taken place this last month! Several have received the Holy Ghost and baptized in both Uruma City and on Miyako Island.

-We have been flying back and forth from the Island of Okinawa and Miyako. We have been watching over the work in Miyako while Rev. Craig is on deputation. So much has changed on this island since we first started the work here. April of 2015 we first got the keys to the building we are currently in. This work has seen so many changes. The month of July is a very busy tourist time on the Island of Miyako. Festivals and

Tourists are flooding the streets. We recently had a service where the preaching was in English and translated into Polish, Japanese and even some Tagalog. Miyako is such a tourist hot spot and we get so many kinds of people here. One of our saints just baptized her coworker and she is actively seeking the Holy Ghost.

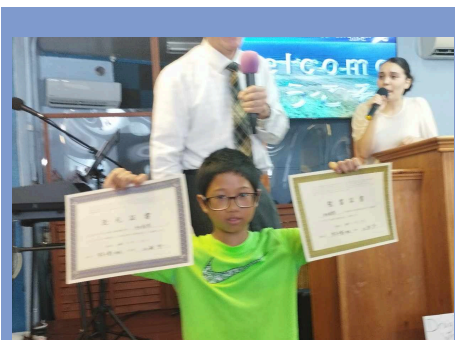
-This same saint traveled to Nagoya city and baptized a relative in Jesus Name!
-For some evangelism and fellowship we invited many people to the church in Miyako. All day long I prepared a beef brisket on a slow smoking BBQ

grill. We had so much fun making new friends and connecting with some older friends.

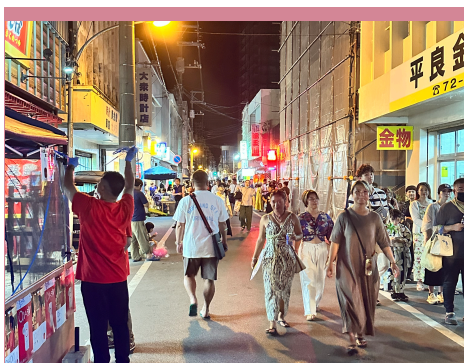
-We did have a pretty nasty typhoon come in and affect both the works in Okinawa and in Miyako. Many were without power for a whole week. I have not seen such a powerful typhoon in many years.

-Next month we will greet a new aimor to the team here.

-We just started our 4 semester of our Purpose Institute school.



Japanese Youth received his Holy Ghost and Water Baptism Certificates



Street festival downtown Miyako Island



Evangelism fellowship for Miyako Island