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Newsletter in 石川

3つの支援活動（心のケア、光塩ネットワーク、インターナショナルスクール）を行っています。

Noto Peninsula Earthquake Support Activities Report Food Distribution, Manual Labor, and Mental Care

We have been providing meals to affected people in various areas, including Uchinada, Anami, Nanao, and Wajima. This includes those in evacuation shelters and those who have begun to return home. Listening to everyone's needs, we have also started supporting with house cleaning and debris removal. To achieve this, Noto Help sent over 60 volunteers. Additionally, at an evacuation shelter in Anami, we are providing hand massages and creating an environment where evacuees can speak their minds.

On March 20th (Wednesday), a team of 10 Indians from Kanto was sent for food distribution. 500 meals of Indian cuisine were delivered to those in need. We continue to pray that we can continue to meet the needs of those affected by this disaster, according to God's will.



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Donation Information

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トクヒ・ホープ Tokuhi・Hope

普通 口座番号 ordinary account number

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Koen Network: Supporting Our Community

Koen Network is passionate about creating a safe space for children, running a community kitchen, and giving back to our community. Since last November, we've hosted the Hikari Kitchen every month. This welcoming space is open to everyone, from young children to seniors. In March, we celebrated Easter with a special community meal featuring everyone's favorite – curry rice! After enjoying the delicious food, we all had a blast playing Easter games and hunting for eggs.

Looking ahead to April, we're committed to supporting those impacted by the recent disaster. We're working with other organizations to expand our reach and provide assistance to more evacuation shelters. Our goal is to make a positive difference and help those in need.



IHI (Ishikawa Hope International School): Celebrating the End of the 2023 Academic Year and Embracing the New

On Friday, March 22nd, we marked the culmination of the 2023 academic year at IHI. The third semester commenced shortly after the Noto Peninsula earthquake, presenting our students with a period of significant change and challenges. Despite these trials, God graciously bestowed upon each child His blessings and spiritual growth. On Wednesday, March 14th, we embarked on our long-awaited ski excursion, cherishing the joyful moments we shared. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to God for guiding our steps throughout the 2023 academic year and to all those who supported us through their prayers and service.

Preparations for the new academic year are well underway. Our 入学式 (entrance ceremony) will be held on Monday, April 8th, welcoming one new student each to elementary and middle school. Additionally, God has led us to initiate a support program for families facing difficulties in sending their children to school. We will provide both in-person and online instruction to support these families.

As we embark on the new academic year, we pray that IHI will continue to walk faithfully in love for God, our students, and our neighbors.

"And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us."
(Romans 5:5)



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