



The ceremony of opening secondary school in Zambia

# The Cornerstone Orphanage Founding Family Homes Newsletter



Thank you for your support and cooperation in the work of children's welfare in Japan.

On February 12th, the ceremony of opening secondary school was held in Zambia, students who were going to the school, and all staff celebrated it with joy.

We would like to thank you for your great support here again.

Ms Oko Mutale, who is the main staff of Zambia, was telling us the needs of school since about three years ago, but we didn't think the school had built in such a short time. So we are surprised and rejoicing.

Ms Oko Mutale used to live in Kasenga in Zambia, and I once visited there about 10 years ago.

There was a school for children of neighborhood who couldn't go to school because of poverty, employed some teachers. It was the starting point of founding a school, and I hoped it would be a large school. We didn't have any money or any skill for that, but we learned it is very important to keep going on with a good vision, just like Ms Oko.

For Cambodia orphanage, Ms. Katsuko Maeda followed the procedures for renewing NGO authorization of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, with once in three years, and renewed without any problem. Ms. Katsuko Maeda is coming back to Japan in the middle of February. She is going to attend the report meeting, which is going to be held at Minami Otani city Nagano prefecture, and she is going to report about the activities of Cambodia orphanage. I will report you about the meeting in a newsletter for next month.

We ask for your continuous support for this year, too.

For the family home project, we need staff who bring up children and support staff who have licenses. In order to get the license, you need a diploma from the university or college of welfare, or you have to work at children's care center or nursery home for more than three years. If you would like to work for a family home, I recommend you to get the license first.

Please let us know if you have a will to work for a family home.

The Cornerstone Orphanage Chief Manager Ayumu Majikina

# We ask your support for setting up a family home

The Great East Japan Earthquake on March 11th 2011 caused great damage to the East Japan Japanese society, but as The Cornerstone Orphanage we supported the foundation of a family home in the disaster - stricken area.

The Cornerstone Orphanage is now working to expand our project all over Japan. We kindly ask you all to support us further more from our heart.

Director of The Cornerstone Orphanage

PAUL AKIMOTO

\*The Family Home is a project of fostering "children in need of protection" (children who do not have a guardian, or who are recognized as inappropriate to be taken care of by a guardian) in a home of a person who is an experienced foster parent, or a person approved by the ministerial ordinance of the Ministry of Welfare and Labor. (5 to 6 children will be accepted altogether)

## Project records

Total purchase price of the gross area( 703m<sup>2</sup>) of the family home called "A Branch of Almond Tree" in Koriyama city Fukushima prefecture 36,396,079 yen (March 2013 to June 2014), and the total cost of construction 41,052,945 yen (April 2011 to July 2016) we donated to the social welfare corporation "Karashidane no kai".

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Specified donation	the balance brought forward from the previous month	the amount income	the amount transferred to general account	the balance carried forward to the next month
Fund for a family home in Japan	¥11,190,115	¥224,820	¥179,051	¥11,235,884

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