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Church Planting
in Nagoya, Japan

THE CHRISTIAN'S MANDATE FOR MISSIONS



Matthew 28:18-20

And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

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2 Corinthians 5:20-21

Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

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Romans 15:20-21

from Jerusalem and all the way around to Illyricum I have fulfilled the ministry of the gospel of Christ; thus I make it my ambition to preach the gospel, not where Christ has already been named, lest I build on someone else's foundation, but as it is written,
“Those who have never been told of him will see,
and those who have never heard will understand.”

WHY JAPAN?

Acts 17:16-17

Now while Paul was waiting for them at Athens, his spirit was provoked within him as he saw that the city was full of idols. So he reasoned in the synagogue with the Jews and the devout persons, and in the marketplace every day with those who happened to be there.



WHY JAPAN?

- 2nd largest unreached people group in the world
- 1 church for every 20,000 people
- Over 1000 cities and towns with no churches or missionaries



Jesus is worthy of the worship of all people but he is not worshipped here!

Nagoya

4th largest city in Japan

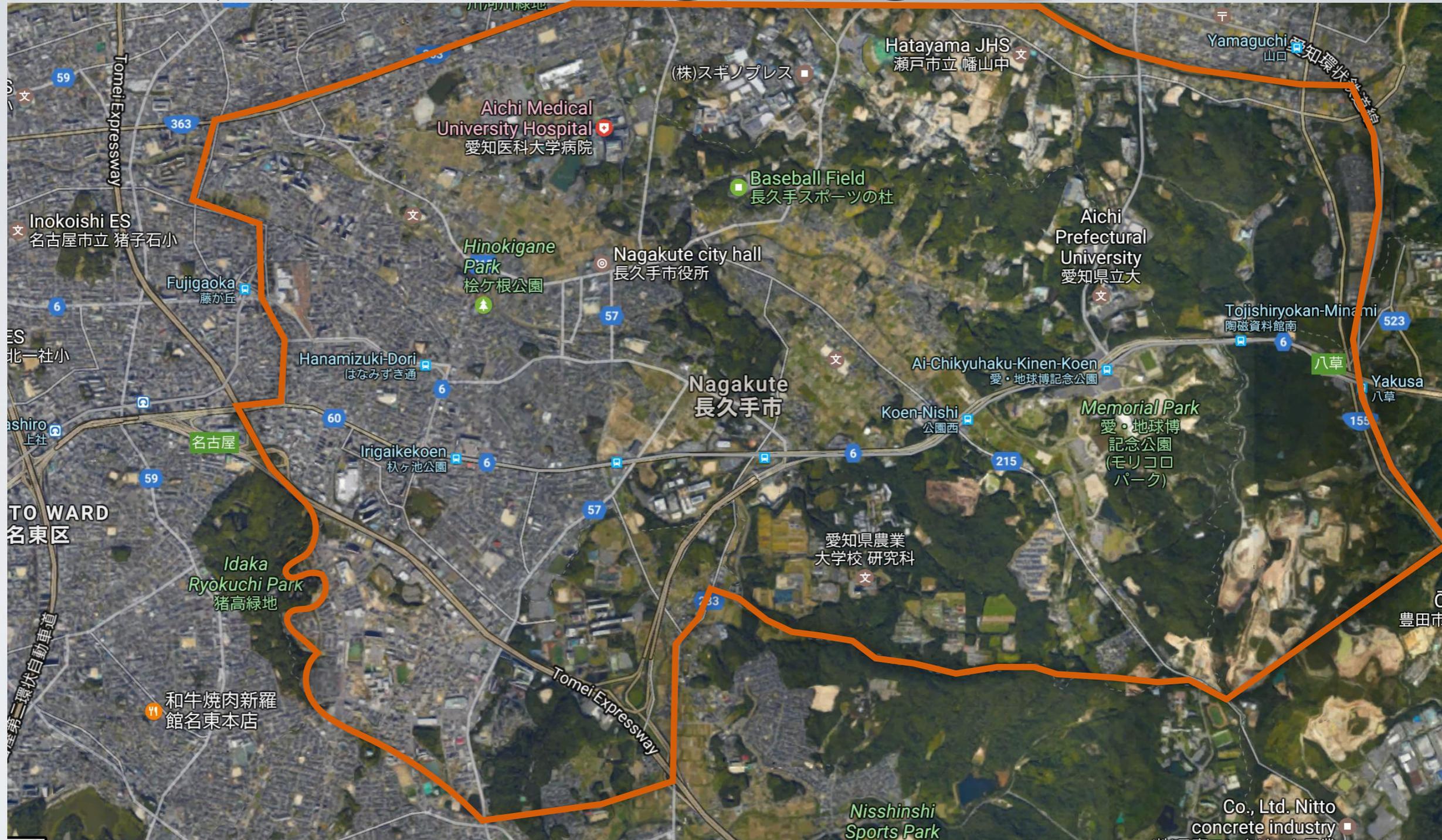
Home to nearly 10 million people

Home of Toyota, the largest auto maker in the world





WHY NAGAKUTE?



- It's a brand new city
- It's one of the fastest growing cities in Japan
- There are only 2 churches in a city of 60,000 people

WHY NAGAKUTE?



- Exciting possibilities

JOIN US

In Prayer!

To that end, keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints, and also for me, that words may be given to me in opening my mouth boldly to proclaim the mystery of the gospel... that I may declare it boldly, as I ought to speak. Ephesians 6:18-20

JOIN US

Financially

Monthly need
\$8,500

1. Daily expenses
(Please remember that Japan has a much higher cost of living than Seattle)
2. Ministry expenses
(hospitality, gas, books, conferences, transportation, etc.)
3. Children's education
4. We need a house
5. Saving
(retirement, college, emergencies, etc.)

Current support - Around **\$7,500**

Church Start up
\$50,000

1. 1 year rent
(Around \$1000 per month for the building and the parking lot)
2. Intern salary
(\$500 per month for 1 year)
3. Church equipment and stuff
(paint, chairs, lights, microphones, speakers, decorations, hymnals, Bibles, etc.)
4. Unforeseen expenses



Revelation 7:9-10

I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!”