

SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Acts 3:19 1 Pray for Sora's request that as the staff has holidays in Japan, they will be able to refresh in the Lord's peace during this short break from May 1-5.	Romans 4:15 2 Pray for the Romans translation team. They have been working hard on Romans 4:15, a difficult verse to translate into JSL, researching meaning to make it clear.	Joshua 6:27 3 Pray for the Joshua team as they have found Joshua 5:14 impactful and have gained strength from Joshua 6:27 that shows God kept His pledge to always be with Joshua.	Obadiah 1:15 4 Pray for the Obadiah team who have been impacted by Obadiah as Yahweh deals with Edom, sets up His kingdom and shows His sovereignty.	Ezra 10:4 5 Pray for the Ezra team as they hope to resume work on Ezra ch 7-10 in May. They are excited to move one step closer to bringing more of God's Word to Deaf in Japan.	Luke 14:28 6 Pray for Mr. Yamamoto, who shares that after watching Luke 14:26-35 he's devoted himself to knowing the parable of "building a tower" and "counting the cost."	Philippians 4:6-7 7 Pray for Ms. Yagi who is anxious about having clear and effective communication with the other staff members as she manages a lot of data.
Acts 2:28 8 Pray for the Fukushima Deaf Church as well as for Pastor Minamida and Tokyo Deaf Church as they worship today.	Jeremiah 17:14 9 Pray for Pastor Matsumoto's sister in law's salvation and for her healing from cancer.	1 Peter 3:15 10 Pray with Mr. Yamamoto that his family can live by the witness of Jesus and share the gospel truth with others.	Colossians 4:2 11 Pray with Ms. Otsubo that this difficult season of COVID will be over as soon as possible.	Luke 8:39 12 Pray with Uiko as she hopes the team can reach out to more people so they will learn of the dire need for the JSL Bible.	Psalm 121:1-2 13 Pray for Mr. Ogata who feels the difficulty of having effective clear communication while working from home.	Proverbs 2:6 14 Pray with Kohki for God's wisdom for the team to be flexible and find innovative ways to continue translation work.
Psalm 46:1-2a 15 Pray for Pastor Matsumoto and Yamagata Deaf Church as they worship today.	Philippians 4:13 16 Join Mr. Hori in praying for effective communication with a translator when using Zoom.	Galatians 6:2-5 17 Pray with Sora for the team as they talked about Galatians 6:2-5 reminding them of the importance of the work they are doing.	Psalm 30:2 18 Pray for Pastor Matsumoto who worries about getting sick while his immunity is low.	1 Thess. 2:10-12 19 Mr. Ogata is encouraged by 1 Thessalonians 2:10-12 that shows how he should share the gospel with others.	Psalm 5:3 20 Join Uiko in praying that this challenging time of COVID will end and then they can boost their Bible translation progress.	John 14:6 21 Pray for Ms. Yagi who is encouraged by John 14:6. She is thankful that she is united with God through Jesus.
1 John 1:7 22 Pray for Pastor Sakaguchi, his family, and Deaf Bible Baptist Church in Kagoshima as they worship today.	Matthew 6:34 23 Pray for Kohki who is worried for the exegetical team, that they can pay attention to details while also having multiple responsibilities.	Matthew 6:8 24 In Japan, the fiscal year starts in April. Please pray for Sora's request that the team will have stable financial and prayer support this fiscal year.	John 14:27 25 Pray for Uiko who gets anxious that while the staff work from home it is sometimes hard for her to see if everything is going well.	Ephesians 1:19-22 26 Mr. Hori would like to share Ephesians 1:19-22 because he wants to tell the great truth about Jesus' resurrection and God's great power.	John 1:1-5 27 Pray for Ms. Yagi, who would like to share that John 1:1-5 in the JSL Bible shows the meaning clearly and these verses touch her heart.	Luke 24:5-6 28 Pastor Matsumoto wants to share Luke 24:5-6 because he wants to share the great news about the resurrection of Jesus.
Psalm 113:3 29 Pray for Pastor Kori and her congregation in Hiroshima as they worship today.	James 3:13 30 Pray for Mr. Y and his family as he travels and serves many translation projects.	Matthew 5:16 31 Pray for God to bless the Tokyo office landlady and for her husband to seek Jesus.		This month 19 of the daily prayer Scriptures are from books that have been translated into JSL: Matthew, Luke, John, Acts, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, 1 Thessalonians, James, and I John. These prayer requests come directly from the team in Tokyo. Thank you for your prayers!  jslbible.org  info@jslbible.org  /vibi.japan		