Japanese in Switzerland

A t the end of WWII in 1945, Japan lay in ruins. However, the Japanese soon emerged as an economic power. Today their economy is the third largest in the world after the USA and China. In order to keep their multi-national corporations running the Japanese way, some Japanese moved to Western countries like Switzerland.

Ministry Obstacles

The Japanese are frequently pragmatic about religion. Many have become materialistic and secular. This attitude is an obstacle to the gospel.

Outreach Ideas

Believers in Switzerland can set up a place of rest where the Japanese can come for refreshments and view the JESUS Film in the Japanese language. Speakers and preachers can tell them about the ways of Christ. This would need to be done in a culturally appropriate manner.

Prayer Focus

Pray that the number of Japanese believers would grow spiritually. Pray that Japanese believers will have opportunities to share the love



■ jae-puh-NEEZ
POPULATION: 5,200

LANGUAGE: Japanese
RELIGION: Buddhism
BIBLE: Complete
STATUS: Unreached

of Jesus with their families and friends in Switzerland. Pray that Christian businessmen will have open doors to share the gospel with the Japanese. Ask the Lord to raise up strong disciple making movements among the Japanese in Europe.

SCRIPTURE In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. Genesis 1:1

PRAY that this people group will be in awe of the Lord for his creation and realize that he is the only one worthy of worship and devotion.

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