

Discipleship Resources: Japanese

Part 5: Organizations & Ministry Support

ORGANIZATIONS

These organizations provide unique resources and support.

- [Reaching Japanese for Christ Network \(RJC�\)](https://rjcnetwork.org/) (<https://rjcnetwork.org/>)
RJC� has many resources to assist missionaries and ministries. They provide online training and webinars. They host conferences and events to help facilitate networking.
- [The Mustard Seed Network](https://www.mustardseedjapan.com) (<https://www.mustardseedjapan.com>)
The Mustard Seed Network is a church planting organization in Japan that also has publicly available, cross-cultural discipleship resources on their website.
- [Second Level Ministry](https://secondlevel.org/en/about/) (<https://secondlevel.org/en/about/>)
Second Level Ministry offers resources from a Japanese perspective to support the spiritual growth of Japanese Christians.
- [Japanese Christian Fellowship Network \(JCFN\)](https://jcfn.org/) (<https://jcfn.org/>)
JCFN encourages outreach to Japanese living abroad. They also help returnees to transition back to Japan by helping them get connected with churches and other believers.
- [Japanese Evangelical Missionary Association \(JEMA\)](https://jema.org/) (<https://jema.org/>)
JEMA is a good place for missionaries in Japan to network and find resources.
- [The Gideons International- In Japan](https://www.gideons-jp.org/english) (<https://www.gideons-jp.org/english>)
The Gideons help get Bibles to locations beyond the church like hotels, hospitals, and other places where people seek hope.
- [OMF \(Overseas Missionary Fellowship\) Japan](https://omf.org/east-asia/japan/) (<https://omf.org/east-asia/japan/>)
OMF is a global fellowship of Christians with a heart for East Asia. The OMF Japan site provides Japan-specific information, as well as opportunities for mobilization.
- [No Place Left: Japan](https://www.noplacelleftjapan.com/basic-training) (<https://www.noplacelleftjapan.com/basic-training>)
No Place Left is a movement that helps to train and equip believers for disciple-making, evangelism, and church planting. They partner with local churches.

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NETWORKING

These groups are helpful for connecting with others and sharing resources.

- [The RJCN Facebook Page \(https://www.facebook.com/groups/24076595173/\)](https://www.facebook.com/groups/24076595173/)
The RJCN Facebook page helps connect and equip missionaries and church leaders. This is a good place to ask questions and inquire about churches and resources in a particular area.

LEADER DEVELOPMENT

These resources provide helpful information and training for ministry leaders.

- [RJC Webinar: Mentoring for Making Disciples Among Japanese, Mayumi Pohl](https://vimeo.com/335237051?fl=pl&fe=sh)
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Mayumi Pohl, from Second Level Ministry, discusses using a mentorship approach in discipleship among Japanese.
- [NPL Disciple- Making Training Videos](https://noplacelleft.net/four-fields/411-gospel-conversation-training/)
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