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Dearest Supporters,

The prayers you lifted to God for our women's retreat were extremely effective! All of the girls loved visiting Fallbrook and having an intimate weekend together. As I mentioned last time, our speaker was a fellow intern, Samantha Li. She challenged us to grow in trusting God and each other. The result was a beautiful time of vulnerability, confession, and deepening of sisterhood, which has continued back on campus!

My relationship with Madoka has also been growing. I've been studying the Bible with Madoka and Asuna, another Japanese student who accepted Christ recently! We've studied how to overcome feelings of uncertainty and unworthiness and will spend the next few weeks on more basics of Christianity. Both girls are so thankful for their Bibles and for the opportunity to continue learning. More recently, I saw Akiyo pray to receive Christ into her life too! I'm praying she'll join us or find a way to grow in her new faith!

On a more personal note, I'd like to announce my current plans for the future. I submitted an application to join staff with Campus Crusade for Christ this summer. I've almost fulfilled two years as an intern, and the Lord continues to show me the immense need for laborers of the gospel. This environment has been great for me to share Jesus with students and others in my life. I'm so thankful for the privilege of serving in this capacity and hope many of you will continue to serve alongside me. Your faithfulness in giving and prayer is touching and invaluable, and I appreciate you more than I can say!

Sincerely,

Christina

Upcoming Events:

- ◇ Spring break trip, March 28-April 1st UC Santa Cruz/homeless outreach
- ◇ Stump the Professor, April 29th Cal State Fullerton outreach; Dr. John Rittenhouse will speak and answer students' questions on apologetics

Prayer Requests:

- ◇ Continued growth and honesty in our Bible studies and discipleship times
- ◇ Protection and endurance for new Christians
- ◇ Direction for me as I seek to join staff