

# NICHIREN NEWS

July, 2020

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Please check the church website for scheduling updates.  
All dates on the Calendar of Events are tentative.  
<https://sacramentonichirenchurch.org>

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### July, 2020

5	---	no service
12	---	no service
19	---	no service
26	11:30am	Kaji Kito
26	noon	Church meeting

### August, 2020

2	---	no service
9	11:30am	Matsubagayatsu Persecution service
16	---	no service
23	11:30am	Obon service
30	11:30am	Kaji Kito
30	noon	Church meeting

## OBON SERVICE

Obon services will be held on **Sunday, August 23, 2020 at 11:30am**. The purpose of this service is to pray for the souls of our ancestors.

Please write the names of your deceased family members on the enclosed form, and return the completed form to the Church before the 11:30am service.

## FALL FOOD BAZAAR CANCELLED

The annual Fall Food Bazaar is cancelled this year due to Covid-19.

## CHURCH MEETING HIGHLIGHTS - 6/14/20

1. Agreed to stop the Summer Bazaar raffle ticket sales for this year. The sale of tickets will not be enough to cover the monetary prizes. Those who already purchased/sold tickets will be contacted.
2. Discussed having a rummage sale on the second Saturday in October.
3. The possibility of having some food items for sale was also discussed. Details to be determined.
4. Noted that there are still jars of takuan available for purchase.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

We gratefully acknowledge the generous donations from those listed below:

**Bazaar:** Marvin Tamai/\$100; Takashi Mizuno/\$100; Peter Kato/\$100; Liz Kono/\$100; Dawn Satow/\$80; Hiroshi Yamamoto/\$50

**Ohigan:** Keiko Lucas/\$100; Lily Hitomi/\$50; Gail Tanaka/\$100; Ruby & Gary Gotow/\$40; Fusako Okamoto/\$50; Kathy Mine/\$40; Susumu Fujiwara/\$40; Kiyoko Kuwabara/\$40; Renee Dennis/\$60; Yoshiko, Merry & Jane Hitomi/\$50; Mary Hughes/\$150; John Hughes/\$150; Brian Tsuda/\$40; Joe Hitomi/\$20

**Special donations:** Fusako Okamoto/flowers; Gary Gotow/\$100; Thomas Murray/\$200; Kenjo Igarashi/\$1,000; Amiko Kashiwagi/\$75; Kathy Mine/\$60

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS CONTINUED:

Mike Tamai/Yozo Yamada & John Hughes/face masks; John Hughes/\$100 for pest control; John Hughes/\$125 for security system; Mike Tamai & John Hughes/hand sanitizer

**Memorial:** Deardra Odem/\$200 (in memory of Thomas Murray); Renee Dennis/\$40 (in memory of Thomas Murray); Linda Tomita/\$200 (in memory of Mangoro & Shizue Kodani)

**Membership (\$240):** Joe Hitomi/\$240; Kathy Mine/\$240; Betsi Anne Nagasawa/\$60; Chiharu Yamada/\$240

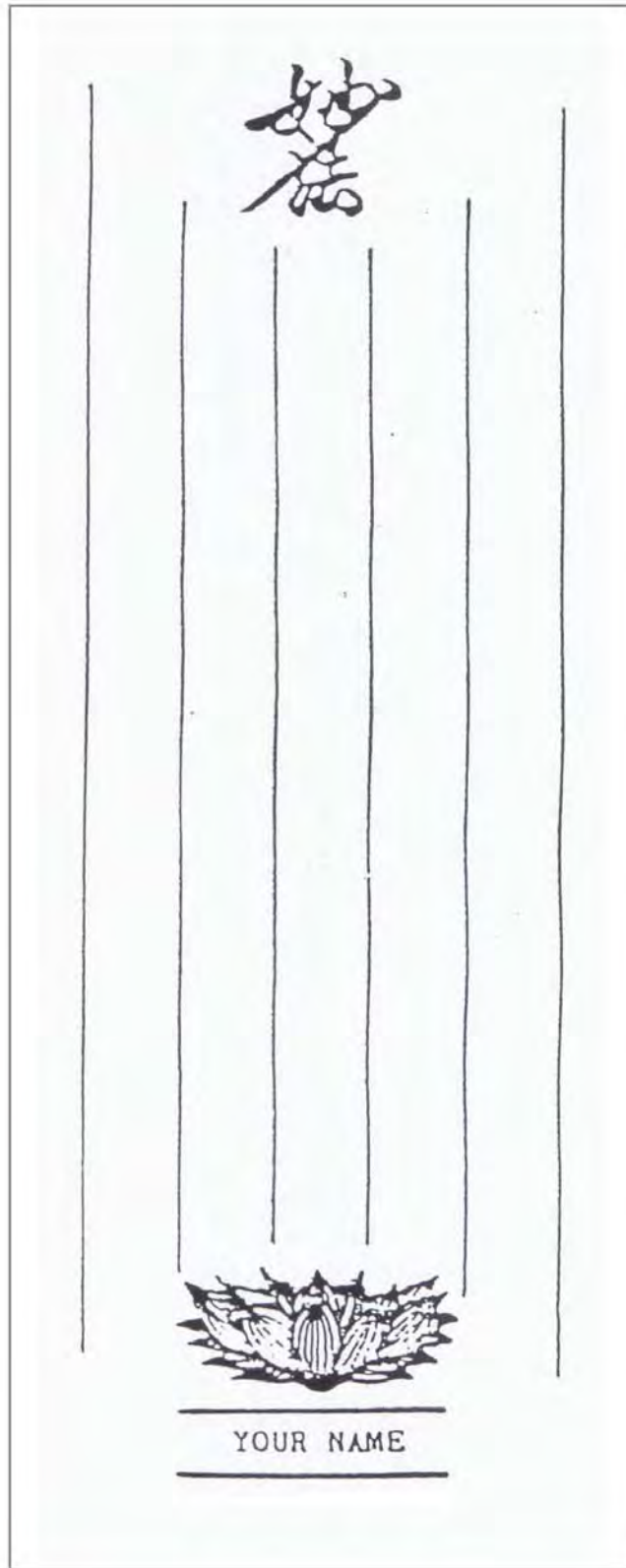
## CONDOLENCES

We offer sincere condolences to the family of our Daruma friend:

Thomas Murray who passed away on June 10, 2020 at the age of 75.



Write the names of your deceased family members on the form below, cut out the form and return it to the Church before the service.



YOUR NAME