



PAZ Japan is an Interdenominational, Evangelical Church Planting Mission in Japan. Fuse Jesus Community is a youth focused church planting initiative started by the mission.

Vision of Fuse Jesus Community:

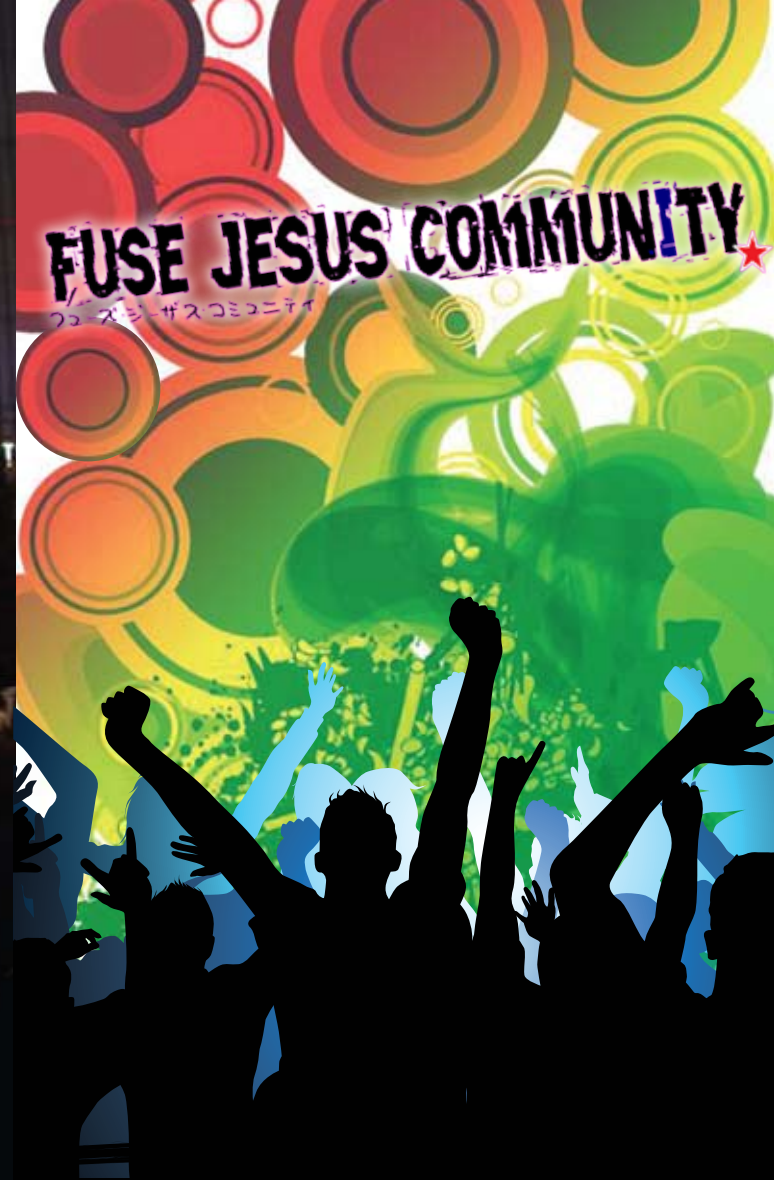
- **Reach the lost** with the Gospel to see them saved and transformed into radical followers of Christ. (Matt. 28:18 -20)
- **Multiply** workers for the Harvest who will spread the light of Christ across this nation and beyond. (Luke 10:2)
- Be a model that **inspires faith** and vision amongst Christians in Japan that God is building His church in Japan and nothing can stand in the way. (Matt. 16:18)

Goal: An explosive church planting movement that will impact every segment of society.

If you would like more information on PAZ Japan, Fuse Jesus Community, the missionaries working here or anything else, please visit:

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## Why Japan?

Many Japanese people are interested in spiritual things, but most don't have any Christian friends and have not even heard the Gospel. This is because contact with followers of Jesus is scarce; amongst approximately 128 million Japanese people, **only about 0.4% are Evangelical Christians**. According to the "Joshua Project", the Japanese are the world's second largest unreached people group. (For more information [www.joshuaproject.net](http://www.joshuaproject.net)).

Crime, drug abuse and depression are all on the rise. The suicide rate is over two times higher than in the U.S. **Japanese young people are tired of the materialistic "rat race"** their parents have been running and are looking for a way out.



## Why Machida?

We started near a train station called "Machida" where two major train lines intersect. There is a major university campus and many other colleges in the area. Machida City in Tokyo is a popular shopping area with many department stores, cafes, and clubs; all places young people hang out. **This places us right in the heart of a harvest field that is ripe and in need of workers.**

## Why Youth?

**Japanese youth are open to change!** We have discovered that Japanese youth are very disillusioned by the relentless drive for economic success they see in their parents' generation. When they can't fulfill their parents' financial dreams for them, they come under tremendous stress. Many youth are "rebellious" and seem more ready than ever to believe the claims of Jesus! We focus particularly on youth aged between 18 and 23. This age group tends to be more open, have more free time, and are key to the future of Japan.

## How do I get involved?

We are constantly in need of more missionaries to come and help us reach the youth of Japan. We're looking for people who have a passion for Jesus and a passion for youth. We need people who love to have fun and make friends easily; but at the same time are mature enough to handle other responsibilities.

We particularly need people who play instruments, are creative, play sports, are good with tech equipment, or have any other skills. **Whatever you can offer, there is always something to do and we always need more hands.**

### How can I help financially?

It costs about \$400 a week to rent the LiveHouse where we hold Fuse meetings. We are still about \$1000-a-month short of what we need to cover this and the cost of all the equipment and supplies we use.

Please also consider supporting the different missionaries working with Fuse. You can go to [www.pazjapan.org](http://www.pazjapan.org) and click on the link marked "Donate". Any amount helps!



## Job Description for a Fuse Team Member

**Role: Winning young people for Christ and raising up strong Christian leaders.**

Whether we're handing out flyers, doing street performances or going to universities, we're always trying to invite new people to church and develop influential friendships with them. For young people who are open or already saved we have "Life Groups", which are smaller meetings where people can fellowship and grow in their relationship with Jesus together.

Each team member has specific responsibilities depending on their gifts and our areas of need. Responsibilities might involve helping with games, greeting at Fuse meetings, creating power points, leading Life Groups, planning outreach events, playing in the band, etc. All missionaries also attend at least five hours of Japanese lessons per week, as well as team prayer and ministry planning meetings.

