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The Church of All Nations (Japanese Ministry)

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My family



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The Church of the Ascension Langley, B.C.



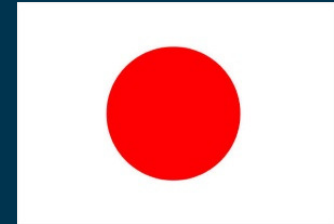
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Japan 日本

Population: 125.4 m (National Census 2010)



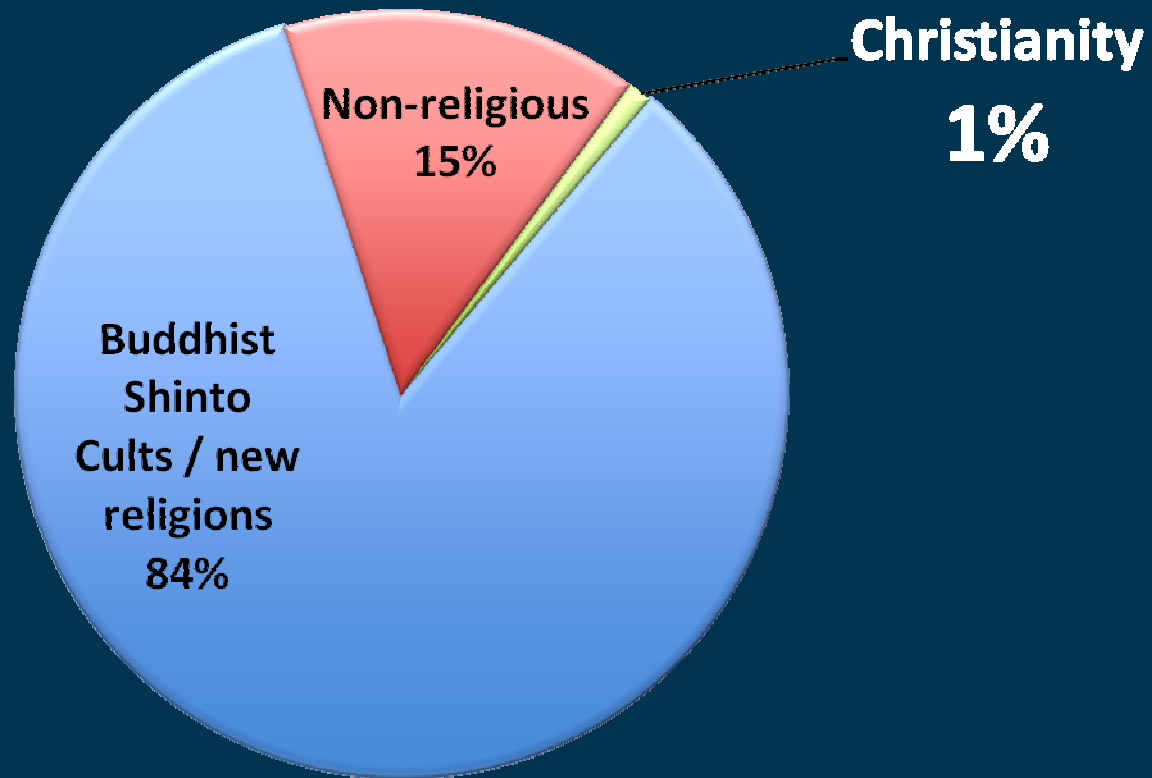
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Religions in Japan

(Operation Japan 2008)



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Christianity in Japan

- Over 600 years ago
- Facing persecution & rejections for centuries
- Japan is “hard soil”



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Churches in Japan

- Average: 20 - 30 people (mainly women)
- Problems:
 - Lack of pastors
 - Fail in training new leadership
 - Unsuccessful in evangelising the next generation



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Japanese Churches in Canada

- Average: 10 people
- Problems:
 - shortage of Japanese speaking pastors
 - aging demographic
 - financial problems
 - disappearing at an alarming rate



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Former members of the Holy Cross



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Present Ministry



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Bible Study Ministry

(10 – 12 adults regularly attend)



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Holy Baptism



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Nursing Home Ministry



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Joy of Baptism



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ESL Ministry



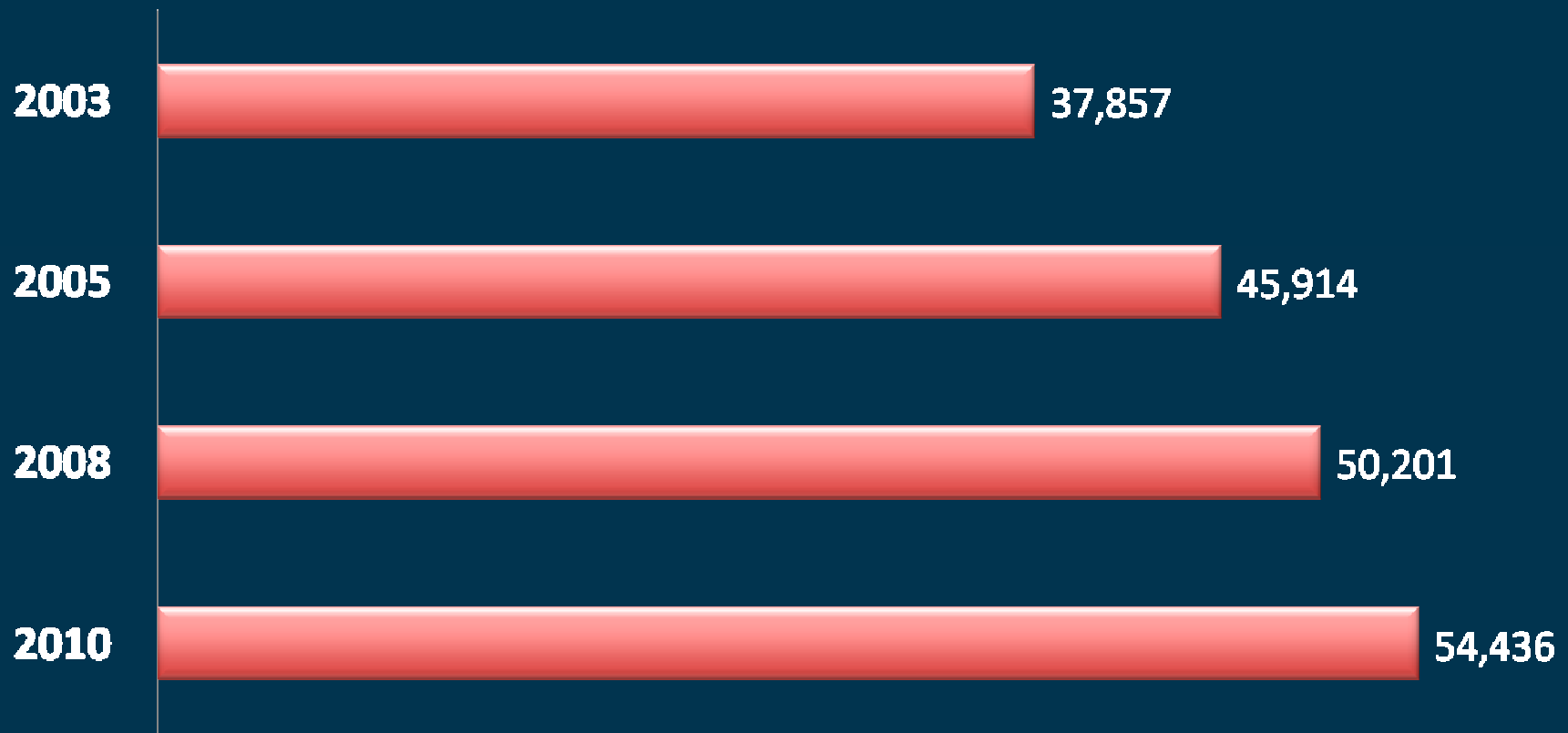
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Japanese Population Increase in Canada

(The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Canada)



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Revelation 7:9-10

Look! A great multitude that no one could count, from **every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages**, standing before the Lamb, crying out,

“Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!”



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Many nations from all continents



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The Great Commission

Jesus said, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. *Therefore,*

Go and make disciples of **all nations!**

Baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

And teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you.”



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