

March 14, 2011

**JANO 2011 Japanese Earthquake and Tsunami Relief Fund Donation Request**

On March 11, 2011 a 9.0 magnitude earthquake hit Northeastern Japan and caused a massive Tsunami that has been estimated as a wall of water over 30 feet tall – a wave that reached as far as 6 miles inland. The earthquake was strong enough to move the coastline of Japan by 8 feet and shift the earth’s axis by four inches (source: USGS – get specifics).

The extent of the damage and loss to Japan, people’s homes, towns and lives is immeasurable. All lost in the span of less than an hour. The effort to rebuild the affected Japanese communities will take the effort of not just Japan but all of us in coordination. And it will take years to accomplish.

JANO, the Japanese Association of Northeast Ohio, is creating a 2011 Japanese Earthquake and Tsunami Relief Fund. The actual dissemination of funds will be executed in consultation with the Detroit Consulate, our Corporate members, the Japanese School of Cleveland and other authorities to create the most positive impact for the dollar for affected communities.

We kindly request you donation to this fund. Please make your check payable to JANO and mail it to the following address:

**JANO  
P.O. Box 360977  
Strongsville, OH 44136**

If you have any questions please visit our website at <http://www.janosakura.org> (use EXACT url to an English page for this reason) or email us at [info@janosakura.org](mailto:info@janosakura.org)

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**Donation Amount:**

- \$5   \$10   \$20   \$40   \$60   \$80   \$100   \$120  
\$150   \$200   \$250   Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_