



A Blessing for your thoughts...

What things will you be grateful for
this Thanksgiving?

How can you show your gratitude
to Kami?



Heaven and Earth

A newsletter from Konko Church of Toronto

Church Events This Month

- Sun October 1st, 11:00 a.m. Monthly Kami Service
- Sun October 15th, 11:00 a.m. Monthly Mitama Service
- Sun October 22nd, 11:00 a.m. Ikigami Konko Daijin Grand Ceremony



October is a month that reminds Canadians to be thankful, as we enjoy a meal with family and friends on Thanksgiving.

For Konko believers, we also are reminded to be thankful during our Ikigami Konko Daijin Grand Ceremony. This service is to show our appreciation to our Founder, who's spiritual birthday is this month. He had a very trying life, but his devotion to Kami brought him many blessings. Possibly the greatest of these blessings was that through his experiences and words, he touched the lives of so many people and help many of them overcome their own trials. His Mitama/Spirit continues to help humanity today and it is through his prayers that we have been able to know and understand Kami. This is such a beautiful blessing and many have strived to become like the Founder. This is why we share our experiences with other believers, families and friends – in hopes that our words and prayers will help them through difficulties.

We look forward to seeing you at our Grand Ceremony!

Mitama of October

Isoda, Toyono	05Oct1950
Hepburn, Henry (Joe)	06Oct2006
Morishita, Tadashi	06Oct2008
Kuroda, Masayuki	06Oct2008
Kishii, Kumataro	07Oct1929
Koyama, Taka	07Oct1968
Yoshida, Kikuzo	07Oct2003
Koyama, Susumu	08Oct1990
Kumano, Jyukichi	09Oct1922
Morita, Machiko	10Oct1935
Ryoji, Eiichi	10Oct1946
Fukumoto, Susan	10Oct1960
Kobayashi, Osamu	10Oct2007
Kumano, Mitsunobu	16Oct1986
Hamnishi, Kahei	18Oct1908
Matsumoto, Shigeru	19Oct1935
Shintani, Sueno	20Oct1964
Nakano, Bunshiro	22Oct1973
Mori, Rikiniatsu	25Oct
Okamoto, Ichi	25Oct1944
Hagiwara, Asa	27Oct1972
Konko, Sotojiro	29Oct1933
Tanaka, Kazuo	31Oct1954

Feel free to join us for any service!

Rev. Takao Kishii is the Head Minister of our church and would be more than happy to speak with you. Please call ahead if you would like to visit the church to ensure someone is there to greet you.

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