

Video Screening: "Boiling waves of struggles all over the world" / Organizer's Address: Michitoshi Seki (President of Doro Chiba) / Solidarity Appeal: Federation of Workers' Union of Burma Citizen / Keynote Address: Kim Wonjoung (Original Endorser of Nationwide Movement of National Railway Struggle) / Video Messages from: Korea, Taiwan, U.S., Germany / Appeal from fighting foreign residents

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新自由主義・戦争と対決し労働者の国際連帯で闘おう!

Let's create international workers' solidarity and fight against neoliberalism and war!

Seven months into the war in Ukraine, an estimated 70,000 Russian and Ukrainian soldiers have been killed and tens of millions of working people have been thrusted into hell. U.S., European, and Japanese imperialism, in the meantime, has expanded its military aid to Ukraine, and instead of ending the war, they foment nuclear war against China, another world war.

Shortages of grain and other foodstuffs, oil and natural gas, inflation, and natural disasters are producing a situation, in which people in various parts of the world cannot find daily food. Their very existence is threatened. The number of refugees and internally displaced persons has exceeded 100 million for the first time (UNHCR), while the world population is estimated at eight billion.

Who has made the world as it is today? Neoliberalism has privatized public transportation, social welfare, health care and education, pushed workers into casual jobs, destroyed unions and made extravagant profits of capital. However, neoliberalism has failed in its every attempt and has finally reached the point where there it is no other way for its survival than to push for a world war.

Stop the military training of soldiers from Myanmar in the Self-Defense Forces!

In Myanmar, more than 3,000 people have been massacred by the state's army since the coup February 1, 2021. The Japanese government has, in spite of this, continued since then to enlist soldiers from Myanmar in the Self-Defense Forces of Japan as foreign students and give them military training—training to kill Myanmar people. It has also been



revealed that these students returned to Myanmar and took command of the Myanmar Army in the suppression of the democratic struggle and massacres of the people.

The Kishida government, which plans to comprehensively transform Japan into "a country capable of war" by a large-scale hike in military spending and revision of the constitution, inviting the Myanmar Army's "ambassador to Japan" to Abe's state funeral forced through on Sep. 27 and endorsing its military rule with an intention to use it as a springboard for a war of aggression against China.

The people of Myanmar in Japan continue to fight day after day for the victory of the Spring Revolution led by the youth. In South Korea, in the US. and Europe, in Russia and Ukraine, in China and Taiwan and all over the world, workers are unionizing in their own

workplaces, rising up in the struggle for life, shouting, "The current war is not ours!" and "Not to war, in which workers kill each other!" and standing up to reject collaboration with war.

It is time for us to overwhelm the world, strengthening international solidarity of workers, defeating patriotism and xenophobia which destroy our unity and divide us, and to involve the entire world in our struggle against war.

Let's join in Nov. 5 International Solidarity Rally and Nov. 6 National All-Out Rally!

On November 6, we will hold the November 6 National Workers' All-Out Rally in central Tokyo, and the day before, the November 5 Workers' International Solidarity Rally" in Chiba City. (See the box on adverse side.)

In 2003, our struggle against the war on Iraq made us closer to unions abroad. Since then, the November Workers' All-Out Rally has been held as an international solidarity struggle. In particular, the Seoul Regional Council of the Korean Confederation of Trade Unions have held the November Rallies jointly with us. This year, with the start of the war in Ukraine, international solidarity among workers must be further strengthened.

United workers can end the war and change the world. Because workers, not capitalists or politicians, run the world. We earnestly ask for your participation in and support of the workers' rally on November 6 and the international solidarity rally on November 5.