

# 10

× 365 DAYS



Once Upon A Time  
At 76  
ANG LEY KEOW

My Special  
FaithActs Moments  
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A Mustard Seed  
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# TRANSFORMED!

FAITHACTS 10TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE PUBLICATION  
& ANNUAL REPORT (2013 - 2014)

## Congratulations!

My heartiest congratulations to FaithActs for growing from strength to strength, and keeping the faith burning bright in diligent and earnest service to those in our community.

**DR CHIA SHI-LU**  
MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, TANJONG PAGAR  
GRC & FAITHACTS PATRON

Congratulations to FaithActs on its 10th Anniversary.

We admire your triumphs and commitment in improving the lives of Children, Youth and Senior Citizens. With thanks and appreciation, we look forward to many more years of collaboration in carrying on the good work. Happy 10 years anniversary!

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT TEAM**  
LEVI STRAUSS ASIA PACIFIC DIVISION  
PTE. LTD.

It has been a privilege to serve alongside the dedicated team at FaithActs as Chairman of Simply Golf (2012) and FaithActs Charity Golf (2013). The 10-year long commitment that FaithActs has demonstrated in service to the community and its continuous outreach to the less privileged amongst us has been remarkable. Congratulations to FaithActs on achieving this significant milestone, and may God continue to bless FaithActs and its devoted team for many more years to come."

**MR BERT CHOW**  
CHAIRMAN  
SIMPLY GOLF 2012 & CHARITY GOLF 2013

Congratulations FaithActs on turning 10! You've done so much for the underprivileged in our communities. Well done and here's to decades more of making a positive difference in Singapore!

**MS AIDA MARIA MEKONNEN**  
CORPORATE AFFAIRS MANAGER, ASIA  
NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK

"Corporate volunteering is a core tenet of **STATE STREET** value. We wholeheartedly embrace it as our dedication to and appreciation for the society we live in. Our Community Support Program Committee organizes various volunteer activities throughout the year and has received strong support from our employees. In addition, the Employee volunteer programs provide strong platforms for leadership and skills development.

Our volunteers feel happy and connected to beneficiaries they interact with such as those at FaithActs. It is our hope that through our corporate philanthropic effort over the years, we can uplift the conditions of the less-advantaged citizens and have meaningful impact in their lives.

Please accept our heartiest congratulations on your 10th anniversary in transforming lives. We look forward to deeper and mutually satisfying partnerships with you in the years to come."

**STATE STREET COMMUNITY  
SUPPORT PROGRAM (CSP) COMMITTEE**  
MS AINI NJENDU, VICE PRESIDENT, PMP  
MR NG KHENG SIANG, VICE PRESIDENT, CHAIRMAN OF CSP

We hope to encourage our employees in the basic act of giving. Thanks to FaithActs, we were able to reach out to the less privileged and repay to our society. Congratulations on this milestone achieved, here's to many more 10 years ahead!

**MR TAN CHOON YONG**  
DIRECTOR  
HERMES-EPI TEK CORPORATION  
PTE LTD

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## Congratulations!

On behalf of New Town Primary School, I would like to extend our warmest wishes to you as you celebrate your 10th year of remarkable service to the community. We are very much heartened by the work that FaithActs has done for many of our pupils and also for those in the neighbourhood. With your team of dedicated staff, I am sure the community will continue to benefit greatly from the grace and love you have shown to them. We wish you all the success for many more years to come as you celebrate this important milestone! Our Heartiest Congratulations!

**MDM IRENE NG**  
PRINCIPAL  
NEW TOWN PRIMARY SCHOOL

This year, FaithActs crossed a significant milestone in impacting, changing and transforming lives. We have seen and heard the wonderful testimonies from the beneficiaries on how they were touched through the services of FaithActs. Congratulations on your 10th Anniversary and wishing FaithActs many faithful and fruitful years ahead in sharing the love of God by serving the community.

**REVEREND EDWIN WONG**  
PASTOR-IN-CHARGE, FAITH METHODIST CHURCH

Congratulations FaithActs, for 10 years of fruitful community service!

11 February 2014 was a special day for Local Corporate's staff at Standard Chartered Bank Singapore - we get to celebrate Chinese New Year and "Lo Hei" with FaithActs' seniors. More than that, FaithActs taught us the joy of giving, sharing and loving. We can see your good work simply from the genuine smiles of the seniors, no one seemed to come to FaithActs without leaving happier.

May you continue to be a sweet blessing to the community around you for many more decades to come.

**MR YAP TAT MING**  
DIRECTOR (LOCAL CORPORATES)  
STANDARD CHARTERED BANK

Congratulations to FaithActs on celebrating your 10th Anniversary. You have been a wonderful partner in helping us nurture our students to become active contributors in improving society.

**MR LIM SHI ZHI**  
ASSISTANT HEAD (CITIZENSHIP)  
RAFFLES GIRLS SECONDARY SCHOOL

Rosa Parks once said, "Memories of our lives, of our works and our deeds will continue in others." This is what FaithActs has made possible for our students.

Thank you, FaithActs.

**MS SYAHIDAH BINTE IBRAHIM**  
ASSISTANT HEAD (SERVICE LEARNING)  
RAFFLES GIRLS SECONDARY SCHOOL

## Once Upon A Time At 76

ANG LEY KEOW

I love stories.

My favourites are those celebrating the triumph of the human spirit and people at their best.

The vision of a few supported by the acts of faithfulness and generosity of many, became a reality at Block 76 Commonwealth Drive in 2004.

FaithActs first Management Committee Chairperson Albert Lim and his group of pioneers envisaged a community service agency that reached out to and impacted the lives of people through the provision of social programmes and services. It was to be a hub which offered youth healthy pursuits, good role models and mentorship; a centre where they could be nurtured to realise their potential; where they would find meaning, purpose and love.

Above all, through FaithActs, staff, volunteers and Faith Methodist Church members could share the love and light of Christ through their words and acts of love to those whom we served.

FaithActs has grown in the last 10 years in breadth and depth. Beginning with programmes for youth and since late 2011 - when I worked with the leadership team as Management Committee Chairperson, reaching out to serve

seniors and families as well. This has enabled us to reach out to and embrace whole communities with our distinct Christian love.

We are truly blessed!

FaithActs has reached out to 3185 people through 11 programmes over the last 10 years, supported by an extensive network of 335 partners and sponsors. These numbers are set to grow. Indeed, it is people and corporates at their best!

To commemorate a decade of faithful years of service to the community, I am delighted to share with you these stories of transformation.

May they inspire us at Block 50!





## Our Milestones

- 2014**
  - Launched Community Service Learning Journey programme with schools
  - Launched PSLE graduation celebration for youth
  - Launched Marriage Preparation Course with support from then MCYS
  - Featured in Channel 8 "Project Dream Home" TV programme
  - Began operation at Block 50 Commonwealth Drive
  - Conducted WOW! Seniors Workout programme at Dover Road
  - Launched KidsLEAP - English Language programme
  - Launched Circuit Low Mobility Exercise programme for seniors at-risk of falls
  - Featured in Channel 8's "Stars Day Off" TV programme
- 2013**
  - Partnered NEA for hawker centre "Tray Return" initiative
  - Featured in Channel 5's "President's Star Charity" TV show
  - Partnered Tan Tock Seng Hospital for seniors "Stepping Out" programme
- 2012**
- 2011**
  - Organised FaithActs Open House that attracted 900 residents
  - Organised a Community Dinner for 1000 residents
  - Participated in 3-day "Quality Of Life" exhibition at Suntec Convention Hall
- 2010**
  - Accepted as a beneficiary of President's Challenge 2010
  - Organised FaithActs Open House that attracted 900 residents
  - Organised a Community Dinner for 1000 residents
  - Participated in 3-day "Quality Of Life" exhibition at Suntec Convention Hall
- 2009**
  - Granted Institution of a Public Character (IPC)
  - Launched WOW! Seniors Workout Programme
- 2008**
  - Launched bursary for special needs and needy students
  - Organised FaithActs first Honours Night to recognise, appreciate volunteers and partners, and to inspire at-risk students
- 2007**
  - Launched volunteer development programme
  - Launched School Social "STEP-UP" programme for at-risks students
- 2006**
  - Accepted as a member of National Council of Social Services
  - Organised Community Health Screening on osteoporosis
- 2005**
  - Launched soccer clinic for youth
  - Launched tuition programme for primary and secondary school students
- 2004**
  - Launched as first youth centre at Queenstown following approval by Registry of Societies and Commissioner of Charities
  - Organised first Charity Golf Event at Raffles Country Club

## A Mustard Seed

MING FEONG CHING

As chaplain of FaithActs over the past one year, I am delighted to witness many stories of individuals who were touched by both staff and volunteers of the centre. What is truly heartening is seeing lives transformed through love and care expressed in simple ways like listening, visiting or through the provision of a meal. FaithActs exists because people today still need that personal touch.

When we needed help to work with a group of youth, I was impressed that FaithActs volunteers were all ready to assist. Their enthusiasm and efforts in enabling and creating opportunities for the younger youth to come together in a meaningful and enriching programme paid off. Over a mere four months period, we have about 50 youths who gather monthly to connect, communicate and contribute to each other's growth and development through games and activities. They learn to express love through care and concern for the younger youth and share with them growing pains and gains.

Seeing these FaithActs youth grow in maturity and contribute back to the lives of the younger youth, has been most gratifying and indeed a joy. The FaithActs acorn has grown into an oak tree in the past 10 years. I am fully confident of the bountiful harvest of many more stories of impacted and transformed lives in the years to come.

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## Disclosure Report

### RESERVE POLICY And RESERVE POSITION

	RESERVE POSITION as at 31 July 2014	FY2013/2014	FY2012/2013
A	Accumulated fund-Unrestricted	816,626	619,360
B	Total Annual Operating Expenditure	1,190,019	1,036,597
C	Ratio of Funds to Annual Operating Expenditure (A/B)	0.69	0.60

The audited financial statements are posted on our website: [www.faiithacts.org.sg/about.html](http://www.faiithacts.org.sg/about.html)

### Reserve Policy

The reserves are not expected to exceed the equivalent of one year's expenditure of the organisation, and are maintained to provide working capital and to enable FaithActs to develop over the longer term.

### Trustee Remuneration and Related Party Transaction

No member of the management committee received any remuneration during the year. The income of top three executives is in the band of sixty to hundred thousand per annum. Staff and management committee members made annual declaration of potential conflict of interest.

## Growing With Faith

MICHAEL TIEW

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I joined FaithActs in 2004 to pursue my calling and passion to contribute to the society, namely working with and nurturing youth to be the best that they can be.

I was concerned for youth lacking direction and purpose and was determined to help them realise their potential and grow into good citizens. FaithActs youth programmes could engage, guide and inspire the next generation.

Working with youth has been most gratifying - a blessing to be able to impact and make a difference in the lives of others. I have seen how our programme participants have grown in strength and confidence into upright citizens, many volunteering their time with us to mentor the next generation of youth. This paying it forward for a virtuous cycle never fails to bring warmth to my heart and motivates me to give my best at FaithActs.

Paralleling the growth and development of FaithActs, I have in the last few years, turned my focus to programme for couples entering marriage and parenthood. Yes, a more grown up client group but as rewarding an experience as working with the young ones! And in a sense, growing alongside and graduating with programme participants. The opportunity to put together programmes

to strengthen the institution of marriage and to prepare couples for parenthood, not to mention for me to dialogue and share experiences and perspectives with them, is, to borrow the tag line from a credit card advertisement, "priceless!"

Malcom Gladwell posits practicing a specific task for 10,000 hours to become truly good at it. My 10 years at FaithActs have been a remarkable journey - being transformed, even as I work with my team to impact, change and transform lives. I know the next chapter will be even better.



## Our Patron & Management Committee Members



Patron since 2011  
Dr Chia Shi-Lu  
Member of Parliament  
Tanjong Pagar GRC

### Management Committee Members (2013-2014)



Koh-Ang Ley Keow  
Chairperson



Tan Chow Boon  
Vice Chairman



Albert Lim  
Secretary



Wong Kron Joo  
Assistant Secretary



Lily Chua  
Treasurer



Woo Siew Leng  
Assistant Treasurer



Cindy Koh



Edmund E



Lee Gee Aik



Lee Wee Leong

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Reverend  
Edwin Wong  
Pastor-in-Charge



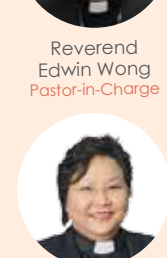
Patrick Phong



Susan Niam



William Sim



Reverend Ming  
Feong Ching  
Chaplain



Shirley Ng  
Executive Director

### First Management Committee Members (2004-2005)



Seating: Charlie Chia, Tricia Ng-Yeo, Albert Lim, Edmund E  
Standing: Debra Mok, William Sim, Helen Wong, Shirley Ng, Tan Wee Fong, Quek Peck Leng, Cindy Koh, Kenneth Lo, Wong Kron Joo

## My Second Home

GOH HONG JIE

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Following in my elder brother's footsteps, I joined FaithActs as a youth club member when I was in Primary 5. I participated in several youth activities and attended the volunteer-run tuition programme. I grew in confidence, as I started to win medals in mathematics at national competitions, eventually topping the O-level examinations in 2005.

FaithActs also provided me with opportunities to develop and demonstrate my writing skills, including penning and publishing the story on my participation in its overseas expedition to Surabaya, Indonesia in 2010. The following year, I took up the challenge to produce a newsletter to report on FaithActs service learning trip to Siem Reap, Cambodia.

I was particularly honoured to be selected as FaithActs first youth intern in 2012. In this capacity, I assisted the youth team to run programmes and was consulted on youth issues and concerns. I even engaged potential sponsors to support fundraising activities. I am very proud to have secured a corporate sponsor who contributed prizes for the Go, FaithActs Go! 2012 fund raising activity.

FaithActs is my second home. I now serve the community as a youth leader of my close-knit family.





## Our Team

### Current Team (2013-2014)



FIRST ROW: SANDRA WOO, CALLY NG, BETTY CHAN, SHIRLEY NG, LIM SOK HWEE, SHARIFA BTE MOHAMMAD SHARIF, PATRICIA TAN, JEAN HONG, GOH SIONG CHU, MICHAEL TIEW.  
BACK ROW: IAN BINNY, BRIAN ZHANG, IVAN LAM

### First Team (2004-2005)



LINDA SY, MICHAEL TIEW, PRISCILLA ZHENG, TRICIA NG-YEO

## WOW! She's Living It Up

BETTY CHAN

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The participants of FaithActs WOW (We're of Worth) programme never fail to bring a smile to my face. I have been with the seniors programme team since 2011, inspired daily by the stories of transformed lives of the more than 160 participants from the Tanglin Halt and Commonwealth housing estate. One of them is Madam Ng, 80 (picture below).

Prior to joining our seniors programme in 2012, Madam Ng's life revolved primarily around her husband. She could not develop her own social network, living at the beck-and-call of her husband. After he passed on, her life became empty and directionless. Having no children and friends, Madam Ng lived a sad life of quiet solitude at home for several years. She needed quite a bit of coaxing by FaithActs volunteers to step out and be welcomed into the FaithActs family. Eventually taking a bold step of faith, she agreed to try out the exercise programme.

Thereafter, there was no turning back!

Today, Madam Ng is a regular at FaithActs, spending her weekday mornings participating in programmes and interacting with other seniors, effectively keeping herself physically and mentality active.

In subsequent conversations in Hokkien with Madam Ng,

she shared with me that she had never felt so cared for in a very long time and that she had a new confidence that her years ahead could be purposeful and meaningfully spent with many friends at FaithActs. Her eyes lit up as she speaks of her daily workouts and (board) games with "peng you". Listening to the joy in Madam Ng's voice brought a warmth to my heart.

A reinvigorated Madam Ng performs regularly with fellow seniors at FaithActs events. She is a silver star who is living up it up in her golden years.





## Our Volunteers



## Faithful Scholar

JASON SIM



I am a FaithActs scholarship holder and I volunteer in FaithActs Seniors Programme. My desire is to make a positive impact on someone else's life and to give back to society. You could say that my life had been transformed by FaithActs, though the good values it inspired through services and programmes for academic and character development.

I became a youth member of FaithActs around the time it was set up in 2004.

I was not coping well with my studies. This was apparent from my less-than-flattering grades. I needed help. But private tuition was not an option, owing to financial constraints. Fortunately, there was the FaithActs' Tuition Programme option which provided youth with academic coaching at a subsidised rate of only ten dollars per month. I enrolled for the Programme and credit it for the improvement in my grades and overall academic growth. My good grades and academic potential in turn enabled me to obtain a scholarship from FaithActs which covered much of the cost of my pursuing a university degree, allowing me to focus on my studies and not be distracted by financial concerns.

I see and have greatly benefitted from the good that FaithActs does for youth, seniors and the community at large. It is my time to impact, change and transform lives.









## Our Volunteers



## I Will Follow You

LOW CHWEE HUAT

I retired as an ambulance driver in 2012. But I wanted to continue to make a contribution to society so I volunteered to drive the FaithActs van to transport seniors to the centre for activities. My experience with the seniors has been nothing short of a blast as they are such a joy to chat and banter with on our daily journeys. They may be senior in age, but they are more than capable of witty repartee.

Perhaps it had something to do with the joy my wife Liew Ah Kim saw in me each day heading for and from my van-driving duties, but my wife soon joined in FaithActs recreational and exercise programmes. First as a participant and subsequently volunteering to assist with outings, ensuring that the older participants were always safe, well-catered for and attended to. This in turn, spurred my "graduation" from driver to step up higher as activity organiser, teaching seniors to do simple art and craft.

My wife and I now volunteer with the running of the seniors' exercise programme over at FaithActs Dover Centre. The joy from the faces of participants is too just too contagious.





## Our Special Friends and Well-wishers



## Tweeting about The Joys of Volunteering

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**Henry Auw** @henryauw

3h

The joy of volunteering comes from serving and caring for others.

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**JohnMatthewChoo** @johnmatthewchoo

3h

My FaithActs "moment" was an enriching and meaningful experience as I get to see the children learn and improve in their studies.

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**Sr volunteer** @srvolunteer

4h

My FaithActs "moment" is when I see the smiles and happiness of those whom we offer our help to.

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**Chee Hoe** @cheehoe

6h

My FaithActs "moment" is learning from the staff which is fun and exciting.

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**Jarold Yeo** @jaroldyeo

7h

Volunteering with FaithActs enables me to bless others and to be blessed in turn.

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**Senior Volunteer** @seniorvolunteer

12h

Volunteering with FaithActs to impact lives is the best way of showing love to others.

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**John Song** @johnsong

14h

The joy comes from seeing beneficiaries feel so cared for and comforted by the human touch.

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**Michael Giang** @michaelgiang

15h

I volunteer because it is a joy to serve the community and to see their smiling faces. I feel blessed to be able to help others.

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## Our Donors (2013-2014)

Ang Carolyn	Giang Michael	Lim Buay Lui	Peh Oon Bee Lilian	Tan Tiem Phong
Ang Jin Choo Sylvia	Goh Boon Hwa Ivan	Lim Chee Hwee	Phong Patrick	Tan Tiong Tee Christie
Chan Cailling Joy	Goh Teck Jin	Lim Cheng Hong	Prachsanee Uffachai	Tan Wah Heng James
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Chan Kok Yew	Han Tock Mui Kelly	Lim Liu Fern Rebekah	Seah Soh Bah Paul	Tang Kwok Seng
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Chang Hwai Cheh	Ho Mabel	Lim Siew Choo	Seetoh Jolene	Tay Chai Leng
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Chow Heng Kit Kenneth	Lang Siew Ping	Ng Bee Hoon Kris	Sylvana Ingrid Jusuf Hanafi	Tung Siew Hoong
Chow Kok Meng Bert	Lau Nelson	Ng Cheng Thiam	Tan Boon Khiong	Wee Helen
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## Our Sponsors (2013-2014)

5Stones Pte Ltd	Health Outreach	Shirol (Singapore) Pte Ltd
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ExxonMobil Asia Pacific Pte Ltd	Queenstown Chinese Methodist Church	Xali Pte Ltd
Faith Methodist Church	Seacold Seafoods (S) Pte Ltd	YM Holdings Pte Ltd

## My Special FaithActs Moments

CHERYL WEE

I participated in the 2010 President Challenge at the Istana where FaithActs was one of the main beneficiaries present. Having performed an item with about 20 FaithActs youth, I was deeply touched by their passion and enthusiasm in putting up a good performance. They were wonderful performers who really livened up the event, embodying the true spirit behind the President's Challenge.

FaithAct's Simply Golf networking event in May 2012 left a similarly deep impression about FaithActs' cause and contributions to society. I was very privileged to watch the senior beneficiaries perform a traditional Malay dance. It was clear to all that they thoroughly enjoyed themselves participating in FaithActs programmes.

My third encounter with FaithActs was with beneficiary Coris - a single mother of a son with a medical condition, through the Project Dream Home" programme. I was happy to be able to help transform Coris' house into a conducive and comfortable home to live in.

The awareness and these encounters prompted me and my MediaCorp

colleagues Hong Hui Fang and Zeng Geping to feature FaithActs beneficiaries in an episode of "Star Off Day" in May this year. The FaithActs seniors were so thrilled to spend the morning exercising with us, putting on their brightest smiles for the cameras. We in turn were delighted to fellowship with them over a hearty popiah meal.

I have been touched by FaithActs and am proud to be part of the family.





# 10

## The Next 10 Stories At 50

SHIRLEY NG

Looking back, 2004, 2009 and 2012 were FaithActs defining moments. We began as a youth drop-in centre, then grew to include programmes for seniors, thereafter making a difference in the lives of whole families. In so doing, impacting, changing and transforming lives in the Faith Methodist Church community.

FaithActs at Block 50 Commonwealth Drive is a new chapter. What might the next 10 stories of transformation be?

Our patron and leaders have their respective wishes and visions for FaithActs.

As for me, I envisage FaithActs to be a community touch point where she is known for her distinctive service of love and care.

I look forward to the next bestseller, while the team continues to act in faith and faithfulness.



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"FaithActs is a beacon for those who seek to contribute to the community, and for those within the community who seek to strengthen it."

Dr Chia Shi-Lu,  
Member of Parliament,  
Tanjong Pagar GRC & FaithActs Patron

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"FaithActs is the light to bring God's hope and peace to every home in the community."

Reverend Edwin Wong,  
Pastor-In-Charge, Faith Methodist Church

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"FaithActs will continue to epitomise Christian Hope and Love to the communities that she has come in contact with."

Lee Gee Aik,  
LCEC Chairman, Faith Methodist Church

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"FaithActs is a presence where life is restored, family ties reinforced and community renewed with God's love."

Albert Lim,  
NCSS Board Member, FaithActs Secretary,  
Management Committee

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"FaithActs is a place where the community feels their children and seniors are well taken care of."

Patrick Phong,  
Advisory Board Chairman, FaithActs

6



"I envision FaithActs to serve as a catalyst to help individuals to reach their potentials and be contributors to the community."

Tan Chow Boon,  
Vice Chairman,  
FaithActs Management Committee

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"FaithActs serves and impacts communities in Queenstown, Dover and beyond through its extensive network of service centres."

Edmund E,  
FaithActs Management Committee

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"A deep bond is forged between FaithActs and the community it serves."

William Sim,  
Youth Programme Chairperson,  
FaithActs Management Committee

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"FaithActs recognised nationally as a leading provider of professional and heartfelt community services."

Betty Chan,  
Acting Head Senior Services, FaithActs



## Our Programmes

### Youth Hub and Club

The Youth Hub is a cosy and vibrant hangout for youth aged between 10-18 years. At the Hub, youth meet and encounter positive influences through relationship building with adult mentors and role models.

There are various recreational facilities such as pool, x-box and board games. Computers with free internet access and study corners are available for members' use. Youth Club members are given privilege access to the programmes and facilities available at the Youth Hub.

### Sports and Adventure

Our sports and adventure programmes serve to nurture, develop and maximise the potential of youth through enhancing their leadership, communication and life skills. These include sports clinics, training sessions and competitions, camps, hikes and many others.

### Tuition and Mentors

Mentors and tutors are available for children and youth in Primary and Secondary School levels to help and support those who are having difficulty in their academic, social or emotional aspect.

### Casework and Counselling

We provide support, guidance and positive role models to youth, families and seniors so as to journey with them in their various issues in life.

### School Service Learning

We provide community service learning opportunities for students so that they may learn civic consciousness and social graces.

### KidsLEAP

Kids who join our Learning English Academic Programme are from Primary 1 to Primary 3. KidsLEAP is catered specially for kids who have difficulty with their speech, reading or understanding the English Language.

### Family Life Education

Families are strengthened through relevant parenting talks and workshops where parents are educated, equipped and empowered to make that change to effect the community they are in.

### Social Recreation

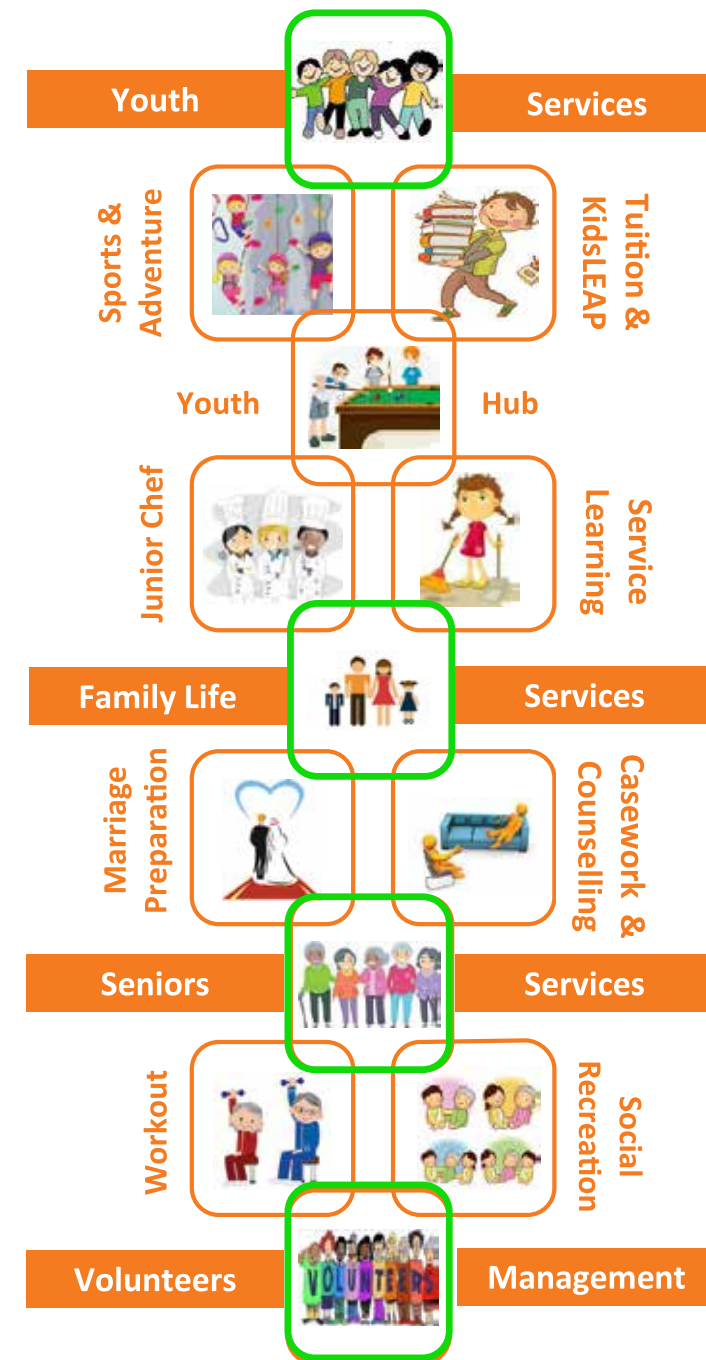
We conduct activities such as life skills, workshops, dancing, singing and board games for seniors. It is a good platform for seniors to learn new skills and make new friends.

### Seniors Workout

The workout is a 10-week fitness programme for seniors aged 50 and above. The seniors learn different types of exercises to strength their muscles and improve their balance. These exercises cater to seniors with low and high mobility.

**FaithActs develops individuals' character by sharing life skills and values. We seek to empower and heighten the confidence, self awareness and esteem of individuals who comes through our programmes and services.**

## FaithActs Programmes & Services



Seniors Activity: Tuesday to Friday (9am – 2pm)  
 Seniors Workout: Saturday (3 runs yearly from 9am – 12pm)  
 Youth Hub Activity: Tuesday to Friday (3pm – 6pm)  
 Youth Soccer Academy: Weekends afternoon  
 Office Operating hours: Monday to Friday (9am – 6pm)

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