The FaithActs Newsletter

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WELCOME TO A GLIMPSE OF FAITHACTS

We truly thank you for giving us an opportunity to share our stories.

Being part of our newsletter's circle means that you'll be the first to hear about the lives that have been impacted.



OUR STORIES

Togetherness



"I am grateful to FaithActs for giving me support because of that, I have the peace to carry on. Now I can manage caring for my daughter and enrol her for primary education in Singapore, knowing that my son is in good hands,"

- Mei Leng

"I don't know how it became like this," says Mei Leng, a mother of two children. What began as a happy marriage quickly turned sour due to failures in her husband's business. Quarrels became increasingly frequent, and it was only a matter of time before matters escalated.

"For the sake of my children, I had to leave. They should not grow up in such an environment," she says.

With no place to go and no one to turn to, she had to seek social help. Mei Leng is currently estranged from her husband and living at a shelter with her children.

Due to concerns over the lack of a conducive environment for her son, Seng Kee, and being tied down with caregiving duties for her young daughter, she approached FaithActs for help.





Today, Seng Kee is enrolled at The Learning Hub, an after-school programme where primary school children are supervised in their learning and play time. He can be seen happily interacting and learning alongside his peers.

Though this does not solve all of Mei Leng's problems, it provides her with some much needed respite in the midst of her struggles.

*All names have been changed to protect the identities of our beneficiaries.





"I am grateful to FaithActs for this rare opportunity to travel overseas with my three children to Taiwan. This trip truly holds precious memories for me. Thank you Starhub and Michelle Chia for coming with us!"



- Mdm Quek, 39

Mdm Quek, a single mother of three, struggles daily just to provide the basic necessities for her and her family.

The thought of travelling has never crossed her mind as she knows it will be beyond what she can afford.

FaithActs, in collaboration with Starhub TV, together with Michelle Chia, surprised Mdm Quek and her family with a sponsored trip to Taiwan!

The family was overjoyed as they were able to have this valuable family time together that they richly deserve.



CATCH THEM ON STARHUB TV E-CITY CABLE CHANNEL III, 825, EPISODE 5 ON 24TH OCT 2017, AT 8PM

To help more of these families, support us in our upcoming charity movie in December!



OUR ACTIVITIES



Our FaithActs Charity Bowling was a striking success!



Our youths had a great time with our sponsors and donors at the event!

Our bowlers were competing for the championship title and for the attractive X-mini[™] novelty prizes!

The funds raised from this event went towards FaithActs programs and beneficiaries.



Smashing congratulations to our winning team of young and bright bowlers that toppled the competition!

A great thank you to all our donors and sponsors for making this event a rolling victory!



Other Happenings



Makan Together! A scrumptious day just for our neighbours from Block 103. We invited them over to our new centre at Block 118 for a taste of good ol' FaithActs hospitality.



Let's Carnival Together! In support of President's Challenge, FaithActs youth were invited to enjoy a carnival along with President Tony Tan.



FaithActs Creative Arts Blacklight! This is our new initiative towards a new art form, Blacklight, where lights are turned off and hands are turned on! The youth learn to form words and shapes with their hands to music, giving the whole performance a unique creative twist!



Functional Exercise The latest initiative for our FaithActs Seniors aimed at testing and improving the cognitive function of our FaithActs seniors. We strive not only just for a healthy body but also a healthy mind.



President's Star Charity Show Singapore's upcoming annual charity showed their support for us, as Mediacorp Artiste, Zoe Tay, visited FaithActs to chat with our senior beneficiaries.



POSB Kidstarter

Everyone should learn financial literacy! POSB created a beginner's programme for children to teach them small but insightful lessons on managing finances from a young age.



Kukup Trip

Our FaithActs senior beneficiaries had their first ever trip over the Singapore seas to Kukup, a small fishing village in Malaysia. They got a chance to witness *Kampung life on a Kelong*. The day ended with a delicious seafood lunch.

OUR EVENTS

What's Coming?



dedicated volunteers & appreciate the generosity of our corporate sponsors.

