

Quarterly Newsletter

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 Editorial —

Walking by Faith — Seeing God at Work in the Everyday

Dear Donors, Volunteers and Friends of Galilee Foundation,
as we reflect on the past quarter, one truth has quietly echoed
through every conversation and every testimony:

God is faithful.

His faithfulness is often revealed not only through dramatic breakthroughs, but also through our continuing "Yes" to Him—day after day, step by step.

This quarter we witnessed His hand in many different ways. We rejoiced as Joseph and Sally continued their journey of healing, discovering that God's presence is often experienced most deeply in seasons of waiting.

We celebrated Bernard's public declaration of faith through baptism—a joyful reminder that God continues to draw people to Himself and transform lives.

Across the border in Cambodia, we saw local pastors unite around a shared vision for Christ-centred education, while Dr. Nikum, Kim, and the dedicated teachers at Shine continued investing faithfully in the next generation.

Here at home, our Discipleship@Galilee family explored new ways of expressing Christ's compassion through practical care for seniors.

Each story reminds us that God's Kingdom is built not merely through great events, but through faithful people faithfully serving where He has placed them.

May we continue to walk humbly with Him, serve joyfully, and trust Him with every seed we sow.

"For we walk by faith, not by sight." (2 Corinthians 5:7)

With gratitude,

Galilee Team

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Joseph & Sally — Finding God in the Valley



One of the greatest encouragements to our Galilee family this quarter has been witnessing God's sustaining grace throughout Joseph and Sally's healing journey. What began as a difficult medical battle became an even deeper testimony of God's faithfulness.

There were surgeries, setbacks, uncertainty, long periods of waiting, and moments when answers did not come as quickly as hoped. Yet throughout every stage, our Discipleship@Galilee family stood together in prayer, trusting that God remained present—even in the valley.

As Sally continued recovering, we gave thanks not only for cancer remission and the healing already experienced, but also for the deeper work God accomplished through surrender, perseverance, and hope.

Their journey reminded us that God is not only the God of miraculous moments, but also the God who faithfully walks beside us through every ordinary day.

✨ Reflection

God is not only God on the mountaintop—He is also God in the hospital room, in the waiting, and in the unknown.

✝ A New Step of Faith – Rejoicing with Bro Bernard

One of the great rejoicings this quarter was celebrating Bro Bernard's baptism during the Easter season.

With gratitude, Bernard shared:

"I thank my brothers and sisters for bringing me back to Jesus. This Easter marks my full commitment to walk with the Lord Jesus Christ."

His baptism was more than a personal milestone—it became a joyful reminder that God continues drawing hearts back to Himself through the love, prayers, and faithful witness of His people.

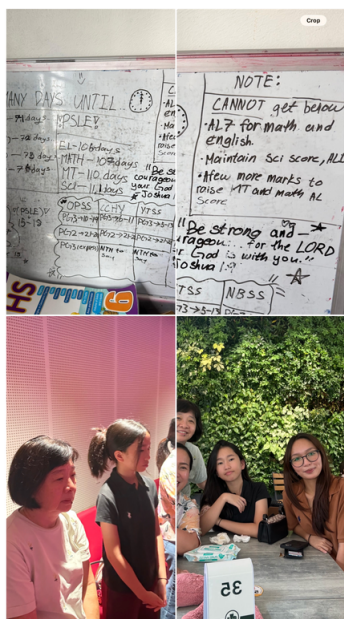
As a Discipleship@Galilee family, we rejoiced together, giving thanks that another brother has publicly declared his desire to follow Christ.

✨ Reflection

Every baptism is a celebration of God's redeeming grace—and a reminder that He is still writing new stories of faith today.



🌱 Quiet Faith — Danika's Whiteboard



Sometimes God speaks through the simplest moments.

While sitting at her daughter Danika's study table, Nekka noticed Joshua 1:9 written on her whiteboard:

"Be strong and courageous... for the Lord your God is with you."

Those familiar words became a fresh reminder—not only of God's faithfulness to the next generation, but also of His faithfulness to us despite our own shortcomings.

Sometimes the greatest testimonies are quietly written long before they are spoken.

Building Foundations for the Next Generation



Bavet Preschool Initiative

This quarter also marked an encouraging milestone for our Bavet Preschool Initiative.

Through the faithful efforts of Pastor Chanthorn, a gathering of church leaders from across Svay Rieng was organised to share the vision of providing high-quality, Christ-centred education in Cambodia and to encourage churches to identify potential teacher candidates for the future school.

The response exceeded expectations.

Around twenty pastors attended the gathering, expressing strong encouragement and a willingness to recommend members from their congregations. Shortly afterwards, several resumes were received, with interviews beginning and plans for teacher training progressing towards a possible January 2027 school opening.

Rather than rushing ahead, we continue sensing God's leading to build patiently—strengthening partnerships, investing in teacher development, and laying firm spiritual foundations.

Reflection

God often prepares tomorrow's harvest by first gathering today's faithful labourers.

Christ-Centred Education in Action

STM to Shine School

One of the highlights this quarter was our Short-Term Mission team's opportunity to serve alongside Dr. Nikum, Kim, and the teachers at Shine Early Learning.

Beyond exploring a deeper partnership between Shine and Galilee Foundation, the visit gave the team a firsthand glimpse of Christ-centred education lived out daily.

Working together during a three-day Vacation Bible School, the STM team, comprising mainly of cell group members from Covenant Evangelical Free Church (CEFC), witnessed children learning in an environment marked by patience, encouragement, and genuine love.

Simple classroom moments left lasting impressions:

- a child gently encouraged back into class through song,
- another lovingly taught perseverance by repairing torn artwork,
- teachers who combined firm guidance with compassionate care,
- children who genuinely loved being in school.



The visit affirmed what Dr. Nikum and Kim have long envisioned—quality, affordable, Christ-centred education where every child is valued and encouraged to flourish.

Reflection

Christ-centred education is not merely taught—it is patiently lived out, one child at a time.

❤️ Serving with Compassion

Exploring New Ways to Care for Seniors

This quarter, our Discipleship@Galilee family explored another avenue of community outreach.

We were privileged to welcome Mr. Khoo Eng Lim, Principal Trainer of SOHA Institute, who introduced simple, safe therapeutic touch techniques designed to improve the comfort and well-being of seniors.

More than learning practical skills, the session prompted us to consider how Galilee Foundation might develop a future outreach that equips volunteers to express Christ's compassion through tangible acts of care.

As we continue discerning God's leading, we remain committed to serving not only practical needs, but also the deeper need for dignity, relationship, and Christ's love.

✨ Reflection

Sometimes the hands that comfort become the hands through which Christ's love is experienced.





Our Team

We are like-minded brothers and sisters in Christ, convinced that “faith without works is dead” (James 2:17). We serve as:

- **Program Champions**
 - Evaluate (and pray for) new programs or recipients.
 - Recruit and onboard Program Associates.
 - Embark on a spiritual journey with Program Associates.
- **Program Associates (Volunteers/Staff)**
 - **BLESS our recipients:**
B: Befriend
L: Listen
E: Eat/Share a meal
S: Serve their needs
S: Share our testimony
 - **Journey alongside:** As led by the Holy Spirit, embark on a spiritual journey with program recipients.
- As a team, we come together monthly for **Discipleship@Galilee 2.0 “Live”**
 - Worship & Praise
 - Share program testimonies and prayer needs.
 - Welcome new programs/associates.
 - Equip ourselves with spiritual tools & build spiritual habits.
 - Celebrate spiritual growth and milestones within our community.

Upcoming Events

16
Jul

Discipleship@Galilee 2.0
(7.30pm to 9.30pm)

20
Aug

Discipleship@Galilee 2.0
(7.30pm to 9.30pm)

17
Sep

Discipleship@Galilee 2.0
(7.30pm to 9.30pm)





Get Involved: Join Our Growing Family

Donate

- Your financial gifts allow us to create and sustain Christ-centred programs that uplift the underprivileged.

Volunteer

- We are actively recruiting tutors, mentors, counsellors, befriending volunteers, and more.
- Your willingness to serve can make a life-changing impact.

Pray

- We deeply value your prayers for the Galilee Foundation.
- Please pray for:
 - God's guidance in all our endeavours.
 - Wisdom for our leaders & volunteers.
- Open hearts among those we serve to receive God's love.

With Gratitude

Thank you for standing with Galilee Foundation through your prayers, generosity, and partnership.

Together, may we continue walking by faith, trusting that He who has begun a good work will be faithful to complete it.

"Let us not grow weary of doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up." — Galatians 6:9

Thank you for reading!

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