

Teleios in Christ

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Teleios in Christ is a small group consisting of married couples in their 30s to 60s and their children who meet fortnightly at a member's home in Serangoon Gardens. Led by faithful servants John Foo and Lim Choo Siang, the heartbeat of this small group is discipleship. John and Choo Siang want to see each member growing in the Word, growing in maturity in Christ, and serving actively in the church community.

The group had been wanting to go Cambodia to understand TMC's work there better, but somehow never found the time or opportunity to do so until this year, when 10 members in the small group decided to pack their bags and head boldly out, not knowing what to expect.

Edwin Koh, a member of Teleios and trip leader, shares with Saltshaker his thoughts on the trip:

"The week-long visit to Phnom Penh, Cambodia, was both a short break from our busy routines and an opportunity to witness firsthand the various works by TMC over there."

"Our gracious brother Jacob and sister Wai Cheng made all the arrangements for us during our week there. Our group visited Care for Cambodia (CFC). We were fortunate that Norman was there to bring us round the premises, to learn how it is being run, and what is being done for the children. It was such a joy to mingle with the children."



With the children at CFC



With Norman at CFC

"We stayed at Harvest Inn and managed to visit Barn Barn restaurant. There, we experienced God using us to reach out to others and lives being touched by active and ongoing discipleship, which is part and parcel of Jacob and Wai Cheng's ministry."

"As our trip crossed over a Sunday, we attended the service at Glory Trinity Methodist Church. It was an eye opener for most of us to see how strong their faith in God is. They worship with real joy, straight from the heart. They pray out loud with their hands lifted high to the Lord. It did make me wonder at times - **am I for the Lord?**

"The boat ride along the Tonle Sap and Mekong River was one of the most memorable moments for us on this trip. While travelling along the river, brother Jacob gave us a brief history of Cambodia, the various works done by TMC, and why and how TMC has helped the people of Phnom Penh. The most touching part was when we as a group and with one voice prayed for our brothers and sisters in Cambodia. It was a feeling that words cannot really describe. One has to be there to feel it."

So if you need a break from the hustle and bustle of city life, or are planning a short trip, why not head down to Phnom Penh to see the wonders of the Lord. Renew your vows with the Lord as He takes you along this journey and leads to get to know the people and their hospitality. He did it for us while we were there."

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