

Today, PKH's Christian and humanitarian work takes on various expressions in Cambodia.



PKH SKILLS DEVELOPMENT

PKH runs a 2-year programme for poor youths, aged between 17 and 23 years. This comprises an intensive course on English with lessons in basic computer skills in the 1st year and training in Hospitality Services in the 2nd year. Graduating students are helped to secure further training in hotels and jobs especially in hotels.



PKH HEALTHCARE

PKH works to reduce Cambodia's rates of child mortality as well as combats malaria and malnutrition in the rural areas of the country. By way of a mobile clinic, the PKH Healthcare team attends to very poor villagers in Aoral. Basic healthcare is also provided for the children, youth and staff of the PKH (Anglican) Centre.



SEEDS OF HOPE CHILDCARE

PKH works with another non-governmental organization, Full Gospel Assembly Cambodia to provide a safe Christian home, long-term care and education for 120 orphans, street and poor children. These children are admitted into the childcare centre between the ages of 6 and 12 years; they attend public schools and receive tuition in various subjects at the centre.



PKH COMMUNITY SERVICES

Welfare aid in the form of food rations and other supplies like blankets, mosquito nets and medicines are often distributed to poor villagers suffering the effects of drought or floods. In Aoral, 2 dormitories were built for students to enable very poor children to be housed close to the public schools so that they can have a chance at education. PKH continues to provide needy students with education bursaries as well as poor families with house-rents.



LIVINGSTREAMS YOUTH CLUB

This youth club organizes recreational activities and offers Christian pastoral guidance during the weekends. In an effort to improve the social fabric of the village, the club is also open to other youths in the community. There are youths who have come to faith in Jesus Christ and have had their lives transformed by the power of God's love.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

We would like to invite you today to make a difference in the lives of the needy Cambodians by partnering with Project Khmer H.O.P.E. (PKH) in ...

PRAYING

That the poor and needy will know the love of God in Jesus Christ and that people who show kindness to them will experience the joy of the Lord.

SHARING

We welcome assistance in these areas:

- skills development — teaching of English,

music, computers, hospitality etc

- childcare — teaching of English
- healthcare — medical, dental, nursing services
- others — practical help to improve the facilities etc

GIVING

Regular (monthly, quarterly or annual) giving or one-off donations will be appreciated and acknowledged with official receipts. All contributions will be used solely for the work of helping the poor and needy within the scope of PKH and not for administrative costs/overheads for the work.

Kindly make your cheque payable to ST ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL, marked PKH on the reverse side and mail together with the portion below to Project Khmer H.O.P.E.

Name: Dr / Mr / Mrs / Miss _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Tel : _____

SKILLS DEVELOPMENT FOR YOUTHS AT THE PKH (ANGLICAN) CENTRE

Support a youth through vocational training

USD50/- or SGD80 per mth USD600/- or SGD960 per yr

Provide a youth with dormitory accommodation and meals

USD55/- or SGD90 per mth USD660/- or SGD1100 per yr

CHILDCARE FOR ORPHANS AND STREET/POOR CHILDREN AT THE CHILD CARE CENTRE

Provide a child with a home at the Childcare Centre, meals and schooling

USD50/- or SGD80 per mth USD600/- or SGD960 per yr

MAKE A SUBSTANTIVE CONTRIBUTION TOWARD THE FUTURE EXPANSION OF PKH'S WORK

Be a Project Khmer H.O.P.E. Sponsor of the various aspects of PKH's work

eg. Childcare, healthcare, capital equipment etc

Make either:

- a specific gift or bequest of a certain sum in your will to "St. Andrew's Cathedral", 11, St. Andrew's Road, Singapore 178959 for the work of Project Khmer H.O.P.E. in Cambodia OR
- a residuary gift in your will to "St. Andrew's Cathedral", 11, St. Andrew's Road, Singapore 178959 for the work of Project Khmer H.O.P.E. in Cambodia.

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"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD,

"plans to prosper you and not to harm you,

plans to give you hope and a future."

Jeremiah 29:11



Project Khmer H.O.P.E. (Humanitarian Outreach for Peace on Earth) was set up by St Andrew's Cathedral (Singapore) in 2000 to share God's love with poor and needy Cambodians by meeting their economic and social needs. Registered as an international non-governmental organization, PKH works in collaboration with the Cambodian Ministry of Social Affairs, Veterans and Youth Rehabilitation. PKH operates from the PKH (Anglican) Centre located in the rural Kampong Speu Province of Cambodia.

PKH SKILLS DEVELOPMENT

"Plans to give you a hope and a future ...

45 young Cambodians received this grace from God.

In 2006, the PKH Skills Development Department successfully trained a total of 90 young men and women. During the course of the year, 60 youths who joined at the beginning of 2006, received intensive teaching in English. Out of these 60 first year students, 15 of them who opted for the basic housekeeping course are now working in the housekeeping departments of hotels. The rest will proceed to join the Hospitality Course in 2007. There were 30 youth who joined the programme in 2005 and completed their training at the end of 2006. All 30 of them are now gainfully employed or are pursuing further training and on-the job training mainly in hotels in Phnom Penh, Siem Reap and Sihanoukville. PKH is very thankful to God and for your kind support in helping these needy youths.



More training opportunities for youths especially for young women.

For 2007, PKH plans to increase the intake of youths into the skills programme so that at least 100 youths can successfully complete their training. We aim to help place at least 50 youths in gainful employment or on-the job training this year.

With a marked growth in Cambodia's tourist industry especially in cities like Siem Reap and Sihanoukville, and a corresponding market demand for trained service personnel, the PKH Skills Development Department will emphasize its training in Hospitality Services. This will enable youths to apply for jobs such as receptionists, waiters and waitresses, telephone operators, kitchen assistants, housekeepers and suchlike especially in hotels and food-and-beverage outlets.

This year, PKH also plans to increase the percentage of female youths admitted into the skills programme. In order to enable more young women to have an opportunity to be equipped with these skills, new facilities will be added to the PKH (Anglican) Centre so that a girls' dormitory can be set up. Up to 2006, dormitory facilities were only for men.



In 2006 PKH's Healthcare Team which includes a Cambodian medical doctor and a healthcare assistant travelled on bad roads for about 5 hours (one-way) from the PKH (Anglican) Centre to a remote district called Aoral. This is a remote district in Kampong Speu Province of about 800,000 people and it is not served by any doctor or clinic.

The Team would spend 2-3 days every fortnight offering mobile clinic services at 2 stations in Aoral. Common illnesses treated include malaria, tuberculosis and malnourishment. The team also offers women advice and help with pre and post natal conditions. As a result of this work in the community, friendships and trust have developed between the villagers and PKH personnel including visiting medical teams from Singapore.



PKH HEALTHCARE

In 2007, PKH aims to help more people by extending its healthcare services to villagers at another station in Aoral. In order to cut down on traveling time between the PKH (Anglican) Centre and Aoral, a simple building called the PKH (Anglican) House will be erected in the district centre. This will serve as living quarters for the PKH Healthcare Team as well as accommodation for medical teams visiting Aoral from overseas; these teams would then be able to spend longer periods of time in Aoral and do more productive work in treating patients there. There is currently no inn or motel available in Aoral.



The Spirit of the Sovereign LORD is on me, because the LORD has anointed me to preach good news to the poor. He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim freedom for the captives and release from darkness for the prisoners. Isaiah 61:1