

- 3.2.5. Has attended the meeting which prepared by Phnom Penh Municipality Office of Culture and Religious Affairs on 5th August 2019.
- 3.2.6. Has attended the Cambodia national interfaith forum on the combating human trafficking at Khoh Pich Hall Center on 14th August 2019.
- 3.2.7. Has conducted a meeting with all country directors on 27th August 2019 to discuss about the preparation of land and church building documentations.



CAMBODIAN METHODIST BIBLE SCHOOL THE REPORT 2018-19

Equip God's people for HIS mission.

Ephesians 4:12 for the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry,

for the edifying of the body of Christ. (KJV)

Core Value: Biblical Thinking and Holy Living in Christ.

The Motto: Biblical Mind, Holy Life

Praise be to the Lord our God that He is always with CMBS, always leading us and opening doors for our work to build the kingdom of God and to equip God's people for His mission in Cambodia. "Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit of the LORD"

1. School Management team.

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| 1. Rev. Prak Vuthy | Principal | (Cambodia) |
| 2. Rev. Jessica Tiong | Dean of Studies | (Malaysia) |
| 3. Rev. Pyo Myoung Dae | Dean of Students | (Korea) |
| 4. Rev. Svay Youthearoth | Lecturer | (Cambodia) |
| 5. Miss Suzanna Lee | Missionary | (Singapore) |

2. School Lecturers:

a. Full time lecturers: 4 full-time lecturers: Prak Vuthy, Jessica Tiong, David Pyo and Suzanna Lee.

b. Part time lecturers: Most of our part-time lecturers are missionaries and guest lecturers from overseas. This year, most of the missionaries helped to teach at least 2 courses per semester.

The lecturers who taught in either one or both of our programs are:

Mr. Yulius Telaumbabua, Dr. Law Choon Sii, Rev. Dr. Howard Mellor, Rev. Svay Youthearoath, Rev. Dr. Song Jin Sup, Rev. Chen Se Gi, Rev. Dr. Wee Boon Hup, Rev. Aaron Ng, Rev. Dr. Shim Gyun Shik, Rev. Dr. Song Jin Sup, Rev. Dr. Daniel Koh Kah Soon, Rev. Dr. Philip Baker, Mr. Leng Thy Rev. So Ki Jung, Mrs. Jenny Chung Sin Man, Rev. Ms. Victoria Lai Kiok Fah, Miss Chan Siew Kim, Mr. Roman Gnagi, Mrs. Flavia Contreras, Mrs. Helen Camarce, Mr. Charles Irung.

3. School Staff: We have 9 staff members

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| a. There are 2 cooks (Sun Lim and Sun Seurn) | b. 1 Administrator (Nget Chamrong) |
| c. 1 Translator (Saly Nareth) | d. 1 Assistant Admin (Nget Sreynang) |
| e. 1 Accountant (Heng Marea) | f. 1 Cleaner (Reach Bunthoan) |
| g. 1 Librarian (Sou Channy) | h. 1 Guard (Koe Saban) |

4. Students in CMBS

For the new academic year, Oct 2018 (Year 1), we had 5 applicants - 3 of them passed the interview but when the semester started, one of the students from a MCC church did not turn up, so right now, we have 2 students, one from MCC and one from an independent church.

a. First year students: Meas Sreymorn, Thoem Chhuy. one of them from an Independent church

b. Second year: We had 9 Students: 4 students from Independent churches and 5 students from Methodist churches. Sanh Kimsiem, Bunthoeun Sopanha, Threa Vibal, Sinoeun Vannak, Khoun Sreysin, On Sreyleang, Sem Sreymao, Ourn Hat and Meas Sreykeo.

c. Third year: we had 4 students: Sat Sophy, Koe Ra, Moeun Da and Kong Samon (2 males 2 females). One of them is from an independent church.

d. Bachelor of Divinity: 5 Students:

Yorn Thearin, Chen Soksen, So Chanpisey, Prak Sakhoeun and Sok Mathay (part time student)

e. The Certificate of Ministry program:

The Certificate of Ministry program at Banteaymeanchey is still in progress. As of date, we have completed 7 Subjects, with 3 subjects left to be completed by the end of 2019.

5. School activities

a. The first semester ended in late February and the second semester started on March 11.

b. All our students were placed in family groups which were led by lecturer-mentors, and in small groups led by student-leaders where they were mentored and guided in discipleship.

c. All our students are encouraged to mentor and pray for one another, to build one another up spiritually and to share their experiences especially in the weekend ministry.

d. All the students went to weekend ministry on Saturday morning and came back to school to study on Monday morning

e. We conducted Holy Communion on the first Tuesday of every month for all students, staff and lecturers

f. Every Thursday from 6:30pm to 8pm, all the students learned how to pray and lead

worship with the Koreans.

g. All the students, staff and lecturers celebrated Thanksgiving on 20th November 2018 and Christmas on 21 December 2018.

h. The school term break was from 28th February to 10th March 2019.

i. The annual outing for students, staff and lecturers was on 27th-28th February 2019. We went to Kompot province.

j. The second semester started on 11th of March 2019. In this academic year before school started, the Dean of Students led all the students to pray and dedicate themselves to God and to their studies.

k. We paid the ATESEA membership fees for 2018.

l. The CMBS Graduation Ceremony was held on 16th August 2019. We invited President James Nagulan from Singapore to deliver the sermon. For the Certificate of Christian Education, there was one recipient; for the Diploma of Theology, there were two recipients and for Bachelor of Divinity, there were 9 recipients altogether for both 1st and 2nd batches.

m. We had one student with a character problem, so our management team decided to defer his graduation to next year, 2020.

n. The school helped to build one toilet for ChrorMas Methodist at Kampong Thom Province at a cost of \$880.

6. Thanks to the churches and agencies

- a)** We want to thank God, our partnering churches, and all the agencies in providing lecturers, funds to support our students as well as other resources that help us to fulfill God's mission.
- b)** We also want to thank Kompong Cham and Kratie Districts for donating 40000 Riels to CMBS, and Connexio for donating \$5000 every year to CMBS.
- c)** We thank Pastor Ben Im (alumni) for donating 50kg of rice and Pastor Van Thorn for donating 1 fan to CMBS.

7. Students' Mission Trip

All the students completed a one-week mission trip to two churches - Wesley Methodist Church in Phenom Penh and ChrorMas Methodist at Kampong Thom Province from 19 to 25 August 2019. In the mission trip, we conducted different programs such as children's ministry, evangelism and house visitation. In Wesley Methodist Church, we had an average attendance of 15-20 children and at ChrorMas Methodist Church, we had an average attendance of 60-70 children. At the Sunday worship service, all the students had the chance to fellowship with the church members, to preach and to lead the worship service. This is a great time for our students to apply whatever they have learned from the school and to demonstrate team work and leadership skills in the field. It also gave them the opportunity to obtain hands-on experience for their future ministry.

8. The Proposal.

- a. The School needs one more translator to help. The budget is \$400 per month
- b. Pray for Rev Jessica for her financial support from 2020 onward.
- c. The School needs to change 4 air-conditioners at a cost of \$2000 for the next academic year 2020.

d. We need \$1700 to buy a new computer for the office.

9. Maintenance of the school building.

- a. The School repaired the floor tiles of a room which had popped up.
- b. The School built one room and one new toilet at a total cost of \$4500.

10. Other information:

- a. We will interview new students on 2nd- 4th October 2019.
- b. The new academic year starts on 14th October 2019.
- c. The 2018 yearly account has already been audited.

11. School's prayer requests.

We thank the Lord that He has blessed CMBS and used CMBS as His instrument to equip God's people for His mission. We also thank the donors who always support us with prayer and financial contributions. May you continue to pray for CMBS as follows:

- a. Pray for the Certificate of Ministry program. May the Lord bless all the students to be strong and faithful, and to be able to apply what they learn.
- b. Pray for the Diploma of Theology and the BD programs in this new academic year 2019-2020. May the Lord bless us and provide for all our needs, especially for the new students.
- c. Pray for all the staff in CMBS to have good health and faithfulness in their service to equip God's people for His mission.
- d. Pray for sufficient financial support to sustain the school.

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SCHOOL ACTIVITIES PICTURES

New semester opening service 2018-2019



Computer Learning and research



Students learning and group study



Torah and Artifacts Seminar on 01-02/12/2018



First Fruit or Thanksgiving



Christmas Celebration



Students outing



Students Graduation



Students Mission trip

