

SUSANNA WESLEY NEWSTETTERS

August 30, 2026

Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Susanna Wesley House

Shine Project

Children's Ministry

A New Addition to the Team!

This August, Susanna Wesley Ministry was blessed to welcome Connie, a new Global Missions Fellow from America, to our community. As she begins this new chapter of service, Connie has been warmly received by the students and staff, and we are excited for her to be part of the Susanna Wesley family. In her role, Connie will lead English classes and support the coordination of activities for our students. We are grateful for the ways God continues to bring people from different places and backgrounds together at Susanna Wesley Ministry. Please pray for wisdom, patience, and joy as she learns from the students and adjusts to life and ministry in Cambodia.



A visit from Wesley Ziadan

We were also very thankful to welcome the Wesley Ziadan team from Japan this month. The team arrived in Cambodia for their 2026 mission service work camp and spent a week working on a construction project. During the week they made a visit to the Susanna Wesley house to fellowship with the community through worship, a meal, and shared stories. The time spent together gave our students the opportunity to build relationships with Christian brothers and sisters from another culture. We give thanks for the Wesley Ziadan team's willingness to travel, serve, and spend time with our students. Their presence brought joy and encouragement to the dormitory, and we are grateful for our continued relationship with their team.



Prayers and Thanksgiving

We give thanks to God for bringing Connie to SWM and for the kindness our students and staff have shown during this transition. We also thank God for the encouragement shared during the Wesley Ziadan team's visit from Japan. Please continue to pray for our students as they balance their studies, responsibilities, and faith journeys.

SHINE PROJECT

Reaksa's Journey of Hope and New Skills

This month, we had the opportunity to visit **Chhen Reaksa**, one of our Shine Project participants in Kampong Chhnang Province. Reaksa is currently learning permanent makeup, gaining practical skills that can help her build a more stable future. Reaksa has faced many challenges in her life. She lost her mother when she was only seven months old and later had to stop her education. She also experienced a serious accident. Despite these difficulties, Reaksa continues to move forward and is working hard to learn a new skill.

During our visit, we were truly encouraged to see her progress and dedication. It reminded us that when young women are given an opportunity, encouragement, and



the right skills, they can grow in confidence and hope for a better future.

We are grateful that the Shine Project can reach women like Reaksa beyond Phnom Penh. We hope to continue reaching more young women in different provinces across Cambodia, giving them opportunities to learn, grow, and become independent.

Thank you for standing with us and making these opportunities possible.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

This month, we are continuing our ministry of providing TV sets to churches for children's ministry. These TVs help churches share Bible stories, worship songs, and Christian teaching in a fun and engaging way.

Many churches, especially in rural areas, do not have the resources to purchase a TV. Through this project, we hope to give more children the opportunity to hear God's Word and learn about Jesus.

A 55-inch TV and stand costs about \$450. Every donation, big or small, can make a difference and help more children grow in faith.

Bringing God's Word to More Children



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