EASTER PLAY 2019 Christ ERASES our Sins and gives us Salvation

As a first-time parent volunteer at CHIJ, I have been truly blessed to be part of a group of dedicated parent volunteers and teachers in the annual staging of the Easter Play presentation. I had signed up with encouragement from another volunteer, and ended up enjoying the process of putting up a play literally from scratch. What started out as a two-page script culminated in the staging of "Christ ERASES our Sins and



The play was a dramatic sketch with mime, narration and music, and focused on how different types of sin can hinder one's relationship with God.

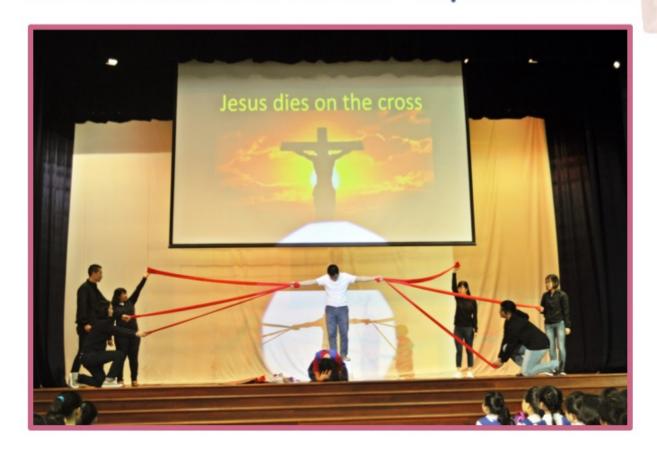
By illustrating the various vices, including Greed, Lying, Bullying, Selfishness, and Gossiping, we see how sins lead to the ultimate sacrifice Christ makes - death on the Cross. This leads to the "erasing" of sins, and their 'transformation' into virtues such as Generosity, Truthfulness, and Inclusiveness.





On Easter Monday, we saw the energy and excitement coming from each participant, and the fruits of our labour were presented to an attentive and appreciative audience.

The highlight for me was the spontaneous response from the girls during the dance segment, when they enthusiastically joined us on stage to dance to the song, "Lord I Lift Your Name on High." What a lively way to conclude the event! And what joy to see the flood of excitement as the girls came running up on stage! The tidal wave of blue and white rushing up with such zeal touched us all. The experience was truly exhilarating!









Despite the usual challenges that go into putting up a presentation like this, the camaraderie, "the show must go on" attitude from each individual, and the appreciation from the audience made me feel honoured and blessed to have been a part of this year's Easter Play. I thank God for calling me to be a part of this special occasion and I look forward to other opportunities that lie ahead.

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