



TNP TEAP TIME

NEWSLETTER



TEAP Success Story: Better Future

Mark James Baliber, Dean & Professor

"I am deeply grateful to the Lord because through the TEAP of TNP, I was able to pursue and achieve my career dreams."

Popularly known as MJ, he became TEAP scholar at TNP Clinicville in 2010. He studied at Rizal Technological University in Boni, Mandaluyong campus. His father worked in construction, while his mother was a homemaker. Life was very difficult back then, as his parents bore the heavy responsibility of supporting all their children through college at the same time.

To continue his studies, MJ worked part time while applying for TEAP assistance. Grateful to God for these blessings! And with the sacrifices of his parent's-- MJ and all his siblings were able to graduate and are now working as professionals.

Among MJ's notable achievements are: he was a consistent honor student, he is now a licensed professional teacher (board passer), department calibrator/facilitator, teacher advocacy head, president of the Junior Legion of Mary (with over 200 members), and a Resource and a Motivational Speaker.

Here is MJ's message for all the youth and TEAP scholars, ***"Always remember that in everything we do, we must put God at the center of our lives. When we do this, all our hard work will surely bear abundant and fruitful blessings"***.

Truly, ***"When the time is right, I, the Lord, will make it happen"*** - Isaiah 60:22

Mentor-Mentee Together



Message from Mentor, NS1C

"When **Danica (TNP Della Strada)** chose the Arete Art Gallery for our Ateneo meet-up, I couldn't have been happier. Walking through its halls gave us time to slow down, appreciate art and catch up on life.

Over filling snacks at a campus café, we had a heartfelt conversation. She shared her dreams of excelling in school and preparing for her future career. What struck me most was her quiet determination—studying ahead, finishing projects early, and staying true to her values of honesty and hard work.

In that moment, I felt deeply privileged. Guiding young people like Danica is a beautiful reminder that with passion and integrity, their future shines bright." - **Gina**



Laiza Lirio, Magna Cum Laude

Laiza, a TEAP member in Pentecost since 2018, graduated Magna Cum Laude in 2023. She completed her Bachelor of Arts in Broadcasting at the University of the East, Manila. She is now working at LNPFI as a Segment Producer-Writer in the Multimedia Department (One Touch Production.)

With heartfelt gratitude, she shared this message with her fellow TEAP scholars, ***"Let all that you do be done in love."*** I have anchored my life in this scripture, to love everything you do, to love every person you serve with and to love the One whom you are serving: the Lord!



Ivy Cullo, C.P.A

Ivy is from Clinicville. She was a TEAP scholar in 2012 while in her third year of college. She pursued a degree in BS Accountancy and successfully passed the CPA Board Exams in 2017. Ivy is now working as Payroll Officer at LESLIE Corporation in Paranaque as a Payroll Officer. Below is one of her favorite Bible verses.

1Peter 5:6-7

"Humble yourselves, therefore, under Gods mighty hand, that he may exalt you. Cast all your anxiety on Him because he cares for you."

TNP Area Leaders: Guess who?



TNP Clinicville

Loving God, Mentoring lives, Building communities!

Manny and Claudine Castañeda have found joy in serving the Tahanan ng Panginoon (TNP) community in Clinicville, BF Homes, Parañaque. Beginning with the Youth in 2019 and now shepherding the Adults, their hearts remain steadfast in one mission: to bring hope and transformation through faith.

What inspires them most is mentoring the young—helping them rise above hardship, pursue education, and discover God's love. They believe that when the youth are formed in faith, entire families and communities are uplifted.

Manny also leads as Head of the South TNP Sites, supporting all Ligaya ng Panginoon workers in TNP. Beyond their ministry, Manny pursues his profession in the energy industry while Claudine builds her career in IT. They live out their covenant made in 2019 with deep commitment to God and His people. Together, they embody the power of love, service, and faith in action.



TNP Cogeo

Randy and Medz Resuello have been joyfully journeying with the Tahanan ng Panginoon community for close to 30 years. Randy started as a member of TNP Youth. Medz joined TNP in 2012. They are now lovingly serving as Area Heads of TNP Cogeo.

In 2023, they made a public commitment in Ligaya ng Panginoon, sealing their desire to give their lives in service to God and His people. Today, they continue to shepherd the members in TNP Cogeo, guiding families and individuals to grow in faith, hope and love.

Randy works in a trading company as part of the Sales team, while Medz is in the Procurement team in the energy industry. Beyond their professions, they dedicate their time and resources to serve the Lord, finding joy in building up the community that been their spiritual home for years.

Together, they embodied the call of TNP to love God deeply, nurture lives faithfully, and build commitment for His kingdom!



TNP Della Strada

Eyrl and Jhoy Pastrana are both serving as TNP Area Heads of TNP Della Strada. They are covenant members of Ang Ligaya ng Panginoon Community, year 2022 and 2007, respectively. Eyrl is working at Allegro Microsystems as Electronic Communications Engineer while Jhoy is working at IBM as an Internal Investigator.

"Taking on a service beyond our expectations was no easy task. Every responsibility, every decision—we relied heavily on God's grace and provision. We are deeply thankful to our LNP brothers and sisters who continue to serve faithfully alongside with us. Grateful to the men's and women's groups of our district, NS1C, who took turns visiting the assemblies of the Adult Ministry, as well as to those who served as speakers and activity facilitators for both our Adult and Youth Ministries."

- Eyrl & Jhoy -



TNP Visitation with John Keating & Chito Morales

Last August 12, 2025, we were blessed to be visited by our brothers **John Keating** (Sword of the Spirit) and **Chito Morales** (LNP Senior Head Coordinator). The Board meeting was attended by Bro. Dave O'Connor (TNP Executive Director) and TNP MOC Board Members - Bong Dreu, Ruben & Beth Aganon – as well as John Carlo Masirag and Arcie Dreu (TNP Admin and TEAP Admin).

We are deeply grateful for a fruitful meeting and for the wisdom and vision imparted for TNP's mission and direction. Truly, God is making all things new for TNP as we prepare for our 40th Anniversary celebration! **"Behold, I am making everything new."** (Revelation 21:5)

