

Ordinary People, Extraordinary Faith

# Pr Anna Loo

Age 67, Retired Pastor

As part of AMC Missions Month 2023, we bring to you inspiring stories of church members who have answered the call to share God's love with the nations.



*Pr Anna (second from right) during her recent trip to Timor-Leste, where she had the opportunity to connect with local pastors and bring someone to Christ.*



*For the last 30 years, Pr Anna has faithfully lived out her calling to prayer and inner healing, which includes travelling to countries such as China (pictured) for mission work.*

## Going only where God leads

When I first began missions work, I was worried that I wasn't learned enough; neither did I have many ministry connections. Many times, I would only have an impression from God of where I should go.

But the amazing thing is that, again and again, I experienced how God would open a way and prepare me well for the work. Hence, I believe that unless it is God who wants me to go, my labour would be in vain.

During the period of 2009 to 2018, I travelled several times a year to minister in the area of inner healing and train leaders.

The countries I went to include China, Sweden and Australia, and my intention was to reach out to the Chinese community in those places. I would often stay for a month in a single location.

## TESTIMONY BY PR ANNA LOO



*In reaching out to the Chinese community around the world, Pr Anna says that God has always prepared the way. All she had to do was follow.*



*Pr Anna with local church members in Timor-Leste, some of whom she was able to minister to and serve individually.*

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Once, God led me to Sweden. But when I arrived, I discovered that what I had originally planned could not work. I was moved to read the books of Isaiah and Revelation, so I read these Scriptures for two weeks straight.

Then on one Sunday, while on the way to church, I met a lady whom I had just gotten to know a week before. As we chatted, I realised that she had actually been longing for inner healing.

That very day, she introduced me to other members of the church after service ended, and more than 20 people came to my class on inner healing that afternoon. For the rest of the time I was in Sweden, I was teaching and ministering daily.

It is the Spirit of God and many acts of miraculous grace that have led me into mission work, step by step. God has been the one to pave the way, so that I can persevere until today.

I was also recently in Timor-Leste for 21 days.

Though I only had a short time there, I was able to meet a local pastor by divine appointment and had the opportunity to teach the church on three occasions in a single week.

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I also had the privilege of serving the church members and led a Chinese lady to Christ.

Seeing the hard work of the missionaries on the ground and their love for the people deeply moved me. It also spurred in me a desire to set up a prayer platform to watch over the missionaries there and serve them.

I would like to share with the AMC community my concept of missions. Don't overestimate your own abilities – but don't say that you're not able to do it too.

Instead, be an arrow in God's hand, obeying where He wants you to go.

Do what He puts on your heart. Until a time He deems that your part is fulfilled, then resolutely and courageously step down from it.

From my own experience of God, whatever God calls you to do, He will provide and arrange all things.



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