

## The Incredible Race: NCF's Daily Vacation Bible School 2010

Running the race – that is how the Bible illustrates the way a Christian must live his life – and the children enrolled in Novaliches Christian Fellowship's Daily Vacation Bible School (DVBS) are certainly eager to cross the finish line.

Around 108 students graduated from this year's DVBS entitled "The Incredible Race", courtesy of Operation Blessing.

"The children were from the depressed areas; many of them are lacking in guidance," testifies Sis. Julie Nueva, this year's DVBS Director. "However, they were enthusiastic to join the activity," she adds.

The participants were mostly from the areas of Rivera, Evamin, Korokan, San Diego and Sampalukan, the latter three for long the beneficiaries of NCF's feeding program.

"I am blessed with God's work that their parents allowed us to teach their children about the Bible, especially since many of them came to know the saving grace of our Lord Jesus Christ," said Sis. Julie.



They learned from Bible characters such as Daniel, Moses, David, Naaman and Jonah the five key points in the program about bravery, trust, obedience, prayer and belief in the Lord. These lessons were taught by the teachers who were assigned to handle the seven levels, from kinder to intermediate. Classes were held from 9:00 to 11:00 am.

Some of the DVBS teachers were new, mostly from NCF's youth ministry. They who once grew up in DVBS classes now took their turn in teaching their younger brothers and sisters. A

notable addition was 16-year-old Bro. Eman Esteras, one of our church guitarists who double-timed as DVBS teacher last April.

He says that all his life he never thought he would be teaching kids, but when the need is evident and God calls, he is ready to follow.

'At first I found it awkward, but later I learned how to handle the kids. After all, this is for the Lord,' says Bro. Eman.

DVBS 2010 is a success that could not have been without God's blessing. Hmmm, can't wait to see what God does next year. Praise the Lord!