

## Frequently Asked Questions

### What is CHOICE?

CHOICE is a weekend experience, to give young single adults the opportunity to meet like-minded people, and be able to look at the various relationships in our lives e.g. family, friends, Church etc, in a relaxed and informal environment.

### Is CHOICE sanctioned by the Catholic Church

CHOICE is an Archdiocesan Catholic Ministry. In Kuala Lumpur, CHOICE KL is under the auspices of the Archdiocesan Single Adults and Youth Office (ASAYO). This means we are accountable to the Archbishop of Kuala Lumpur. Hence CHOICE is recognized by the Kuala Lumpur Archdiocese, as well as other Archdiocese around Malaysia. In Kuala Lumpur, our spiritual director is Rev Fr Raymond Michael, OFM Cap. Similarly in other Diocese / States in Malaysia, CHOICE is recognized as Ministry under the local Bishop in each respective Diocese

### Who is CHOICE for?

CHOICE in Malaysia is for Working Adults age 23 to 40, for those of us who would like to take a break from fast-paced urgency-driven activities in favor of time to reflect, recharge and consider what matters most, in life, in the next year, the next month! It is open to anyone, Christians & Catholics, Buddhists, all faiths and free-thinkers. This is because the content of the program is universal, in nature, focusing on communication skills, people and choices. Participants often come with working colleagues and their classmates from various faiths.

### Is a CHOICE Weekend suitable for non-Catholics ?

The CHOICE Weekend is a Catholic program that focuses on the relationships in our daily lives, with family, friends, loved ones and God. It is NOT a program to Convert non-Christians. As this is a Catholic program, there are elements of practices of the Catholic faith throughout the program including reading from the Bible, and Mass. For participants who are not of the Catholic faith, extra sensitivities are taken to ensure that the participant is comfortable and is able to understand the program

### What happens on a CHOICE Weekend?

We would love to tell you what happens in a CHOICE Weekend, but we really do not want to spoil the experience for you. The CHOICE weekend is best experienced, when you come with minimal expectations of the weekend. What we can say is that it is a retreat from our everyday hectic lives, to reflect and reconnect with God. The CHOICES weekend is NOT counseling experience, nor a "match-making" weekend, nor recruitment for vocations nor a conversion to catholicism weekend.

### Isn't Choice a sort of match-making program?

Not at all. The emphasis is to love, not to look for love. The program is applicable to everyone including priest and religious.

### What do I need to bring for CHOICE ?

Please remember to bring along any necessary toiletries I.e soap, shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrush and towels. If you are on medication, please bring it along as well. You do not need to bring your Bible or Rosary.

### Where is CHOICE held?

The venue for each CHOICE Weekend may change. Please always refer to the website, or check with any of our team to confirm the venue Do note that the weekend is residential and commences at approx. 7.pm on Friday and ends at around 7.pm on Sunday.

### How much does CHOICE cost?

The cost for each weekend varies based on locations, states or languages.. Our CHOICE Team, takes alot of effort in ensuring that the CHOICE weekend is affordable to as many potential participants. The registration fee is used to cover the cost of



Single ? 23 – 40 Years Old ?  
Working ?

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CHOICE Weekend

For more info on the next CHOICE  
Weekend and the nearest to you visit :

***WWW.CHOICEKL.ORG***



### What is CHOICE?

CHOICE is an outreach program for Single Adults developed through the generosity and selfless love of the Worldwide Marriage Encounter Family. The outreach presents in a positive way what belonging in a relationship means, the consequences and the conditions of belonging and the question of "DO YOU WANT TO BELONG?". It also fosters and creates an environment in which Single Adults and others share life experiences on a personal level. This stimulating experience in personal relationships seeks to impart a sense of belonging, mission and purpose in life. It is an exploration of relationships and creates a growing depth of trust and communication.

Tens of thousands have attended a CHOICE programme Weekend in more than 10 countries including Singapore, Japan, Korea, Indonesia, Taiwan, USA and UK.

CHOICE in Malaysia is for Single Adults (does not include divorcees or single parents), age 23 - 40 years, for those who would like to take a break from the hustle-bustle of life in favor of time to reflect, recharge and consider what matters most in life; important people in our lives and how we communicate with them; and love, the kind of love prescribed by Christ.

VISIT [WWW.CHOICEKL.ORG](http://WWW.CHOICEKL.ORG) for Details on the NEXT WEEKEND



### Here are what some people say about their Weekend.

"My CHOICE Weekend was definitely an eye-opener and enriching experience for me (of course with an open mind and heart). I learn to see God in every little details of my life, that He is, in fact, always with me. Good weekend, great place, make new friends, the heart-warming sharing, the fellowship...well, I made the right choice!" - Doreen Ng, CHOICE 77

"Take a breather from your hectic life to smell the roses and rediscover your relationship with God and each other." - Kenny Fong, CHOICE 77

"It's a life changing experience that singles must not MISS!" - Celeste Spykerman, CHOICE 76

"CHOICE 69 weekend took me through a weekend I have never experienced in other Church weekends or stay-ins. It was a Rich experience of God through His people" - Jude Thaddeus Mawli, CHOICE 69

"Initially, I signed up for the weekend just to get away from work. But, God had other plans for me. There I met Him, and then I began to realise how important God is in my life and how His word helped me in many ways beyond words." - Dominic Simon, CHOICE 50

**Come and journey with us in an uplifting discovery at APC , St Anthony's Church, Jln Robertson, Pudu. It begins on a Friday evening at 6:00p.m. and ends on Sunday evening at 7:00p.m. It will be kept informal and the atmosphere is Catholic orientation. During these 48 hours, there is time for discussion, prayer, music, reflection, fellowship and rediscovering relationships.**

**Very Important Information: This is a live-in weekend, please bring along comfortable clothing and toiletries. Everything else will be taken care of. If you are on medication, please do not forget to bring along.**

**Email us at [info@choicekl.org](mailto:info@choicekl.org) or visit [www.choicekl.org](http://www.choicekl.org)**



## REGISTRATION FORM for CHOICE

**Kindly hand this completed form with the registration fees to your CHOICE contact person.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
( in full and in BLOCK )

Preferred calling name: \_\_\_\_\_

I.C. No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Race : \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Parish / Church : \_\_\_\_\_

Religion : \_\_\_\_\_

Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Any Special Diet / Vegetarian : \_\_\_\_\_

Transportation Needed : Yes / No

Contact No(s) : -

House: \_\_\_\_\_ Office : \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile : \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's' Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Parents' Tel No. : \_\_\_\_\_

Recommended by:  
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Choice Weekend : \_\_\_\_\_

Dates: \_\_\_\_\_