

## Cell Groups at Penshurst Anglican Church

Our church calls itself a 'cell church', built upon the Biblical idea that the primary way that God's people can truly live out the Gospel is through small, intentional communities (called 'cells'). It is here where Jesus is given a far more intimate opportunity to do His work of transformation.

English-Speaking Cell Groups/	Day/time/frequency
Bart & Kim VandenHengel	Tuesday/ 7:30pm/weekly
Gaye Bishop	Tuesday/ 7:30pm/ fortnightly
Meryllyn Mayhew	Tuesday / 7:30pm/ weekly
Megan & Jeff Powys	Thursday/ 7:30pm/ weekly
ReCharge! (University+ group)	Wednesday/ 8:00pm/ weekly
PAC Youth Group	Friday/ 7:30-9:30 pm/ weekly
'The Quiet Place' prayer meeting	Sunday/7pm/weekly

If you are interested in joining one of these cells, you can either talk directly to one of the group leaders or to Bart for more guidance on which cell will fit you best. You may even want to start your own!

### Sunday School:

Our Sunday School program runs during the 10:30am services, and only during school term. There are four classes available, based roughly on a child's age:

- Ages 3-5 Coordinators: Selina Kwok (in upper hall classroom 1)
- Ages 6-7 Coordinator: Hua (Nancy) Feng (in basement of hall)
- Ages 8-10 Coordinator: Bart VandenHengel (in library)
- Years 11-12+ Coordinator: George Chan (in upper hall classroom 2)



## Penshurst Anglican Church

2 Carrington St, Penshurst, NSW 2222

**Pastors:** Bart VandenHengel (English speaking congregations)  
Aisen Ju (Mandarin speaking congregations)

**Sunday Services:** (8am) Prayer Book Service w/ Holy Communion  
(10:30am) Bi-lingual Celebration service in English and Mandarin  
(6pm) Bi-lingual Celebration service in English and Mandarin

### Contact details:

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Acct No- 100008296

## Penshurst Anglican Church

We welcome you to our celebrations this morning! If you are a visitor here today, we pray that the Triune God of grace will richly meet you where you are, in the fellowship of His people here at PAC. We also invite you to make yourself known to us through the visitor forms found in the pew holders.



Sunday, 30 October, 2016

## Could we also fail? Examining the parallels between ancient Israel and today's Church.

Throughout our *Missions Month*, we will be looking at the various ways in which ancient Israel failed to be a missionary people. We will be asking ourselves whether today's church also risks failing in similar ways.

Oct 30	<b>Failure to be a house of glory &amp; peace</b>	Haggai 2:1-9 Luke 19:41-46
Nov. 6	<b>Failure to be willing to suffer</b>	Lamentations 3:19-33 Matthew 5:11-12
Nov. 13	<b>Failure to be generous</b>	Malachi 3:1-12 Matthew 23:23-24

Our annual **Mission Month fund raising** will take place on **Saturday, November 5th**. Two separate fund-raising events have been organised:

- (1) **"Walk to Water"**- On Saturday morning, we will walk from our church to Oatley, then cross the Georges' River Railway Bridge to the Como Marina. Each walker will raise 'sponsors' to donate to **the Persecuted Church in Africa**.
- (2) **"An Evening of Worship, Prayer and Fund-raising"**- On Saturday evening, we have organised a number of musicians and artists to come and lead us in worship and prayer for **the Persecuted Church in Iraq**. At two separate intervals in the night, we will be taking up a collection, so please be generous!

**Let us all get involved in the missionary work of the church!**

**Church Camp** Forms are at the back of the church.

The camp will be held from Friday to Sunday, Nov. 18-20.

**You must register by Sunday November 6th!**

Date	Welcome	Music Team	Prayer	Bible Reader	Counters
Oct-30	Kim, Andrew C	Team 1- Joy, Bing, Sam, Ruevern, Lucy, Zoey, Millie		Kim	Cliff, Marilyn
Nov-06	Millie, Naomi	Team 2- Stephen, Bing, Aisen, Will, Lydia, Tina, Millie	Holy Communion	Millie	Marilyn, Geoff
Nov-13	Marilyn, Margaret	Team 4- Brian, Gordon, Andrew, Michael, Hua, Catherine, Nancy Lee, Amelia			Geoff, Doris

Oct 16 to Nov 13	<b>Missions Month Speakers:</b> Oct 16– David Lakos; Oct 23– Elizabeth McDougall; Oct 30–
Sat., November 5	<b>"Walk to Water" and Fund-raising Concert</b> for Open Doors
Sun., November 6	<b>International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church (IDOP)</b>
Mon., November 7	<b>Parish Council</b> (7:30pm)
Nov. 18-20	<b>Church camp at Telford Lodge</b> in the Royal National Park
Sun., Nov. 27	<b>National Church Life Survey</b> (all services)



### Pray for Michael Duckett and the MacArthur Aboriginal Church

- We ask God to bring healing and hope to our Aboriginal community with the high number of families mourning the loss of loved ones.
- May God continue to bless our youth program that's held every Monday afternoon.
- We thank and praise God for his faithful provision for our ministry in Campbelltown. Although we are always short of funds, we always have food on the table.

### Prayer:

**To be still before God, letting all earthly things fade away, listening to God and letting him speak to us.**