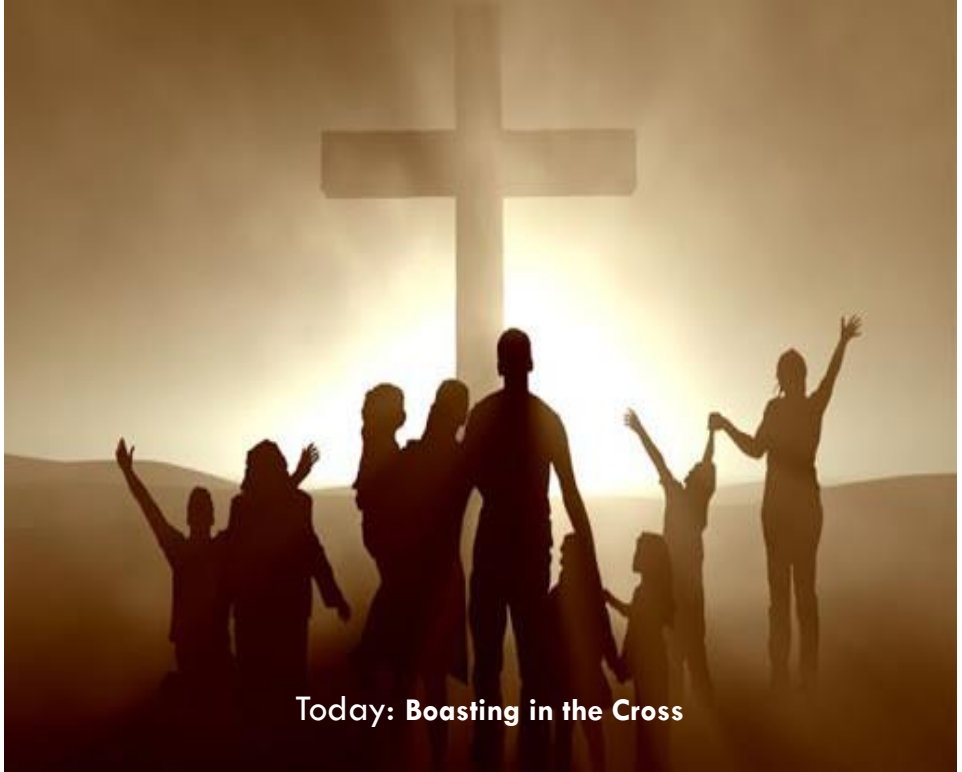


# WELCOME TO PENSURST ANGLICAN CHURCH

April 22, 2018



Today: Boasting in the Cross

## Galatians: The Plain Truth of the Gospel



**“The plain truth of the Gospel”.**

22 April	<b>Boasting in the Cross</b>	Galatians 6:11-18 Luke 19:1-10
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**The Exodus Revisited**— Next week, we go back to the story of Israel’s escape from Egypt and their beginnings as God’s new nation!

29 April	<b>From the Sea to the Mountain</b>	Exodus 15:22– 19:1
6 May	<b>On Eagles’ Wings</b>	Exodus 19:1-7

**All Team Leaders Meeting**

On Sunday, May 6th, Bart and Aisen will be meeting with all the team leaders. Our hope is to give you basic leadership training in how to lead your teams, as well as discussing some cross-team planning for the upcoming year.

**Parish Nominators**

Please pray for our new Parish Nominators:  
**Jennifer Chan, Gaye Bishop, Glen Low, Doris Chan, and Michelle Lee**  
(Meghan Powys– alternate)

**Church Directory**

Our Communication Team is trying to finalise the details of our latest church directory. If you haven’t done so already, please fill in a form (found at the back of the church) and give it to either Doris Chan, Aisen or Bart.

Date	Welcome	Music Team	Prayer	Bible Reader	Counters
Apr-22	Marina, Ronny	Team 3- Shirley, Byron, Aisen, Bart, Allan Gaye, Suganya, Li Sun, Lucy Z.	Gaye	Kathie	Michelle, Geoff
Apr-29	Geoff, Selina,	Team 4- Kat, Subash, Rueves, Joshua, Lucy, Karen, Amy, Sarah, Hua	Nancy	Bing	Geoff, Doris
May-06	Phil, Merilyn	Team 1- Brian, Gordon, Andrew, Aisen, Bart Nancy Lee, Michelle H., Wei Wei, Catherine	Holy Com- munion	Naomi	Doris, Merilyn

Sun., April 22	<b>ANZAC Memorial Sunday</b>
Sun., April 29	<b>Sunday School Teachers Meeting</b>
Sun., May 6	<b>Team Leaders Meeting</b>
Sept 14-16	<b>Church Camp at the Tops Conference Centre, Stanwell Tops</b>

## Prayers for ANZAC MEMORIAL SUNDAY

### **ANZAC DAY prayer**

O God, our ruler and guide,  
 In whose hands are the destinies of this and every nation,  
 We give you thanks for the freedoms we enjoy in this land  
 And for those who laid down their lives to defend them:  
 We pray that we and all the people of Australia,  
 Gratefully remembering their courage and their sacrifice,  
 May have the grace to live in a spirit of justice, of generosity, and of peace;  
 Through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
 Who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
 One God, for ever and ever. Amen

### **A prayer of remembrance**

Lord God, help us this day to remember the sacrifice of the first ANZACs,  
 Australian and New Zealander, and the generations of men, women and children  
 who have died in the cause of liberty and peace.  
 Help us to remember those who still bear the physical and mental scars and disa-  
 bilities of their service.  
 Help us to remember the widows, girlfriends, parents and orphans and all those  
 who waited in vain for the return of a loved one.  
 Help us to remember the mateship, agony, courage and compassion of war ser-  
 vice, but save us from ever glorifying the horror and tragedy of war.  
 Lord God, help us to remember. Amen

### **A prayer for peace**

Almighty God, we remember with thanksgiving, those who made the supreme  
 sacrifice for us in times of war. We pray that their offering of their lives may not  
 have been in vain. May your grace enable us this day to dedicate ourselves to  
 the cause of justice, freedom and peace; and give us the wisdom and strength to  
 build a better world. Amen

# 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.

<b>English-Speaking Cell Groups/</b>	<b>Day/time/frequency</b>
Bart & Kim VandenHengel	Tuesday/ 7:30pm/weekly
Gaye Bishop	Tuesday/ 7:30pm/ fortnightly
Megan & Jeff Powys	Thursday/ 7:30pm/ weekly
ReCharge! (University+ group)	Thursday/ 8:00pm/ weekly
PAC Youth Group	Friday/7:30-9:30pm/ 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 service, and only during school term. There are four classes available, based roughly on a child's age and year at school:

- Ages 3-5                      Coordinators: Tina Ung (in basement of hall)
- Years 1-3                    Coordinator: Hua (Nancy) Feng (in upper hall classroom 2)
- Years 4-6                    Coordinator: Andrew Ung (Upper hall classroom 1)
- Years 7+                     Coordinator: John Oakes (in Library)



## **Penshurst Anglican Church**

2 Carrington St, Penshurst, NSW 2222

**Senior Pastor:** Bart VandenHengel

**Assistant Pastor:** Aisen Ju

**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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### **Internet Banking details:** Westpac

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